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Closing Panel Discussion of the Lecture Series
«Naturkatastrophen, Epidemien, Plagen – und was
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Climate Change and the End of Empires

With Kyle Harper, Rupa Mukerji,
and Andreas Victor Walser



Tuesday,
Mai 25, 2021
18.15
Online



LINK TO
ZOOM SESSION

Climate Change and the End of Empires

**Kyle Harper (University of Oklahoma)
and Rupa Mukerji (Helvetas) in conversation
with Andreas Victor Walser**

Welcome Address by Dean Klaus Jonas

What are the consequences of climate change for human societies? How does climate change interact with other ecological factors such as epidemics? When does a change in environmental conditions become a humanitarian catastrophe? Did the Roman Empire fall because of climate change – and will other empires soon fall because of it?

The historian Kyle Harper and climate scientist Rupa Mukerji discuss the effects of climate change – in the past, present and future – in a conversation moderated by Andreas Victor Walser.

When: Tuesday, May 25, 2021, 18.15.

Where: Online (Zoom session, see QR code or link on front page).

Video recording will be available at www.zazh.uzh.ch
from June 1, 2021.

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