

EARLY PERMIAN CONTINENTAL ENVIRONMENTS

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2-4 July 2007



**CONTINENTAL EARLY PERMIAN (CISURALIAN) PALEOENVIRONMENTS ; PHYSICAL
AND BIOLOGICAL COMPONENTS
AGPT INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM TO BE HELD AT AUTUN
(JULY 2-5, 2007) , Burgundy, France**

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Over the last twenty years, paleontological records as well as phylogenetical surveys on vertebrata taxa have been fitted to bio-geochemical and sedimentological results and interpreted considering the global early Permian structural and geodynamic setting.

All these data resulted in enhanced reconstruction of both floral, fauna and environments changes during the Permian times which are coupled with the onset of a gradual aridity.

The cause-and-effects of the related major biological changes are badly documented given the large vertical extension of red beds, mainly unsuited to fossilisation.

As a consequence, early Cisuralian datations and correlations of continental sediments with their marine counterparts are generally questionable.

Stable isotopes and radiochronology studies recovered or currently undertaken in some basins may help to reconstruct a coherent history of the Continental early Permian.

The multidisciplinary approach of the Autun Symposium may lead to improve the knowledge of the early Permian paleoenvironment trends and help to solve part of the above mentioned problems.

Symposium proposed topics

Cisuralian chrono-and biostratigraphy

Structural geology , sedimentology and volcanism of Early Permian deposits

Bituminous shales of the Autun basin

Paleoenvironments : composition and dynamics

Fauna and Flora biodiversity

Publication of contributions

Abstracts will be printed in Autun .

Oral contributions and posters are intended to be published in either a French or an international publication.

Pre-symposium field trip

A one day excursion will be organised to visit the main sections outcropping in the Autun basin and the Morvan volcanism.

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Société d'histoire naturelle d'Autun (SHNA)

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

July 2 : Field trip in Autun Basin and Morvan massif

July 3 morning : Symposium registration

July 3 morning to July 5 afternoon : Scientific sessions

SYMPOSIUM VENUE

Grand salon d'honneur de la Mairie d'Autun

Great reception room of the Autun Town hall (Burgundy, France)

APPROXIMATIVE REGISTRATION COST

Symposium and field trip : 80 €

Symposium only : 30 €

KEY DATES

First registration dead line : December 2006

Second registration mailing : January 2007

TECHNICAL SECRETARY

First Circular registration form is to be sent to AGPT Secretary : Dr. Jean-Jacques Chateaufeuf, 8 quai du Châtelet, 45000-Orléans either by post or by e-mail at Chateauboy@wanadoo.fr

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