

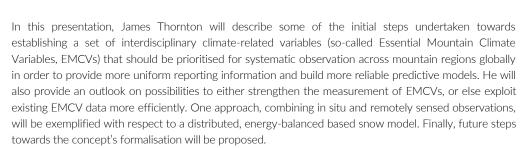
MOUNTAIN RESEARCH INITIATIVE 20TH ANNIVERSARY LECTURE

Toward a definition of Essential Mountain Climate Variables

INVITED SPEAKER: JAMES THORNTON, MRI & GEO MOUNTAINS

DATE: WEDNESDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

TIME: 15:00-16:00 CEST | LOCATION: ONLINE



James joined the MRI in 2020 upon completion of his PhD in hydrogeology at the University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland. His doctoral research focused on the interdisciplinary, physics-based numerical modelling of hydrological processes in complex Alpine terrain. Prior to that, he worked in the reinsurance sector, where developed of natural catastrophe models in order to quantify the risks associated with extreme events such as floods and tropical cyclones. He currently coordinates and implements GEO Mountains, a GEO Initiative seeking to increase the availability and accessibility of a wide range of data pertaining to mountainous regions to benefit human societies and ecosystems globally.

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