4th International Conference of Palaeogeography and Preparatory Meeting of International Society of Palaeogeography

September 20–22, 2019
Beijing, China

Third Circular

In order to promote the academic exchange, development and innovation of international palaeogeography and its relevant disciplines, and to organize high academic quality papers for the *Journal of Palaeogeography* and thus developing it into a leading international periodical, the 4th International Conference of Palaeogeography will be held in **September 20—22, 2019** at the China University of Petroleum (Beijing), Beijing, China.

1. Conference Name: 4th International Conference of Palaeogeography

2. Schedule:

- (1) September 18. 9:00-21:00, **the first floor of Cuigong Hotel**, Registration of founding member of International Society of Palaeogeography (in preparation)
- (2) September 19. 9:00-12:00, **Meeting room 204 of Geology Building**, General member meeting of the International Society of Palaeogeography (in preparation)
- (3) September 19. 14:30-17:30, Activity by organizer
- (4) September 19. 8:30-21:30, **the first floor of Cuigong Hotel**, Registration of participants of the 4th International Conference of Palaeogeography
- (5) September 19. 19:30-21:00, **Meeting room 204 of Geology Building**, A preparation meeting of the 4th International Conference of Palaeogeography and Editorial Committee meeting of the Journal of Paleogeography (English edition)
- (6) September 20. 8:30-12:00, Main Lecture Hall of Cuigong Hotel, Founding congress of the International Society of Palaeogeography (in preparation) and Opening ceremony of the 4th International Conference of Palaeogeography
- (7) September 20. 14:15-18:00, Main Lecture Hall of Cuigong Hotel, Plenary

Lectures

- (8) September 20. 19:30-21:00, **Meeting room 204 of Geology Building**, Tea party of the Journal of Palaeogeography (Chinese edition)
- (9) September 21. 8:15-12:30, Classrooms in the 3rd Teaching Building, Lectures of Sessions
- (10) September 21. 14:15-18:00, Classrooms in the 3rd Teaching Building, Lectures of Sessions
- (11) September 21. 8:15-18:00, the first floor Halls in the 3rd Teaching Building, Posters
- (12) September 21. 19:30-21:00, **Meeting room 204 of Geology Building**, Evaluation meeting of the Awards for best presentations by young scientists/students
- (13) September 22. 8:30-12:00, Main Lecture Hall of Cuigong Hotel, Plenary Lectures
- (14) September 22. 14:15-17:00, Main Lecture Hall of Cuigong Hotel, Plenary Lectures
- (15) September 22. 17:00-18:00, Main Lecture Hall of Cuigong Hotel, Closing ceremony
- (16) September 23—24/25, 2019: Post-conference field excursions
- 3. Venue: China University of Petroleum (Beijing), Beijing, China

4. Sponsors

International Society of Palaeogeography (in preparation); Lithofacies Palaeogeography Committee of the Chinese Society for Mineralogy, Petrology and Geochemistry; Stratigraphy and Paleontology Committee of the Geological Society of China; Coalfield Geology Committee of the Geological Society of China; Petroleum Geology Committee of the Chinese Petroleum Society; China University of Petroleum (Beijing); Editorial Committee of the Journal of Palaeogeography

5. Organizers

China University of Petroleum (Beijing); State Key Laboratory of Petroleum Resources and Prospecting; China University of Petroleum (East China); China University of Mining and Technology (Beijing); Yangtze University; Northeast Petroleum University; Southwest Petroleum University; SINOPEC Shengli Oilfield

6. Co-organizers

Northwest Branch of Research Institute of Petroleum Exploration & Development, PetroChina; Chengdu University of Technology; Jilin University; China University of Geosciences (Beijing); Xi'an Shiyou University

7. Scientific themes

Overview of palaeogeography; Lithofacies palaeogeography and sedimentology;

Biopalaeogeography; Tectonopalaeogeography; Palaeoclimatology and global climate changes; Event sedimentology; Deep-water sedimentology; Lacustrine sedimentology; Palaeogeography and mineral resources; Definitions, names and identification markers of over density flow (hyperpycnal flow), gravity flow and turbidity flow, soft sediment deformation structures (SSDS)

8. Oral and poster presentations

Three days of conference will be scheduled on September 20–22, 2019. The technical programme includes oral presentations as well as poster presentations. The official language at the conference is English.

9. Post-conference field excursions

Three post-conference field excursions are selectable:

- (1) The Mesoproterozoic—Neoproterozoic strata and microbialites in Jixian, Tianjing (Sept. 23–25, 2019, about 2000 RMB)
- (2) The Early Cretaceous fan delta-deep lake system in Luanping Basin, Hebei Province. (Sept. 23–25, 2019, about 2000 RMB)
- (3) The Neoproterozoic-Paleozoic sedimentology in Beijing (Sept. 23–25, 2019, about 1600 RMB)

10. Fees

- (1) Registration fee (including the conference dinner fee): 2600 RMB; student rate: 1300 RMB; accompany member rate: 1300 RMB;
 - (2) Accommodation fee: 200–450 RMB/Day

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