



**EGMOND AAN ZEE 2009
A joint INQUA – IGCP 495 Meeting**

Second Announcement

International Conference and Field Trips on

***Decadal to Millennium-Scale Land-Ocean Interactions in the
Geological Record: Blueprints for the 21st century?***

**INQUA Commission on Coastal and Marine Processes
IGCP Project 495 – Quaternary Land-Ocean Interactions: Driving
Mechanisms and Coastal Responses**

**Egmond aan Zee (Netherlands)
June 21 – 24, 2009**

INTRODUCTION

This conference and field trip is both the fifth annual meeting of the UK Working Group for IGCP Project 495 and a follow-up to the international meeting of the INQUA Commission on Coastal and Marine Processes held in Dunkerque in 2005. The conference aims to address the key themes of IGCP Project 495 and will be a platform for the comparison of geological records from various parts of the North Sea shoreline. The conference will include one day of presentations and two days of field excursions along the coast of Noord-Holland. Oral presentations and posters on all aspects of Late Quaternary coastal changes are welcome, preferably focusing on decadal to millennium-scale records. The field trips will include visits to an accretionary dune belt and a tidal-inlet system on Texel (the southernmost Wadden Sea barrier island), a receding natural coastline next to an artificial sea-defense system, and a reclaimed former tidal basin. A wealth of core data, geophysical information, laboratory analyses and historical documents allows us to zoom in on timescales that are essential when using geological records as a source of information in coastal-zone management.

CONFERENCE LOCATION

The conference will be held at Hotel Zuiderduin in Egmond aan Zee. Egmond aan Zee is a small town located about 40 km northwest of Amsterdam and 50 km north of Schiphol Airport. Participants will be picked up from nearby Castricum railway station when traveling by public transportation.

ACCOMMODATION

Participants will be housed in Hotel Zuiderduin. Room reservations will be made by the organizers. In order to provide the hotel with an accurate estimate of the expected number of guests, **participants are requested to register before May 10, 2009** ([syitze.vanheteren@deltares.nl](mailto:sytze.vanheteren@deltares.nl)). Maximum number of participants is 40.

REGISTRATION

Conference fee, to be paid before May 15, 2009: EUR 400,- (includes accommodation for three nights, a conference program and abstract book, field trip, field trip guidebook, refreshments at coffee and tea breaks, and all meals).

Payment must be made through bank transfer. Unfortunately, payment by credit card will not be possible. All payments must be made in EURO.

Below is the information your bank will require from you:

Payment to: Deltares, attn. Mr. C. Melman, PO Box 85467, NL-3508 AL Utrecht, The Netherlands

Account no.: IBAN NR NL07INGB0672613026

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Please quote: INQUA 2009 and your name

The participant shall pay all costs involved in the wire transfer.

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Sunday 21 June 2009

12:00 to 17:00

Arrival and Registration

18:00

Dinner

19:30 to 20:30

Welcome and Introductory Lecture

Monday 22 June 2009

09:00 to 17:30

Scientific Oral and Poster Sessions

18:30

Dinner

Tuesday 23 June 2009

09:00 to 17:30

18:30

Field Trip to Texel Island
Conference Dinner in Castricum

Wednesday 24 June 2009

09:00 to 13:00

14:00

Field Trip to mainland Noord-Holland
Arrival at Schiphol Airport



Embryo dunes at southern tip of Texel Island



Tidal inlet on Texel Island

ABSTRACT

If you would like to offer a paper or poster, please send an abstract via e-mail in Word format to sytze.vanheteren@deltares.nl before May 10, 2009. Abstracts should be no more than two sides of A4 text, including all diagrams and references, and include only gray-scale images.

Further details about the conference and field trips will be provided on the website of Deltares when the programme has been finalised: <http://www.deltares.nl>.

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Registration Form

Personal Details

Surname, First Name, Title:..... (M / F)
Affiliation:.....
Full Mailing Address:.....
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Postal code: Country.....
Telephone: Fax:.....
E-mail:

Please fill out:

1. Conference

- I shall attend the Egmond aan Zee 2009 Meeting: Yes
- I shall not attend, but wish to be on the mailing list:
- Special dietary requirements:.....

2. Presentation

- I would like to give a: o oral presentation o poster presentation
(do not forget to send in an abstract by May 10, 2009)

Title abstract:

- I do not want to give a presentation

3. I declare that I shall pay the Conference Registration fee (EUR 400,-)

Date: Name: Signature:

Please return this form before May 10 to:

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