

State of geomorphological research in 2020

2nd Circular

Invite you to the international conference

April 28 – 30, 2020 in Horní Bečva (Czech Republic)



Dear colleagues,

We would like to announce and cordially invite you to the annual international conference **State of geomorphological research in 2020**. Forthcoming event is **organised bilaterally** and should be perceived as the common conference of both Czech Association of Geomorphologists and Association of Slovak Geomorphologists. Moreover, for the Czech Association of Geomorphologists it will be a **round anniversary – 20th** in the line of meetings, which started in 2000. For the Association of Slovak Geomorphologists, it will be the 11th biennial meeting.

The thematic scope of the conference traditionally covers all geomorphological disciplines as well as those of related geo-sciences. The conference will culminate with a whole-day field trip. We hope the conference will be interesting and inspiring and we are looking forward for your valuable contributions.

Organizing committee

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Important dates and deadlines

March 31, 2020 – final deadline for registration, conference fee payments and abstract submission

April 15, 2020 – 3rd circular with final conference program

April 27 – 28, 2020 – pre-conference workshop

April 28 – 30, 2020 – conference

Registration information

The registration and abstract submission are now open, with the deadline of March 31, 2020. For the registration, please fill the **registration form** attached in this email and send it to the conference email (geomorfologie@osu.cz). Registration form is also **downloadable from the conference website**.

Conference fee (incl. VAT)	CZK	EUR
Full price	2200	92
Discounted price ¹⁾	1900	80
Student price ²⁾	1400	58

¹⁾ For members of Czech Association of Geomorphologists;

²⁾ Student rates apply to fulltime students only, valid proof of student status required. Winners of the best student thesis contest (1st place in each category) do not pay registration fee.



The price includes: Conference materials, coffee breaks and festive dinner.

Payment of the registration fee is **by bank transfer only**. All handling charges / bank expenses must be **paid by the remitter**. You will receive payment instructions via email after your registration.

Cancellation policy

Sending the registration form to conference email, participants confirm that they agree with the cancellation policy. All cancellations must be sent to the Conference organizing committee via conference email. Refunds will be made after the conference as follows:

Before April 14, 2020: 100% of total registration fee

After and including April 14, 2020: no refunds

Participants who are unable to attend the conference at the last minute are advised to encourage another member of their staff to attend instead.

Further information

Language: Conference language is English.

Sponsor:



Conference venue

The conference itself, accommodation and meals have been arranged to take place in the **Hotel Duo, Horní Bečva, Czech Republic**. No transfer to other facilities is required.

Website in Czech and English language.

You can find travel information, accommodation & meal possibilities and prices on the conference website.

Accommodation and meals are **paid individually after arrival**. The hotel accepts credit cards.

Please specify in the registration form pre-order of your accommodation & meals.

Guidelines for authors

Abstracts

A book of abstracts from the conference will be published in electronic form with ISBN.

The limit for abstract is 2 pages (including references), no figures and tables. **For the details about text formatting, download the abstract template from the conference website**. Please send the abstracts to the conference email (geomorfologie@osu.cz), not later than March 31, 2020. If you will send more abstracts, please use separate files.

Oral presentation

The allotted time for oral presentation is 12 minutes + 3 minutes for discussion. Please, bring your PowerPoint or Pdf presentation to the meeting on a USB flash drive or CD in order to load it into the in-room notebook (no Mac). You will not be able to use your own notebook for your presentation. The in-room notebook will have internet connection.

Poster presentations

Preferred format of the poster is portrait A0 or landscape A1. Maximum is portrait A0.

Preliminary program

Tuesday April 28, 2020

9:00 – 13:00 participant registration

13:00 conference opening, invited lectures

15:30 oral presentations

17:00 poster session 1

19:00 plenary meetings of the Czech Association of Geomorphologists and the Association of Slovak Geomorphologists

Wednesday April 29, 2020

8:30 – 17:00 oral presentations

17:00 poster session 2

19:00 closing ceremony, festive dinner

Thursday April 30, 2020: 8:30 – 16:00 field trip

Conference themes and final program will be specified in the 3rd Circular according to registered presentations.

Pre-conference workshop

We would like to announce, that we plan to organise **a workshop intended for students of master or post-graduate programme and early-career researchers (post-docs)**. Workshop will **precede the conference (April 27 – 28, 2020)** and will be held in the conference venue. For more information, please see the **Workshop 1st Circular attached to this email**. We ask potential participants to express their preliminary interest by a non-committal e-mail as soon as possible.

Post-conference field trip

Thursday April 30, 2020, 8:30 – 16:00

We are preparing for you a full-day field trip focusing on **Geomorphic evolution of Outer Western Carpathians in the Holocene**.

The transport will be organised via participant's cars. In case of registering to the excursion, please specify in Registration form, if you will have access to a car or not.

There is a possibility of ordering a lunch pack in the Registration form (150 CZK).