
Berriasian Working Group 8th meeting



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Hosted by the Institute of Geology, the Academy of Science of the Czech Republic, and the Institute of Geology and Palaeontology, Charles University in Prague

First circular

We cordially invite you to participate in a workshop on the Berriasian Stage and the Jurassic-Cretaceous boundary. This 8th meeting will be held from October 26 to October 29, 2012 in Prague (Czech Republic).

This meeting is intended to be multi- and interdisciplinary, focussing on precise correlations that contribute to stage and J/K boundary definition. We encourage you to attend and to present your scientific results, to take part in discussion of colleagues' contributions, and to plan future cooperations. We aim to create a constructive atmosphere that will promote scientific exchange, and hope that you will enjoy your stay in magical Prague.

General information

1. Preliminary schedule

Friday 26.10.2012 - 12:00 - 14:00 Registration,
14:00 - 14:30 Foreword by Bill Wimbledon,
14:30 - 18:00 Workshop.

Saturday 27.10.2012 - 10:00 - 17:00 Workshop,
19:00 - ? Workshop dinner.

Sunday 28.10.2012 - Excursion to the Barrandian area (classical Lower Palaeozoic stratigraphy and palaeontology).

Monday 29.10.2012 -An additional excursion to the Bohemian Paradise: a very interesting sandstone landscape area of the Bohemian Cretaceous (for interested participants).

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2. Meeting place

Institute of Geology and Palaeontology, Faculty of Science, Charles University in Prague, Albertov 6, Prague 2

Lectures will be held in the lecture hall of the Museum of Earth History.

3. Payment information

Payment information will be announced in the next circular.

Preliminary costs are as follows:

Registration:	60 EUR
Dinner:	15 EUR
Excursion 1 (Barrandian):	50 EUR
Excursion 2 (Bohemian Paradise):	50 EUR

4. Accommodation

Each participant has to book accommodation.

For a few suggestions of hotels not far away from the University which offer online booking follow this link:

<http://www.booking.com/district/cz/prague/prague02.en-gb.html?aid=319857;sid=6462ebd6327582f9062022091f1a1255;dcid=1>

We particularly recommend the hotel Merlin - Gorazdova 22, Prague:

<http://www.booking.com/hotel/cz/merlin-nove-mesto.html?aid=319857;sid=6462ebd6327582f9062022091f1a1255;dcid=1&lang=en-gb>

5. Money

Be aware that the Czech Republic is NOT a member of the Eurozone. You will therefore need the local currency (CZK). You can exchange your currency at the airport or in any bank in Prague.

6. Contact

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