The time is ripe to place environmental issues at the heart of debates about Late Antiquity. This conference takes a Mediterranean-wide approach, setting climate or pollen data into the wider historical context of the 1st millennium A.D., greening our narrative of Late Antiquity.

**Regional vegetation histories: The Mediterranean**
- 9:30-10:00 José Antonio López-Sáez* (Madrid) - The Western Mediterranean
- 10:00-10:30 K. Kouli (Athens), *L. Sadori (Rome), *A. Masi (Rome), *A. M. Mercuri (Modena) - The Central Mediterranean
- 10:30-11:00 Neil Roberts (Plymouth) - The Eastern Mediterranean

**Regional vegetation histories: Northern Europe**
- 11:15-11:45 Jessie Woodbridge (Plymouth), Ralph Fyfe (Plymouth), Neil Roberts (Plymouth) - Northern Europe
- 11:45-12:15 S. Rippon (Exeter), R. Fyfe (Plymouth) - Britain

**Local and regional case studies: The West**
- 13:00-13:30 L. Pena Chocarro* (Madrid) and others - Tabacalera (Asturias)
- 13:30-14:00 M. Morellon, G. Sinopoli* et al. - Batrinx and the Western Balkans
- 14:00-14:30 D. Keenan-Jones (Glasgow), A. Foubert*, G. Fried*, M. Sivaguru*, J. Waldsmith*, H. Wang* and B. W. Fouke* - Latium/Campania:Aqueduct travertine layers

**Local and regional case studies: The East**
- 14:35-15:05 John Haldon (Princeton) - Avkat and Northern Anatolia
- 15:05-15:35 Gert Verstraeten*, Nils Broothaerts, *Maarten Van Loo (Leuven) - Sagalassos and South-Western Anatolia

**Mediterranean thematic surveys**
- 15:45-16:15 Neil Roberts (Plymouth), Inga Labuhn (Lund), Adam Izdebski (Krakow) - Climatic changes and their impact
- 16:15-16:45 A. Chavarria (Padua), T. Lewit (Melb.)* A. Izdebski (Krakow), T. Waliszewski (Warsaw) - Settlement trends across the Mediterranean and their impact on the environment
- 16:45-17:15 Mark Whittow (Oxford) - Land use, social structure and the environment in Late Antiquity
- 17:15-17:45 Benjamin Graham (Memphis) - Postmortem: Mediterranean woodland composition at the end of empire
- 17:45-18.00 Adam Izdebski (Krakow) - Environment and the end of Antiquity: is there a link between the fall of Rome and a major environmental catastrophe?

All are welcome. Admission 25 GBP, Students/OAPs 12 GBP. To register write to M.Mulryan@kent.ac.uk before 5th October.

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