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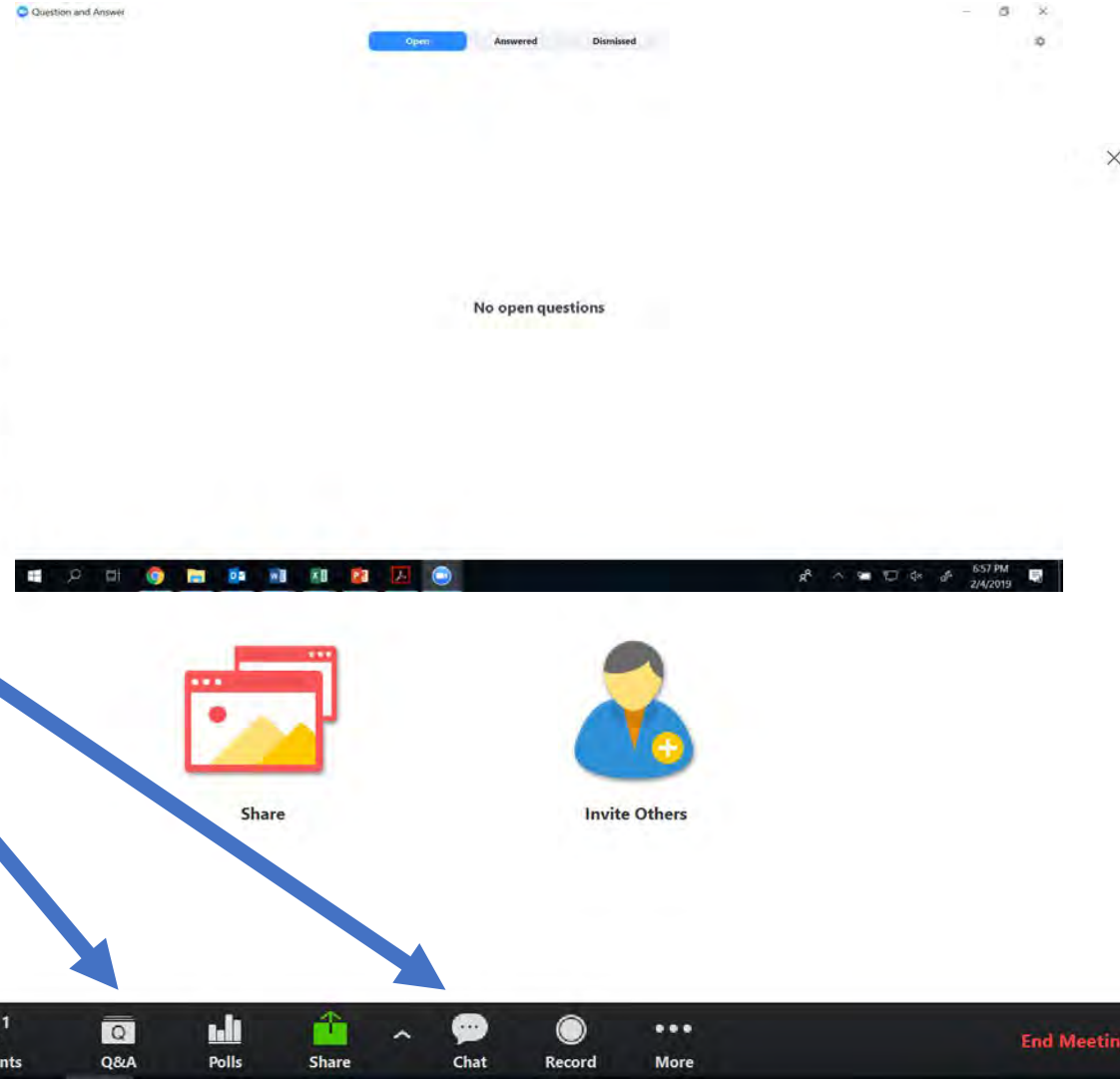
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Extreme weather is increasing in scale and severity as global warming worsens. While poorer communities are typically most vulnerable to the negative effects of disasters, even well-resourced communities will increasingly be affected as climate-related storms intensify and more people live in increasingly unsustainable places.



In their book ***Soaking the Middle Class***, sociologists Anna Rhodes and Max Besbris followed 59 households in the middle-class suburb of Friendswood, Texas for over two years after Hurricane Harvey to understand their recovery process. The book highlights how disaster recovery fosters inequality, even in middle-class places.



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Soaking the Middle Class: Suburban Inequality and Recovery from Disaster

Tuesday, March 14, 2023 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. MDT



Anna Rhodes
Rice University



Max Besbris
University of Wisconsin-
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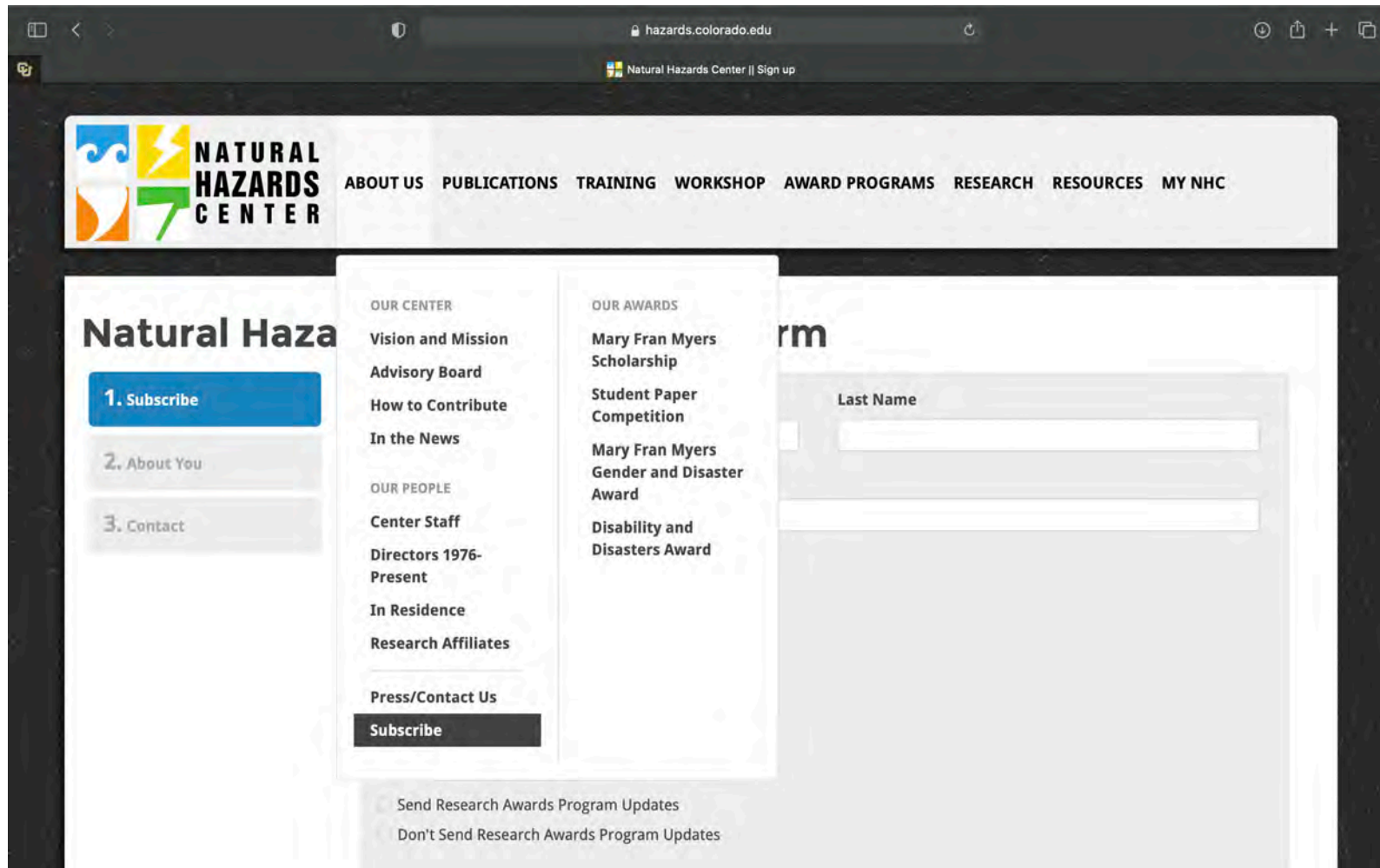
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