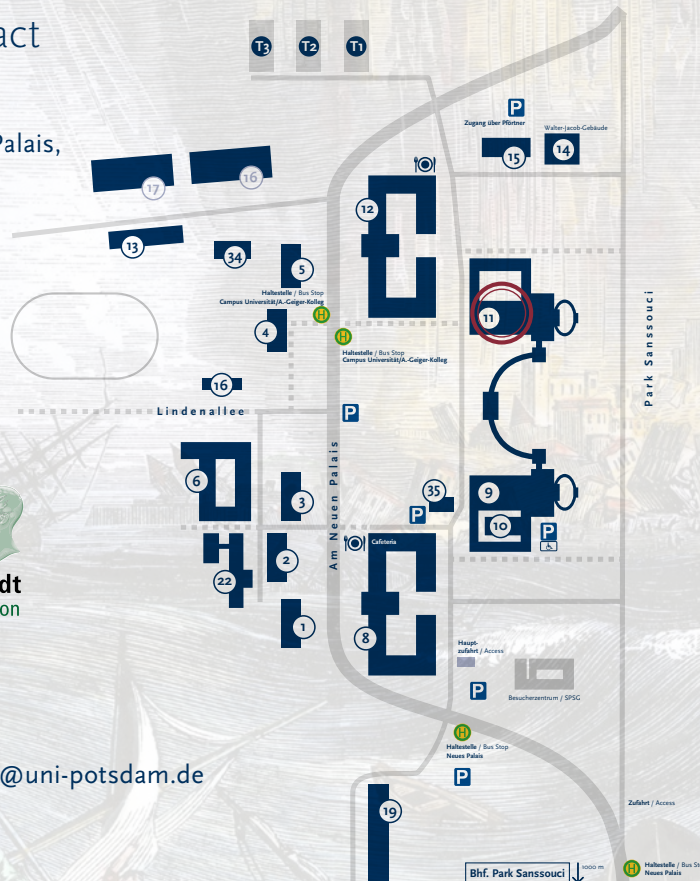


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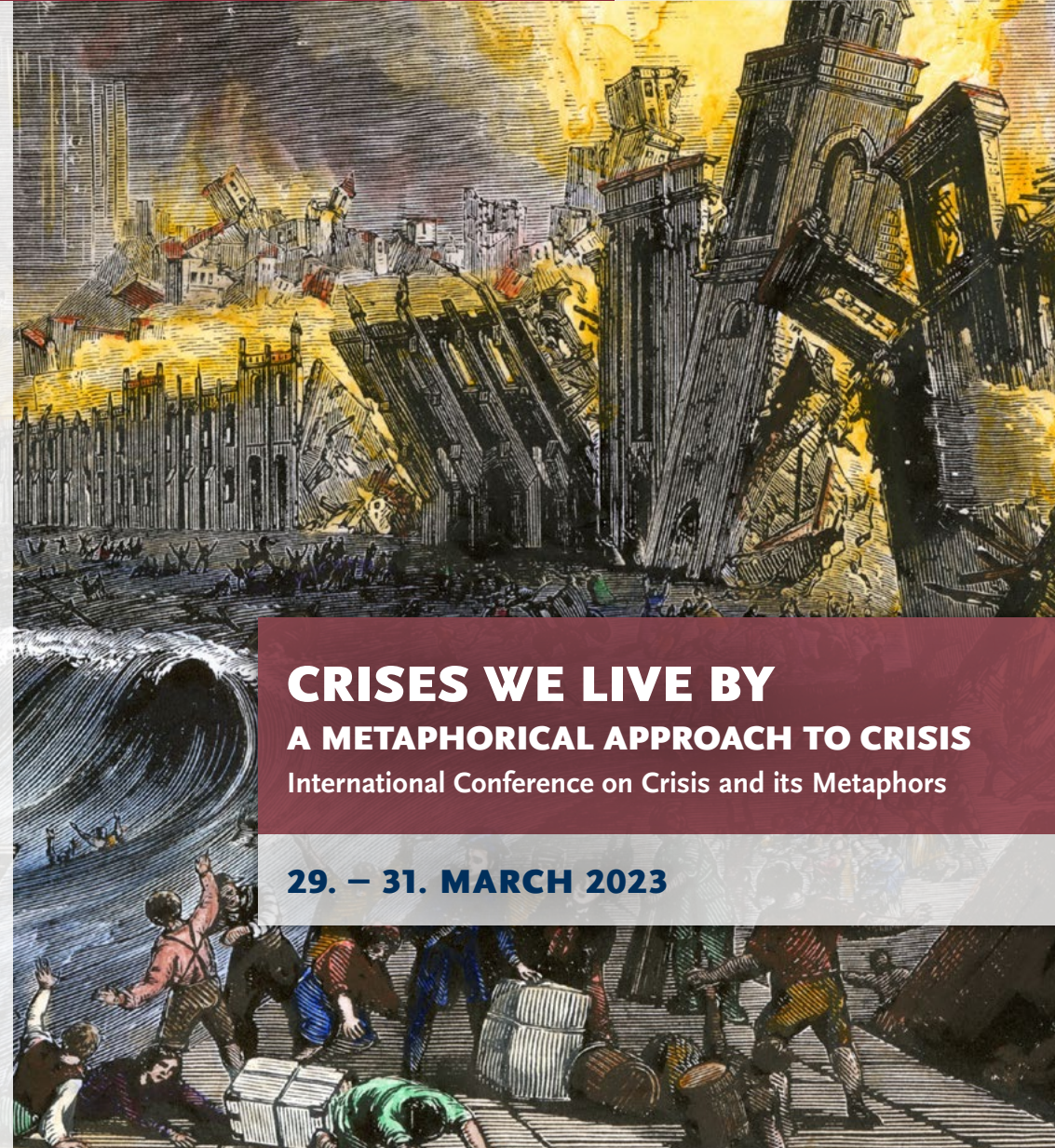
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CRISES WE LIVE BY A METAPHORICAL APPROACH TO CRISIS

International Conference on Crisis and its Metaphors

29. – 31. MARCH 2023

Program

WEDNESDAY | 29.03.2023

14:15 INTRODUCTION

14:30 KEY-NOTE LECTURE

Crisis Discourse Metaphors *[virtual]*
Andreas Musolff

PANEL 1: CRISIS METAPHORS AND POLITICAL DISCOURSE

15:15 Towards a Sociology of Conservative Crisis Narratives
Felix Schilk

16:00 Coffee Break

16:30 Collapse Metaphor in Roman Political Discourse and its Legacy
Irene Leonardis

17:15 On the “Crisis” of Pregnancy and Birthing in the U.S. *[virtual]*
Jina Fast

THURSDAY | 30.03.2023

09:00 KEY-NOTE LECTURE

Are Different ‘Crises We Live By’ Metaphorically Conceptualised
in Different Ways?
Antonella Luporini

PANEL 2: CRISES AS/AND NATURAL DISASTERS

09:45 Storm Metaphors of Crisis in Roman Culture
William Short

10:30 Coffee Break

11:00 “The House is on Fire”. Eco-anxiety and Dystopic Metaphors in the Climate
Crisis Communication during the UN Conference COP26
Chiara Gagliano

11:45 Climate Crisis as Relational Crisis:
Centering Indigenous Environmental Discourses *[virtual]*
Shelbi Nahwilet Meissner – Andrew Frederick Smith

12:30 Lunch

PANEL 3: CRISIS AS A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

14:30 Uncertainty, and Crisis in Early Greek Poetry
Fabian P. Horn

15:15 From Trauma to Reappraising Life: Psychological Crisis Experiences and
Recovery in First-person Accounts of Life-changing Injuries *[virtual]*
Sara Vilar-Lluch

16:00 Coffee Break

16:30 Freud vs. Rousseau: Mathematics and Metaphors of Crises
Michael Friedman

19:00 Conference Dinner



FRIDAY | 31.03.2023

09:00 KEY-NOTE LECTURE

Metaphor, Moral Foundations and the Covid-19 Pandemic
Jonathan Charteris-Black

PANEL 4: DISEASE AND CRISIS

09:45 Illness and War: Susan Sontag Reconsidered
Alberto Martinengo

10:30 Coffee Break

11:00 Metaphor and the representation of COVID-19 in online discourse
of solidarity (a case study of English language Internet memes)
Maryna Bielova

11:45 France’s ‘Phoney war’: National Implications of a Political Metaphor
Anaïs Augé

12:30 Lunch

PANEL 5: CRISES BETWEEN LIMINALITY AND PASSAGE

14:00 The Anacyclosis of Polybius:
Ancient Metaphors of Political Crisis and Change
Andreas T. Zanker

14:45 Metaphorical Expressions of Crisis and their Role in the Legitimation of
Dissent in Sinic Thought: Materials from Premodern China and Korea
Marion Eggert – Heiner Roetz

15:30 Final Discussion

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