



Multispecies Justice: Climate Change, non-humans and relational impacts



This symposium is part of the series: [Thinking and Enacting Justice in a Multispecies World](#)

The idea of justice is one initially developed for, and applied to, individual human beings. In our climate-changed and climate-challenged environment, biodiversity is being undermined and the tenuous relationship between fragile ecological systems and the human realm has been exposed. Climate change accelerates the damage being done to human, nonhuman, and the relations and flows between them, and has made clear the limitations of individualist conceptions of justice.

This symposium examines ecological and social relationality, and how a conception of multispecies justice can rethink, reorder, and revive the field of justice studies in order to make it more relevant to the reality of climate-impacted and ecologically entangled lives. We will explore how we might critique liberal individualism, value relations with the nonhuman, and rethink notions of personhood informed by both western and Indigenous lenses.

Keynote Speakers

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Convener:

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More information and to register:

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