S1. Chronology

At the radiocarbon dating laboratory (ETH, Zürich), the samples were run twice, measuring $F^{14}C$ in both the main and leach fraction of each sample, the leach fraction acting as a measure of quality control (Bard et al., 2015; Wacker et al., 2013). The ^{14}C dates at depths of 700-701 cm and 737-738 cm, the $F^{14}C$ were measured only on the leach fractions, since there was no CO_2 in the main fraction, likely explained by the small sample sizes (see Table S1). Both dated intervals at the bottom of the core have large uncertainties but they are still in general agreement with the other dated intervals.

Table S1: $F^{14}C$ deviations between the main and leach fractions of the ^{14}C dated intervals.

Depth (cm)	Lab ID	Sample description	Weight (μg)	Fraction	$F^{14}C$
4-5cm	ETH-92277.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	600	main fraction	0.915732±0.0054
4-5cm	ETH-92277.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.911882±0.0074
70-71 cm	ETH-92279.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	1030	main fraction	0.799837±0.0049
70-71 cm	ETH-92279.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.799153±0.0071
310-311 cm	ETH-92281.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	1320	main fraction	0.539826±0.0038
310-311 cm	ETH-92281.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.543688±0.0055
410-411 cm	ETH-92283.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	1340	main fraction	0.485369±0.0036
410-411 cm	ETH-92283.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.479396±0.0051
580-581 cm	ETH-92285.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	1750	main fraction	0.410401±0.0034
580-581 cm	ETH-92285.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.405557±0.0067
700-701 cm	ETH-92286.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	750	main fraction	-
700-701 cm	ETH-92286.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.357202±0.0173
737-738 cm	ETH-92287.1.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera	500	main fraction	-
737-738 cm	ETH-92287.2.1	Mixed benthic foraminifera		leach fraction	0.347568±0.0067

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