CAPLN NUCLEAR RISKS IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC

There are many nuclear risks in the Asia-Pacific...

South Asia

INDIA-PAKISTAN CONFLICT AND NUCLEAR POSTURES

STRATEGIC NUCLEAR CHAIN (RUSSIA-US-CHINA-INDIA

Northeast Asia

TENSIONS ON THE KOREAN PENINSULA

NORTH KOREA'S NUCLEAR BUILDUP

SOUTH KOREA'S NUCLEAR **AMBITIONS**

CHINA-INDIA RIVALRY -PAKISTAN)



CHINA'S

NUCLEAR

BUILD-UP

JAPAN'S LOBB4

PRO-NUCLEAR



US-CHINA GEOPOLITICAL COMPETITION



WEAKENING OF NUCLEAR NORMS

BREAKDOWN OF US-RUSSIA ARMS CONTROL TREATIES



NUCLEAR DETERRENCE

COMPETITION

HEIGHTENEND MILITARY TENSIONS



EMERGING DISRUPTIVE TECHNOLOGIES

CLIMATE-NUCLEAR

NEXUS

Southeast Asia

TAIWAN STRAIT

CONFLICT

TENSIONS IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA



THE KOREAN

PENINSULA

Oceania

LEGACY EFFECTS OF NUCLEAR TESTING



MINING IN **AUSTRALIA**

AUKUS



LEACHING OF NUCLEAR WASTE FROM THE RUNIT DOME

RADIOACTIVE WASTEWATER RELEASE FROM THE FUKUSHIMA DAIICHI NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

...and they impact regions in both similar and different ways





Highly urban societies in Asia versus scattered settlements in Oceania

Divergences Small island states as opposed to big territorial states

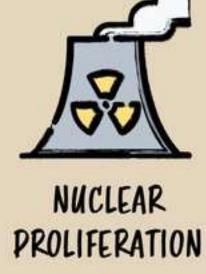
Nuclear weapon possessors and umbrella states in contrast to overseas territories of nuclear weapon states

Impacts of US-China geopolitical rivalry Rising conflict and heightened militarisation

Interconnected Oceanic environment

Competical

Nuclear risks are a human security issue Traditional Nuclear Risks



DETERRENCE BREAKDOWN

NUCLEAR



NUCLEAR FALLOUT AND RADIOACTIVE CONTAMINATION INTENTIONAL NUCLEAR USE

ACCIDENT

NUCLEAR

Transnational Risks of Nuclear Weapons Use

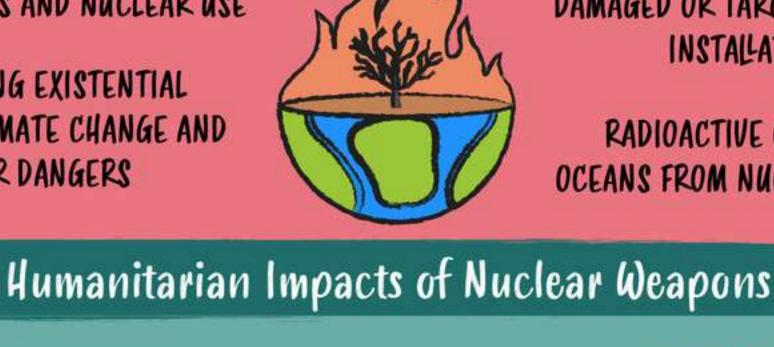
ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE FROM RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT FROM

COMPOUNDING EXISTENTIAL

THREATS OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND

NUCLEAR TESTS AND NUCLEAR USE

NUCLEAR DANGERS



INSTALLATIONS. RADIOACTIVE CONTAMINATION OF OCEANS FROM NUCLEAR WASTE DISPOSAL

DAMAGED OR TARGETED NUCLEAR

INTER-GENERATIONAL EFFECTS DESTRUCTION AND LOSS OF LIFE, NUCLEAR (HEALTH, PSYCHOLOGICAL, PROPERTY AND LIVELIHOOD



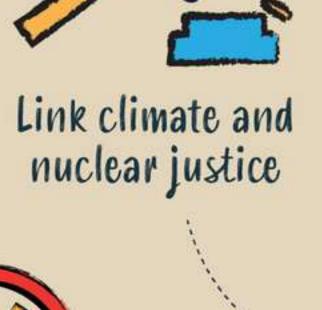
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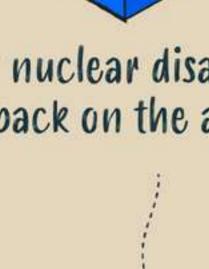
PSYCHOLOGICAL NUMBING TO **NUCLEAR DANGERS**

COLONIALISM

BREAKDOWN OF SOCIO-POLITICAL LIFE

CULTURAL) OF NUCLEAR TESTS







Reducing Asia-Pacific muclean risks Strengthen nuclear weapon-free zones

war-fighting namatives

Platform values-based

discourse



Leverage Asia-Pacific multilateralism



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