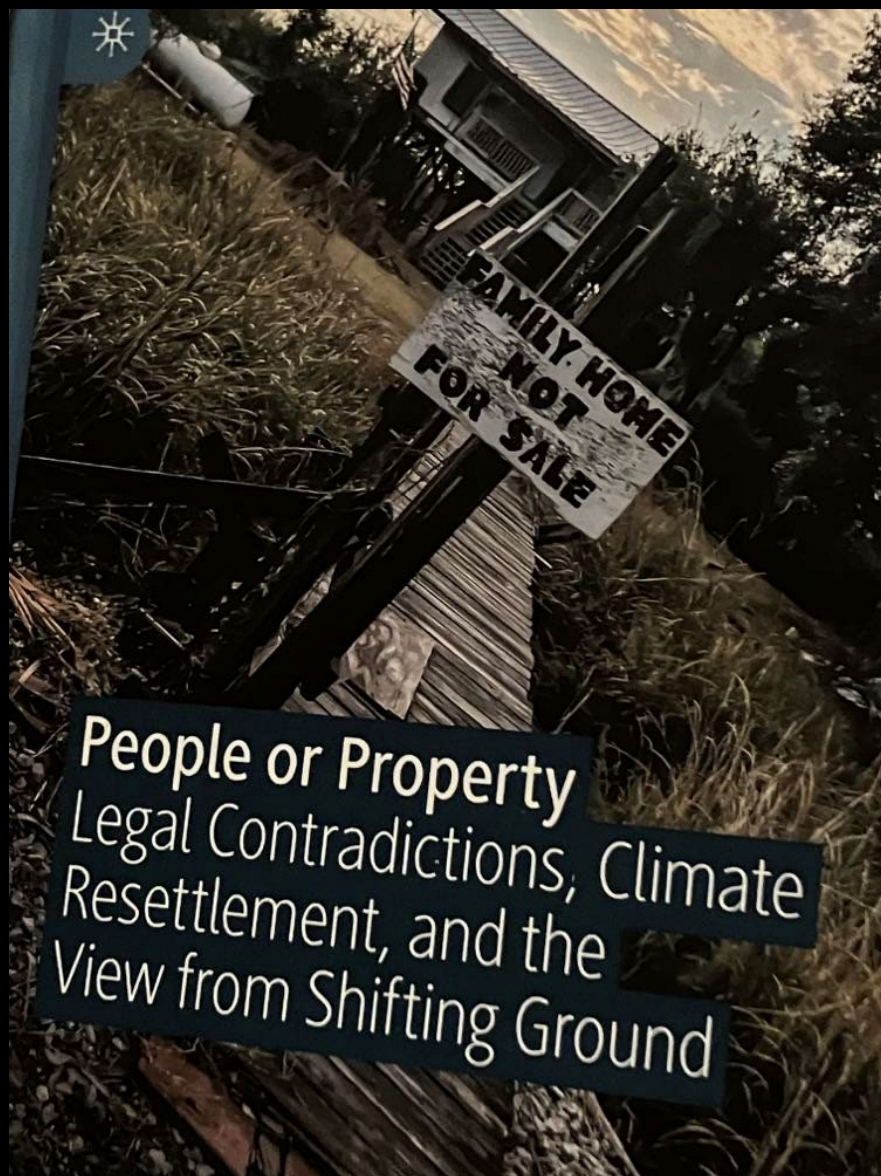




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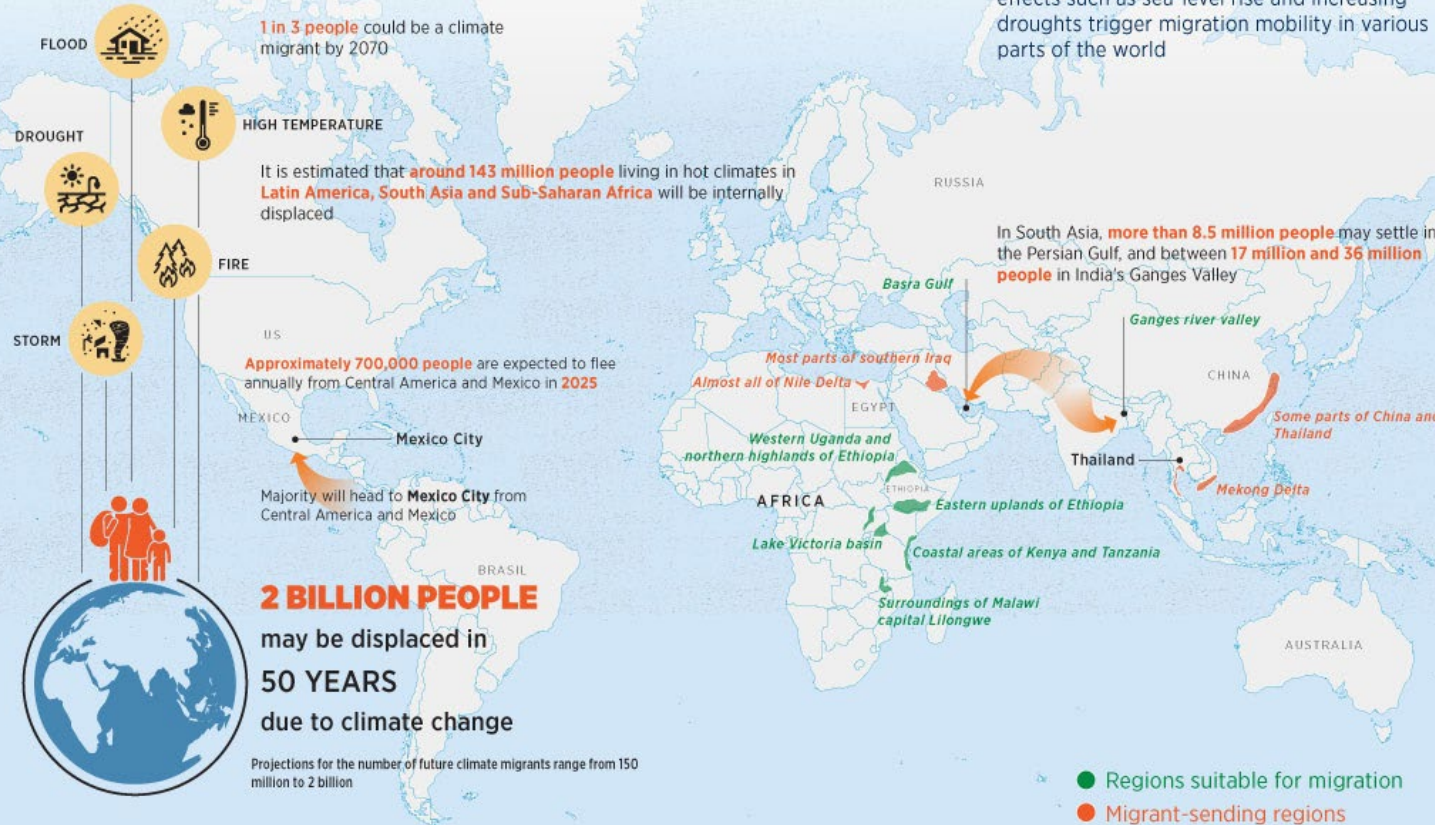
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Possible routes of climate migration

Rapidly changing effects such as extreme weather events, which increase in severity and frequency with climate change, and long-term effects such as sea-level rise and increasing droughts trigger migration mobility in various parts of the world





Migration and Governance

Just Governance

Equitable distribution of risk and resilience: a cycle of justice

OR

Inequitable distribution of risk and resilience: the current landscape

- Forced removal from Indigenous lands
- Cultural and economic assimilation
- Racial residential segregation

Unjust Governance

Relocation as climate justice

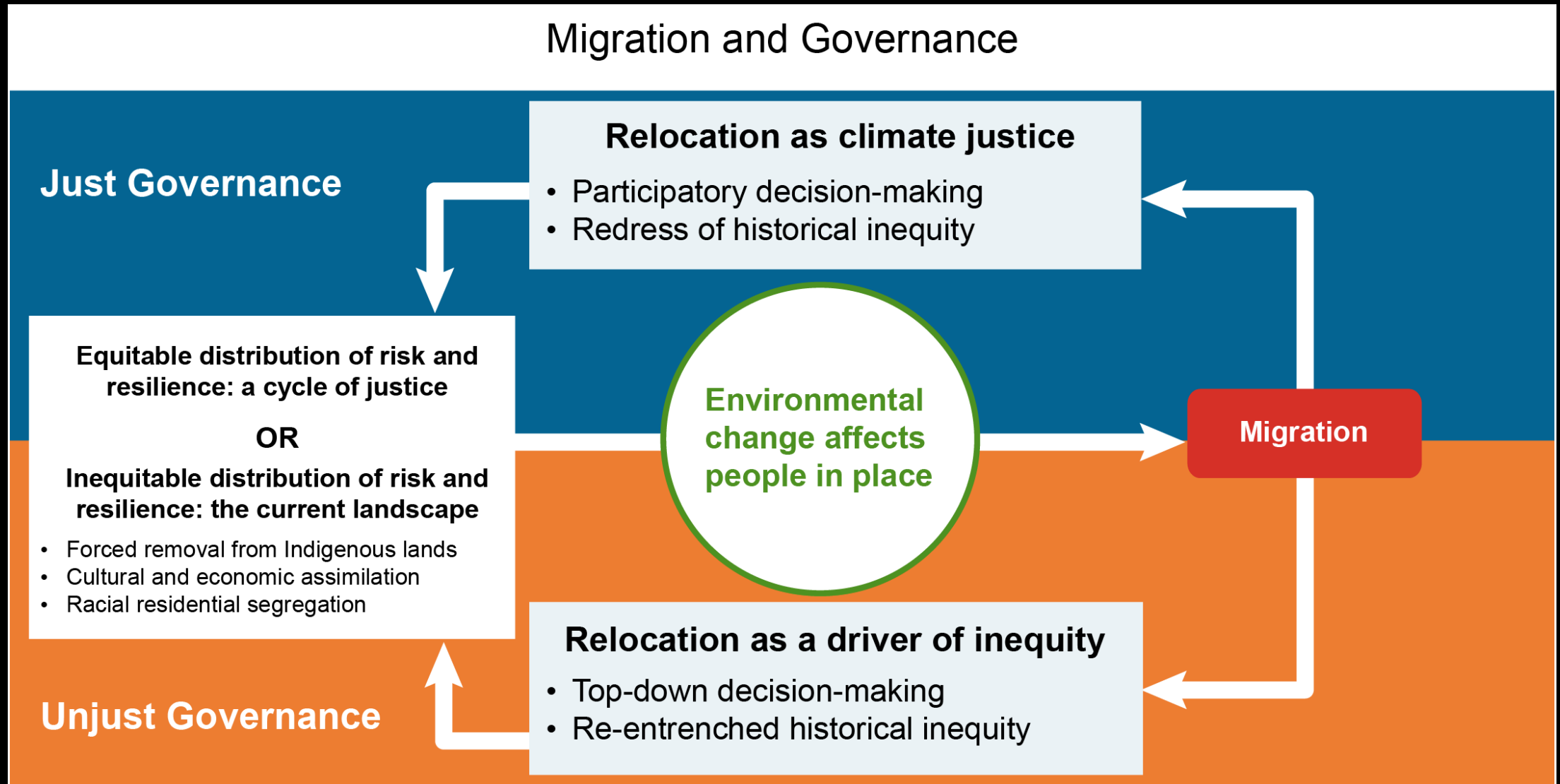
- Participatory decision-making
- Redress of historical inequity

Environmental change affects people in place

Migration

Relocation as a driver of inequity

- Top-down decision-making
- Re-entrenched historical inequity





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