

**Meghan Doherty, Sr. Program Associate, Winrock International:** Meghan supports the Private Investment for Enhanced Resilience (PIER) project, including leading the coordination of the PIER Advisory Committee. Meghan's background is in climate change adaptation, specifically in policy and measurement.

## PIER Advisory Committee

**John Firth, CEO and Co-Founder of Acclimatise Group Ltd:** John has over 25 years' experience in assessing the impacts of climate change. John co-founded Acclimatise with Dr Richenda Connell in 2004. Acclimatise has now worked on nearly 400 adaptation and resilience projects in over 70 countries, for both the public and private sectors. He has extensive experience of integrating climate change into business decision-making and risk management processes. He has a particular expertise in the impacts of climate change on SMEs, multi-national corporates and their supply-chains and the financial services sectors. John has worked extensively on country National Adaptation Plans developing the linkages between non-state actors, government and politicians to create shared agendas for policy reform.

**Alan S. Miller, Climate Finance and Policy Specialist:** Alan is a lawyer and an internationally recognized authority on climate finance and policy. His clients include UNDP, US AID, and Sustainable Energy For All. In January 2014 he retired after 16 years working on climate change issues for the World Bank Group -- 10 years for the International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private sector lending arm of the Bank, and 6 years at the Global Environment Facility (GEF) managing approval of funding for climate change projects. Earlier in his career, Mr. Miller created and directed the Center for Global Change at the University of Maryland and served on the staffs of two leading NGOs, the World Resources Institute (WRI) and Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC). He has taught at 10 universities and is currently an adjunct professor at the University of Maryland and American University.

**Marta Modelewska, Principal, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development:** Marta is an infrastructure economist with over nine years of experience in banking and advisory services gained within major development banks. She specializes in the formulation and implementation of investment programs on infrastructure and resource efficiency, within the limits set by policy frameworks and commercial viability. Marta contributes to the EBRD's efforts in climate change adaptation, with a focus on the infrastructure and corporate sectors and technical and policy dialog in Central Asia and the Southern and Eastern Mediterranean region.

**Dr Johanna Nalau, Climate Change Response Program and Research Theme Leader, Griffith University:** Johanna is an adaptation scientist with a PhD in climate change adaptation at School of Environment and Science at Griffith University based on the Gold Coast, Australia. Her research is focused on understanding how, why and when people make decisions to adapt to climate change, and what role science can and should play in that process. She is a Lead Author for the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) 6th Assessment report in Working Group II Chapter 15 Small Islands, an Australian Research Council DECRA Fellow (2019-2021) and the Managing Editor for the Journal of Climate Risk Management. She also leads the Adaptation Science Research Theme at the Cities Research Institute at Griffith University. All of these roles focus on understanding the core principles of climate change adaptation, and how adaptation science can play a positive role in evidence-based decision-making.