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## WORKSHOP

### DE-GLOBALIZATIONS: A NATURAL HISTORY

Date: **4 December 2019**

Venue: **Sala degli Stemma, Villa Salviati, European University Institute (EUI)**

#### Programme

**9:30-11:15**      **Session 1: Deglobalizing history and social sciences?**

**Stéphane Van Damme**: Opening remarks.

**Nicola Di Cosmo** (IAS, Princeton): “Historical Climatology in China and Global History: An Epistemological Challenge”.

**11:15-11:30**      **Coffee break**

**11:30-12:30**      **Session 1: Deglobalizing history and social sciences?**

**Lissa Roberts** (University of Twente): “Bent by Use: Rethinking the Global History of Technology”.

**13:00-14:00**      **Lunch**

**14:00-16:00**      **Session 2: From Strength to Fragility**

**Alexander Statman** (University of Wisconsin-Madison): “Enchanted Garden or Hydraulic Despotism: Asian Environments and the Cross-Cultural Origins of a Social Theory”.

**Neera Singh** (University of Toronto): “Nurturing Many Worlds: Affective Ecologies as Sites of de-globalization”.

**16:00-16:15**      **Coffee break**

**16:30-18:30**      **Session 3: From Waste to Ruins**

**Simon Werrett** (University College London): “Thrifty Science: An Oeconomic Solution to the Environmental Crisis”.

**Guillaume Lachenal** (SciencesPo, medialab): “Deglobalizing global health. Ruderal ecologies of disease and the planetary health paradigm”.

## List of Participants

- Nicola Di Cosmo, historian (Princeton University)
- Guillaume Lachenal, historian of science and science studies (SciencesPo, Paris)
- Grégory Quénet, environmental historian (Université de Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines)
- Lissa Roberts, historian of technology (University of Twente)
- Alexander Statman, historian of science (Center for the Humanities, UW Madison)
- Neera Singh, geographer (University of Toronto)
- Corinna Unger, historian (EUI)
- Stéphane Van Damme, historian of science (EUI)
- Simon Werrett , historian of science (UCL, University College London)