Interactive comment on “Climate evolution across the Mid-Brunhes Transition” by Aaron M. Barth et al.

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Dear Dr Barth,

Thank you for your submission of ‘Climate evolution across the Mid-Brunhes Transition’ to the special issue ‘Global Challenges for our Common Future: a paleoscience perspective’ for the journal Climate of the Past. The final comments from the reviewers have now been published in the interactive discussion section of your submission. In considering the comments from the reviewers, we encourage you to submit a revised version of your manuscript following major revision. We draw your particular attention to the two main points raised by Reviewer #1. Please can you provide clarification on the novelty of the study and for the choice of datasets analysed. Both reviewers also
demonstrate awareness for the number of figures presented in the manuscript. Please consider reducing the number of figures required to support the primary argument of the manuscript. Following revisions, we feel that this submission will provide valuable and contemporary analysis and commentary on the synchronicity of the Mid-Brunhes Transition and will be thoroughly suitable for publication in this journal.

If you choose to submit a revised manuscript, please can you respond to the reviewer comments in turn and upload these as author comments within the submission portal. Please could you also identify changes made within the manuscript when uploading the revised version of your manuscript.

To accord with the PAGES initiative on data stewardship, please could you meet the requests made by the PAGES Data Review Team as found in the interactive discussion. This will be necessary prior to the publication of your manuscript.

Thank you again for your submission to this journal.

Kind regards,

Rob Barnett

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