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Invited speakers

Ulf Büntgen (Switzerland)
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Marie-José Gaillard-Lemdhahl (Sweden)
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Scope of the conference

The conference seeks to gather paleoclimatologists and paleoecologists from different fields of research to review forced and unforced climate variability and human-environment interactions during the past two millennia and late Holocene. Geographically, the focus is on Central and Eastern Europe, the Baltic and southern Scandinavia. We invite comprehensive reviews of existing data sets and presentations of new information from observations, natural archives and model experiments. Contributions dealing with high-resolution, well-calibrated and quantitative archives are preferred.

SESSIONS AND TOPICS

1. Historical climatology, documentary data

- 👉 Early instrumental records and observations
- 👉 Weather and climate information from documentary sources

2. Climate reconstructions from natural archives

- 👉 Lakes sediments, peat bogs, trees, speleothems and other natural archives
- 👉 Long time series of climate extremes (e.g. flood records, heat waves, fire, ice cover)

3. Past climate modeling, data-model comparisons

- 👉 GCM and RCM model experiments
- 👉 Detection and attribution
- 👉 Data assimilation and other techniques

4. Proxy calibration, disentangling climate and human impacts

- 👉 Methodologies and case studies

5. Past human impacts on the environment

- 👉 Evidence from paleobotanical, archaeological and other sources

Conference contributions

The sessions include keynotes, invited talks, oral and poster presentations. The Scientific Committee will decide about the form of presentation after evaluation of the abstracts.

Abstract submission

Registration system is now open on the conference website. After registration, please submit your abstract by sending the MS Word file to the conference e-mail address: climate2k@ug.edu.pl. The abstract should not exceed 500 words. You can find the abstract form on the conference website. The successful submission will be confirmed by E-mail.

General program

Tuesday, 16 June 2015

18:00-21:00 Welcome reception

Wednesday, 17 June 2015

09:00-10:30 Conference opening
10:30-18:00 Oral and poster sessions
18:00-21:00 City Tour

Thursday, 18 June 2015

08:30-18:00 Oral and poster sessions
18:00-19:00 EuroMed2k/VWG Meeting
19:00-21:00 Conference dinner

Friday, 19 June 2015

08:30-15:30 Oral and poster sessions
15:00-16:00 Conference closure

Key dates

First circular - August 2014
Second circular - November 2014
Deadline for abstracts submission - 31 January 2015
Deadline for registration/payment - 31 January 2015
Late registration deadline (posters only) - 31 March 2015

Registration and fee

Early registration: Standard fee - 100 EUR /
Students - 50 EUR
Late registration: Standard fee - 200 EUR /
Students - 100 EUR

Details regarding payment are available on the conference website.

Financial support

We are ready to support young scientists from Central and Eastern European countries. Fellowships will cover conference fee, travel and accommodation costs. We are planning 6-8 fellowships of 400-500 EUR each. Details are available on the conference website.

Accommodation

Gdańsk offers a range of accommodation options. We can recommend hotels close to the university campus:

Arkon Park Hotel - www.hotelarkonpark.pl

Zajazd Pod Olivką - www.podolivka.pl

Stara Karczma - www.starakarczma.com.pl

More accommodation options can easily be found on the Gdańsk city website: www.gdansk.pl/en/stay

Contact: climate2k@ug.edu.pl

