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The origin of *Homo*: What are we looking for?

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This talk will consider the problems of identifying the origins of any genus and the particular challenges involved in identifying the origins of the genus *Homo*. It will consider the criteria we should apply to the fossil record and it will also review ways of improving the chances that shared morphology can be more confidently assumed to be evidence of shared evolutionary history.

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