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▶ Upcoming deadlines for PAGES-supported meetings

JULY DEADLINES

Euro-Med2k workshop: Compilation and evaluation of marine and terrestrial archives for Europe and the last 2k years
14 to 17 September, Soria, Spain

Deadline to register interest: 6 July 2014

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1280-euro-med2k-spain-workshop

Multiproxy approach to the reconstruction of the Pliocene climate

17 to 19 September, Barcelona, Spain

Deadlines: Registrations by 30 June / Abstract submission by 15 July 2014

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1156-mproxy-approach-reco-of-pliocene-clim

4th Biennial West African Quaternary Research Association (WAQUA) International Workshop

27 to 31 October, Bamako, Mali

Deadlines: Abstract submissions by 31 July 2014

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1161-4th-waqua-wshop

SEPTEMBER DEADLINES

Late Pleistocene and Holocene climate variability in the Carpathian-Balkan region

6 to 9 November, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Deadline for abstract submission and registration: 1 September 2014

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1208-carpathian-balkan-2014-workshop

OCTOBER DEADLINES

International Conference on Volcanoes, Climate and Society: Bicentenary of the great Tambora eruption

7 to 10 April, 2015, Bern, Switzerland

Deadline for abstracts: 31 October 2014

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1209-volcanoes-climate-and-society

TBC

Scaling forest insect and pathogen disturbances across temporal scales

30 to 31 March, 2015, Taos, USA

Deadline: Contact organizer

www.pages-igbp.org/calendar/127-pages/1207-scaling-forest-insect-and-pathogen-disturbances

To view more paleo-science relevant events coming up around the world, go to our calendar: <http://www.pages-igbp.org/calendar>

► Launch of two new PAGES working groups

The **C-PEAT (Carbon in Peat on Earth though Time)** working group will focus on the climate sensitivity and contribution of peat deposits to the global carbon cycle in the past, particularly their impact on atmospheric CO₂ and CH₄ concentrations. Some of the group's key goals are to inform estimations on the future change in peatlands, as well as evaluations and validations of global climate-carbon cycle models.

More at: <http://www.pages-igbp.org/workinggroups/peat-carbon>

The **OC3 (Ocean Circulation and Carbon Cycling)** working group will address questions about deep ocean circulation, carbon cycling and carbon storage variations and the subsequent effect on the climate and atmospheric CO₂ during the last deglaciation by synthesizing $\delta^{13}\text{C}$ data from both benthic and planktonic foraminifera.

More at: <http://www.pages.unibe.ch/workinggroups/oc3>

► Our next meeting support deadline

PAGES offers meeting support under three categories of workshops: 1) Official PAGES Working Groups, 2) Educational, and 3) Open Call workshops.

The next deadline for meeting support applications is 5 January 2015.

The guidelines are available at: <http://www.pages-igbp.org/my-pages/meeting-support>

► Contribute to new NOAA/EarthCube catalog by 8 July

EarthCube is a US National Science Foundation-sponsored, long-term effort to transform geosciences research by developing cyberinfrastructure, bridging disciplines, and sharing tools, data and information (<http://earthcube.org/>). Geoscientists will be able to rapidly discover samples, software and data relevant to their work, and it will revolutionize how that data can be viewed and what can be done with it.

As part of this initiative, the NOAA World Data Center for Paleoclimatology is creating a comprehensive and international catalog of paleogeoscience resources containing information about databases, shared software and sample repositories. Over 2,500 scientists have contributed to the EarthCube project since its launch in 2011, and now EarthCube needs to hear from the PAGES community about what should go in the catalog by **8 July**.

Learn more about the initiative and how easy it is to contribute your catalog suggestions at http://www.pages-igbp.org/download/docs/latest_news/2014/earthcube-june-2014.pdf

► Recent PAGES Publications

YSM Special Issue

The latest papers published in the *Climate of the Past* special issue, which emerged from the 2013 YSM in Goa are:

[Environmental and climatic changes in central Chilean Patagonia since the Late Glacial](#) (Mallin El Embudo, 44° S)
de Porras ME, Maldonado A, Quintana FA, Martel-Cea A, Reyes O & Méndez C

[Seasonal changes in glacial polynya activity inferred from Weddell Sea varves](#)
Sprenk D, Weber ME, Kuhn G, Wennrich V, Hartmann T & Seelos K

[Reexamining the barrier effect of the Tibetan Plateau on the South Asian summer monsoon](#)
Chen G-S, Liu Z & Kutzbach JE

► AGU Fall Meeting 2014

The 2014 AGU Fall Meeting will take place from 15-19 December, 2014 in San Francisco, USA. As always, there will be many

PAGES relevant sessions, particularly in the Paleoceanography and Paleoclimatology group.

Specific sessions supported by PAGES or arising from WG activities include:

Sea ice in Earth history – proxy data and modelling

Session ID#: 2877

[> More](#)

Climate of the Common Era

Session ID#: 2040

[> More](#)

Sea level, ice sheets, and high-latitude climates during previous warm periods

Session ID#: 2039

[> More](#)

The deadline for abstracts is 6 August and 13 August for travel grants. More at: <http://fallmeeting.agu.org/2014/>

► **INQUA 2015**

The XIX INQUA Congress: Quaternary Perspectives on Climate Change, Natural Hazards and Civilization will take place from 27 July to 2 August 2015 in Nagoya, Japan.

The deadline for abstracts and financial support submissions is the 20 December 2014.

More at: <http://inqua2015.jp/index.htm>

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