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Understanding Climate Change, or Fear is in the Air

in conversation with

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Volume-Rendered Global Atmospheric Model, NASA's Scientific Visualization Studio, 2014.

What are the limitations, weaknesses, and risks involved in trying to “repair” the Earth’s climate? From the perspective of an atmospheric scientist, this session will address the responsibilities and potentials of contemporary research and solution-oriented action intended to fix climate change. Thomas Peter, Professor em. of Atmospheric Chemistry, will explore the atmosphere as a domain of possible intervention and its territorial entanglements. This session will present a critical analysis of ongoing research in the atmospheric sciences and discuss how it has the potential to mitigate or instill fear of crisis.