

ANNOUNCEMENTS

International Symposium on Diversity in Quaternary Coastal Evolution, Annual Meeting IGCP 274, December 7-15, 1992, Wellington, New Zealand. Papers are invited on all aspects of the evolution of Quaternary coastal environments. Diversity in tectonic setting, sediment supply, climate and coastal process are important aspects to shoreline evolution in the Quaternary. Papers emphasising dating and correlation of coastal deposits, modelling and prediction of past climate and oceanic changes, the influence of tectonism, and case studies are welcome. **Abstract Deadline: 1st October, 1992.**

For further particulars contact: c/-Dr. A. G. Hull, P.O. Box 30-368, Lower Hutt, New Zealand.

4th Multidisciplinary Conference on Sinkholes and the Engineering and Environmental Impacts of Karst, January 25-27, 1993, Panama City, Florida. This highly successful conference brings together engineers, geologists, geographers, hydrologists, planners, and other environmental specialists from all over the world to share their practical experience solving the unique engineering and environmental problems in karst terranes. A recent address by EPA Assistant Administrator for the Office of Water, LaJuana Wilcher, emphasized that agency's increased awareness and concern about these problems.

Papers are invited on all subjects related to applied karst geology and hydrology, but are particularly encouraged in the engineering field. All authors will be expected to present a 20 minute talk and a written manuscript for publication in a professionally published proceedings volume. **Abstract Deadline: 15th June 1992, Manuscript Deadline: 15th September, 1992.**

For further information contact Dr. Barry F. Beck, Florida Sinkhole Research Institute, Research Building, Alpha, University of Central Florida 32816 (Tel. 407-823-5645).

International Conference on Fluid Evolution, Migration and Interactions in Rocks. 4th to 7th May 1993, English Riviera Centre, Torquay, Devon, England. Sponsored by the Geological Society and the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy.

You are invited to submit tentative title (s) of your paper and/or poster with the Pre-Registration Form by **June 1992**. This should include a summary (max. 100 words) and the name(s) and affiliation of author(s). Authors of both oral and poster presentations will be asked to submit Extended Abstracts in a standard format (up to 4 x A4 pages including Figures, Tables and References) by **December 1992**. Extended Abstracts will be distributed in bound form at the Conference. It is the intention of the Organising Committee to publish a volume of selected papers as a 'State-of-the-Art' Review within 18 months of the Conference.

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