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Online lecture series

Welcome to the Anthropocene

University of Vienna, summer term 2024

280185 VO MA-ERD-W1.1 Welcome to the Anthropocene (2024S) 2 ECTS:

Public lectures on Tuesdays, 5:00-7:00 pm (CET & CEST)

online via ZOOM and hybrid



An interdisciplinary online lecture series on the Anthropocene with national and international speakers of various disciplines will examine the Anthropocene from different perspectives.

Online discussion to ask questions after each lecture

23. April 2024 - hybrid lecture - kärnten.museum

13. Juni 2024 - hybrid lecture - ZEIT-GESPRÄCH / 7. Forum Anthropozän

The **Anthropocene** presents challenges to all academic fields. As a potential new geochronological epoch, it redefines the human relationship to the planet in ecological terms with consequences that are also historical, social and ethical.

Bringing together the humanities and the sciences, the Vienna Anthropocene Network comprises scholars from geology, geography, the life sciences, history, philosophy, literary and cultural studies, anthropology and a range of area studies.

12.03.24 englisch

Anthropocene: An Introduction from Humanities and Natural Sciences perspectives

Eva Horn, University of Vienna, VAN
Michael Wagreich, University of Vienna, VAN, AWG
Sabine Seidler (Forum Anthropocene)

19.03.24 englisch

What is the Anthropocene?

Jan Zalasiewicz, University of Leicester, UK;
Anthropocene Working Group (AWG)

09.04.24 englisch
Melting Point: The impact of glaciers through time
Dan Le Heron, University of Vienna
Paulina Mejias-Osorio, University of Vienna
Ricarda Wohlschl  gl, University of Vienna

16.04.24 deutsch
Wiener Wasser im Anthropozän
Helene Bauer, Wiener Wasser

23.04.24 start 18:00 deutsch
Panel discussion: hybrid event
Wieviel Staat braucht die Ressource Wasser?
Wolfgang Muchitsch, Claudia Dojen,
Michael Wagreich, Doris Hattenberger,
Landeshauptmann Peter Kaiser
Moderation: Sabine Seidler & Igor Pucker
A cooperation event of the University of Vienna & Vienna
Anthropocene Network, EKUZ-1. Europäisches Klima- und
Umweltbildungszentrum/Forum Anthropozän and the
kärnten.museum
kärnten.museum, Klagenfurt

The international Forum Anthropocene serves as a platform which addresses the transdisciplinary topic of the Anthropocene with a special focus on globality, urbanity and rural areas.

Drawing on this broad interdisciplinary base, the lecture series will explore new perspectives on nature, culture, society and technology that the Anthropocene urgently calls for. Most presentations will be in English, some in German.

30.04.24 englisch

Climate crisis as a political problem

Franz Baumann, former Assistant Secretary-General of the United Nations

07.05.24 englisch
Anthropogenic Fluvial Systems and Strata
Catherine Russell, University of Leicester, UK

14.05.24 englisch

The Anthropocene: A Science and Technology studies, (quantum) many worlds perspective

Robert Braun, Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS),
Austria

28.05.24 deutsch
Wasser im Nationalpark Hohe Tauern
Barbara Pucker, Nationalpark Hohe Tauern
Konrad Mariacher, Nationalpark Hohe Tauern

04.06.24 englisch

Biodiversity in China and Beyond: A Journey from Local Communities to Global Initiatives

Jinfeng Zhou, China Biodiversity and Conservation and Green Development Foundation, Club of Rome, China

13.06.24 start 15:00 englisch + deutsch
hybrid event

WASSER. Quelle des Lebens in der Klimakrise
WATER. Source of life in climate crisis

7. Forum Anthropozän ZEIT-Gespräch

Haus der Steinböcke, Heiligenblut, Kärnten

