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Cari Colleghi,  
inviamo la seconda circolare del 2019

### **Congressi /Convegni/Simposi/Workshop**

In programma i seguenti appuntamenti:



#### **4-6 December 2019 – Firenze (Italy) – 2019 IMEKO TC-4 International Conference on Metrology for Archaeology and Cultural Heritage.**

MetroArcheo brings together researchers and operators in the enhancement, characterization and preservation of archaeological and cultural heritage with the main objective of discussing production,

interpretation and reliability of measurements and data.

website: <http://www.metroarcheo.com>.

#### **Historical Ecology for the Future**

International conference - Metz, France, 25<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> May 2020



#### **25-29 May 2020 – Metz (France) – Historical Ecology for the Future (HEF2020).**

Historical Ecology for the

Future aims at promoting historical ecology and highlighting its recent advances and key results. Archeologists, biologists, ecologists, economists, geographers, historians, managers, paleoecologists, social scientists, soil scientists, among others dealing with historical ecology issues are welcome to join the conference to share and discuss their questions, data, and results.

Four session: **1.** Historical heritage and conservation management; **2.** Environmental resource exploitation; **3.** Ecological dynamics; **4.** Methods and tools in historical ecology.

**Call for abstract:** September-December 2019. **Registration open:** September 2019 - February 2020.

**Program announcement:** February 2020.



**2nd Palaeontological Virtual Congress**, che sarà organizzato a **Maggio 2020**. After a first successful edition, with more than 160 contributions and 170 assistants belonging to 29 different nationalities, we have considered to organise the 2nd Palaeontological Virtual Congress (2nd PVC) with the same

purpose of spreading worldwide the most recent scientific advances in palaeontology in a fast, easy and economical way. This new edition will take place on May 2020, being exclusively developed in a virtual environment, and organising by a young group of researches belonging to the Universitat de València, Museu Valencià d'Història Natural and Museo Paleontológico de Alpuente (Spain), the University of Bath and the University of Bristol (UK), and Universidad Nacional de La Plata (Argentina). Oral communications and posters about any palaeontological field will be presented through an online platform created ad hoc. The simplicity of this new format will allow for low-cost

registration fees (5€) and saving travel and maintenance expenses for the delegates. Please, visit the webpage of the congress (<http://palaeovc.uv.es/>) for more detailed information.



**XV International Palynological Congress - XI International  
Organization of Palaeobotany Conference 200 Years of Palaeobotany  
12-19 September, 2020 - Prague, Czech Republic**

Since 2009, the world community of palynologists and palaeobotanists has met every four years to discuss the latest research, and to exchange experiences. The meeting is promoted by the collective efforts of the International Federation of Palynological Societies (IFPS) and the International Organisation of Palaeobotany (IOP). Every talk consists of 15 minutes for oral presentation and 5 minutes for discussion. Every paying participant can present one talk as a speaker or can show one poster. Individual participants can be co-author (not speaker) of more than one talk and poster. Organizers in some cases may change the character of contributions from a talk to a poster presentation based on time and space pressures, and also room availability. Authors will be contacted in advance. Website: <https://www.prague2020.cz/>

### **PhD Position Palaeoecology**

Within the framework of a project funded by the Swiss National Science Foundation, a 4-year PhD position is available at the Institute of Plant Sciences and Oeschger Centre for Climate Change Research at the University of Bern, Switzerland. The overarching aim of the project is to study the impact of past climatic changes and anthropogenic disturbance on the range and genetic diversity of different tree species in the Swiss Alps. This will be achieved by analyzing pollen, plant macrofossils and ancient DNA (aDNA) deposited in the sediment of two lakes since the end of the last Ice Age. The research will ultimately allow assessing the future genetic diversity of mountain forests under current climate change conditions. You'll find more information in the attached job advertisement (also available here: <https://ohws.prospective.ch/public/v1/jobs/f51b3ed5-2ba0-4a50-80c8-e30c5f65f294>) or on our website ([www.ips.unibe.ch/research/paleo/popdyn](http://www.ips.unibe.ch/research/paleo/popdyn)).

The position is open from January 2020. Salary follows the SNSF standard for PhD students in Switzerland. Please send your complete application, including motivation letter, CV, academic record, MSc diploma and reference letter or contact address of your MSc-supervisor as one pdf file to: [christoph.schwoerer@ips.unibe.ch](mailto:christoph.schwoerer@ips.unibe.ch). Applications are reviewed until the position is filled. Further information can be requested at the same email address or found at the following websites: [www.ips.unibe.ch/research/paleo/index\\_eng.html](http://www.ips.unibe.ch/research/paleo/index_eng.html); [www.climatestudies.unibe.ch](http://www.climatestudies.unibe.ch)

### **Altre notizie**

**114° Congresso della Società Botanica Italiana (4-7 September 2019 – Padova)** – Con grande piacere vi informiamo che il poster "*Air pollution modifies IgE binding of the main allergen of Hesperocycyparis (Cupressus) arizonica pollen*" autori Tedeschini E. Frenguelli G. ha vinto il premio MIGLIOR POSTER al 114° Congresso SBI.



Vi inviamo l'ultima newsletter di Palynos.

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PALZ palaontologische Zeitschrift - Special Issue (Volume 93, Issue 3, September 2019) : Palaeobotanical papers written in honour of Professor Dr. Hans Kerp, current president of the Paläontologische Gesellschaft, on the occasion of his 65th birthday is online.

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