

Project title:

Climate Ethics and the current climate crisis: Reflecting on known human history and predictions of the future and its attribution to humanity's lack of morals

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Abstract

The climate crisis is upon us with undisputed scientific evidence indicating that our planet is rapidly declining. Reflecting on known human history, the Biblical Flood, mentioned in many ancient cultures, is the most relevant point of reference. Well supported by archaeological findings, the Flood could be considered similar to the predictions of the near future, and is attributed to humanity's lack of morals, mainly expressed in greed and lust, among others.

This work will compare ancient sources on the Biblical flood (and potentially other religious and cultural relevant sources) with current events – e.g., shark fins harvest, genetically modified animals, animal porn etc (the focus is on animal abuse).

Background

The broad focus of this project is on ethics, technology, climate crisis, religion, and culture.

Possible Research Questions

- What is climate ethics from historical and current perspectives?
- Do historical predictions made about the causes of the biblical flood play a role in the current climate crises?
- What is the extent to which moral attribution can support the event of the biblical flood?
- What parallels can be drawn from the historical biblical flood to the current climate crises?

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