

Climate change and the future of diversity: Threats to cultural and biological diversity in the Anthropocene

Day 1

9.30 - Institutional greetings

Dr. Cristiana Aresti (Director of the Casanatense Library)

9.40 - Introduction

Dr. Lucia Marchi (Director of the Sextante Casanatense, Publishing House)

Prof. Claudia Hassan (University of Rome Tor Vergata)

10.00 - Session 1 (Moderator: **Thomas Hylland Eriksen**)

John R. McNeill (Georgetown University, Washington)

A 2,500-year overview of globalization

Prasenjit Duara (Duke University, Durham)

Agency in the Anthropocene: From the 'Good Anthropocene' to 'New Materialism'

11.30 - Pause

11.50 - Session 2 (Moderator: **Daniele Conversi**)

Thomas Hylland Eriksen (University of Oslo)

The creole alternative: A possible future for diversity

Lorenzo Posocco (University College Dublin - University of Rome Tor Vergata)

Climate change: Bridging the gap between global concern and national action

13.30 - Lunch break

14.45 - Session 3 (Moderator: **Lorenzo Posocco**)

Hannah Knox (University College London)

Climate change and the Multiplication of the Future

Marianne Elisabeth Lien (University of Oslo)

The future of diversity. Threats to cultural and biological diversity in the Anthropocene



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Day 2

9.30 - Session 1 (Moderator: **Dag Olav Hessen**)

David Rapport (EcoHealth Consulting)

Pulling Back from the Brink: From Anthropocene to Symbiocene

Ilona Otto (University of Graz, Austria)

Human Agency in the Anthropocene

10.50 - Coffee Break

11.00 - Session 2 (Moderator: **Hannah Knox**)

Luisa Maffi (Terralingua)

The Dual Extinction Crisis: What Future for Biocultural Diversity in the Anthropocene?

Dag Olav Hessen (University of Oslo)

Everything is not everywhere, but will it be? On the vanishing biogeography, the global fate of biodiversity and why it matters

Claudia Hassan (University of Rome Tor Vergata)

Disinformation, denialism and climate change

12.50 - Coffee Break

13.00 - Session 3 (Moderator: **Lorenzo Posocco**)

Daniele Conversi (University of the Basque Country)

Homogeneocene. Defining the age of cultural and biological destruction, 1493-today

13.45 - Lunch Break

15.30 - Roundtable discussion

17.30 - Conclusions

Organisers:

Prof. Daniele Conversi (University of the Basque Country)

Prof. Thomas Hylland Eriksen (University of Oslo)

Dr. Lorenzo Posocco (University College Dublin, University of Rome Tor Vergata)

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