



# CBEP2020

Climatic

and

Biotic Events

of the Paleogene

Bremen, Germany

Aug 31 – Sept 3, 2020

First Circular



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## Place and date

The International Conference „Climatic and Biotic Events of the Paleogene (CBEP) 2020” will be held in Bremen, Germany, on the University Campus from Monday, August 31, to Thursday, September 3, 2020.

Optional field trips on Sept 4-5, 2020.

## Registration and accommodation

Details will be given in the Second Circular.

## Important dates

**January 2020** Publication of Second Circular

**1 May 2020** Deadline for abstract submission

**1 March to 1 May 2020** Early bird registration

**before 1 August 2020** Online registration



## From land to sea

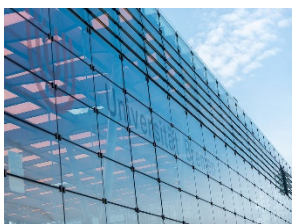
We welcome you cordially to Bremen, a charming modern city with a touch of hanseatic flair located at the banks of the Weser river, close to the North Sea coast.

The Paleogene Period was a time of extremes and transitions, characterized by climatic conditions largely unfamiliar to us today but saw the rise of essentially modern continental configurations, biotic communities, and biogeochemical regimes.

CBEP2020 will provide a multidisciplinary stage with a focus on the exciting themes and topics (see "Scientific themes"). We expect exciting scientific contributions, hot discussions, and new ideas.

The IODP Bremen Core Repository (BCR) at MARUM – Center for Marine Environmental Sciences of the University of Bremen holds sediment cores from over 89 expeditions. Explore beyond the Paleogene at CBEP2020!

We welcome you to participate and are looking forward meeting in in Bremen in late August/early September 2020!



## Local organizing committee

Ulla Röhl, University of Bremen  
 Thomas Westerhold, University of Bremen  
 Heiko Pälike, University of Bremen

## Conference program

The conference will comprise scientific sessions, poster sessions (incl. poster presenters Lightning talks), and field trips. If you are interested in receiving the Second Circular, please send an e-mail to [cbep2020@uni-bremen.de](mailto:cbep2020@uni-bremen.de).

## Scientific themes

- Habitable Planet: Learning from Past Environments
- Climate, Paleoecology and Paleodiversity
- Biogeochemical Cycles
- Tectonics, Surface Environments and Hydrological Processes
- New developments, applications and results of Paleoproxies

## Field trips 1-2 days field trips

## Hosts

The conference is hosted by:  
 MARUM – Center for Marine Environmental Sciences, University of Bremen

## Scientific organizing committee

Claudia Agnini, University of Padova  
 Laia Alegret, University of Zaragoza  
 Steve Bohaty, University of Southampton  
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2020	Sunday Aug 30	Monday August 31	Tuesday Sept 1	Wednesday Sept 2	Thursday Sept 3	Friday Sept 4	Saturday Sept 5
Morning		Opening Oral sessions	Oral session Oral session	Oral session Oral session	Oral session Oral session	Field trips	Field trips
Afternoon		Posters Oral session	Posters Oral session	BCR* visit Informal Meetings	Oral session Posters, Wrap-up	Field trips	Field trips
Evening	Icebreaker		Conference Dinner				

\*IODP Bremen Core Repository (BCR)