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# Rachel Carson Center Research Forum

8 February 2024

Historisches Kolleg

Kaulbachstraße 15, 80539 Munich

**14:00** Coffee & Cake

**14:30** Welcome by Christof Mauch and Katherine Arnold

**14:40** Transforming Landscapes and Environments: Insights into Recent Research

***Moderator: Sonja Dümpelmann***

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Spencer Adams

Pooja Nayak

**15:00** RCC Research Projects: Foraging at the End of Capitalism

***Moderator: Lena Engel***

Martin Saxer

Marlen Elders

Toma Peiu

Matjaz Pinter

Pauline Prückner

Sina Weber



**15:20 Life at the Landhaus**

***Moderator: Katherine Arnold***

Abosede Omowumi Babatunde

Anwasha Borthakur

André Felipe Cândido da Silva

Nicholas Earhart

Carolina Granado-Torres

Silke Oldenburg

Monika Szuba

Anja Wegner

Moremi Zeil

**15:35 Editing Team**

***Moderator: Pauline Kargruber and Jonatan Palmblad***

**15:45 Bathroom Break**

**16:00 Research at the RCC**

***Moderator: Christof Mauch***

Adam Stone (Rutgers University)

*"Bread, Not Bombs: Transnational Women Peace Activists' Alternatives to Nuclear Weapons and Military Expenditure in the 1980s"*

Giulia Leonetti (IUSS Pavia)

*"Biodiversity and Anthropocene"*

Mary Lindemann (University of Miami)

*"The Thirty Years War and Its Aftermath: A Landscape History"*



Mieke Roscher (University of Kassel)

*"Breed and Breeding: On Writing a Political History of Animals in the Third Reich"*

Miguel Mundstock Xavier de Carvalho (Federal University of the Southern Frontier, Brazil)

*"The Environmental History of the Chicken in Parana, Brazil (1960–80)"*

Elsbeth Opperman (RCC)

*"Energetic Geographies: Reimagining Geography through the Thermal"*

**16:35      PhD Students**

***Moderator: Sophia Hörl***

Lena Schlegel (ProEnviron)

*"Multispecies Care amid the Australian Black Summer"*

Christopher Klapperich (IDK)

*"Rethinking Reforestation: Native Trees, New Narratives, and the Potential of Bottom-up Landscape Transformation"*

Katie Kung (IDK)

*"Killing Kindly: Invasive Species in a More-than-Human World"*

Andreas Jünger (ProEnviron)

*"Between Counterworld and Mainstream: A History of Organic Farming in Southern Spain"*

María del Pilar Peralta Ardila (ProEnviron)

*"Environmental Defense and Territorial Care in the Daily Lives of Women Leaders in Southwestern Colombia, 1990–2022"*

Daniel Dumas (ProEnviron)

*"(Re)Making the Nation(s): Cultural Representations of Indigeneity and the Environment in Canada"*



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**17:10 Certificate Students Final Projects**

***Moderator: Susanne Unger***

Markos Panayiotou

Sophie Qian-Chu Gong

Viktoria Unger

**17:30 Awards Ceremony**

***Moderator: Christof Mauch***

ProEnviron Certificate Ceremony

Jonas Stuck

Jonatan Palmblad

BNE Sonderpreis

Hannah Kreuzinger

Gina Lou Gleißner

Münchner Nachhaltigkeitspreis

Antonia Schmid

Dana Drüke

Philip Stanley

Chijioke Francis Nwosu

**18:00 Dinner and Drinks**