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First Circular on the EUROCORES - TOPO-EUROPE Source & Sink Workshop

**Late Miocene Trans-Paratethys Regional Scale Evolution  
of the Danube River Basin – Western Black Sea System  
&  
Danube Catchment Area Paleogeography and Geodynamics**

(April 9-12, 2011, Smolenice, Slovakia)

Dear Colleague,

The Source & Sink team from the Faculty of Natural Sciences, Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia, invites you to take part in the EUROCORES – TOPO-EUROPE Source & Sink Workshop held in April 10-12, 2011 in the Smolenice Castle Congress Centre of the Slovak Academy of Sciences. Timing of the Source & Sink Workshop connects with the EGU-Meeting in Vienna (April 3-8, 2011) and that is why we organize the optional 1.5-day field excursion (Danube Basin) during April 9-10, 2011 enabling its participants to take part in the Smolenice meeting without the lost of time by an over-bridging the weekend days.

**Organizing Committee:** Miloš Stankoviansky, Jozef Minár, Michal Kováč, Zora Machová, Paul Andriessen, Liviu Matenco

## **Preliminary Program**

### **Saturday April 9, 2011**

Arrival of participants to the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the Comenius University (FNS CU) in Bratislava, Mlynská dolina

09:00 – 12:00 **Check-in 1** at the FNS CU

12:00 – 18:00 **Field excursion:** 1. Early and Late Pannonian lacustrine and alluvial sedimentary formations in the Northern Danube Basin

Overnight en route

### **Sunday April 10, 2011**

09:00 – 18:00 **Field excursion:** 2. Pliocene alluvial and fluvial sedimentary formations; erosion surfaces and abrupt change in deposition

18:00 – 22:00 **Check-in 2** at the Smolenice Castle

Overnight at the Smolenice Castle

## **Monday April 11, 2011**

### **Source & Sink Workshop**

08:30 – 12:00 Key-note lectures and other oral presentations:

MANDIC, O., HARZHAUSER, M.: Neogene lake systems of Central and South-Eastern Europe

MAGYAR, I.: History of Lake Pannon: Sedimentation in the Pannonian Basin during Late Miocene and Pliocene times

SZTANÓ, O., SZAFIÁN, P., MAGYAR, I., BADA, G., HORÁNYI, A., HORVÁTH, A., WALLIS, R.: Late Miocene aggradational to progradational slope sequences: climate, lake-level and sand delivery to the Makó Trough, Pannonian basin, SE Hungary

Note: Other key-note lectures will be introduced in the 2<sup>nd</sup> circular

14:00 – 18:30 Oral and poster presentations

19:00 Festive dinner

Overnight at the Smolenice Castle

## **Tuesday April 12, 2011**

### **Source & Sink Workshop**

08:30 – 12:00 Key-note lecture and other oral and poster presentations:

KOVÁČ, M., BARÁTH, I., FORDINÁL, K., HÓK, J., JONIAK, P., KOVÁČOVÁ, M., MAGLAY, J., MINÁR, J., NAGY, A., STANKOVIANSKY, M., SYNAK, R., TOTH, Cs.: New interpretation of the northern Danube Basin Upper Miocene and Pliocene depositional systems: impacts on lithostratigraphy of this time span

14:00 – 15:00 Final discussion and Closing session

15:00 Departure of participants

### **Preliminary Costs**

Registration fee: 120 €

Accommodation and full board at Smolenice: 120 €

Field excursion: 70 – 80 €

Note No 1: Information on deadline and form of payment of registration fee will be included in 2<sup>nd</sup> circular.

Note No 2: It is expected a slight increase of mentioned costs concerning accommodation and full board at the Smolenice Castle.



The Smolenice Castle – the venue of the Workshop

## Registration to Source & Sink Workshop

Deadline: January 31, 2011

Please, send the Registration Form to Zora Machová either by e-mail or surface mail. This instruction concerns also preliminarily registered participants.

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### Important deadlines and dates

Registration: January 31, 2011

Mailing of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Circular: February 15, 2011

Field Excursion: April 9 – 10, 2011

Source & Sink Workshop: April 11 – 12, 2011

All Workshop information available on <http://www.fns.uniba.sk/?SourceSink>

