# **ECORD Summer School on Paleoceanography 2007**

August 13 - 24, University of Bremen

"Lectures and interactive discussions on the paleoceanography of the Cretaceous to Cenozoic Oceans are combined with practicals on core logging and time-series analysis techniques using the facilities of the IODP Bremen Core Repository (BCR). A focus of both lectures and discussions will be on key topics of ocean heat transport and nutrient cycles, on recent developments in integrated stratigraphy, and on recent studies of North Atlantic and Arctic Ocean climate variability."

Venue: University of Bremen, MARUM building, room 2070, www.rcom.marum.de

## **Programme**

#### Monday August 13

09:00 – 09:15 Welcome and opening of the Summer School

Prof. Dr. Gerold Wefer, University of Bremen

#### Introduction to Paleoclimate Research – lectures and exercises

09:15 – 12:30 Ocean heat transport and paleocirculation

Prof. Dr. Ralf Tiedemann, Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and

Marine Research, Bremerhaven

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 17:00 Cretaceous and Paleogene deep-ocean circulation

Prof. Dr. Debbie Thomas, Texas A & M University

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

17:30 **Ice breaker party with buffet** 

(MARUM building, area next to room 2070)

#### Tuesday August 14

#### Introduction to Paleoclimate Research – lectures and exercises

09:00 – 12:30 Rapid climate changes

Dr. Stefan Mulitza and Dr. André Paul, University of Bremen

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 16:30 Ocean anoxia

Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Kuhnt, University of Kiel

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

### 16:30 – 17:15 The Integrated Ocean Drilling Program

Dr. Hans Christian Larsen, Vice President of Science Planning, Head, IODP Management International Sapporo Office

#### Wednesday and Thursday August 15 - 16

#### **IODP TOPIC Symposium: North Atlantic and Arctic climate variability**

Participation in the symposium.

The registration desk and the poster sessions will be found in the MARUM building, lectures will be held in the NW2 building, room C0290.

More information is available under www.iodp.org/topical-symposium/2/

## Friday August 17

## Integrated stratigraphy - lectures and exercises

09:00 – 10:30 The use of magnetic field records in stratigraphy

Prof. Dr. Jim Channell, University of Florida

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 12:30 From composite depth scales to time series analysis

Dr. Heiko Pälike, National Oceanographic Centre, Southampton

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 17:00 Biostratigraphy – exercises

Dr. Barbara Donner, University of Bremen

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

#### Saturday August 18

Free time to explore Bremen

#### Sunday August 19

#### Trip to Bremerhaven

Bus departure 09:45 MARUM building, University of Bremen

11:00 – 12:30 Visit of the German Maritime Museum (guided tour)

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

14:00 - 15:00 Introduction to ice cores

Dr. Sepp Kipfstuhl, Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and

Marine Research. Bremerhaven

15:00 – 17:00 Visit of the Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research

Arrival 18:00 MARUM building, University of Bremen

#### Monday August 20

### Practical – Core logging and time-series analysis

09:00 - 10:30 Introduction to core logging: Physical properties of sediments

Dr. Jens Gruetzner, University of Bremen

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 11:45 XRayFluorescence Scanning: Method and Application

Dr. Rik Tjalingii, University of Kiel

11:45 – 12:30 Composite records and time-series analysis: Some basics

Dr. Thomas Westerhold, University of Bremen

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 17:00 Practical: Core logging and time-series analysis

(three groups of 10 students)

Group I: MultiSensor Core Logging, Digital Imaging (Dr. J. Gruetzner)

Group II: XRF-Scanning, core description (Dr. R. Tjalingii)

Group III: Composite record splicing and time-series analysis

(Dr. T. Westerhold)

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

#### Tuesday August 21

#### Practical - Core logging and time-series analysis

09:00 – 12:30 Practical continued – exchange of groups

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 17:00 Practical continued - exchange of groups

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

#### Wednesday August 22

#### **Presentations by Summer School participants**

#### Talks with discussion

Moderated by Dr. Stephan Steinke and Dr. Henning Kuhnert, University of Bremen

### 09:00 – 9.15 Physical properties of the ANDRILL-MIS core

Diana Magens, AWI Bremerhaven

09:15 - 9:30 Atlantic 231Pa/230Th profiles - applying AMS and ICPMS

Jörg Lipphold, University of Heidelberg

09:30 – 9:45 Pleistocene record of terrigenous input in the Eastern Equatorial Pacific

inferred from XRF

Daniel Rincon-Martinez, AWI Bremerhaven

09:45 – 10:00 Climatic variability of MIS 7 on the Vøring Plateau with emphasis on the benthic foraminifera and oxygen isotopes

Kristin Grasmo, University of Bergen

10:00 – 10:15 Submillennial climate variability in mid-Holocene - Evidence from foraminiferal oxygen isotopes from Voldafjorden, western Norway Heidi Kjennbakken, University of Bergen

10:15 – 10:30 Macroecological patterns in Holocene coccolith sizes

Sandra Herrmann, ETH Zurich

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 11:15 Automation of the measurement of 13C-18O abundance in carbonates for "clumped isotope thermometry" - a new approach in paleothermometry Thomas Schmid, ETH Zurich
- 11:15 11:30 Paleoceanographic changes in the Alboran Sea (western Mediterranean) during MIS 6 and 7

Beatriz González Mora, University of Salamanca

11:30 – 11:45 Deposits of thermohaline currents on slopes west of Ireland - a micropalaeontological study

Nick Owen, Trinity College

11:45 – 12:00 Trace metal cycling and productivity variations during Southern Ocean algal blooms

Maria Teresa Hernandez Sanchez, University of Bristol

- 12:00 12:15 Recent trends of Upwelling Intensities in various global datasets
  Nikesh Narayan, University of Bremen
- 12:15 12:30 Looking into the subsurface of fluid seeps, using high resolution seismics to interpretate their geological nature

Feng Ding, University of Bremen

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

## Talks with discussion

Moderated by Dr. André Paul and Dr. Stefan Mulitza, University of Bremen

13:30 – 13:45 Geotechnical measurements to characterise and identify slope sediments and landslide mechanisms

Annika Förster, University of Bremen

13:45 – 14:00 Paleoenvironmental evolution in the SE-Pacific during the Pliocene - Preliminary results from XRF-scanning

Cornelia Saukel, University of Bremen

14:00 – 14:15 Characteristics and geological significance of <sup>87</sup>Sr/<sup>86</sup>Sr ratio in core sediments in eastern South China Sea

Zhang Xiaoyu, Zhejiang University

- 14:15 14:30 Sedimentary processes and palaeoenvironments in Spitsbergen fjords

  Matthias Forwick, University of Tromsø
- 14:30 14:45 Recovery of marine productivity after the K-T Boundary: Molecular evidence from Stevns Klint, Denmark

Julio Sepulveda, University of Bremen

15:45 – 15:00 Terrestrial Vegetation Change in the Mediterranean Region associated with the Sapropel S1: Timing and Characteristics

Ulrich Kotthoff, Frankfurt University

- 15:00 15:30 Coffee break
- 15:30 15:45 The Plio-Pleistocene of the Eastern North Atlantic: a dinoflagellate cyst viewpoint

Stijn De Schepper, University of Bremen

15:45 – 16:00 Rapid redox changes during Late Cretaceous black shale formation - A high-resolution geochemical study of OAE 3

Christian März, AWI Bremerhaven

16:00 – 16:15 Low resistivity pay: the role of chlorite in controlling resistivity responses

Joanne Tudge, University of Leicester

16:15 – 16:30 Compound-specific 14C-analysis of lipid biomarkers

Stephanie Kusch, University of Bremen

16:30 – 16:45 East African continental climate change: results from the Lake Malawi Drilling Project and seismic reflection surveys

Bob Lyons, Syracuse University

#### Thursday August 23

**IODP: Structure and Objectives** 

09:00 – 10:30 IODP long range plan, organisation and panel work

Dr. Jochen Erbacher, Federal Institute for Geosciences and

Natural Resources (BGR) in Hannover

and Dr. Ursula Röhl, University of Bremen

- 10:30 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00 12:30 Exercise: Writing of a proposal

Dr. Ursula Röhl and Dr. Jochen Erbacher

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 17:00 Exercise: Writing of a proposal (continued)

15:00 - 15:30 Coffee break

## Friday August 24

## Interpretating data from IODP-cores

09:00 - 12:00 Case studies from the SE-Pacific

Dr. Frank Lamy, Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research, Bremerhaven

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 12:30 Awards for best oral presentations and farewell

Prof. Dr. Gerold Wefer, University of Bremen