

*Press, 1988). Dr. Betts is a lecturer in sociology at Swinburne Institute of Technology, Australia. Australians went through an immigration debate that is astonishingly parallel to ours, which preceded ours by several years. The author analyzes in particular the role of intellectuals and the "growth lobby" showing how "ideologically correct" ideas on immigration developed. In this regard, her analysis is considerably advanced over that seen in the US, where the role of "political correctness" is just now being recognized for the power it has in shaping the immigration debate. This essay is composed of portions of Dr. Betts' book and is reprinted with permission.*