

*Alumni
Lecture Series*

*The Department of History
presents*

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at

Georgetown University

**Tumultuous Times:
Global Environmental History
c. 1890**

This lecture assesses the scale, scope, and character of environmental changes around the world since 1890 or so and tries to explain why they happened, and why they happened in the ways that they did. It focuses on the energy system that evolved in the 20th century, population growth and urbanization, and on the environmental consequences of efforts to achieve national security in an age of total war.

Monday, October 5, 2009

7:30pm

Trabant Theatre

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