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IAS Newsletter – October 2018

Dear member of the IAS,

ENIAS is the primary mode of communicating announcements from the IAS to our membership. Please invest 5 minutes reading through the announcements below.

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On behalf of the IAS Bureau,
Stephen Lokier
General Secretary

- **The 2019 IAS Special Lecture Tour – deadline 15th December**

The 2019 IAS Special Lecture Tour offers an unprecedented choice of six presentations given by three global leaders in the field of Sedimentology – Rachel Wood, Christopher Fielding and Adrian Immenhauser.

Presentations for the 2019 tour are:

- What triggered the Ediacaran–Cambrian rise of animals? Professor Wood
- Is the past the key to the future? Carbonates, mass extinctions, and diagenesis Professor Wood
- Towards a new generation of facies models for fluvial systems and their deposit Professor Fielding
- The end–Permian mass extinction from a high southern palaeolatitude perspective Professor Fielding
- Aptian oceanic anoxia – The shallow marine perspective Professor Immenhauser
- Quantitative carbonate diagenesis Professor Immenhauser

Full details of the exciting lectures and guidelines as to how to apply to host one of our Special Lecturers can be found [here](#).

- **Membership renewal – no increase in membership fees!**

We are delighted to announce that there will, again, not be any increase in the annual membership fees for the IAS.

Basic membership for 2019 remains at only **€25 for full members** (or €20 if you renew for 5 years at once) and **€10 for student members**. Please check our [Membership Benefits page](#) to discover all of the advantages of membership.

You can **renew your membership quickly and safely on the IAS website** (after log in).

As we approach the end of the year we shall be tidying up email lists and would not want to lose contact with you! Don't risk missing out on the fantastic benefits of membership of the IAS, renew today!

Your IAS Member Profile page is a valuable tool allowing fellow Sedimentologists to find out about your research interests and recent activities. Please take a few minutes to occasionally review, personalize and update your [profile](#).

- **UPDATE: The 34th IAS International Meeting of Sedimentology, Rome, Italy**

The **34th IAS International Meeting of Sedimentology** will take place in **Rome (Italy)** between the **10th – 13th September 2019**. The theme of the meeting, 'Sedimentology to face societal challenges on risk, resources and record of the past', reflects a desire to discuss, compare and promote research in the context of societal changes from the perspective of Sedimentology and Sedimentary Geology. Details of the meeting are available [here](#) or on the [IAS website](#).

The call for proposals for **Sessions, Workshops and Short Courses** closes soon – **31st October 2018**.

- **ANNOUNCING the winner of the 2018 Basin Research Early Career Award**

Congratulations to Dr Luca Malatesta (California Institute of Technology, USA), the recipient of the 2018 Basin Research Early Career Award for his paper [Lag and mixing during sediment transfer across the Tian Shan piedmont caused by climate-driven aggradation-incision cycles](#) which was published in Basin

Research in August 2018. The paper is now Open Access and free to download [here](#).

- **ANNOUNCING Meeting and Fieldtrip reports are now available on the IAS web site**

Members can now access Meeting and Field trip reports via the [Find Content](#) link on their profile page. Simply click on the new 'Meeting / Field Trip Reports' tab to read reports from the latest IAS sponsored events.

Recent additions include:

- The 20 th ISC Meeting (13–17 Aug, 2018, Quebec City, Canada)
- Workshop: Cyclostratigraphy Intercomparison Project (30 Jul – 1 Aug, 2018, Brussels, Belgium)

- **ANNOUNCING Grant reports on the IAS web site**

Did you know that you can read the Reports from IAS members who have received Post-Doctoral or Post-Graduate grants [here](#) ? Simply click on the 'Grant Reports' tab at the top of the page.

Recent additions include:

- JOANNA PSZONKA – Diagenetic modifications and their influence on hydrocarbon storage potential and physical features of the Cergowa submarine fan sandstones (Outer Carpathians of Poland) (Postdoctoral Grant Report)
- CHIARA CAVALLINA – Stratigraphy, Facies Analysis and Paleo-drainage Evolution of the Late-Mesozoic Continental Succession of the Central High Atlas (Morocco): the area of the High Atlas of Marrakech
- MANUEL LÓPEZ – Neogene Volcaniclastic Infill Analysis Of The Collón Curá Basin: Implications For The North Patagonian Foreland System During The Last Andean Orogenic Episode
- GASTÓN ÁLVAREZ TRENTINI – High-resolution Petrography & QEMSCAN analysis: applications for the study of mixed carbonate-siliciclastic successions
- JULIET SEFTON – Improving mangrove proxies for reconstructing sea level
- EVA MENCIN GALE – Genesis, provenance and geochronology of clastic sediments as geological record of environmental changes at the transition from Pliocene to Quaternary in Velenje Basin (NE Slovenia)

- **CALL for applications for IAS Post-Doctoral Research Grants (Spring 2019 Session)**

IAS Post-Doctoral Research Grants are intended as a seed to assist early-career post-doctoral researchers in either establishing a proof of concept, in order to support applications to national research funding bodies, or to fund areas of a project that were not included in the original project scope.

Up to 4 grants, each to a maximum of 2500 Euro, are awarded twice per year to Early Career IAS members – those that have secured their Ph.D. within the previous 7 years.

The application requires submission of a research proposal with budget and CV (template provided on the [submission webpage](#)), and a letter of support from the researcher's supervisor, line manager or Head of School. More details about the application procedure can be found [here](#). Application deadline for the Spring 2019 Session is **31st March 2019**.

Eligibility:

- Applicants must be full members of the IAS.
- Applicants must have secured their Ph.D. within the previous 7 years.
- Applicants can only benefit from a Post-Doctoral grant on one occasion.

- **CALL for applications for Post-Graduate Research Grants (Spring 2019 Session)**

Up to **10 research grants**, each of about 1000 Euro, are awarded twice a year to **IAS Post-Graduate Student Members**. This grant scheme is designed to support PhD students in their studies and research. Post-Graduate Research Grants can be used to (co-)finance fieldwork, acquisition and analysis of data, visits to other institutes to use specialized facilities, etc.

Applications have to be submitted via the [IAS website](#). Application deadline for the Spring 2019 Session is **31st March 2019**.

More information about the Post-Graduate Grant Scheme and guidelines on how to apply can be found [here](#).

- **CALL for applications for Institutional Grants (Spring 2019 Session)**

Twice a year, IAS awards an **Institutional Grant** of maximum 10,000 Euro, which is intended to support capacity building initiatives in less developed countries (LDCs). Grants will allow earth science departments in LDCs to acquire durable sedimentological equipment for teaching and research, or tools that can be used by all geology students. The grant application should thus clearly demonstrate how the grant will increase the recipient's capacity to teach sedimentology at undergraduate level in a sustainable way.

Applications have to be submitted via the [IAS website](#). Application deadline for the Spring 2019 Session is **31st March 2019**.

More information about the Institutional Grant Scheme and guidelines on how to apply can be found [here](#).

- **CALL for nominations for the Richard W. Faas Research Prize**

IAS and the Faas family **invite nominations for the 2019 Richard W. Faas Research Prize**. The prize will be awarded during the 34th IAS International Meeting of Sedimentology, Rome, Italy (10–13 September 2019) and will recognise outstanding work in the field of marine sedimentology and particularly research dealing with fine-grained marine and estuarine sediments. PhD students and post-doctoral researchers can be nominated. Candidates should have obtained their PhD not more than 5 years before the date of the award ceremony, i.e. the annual meeting of the IAS.

More details about this prize and about the nomination procedure and

requirements can be found [here](#).

Please send your nominations to the [IAS General Secretary \(generalsecretary@sedimentologists.org\)](mailto:generalsecretary@sedimentologists.org) before 30th November 2018.

• Travel grants for IAS Student Members

All travel grants are also listed on the website in the [members-only Events Timeline](#). The listings include the option for downloading the deadline in your calendar.

Application rules and eligibility criteria for IAS Student Travel Grants:

- Applicants must be active IAS Student Members at the time of submitting a travel grant application;
- Applicants can apply for a travel grant twice per calendar year: once for an IAS meeting (IMS or ISC) and once for any other IAS-sponsored meeting;
- Applicants must have an active and approved (oral or poster) presentation at the meeting (unless the meeting format does not include oral or poster presentations), on a topic of sedimentological relevance.

• Meetings with IAS support

- International Meeting around the Jurassic–Cretaceous Boundary (Geneva, Switzerland; 5–7 December 2018)
- BSRG Annual General Meeting 2018 (Edinburgh, UK; 17–22 December 2018)
- EGU General Assembly 2019 (Vienna, Austria; 7–12 April 2019)
- 34th IAS Meeting of Sedimentology — "Sedimentology – to face societal challenges on risk, resources and record of the past" (Rome, Italy; 10–13 September 2019)

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• REMINDER: call for manuscripts for Open Access Journal "The Depositional Record"

["The Depositional Record – A journal of biological, physical and geochemical sedimentary processes"](#) is IAS's **Open Access Journal**. It covers all timescales, from Ancient to Modern Earth, and welcomes articles from across the field of sedimentology, and in particular articles dealing with paleoclimate, changes in the chemical environment, ocean acidification, extra-terrestrial sedimentology, and the application of genetic methods to understanding sedimentological processes.

The journal is now collecting manuscripts for Volume 4. All papers are freely accessible to everyone [here](#). For more information, please visit the [journal website](#) and the [manuscript submission page](#) on ScholarOne.

Article Processing Charges (APC) will be covered by IAS until the journal has received an impact factor.

- **News from our journals**

For a quick overview of the latest issues of **Sedimentology**, **Basin Research** and **The Depositional Record**, follow these links:

- **Sedimentology**: directly at **Wiley** or via the **IAS website** (after login) for member access
- **Basin Research**: directly at **Wiley** or via the **IAS website** (after login) for member access
- **The Depositional Record**: directly at **Wiley** or via the **IAS website**

You can also keep track of all newly published articles on the continuously updated **members-only News Timeline** on the new IAS website.

- **REMINDER: IAS on Facebook and on Twitter**

IAS is also present on **Facebook** and on **Twitter**. Follow us **@sedimentology** to keep up to date with all things sedimentological.

- **Job adverts**

You can find more information about recent job adverts on our **members-only Job Offers Timeline**.

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