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Welcome to the SSP Business Meeting

Wednesday April 25, 2012
Room 41



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- A. General info on EUG**
- B. General info on EUG2012**
- C. Specific info for SSP**
- D. Miscellaneous**

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A. General info on EUG

1. Executive Office
2. Publications
3. Outreach
4. Finances 2011 and Budget 2012



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1. Executive Office

- a. 5 staff members
- b. EGU website (new database, new tools)
- c. Geolog and GeoQ
- d. Press releases
- e. Promotion items
- f. Munich office
- g. Membership



EGU Social media

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Posts: Imageo on Mondays (weekly) – Geosciences Column (monthly) – GA related information – Guest posts

Views	2011	2012
Jan	30	1,342
Feb	441	1,378
Mar	4,774(*)	2,338

(*) Posts on Japan Earthquake

- **Twitter:** 715 followers for 971 tweets (18.04.2012)
- **Facebook:** 474 “like us”
- **Google+:** 232 have us in their circles
- **LinkedIn:** 74 followers

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Happy Carnival from the EGU Executive Office in Munich!

With everyone at the office busy with General Assembly preparations and other activities, a typical Bavarian breakfast on Carnival day is a most welcome break. [Germany loves Carnival](#) and Munich, while lagging behind Cologne, Düsseldorf, and Mainz in *Fasching* parties, is no exception. At the office, we decided to celebrate the date with a *Weißwurst Frühstück*, accompanied by... Bavarian beer, of course! Good thing we, as other German workers, have the afternoon free to watch the Carnival parades.




EGU staff ready for a Weißwurst Frühstück. From left to right: Edvard Glückman (Science Communications Fellow), Karen Resenberger (Secretary), Philippe Courtial (Executive Secretary), Robert Barsch (Webmaster & System Admin), and Bárbara Ferreira (Media and Communications Officer).



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<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:CompMem10 (9046 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:EmMem10 (41 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:HonMem (70 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:RegMem10 (2125 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:StuMem10 (872 members)

12083 members

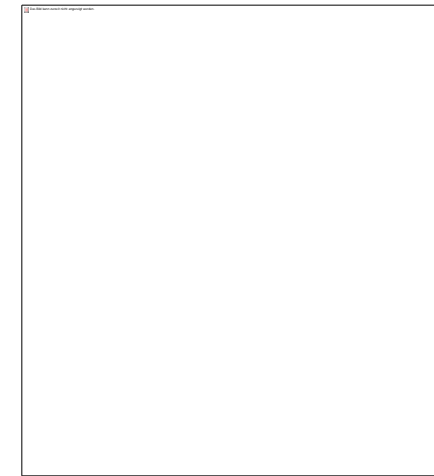
User Groups	2011
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:CompMem11 (5766 members)
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:HonMem (70 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:LifeMem (30 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:RegMem11 (3924 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:StuMem11 (1569 members)

11206 members

User Groups	20-04-2012
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:CompMem12 (3771 members)
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:HonMem (70 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:LifeMem (30 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:RegMem12 (3327 members)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group EGU/:StuMem12 (1586 members)

20-04-2012

8877 members





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2. Publications

- a. **2500 papers published (34000 pages – double column)**
- b. **2011: increase of 20 % in comparison to 2010**
- c. **2011: turnover of 2920 k€, surplus of 520 k€**
- d. **5 journals out of 15 still in deficit**



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3. Outreach

- a. Geoscience communication fellowship
- b. Office internship
- c. GeoQ
- d. Round table with national societies
- e. 1 press release per month on geo-events
- f. Geolog, Twitter, Facebook
- g. GIFT
- h. Imaggeo
- i. Funding of thematic conference series



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4. Finances 2011 and Budget 2012

- a. 2011: income 1403 k€, expenditures 728 k€, surplus 675 k€
- b. Current account balance 2011: 354 k€
- c. Reserve and savings account 2011: 2832 k€
- d. Budget 2012: income and expenditures: 5880 k€
- e. Donations for general use or specific purpose from 2013



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B. General info on EGU2012

1. Participation
2. Future General Assemblies



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1. Participation

- a. 2012: increase of 1.5 %
- b. 13528 abstracts
- c. Oral/poster: 33/67
- d. 8877 EGU members (20 April 2012)



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2. Future General Assemblies

- a. **Contract signed for 3 years until 2013**
- b. **Vienna, 7-12 April 2013**
- c. **Keep oral/poster ratio**
- d. **Need for small and large rooms**



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C. Specific info for SSP

1. Elections
2. Lamarck Medal
3. Facts and Figures

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1. Elections

- a. **SSP Division President**
- b. **If possible, 2 (or more) candidates)**
- c. **Nominations through web tool in August 2012**
- d. **Deadline nominations: end of September**
- e. **Council decision on nominations: October**
- f. **Electronic vote: November**
- g. **December 2012: publication of results**



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2. Lamarck Medal

- a. **Award Committee: 3 members plus chairman**
- b. **Nominations to be submitted online to Executive Office**
- c. **No self-nominations**
- d. **Deadline: 15 June 2012!**
- e. **2013: nominations for STRATIGRAPHY**

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Awards & Medals



Jean Baptiste Lamarck Medal

The [Jean Baptiste Lamarck](#) Medal is established by the Division on Stratigraphy, Sedimentology and Paleontology in recognition of the scientific achievement of Jean Baptiste Lamarck.

It is reserved for scientists for their exceptional contributions to either Stratigraphy, Sedimentology or Paleontology. The medal will be awarded each year, alternating between the three subdivisions, so that each third year a Stratigrapher, Sedimentologist or Paleontologist will be awarded.



Jean Baptiste Lamarck Medallists

Emiliano Mutti 2012 Emiliano Mutti	Malcolm Barrie Hart 2011 Malcolm Barrie Hart	 2010 Felix Gradstein
Maurice E. Tucker 2009 Maurice E. Tucker	Franz Theodor Fürsich 2008 Franz Theodor Fürsich	Alessandro Montanari 2007 Alessandro Montanari
Judith A. McKenzie 2006 Judith A. McKenzie		



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Award & Medal Committees

Division Medals

Augustus Love Medal
Geodynamics

H.-Peter Bunge (Chair)
Bradford Hager
Philip England

Ian McHarg Medal
Earth and Space Science Informatics

Max Craglia (Chair)
Michael Gould
Jay Pearlman
Mohan Ramamurthy
Monique Petididier

Jean Baptiste Lamarck Medal
Stratigraphy, Sedimentology & Palaeontology

Ian Jarvis (Chair)
Malcolm Hart
Maurice Tucker
Felix Gradstein

John Dalton Medal
Hydrology as an Earth System Science

Murugesu Sivapalan (Chair)
Peter Troch
Rien van Genuchten
Jeff J. Mc Donnell
Alberto Montanari



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3. Facts and Figures

- a. **SSP1 – General: 2 sessions (34 abstracts)**
- b. **SSP2 – Stratigraphy: 1 session (22 abstracts)**
- c. **SSP3 – Sedimentology: 3 sessions (72 abstracts)**
- d. **SSP4 – Palaeoenvironments & Palaeontology: 7 sessions (166 abstracts)**
- e. **SSP5 – Co-listed and Co-organised sessions: 8 sessions**
- f. **Less than 2011: *dangerous to get good time slots!***
- g. **Thanks to convenors! Be proactive for 2013**

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D. Miscellaneous

1. Invitations
2. Any other item

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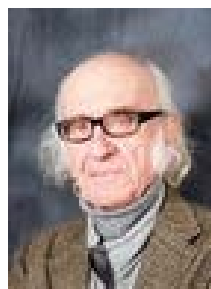
SSP Division

invites you to its

Jean Baptist Lamarck Lecture 2012

by

EMILIANO MUTTI



Thursday at 19 pm in Room 36

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International Association of Sedimentologists Wiley-Blackwell

invite you to their Splinter Meeting
‘Meet the Editor’

with nibbles and drinks

today at 19 pm in Room SM8



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