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Workshop: Teaching Existential Risk in the Anthropocene

26-27 March 2026

Roosevelt Institute for American Studies
Hofplein 16
4331 CK Middelburg

Program

Wednesday, March 25, 2026

**Afternoon/
evening** **Check-in at Hotel De Nieuwe Doelen (Loskade 5, Middelburg)**

20:00 **Welcome drinks in hotel lobby**

Thursday, March 26, 2026

09:30-09:45 **Walk-in with coffee and tea at RIAS (Hofplein 16, Middelburg)**

09:45-10:00 **Introduction by organizers Rob Cullum and Maud Rijks (Leiden University)**

Please note that you may only bring laptops/stationary into the conference room as it is located in the reading room of the archive. Lockers are available at the entrance of the building. We will provide refreshments in the conference room for you.

10:00-12:15 **Session 1: What is at Risk?**

12:15-13:15 **Lunch**

13:15-15:30 **Session 2: Syllabus Design and Learning Objectives**

19:00 **Dinner at Restaurant Cluys (Markt 7, Middelburg)**

Friday, March 27, 2026

09:45-10:00 **Walk-in with coffee and tea at RIAS (Hofplein 16, Middelburg)**

10:00-12:15 **Session 3: Pedagogies of Existential Risk**

12:15-12:30 **Wrap-up**

13:00-14:30 **Farewell lunch at Restaurant De Houttuinen (Achter de Houttuinen 30, Middelburg)**

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