

## 2011

**May 2–6** Congreso Geológico Argentino, Neuquén, Republic of Argentina. E-mail: info@congresogeologico.org.ar; web page: www.congresogeologico.org.ar

**May 2–7** Workshop on Submarine and Emergent Volcanic Arcs and Associated Volcano-Sedimentary Basins: Facies Models, Petrology and Volcano-Tectonics, Cabo de Gata, Spain. Web page: www.ija.csic.es/cabodegata

**May 8–13** Inaugural SOLOMON Meeting – Frontiers in Mineral Systems, Yallingup, Western Australia. Web page: www.csiro.au/org/Solomon-meeting.html

**May 15–19** 12<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Modern Developments and Applications in Microbeam Analysis, Angers, France. Web page: www.emas-web.net

**May 16–19** 6<sup>th</sup> Annual International Symposium on Environment, Athens, Greece. E-mail: atiner@atiner.gr, web page: www.atiner.gr/environment.htm

**May 18–20** Cordilleran/Rocky Mountain Section of GSA, Logan, UT, USA. Web page: www.geosociety.org/sections/rm/2011mtg

**May 18–20** Conference on Micro-Raman Spectroscopy and Luminescence Studies in the Earth and Planetary Sciences (CORALS II), Madrid, Spain. Web page: www.lpi.usra.edu/meetings/corals2011

**May 22–27** IUMAS-V: 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the International Union of Microbeam Analysis Societies, Incheon, South Korea. E-mail: sason@amsung.com; web page: www.microprobe.org/events/iumas-v

**May 23–27** Workshop on Crystallographic Software, Tokyo, Japan. Web page: www.crystallography.fr/mathcryst/tokyo2011.php

**May 25–27** Geological Association of Canada/Mineralogical Association of Canada Annual Meeting, Ottawa, Canada. Web page: www.gacmacottawa2011.ca

**May 28–June 2** American Crystallographic Association (ACA) Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA. Web page: www.AmerCrystalAssn.org

**May 29–30** GIA Symposium 2011: Advances in Gemological Research, Carlsbad, CA, USA. E-mail: symposium2011@gia.edu; website: http://symposium2011.gia.edu

**June 2–12** Erice School: Electron Crystallography – New Methods to Explore Structure and Properties of the Nano World, Erice, Sicily, Italy. Web page: www.crystalalice.org/Erice2011/2011ec.htm

**June 2–12** Erice School: The Power of Powder Diffraction, Erice, Sicily, Italy. Web page: www.crystalalice.org/Erice2011/2011pd.htm

**June 5–10** Gordon Research Conference: Interior of the Earth, South Hadley, MA, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=interior

**June 5–10** Gordon Research Conference: Superconductivity, Waterville Valley, NH, USA. Web

page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=supercon

**June 13–15** A Wet vs. Dry Moon: Exploring Volatile Reservoirs and Implications for the Evolution of the Moon and Future Exploration, Houston, TX, USA. Web page: www.lpi.usra.edu/meetings/volatiles2011

**June 16–18** Granulite and Eclogite Complexes in the Earth's History, Petrozavodsk, Russia. Web page: http://igkrc.ru/GEC2011

**June 21–24** The Mineralogical Society's Annual Meeting: Frontiers in Environmental Geoscience, University of Aberystwyth, Wales, UK. Details: N. Pearce, e-mail: njp@aber.ac.uk; web page: www.minersoc.org/pages/meetings/frontiers-2011/frontiers-2011.html

**June 26–29** 45<sup>th</sup> Rock Mechanics/ Geomechanics Symposium, San Francisco, CA, USA. Web page: www.armasymposium.org/abstract.html

**June 26–July 1** Euroclay 2011, Antalya, Turkey. Web page: www.euroclay2011.org

**June 27–July 7** XXV<sup>th</sup> International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics (IUGG) and IAVCEI General Assembly, Melbourne, Australia. E-mail: ray.cas@sci.monash.edu.au; web page: www.iugg2011.com

**July 3–7** International Conference on the Biogeochemistry of Trace Elements, Florence, Italy. Details: Dr. Giancarlo Renella, e-mail: giancarlo.renella@unifi.it; website: www.icobte2011.com

**July 4–9** Seventh Hutton Symposium on Granites and Related Rocks, Avila, Spain. E-mail: hutton@ugr.es; web page: www.seventh-hutton.org/meeting/Welcome.html

**July 10–15** Gordon Research Conference: Catchment Science: Interactions of Hydrology, Biology & Geochemistry, Lewiston, ME, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=catchment

**July 10–15** Gordon Research Conference: Radiation & Climate, Waterville, ME, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=radclimate

**July 10–16** 11<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Antarctic Earth Sciences, Edinburgh, United Kingdom. Web page: www.isaes2011.org.uk

**July 10–20** EMU School – Bulk and Surface Structures of Layer Silicates and Oxides: Theoretical Aspects and Applications, Rome, Italy. Web page: www.univie.ac.at/Mineralogie/EMU

**July 11–15** Inter/Micro: 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Applied Microscopy Conference, Chicago, IL, USA. E-mail: intermicro@mcri.org; web page: www.mcri.org

**July 14–22** Asteroids, Comets, Meteors (ACM) meeting, Niigata, Japan. Web page: chiron.mtk.nao.ac.jp/ACM2011

**July 17–22** Gordon Research Conference: Thin Film & Crystal Growth Mechanisms, Biddeford, ME, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=thinfilm

**July 17–22** Gordon Research Conference: Organic Reactions

& Processes, Smithfield, RI, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=orgreac

**July 17–22** Gordon Research Conference: Origins of Solar Systems, South Hadley, MA, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=origins

**July 20–27** International Union for Quaternary Research (INQUA) XXVIII Congress, Bern, Switzerland. Website: www.inqua.tcd.ie/congress.html

**July 24–29** Gordon Research Conference: High Temperature Corrosion, New London, NH, USA. Web page: www.grc.org/programs.aspx?year=2011&program=hightemp

**July 24–29** 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. Web page: www.mercury2011.org

**July 25–29** ASTM Johnson Conference: The On-Going Asbestos Debate, Burlington, VT, USA. Web page: www.astm.org/D22\_Johnson.htm

**July 31–August 4** The Society for Organic Petrology (TSOP) Annual Meeting, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. Web page: www.tsop.org

**August 1–5** 10<sup>th</sup> ICAM International Congress for Applied Mineralogy, Trondheim, Norway. Details: Maarten A.T.M. Broekmans, e-mail: maarten.broekmans@ngu.no; website: www.icam2011.org

**August 5–7** Third International Conference on Science in Society, Washington, DC, USA. Web page: http://science-society.com/conference-2011

**August 6–9** 9<sup>th</sup> International Eclogite Conference, Teplá Premonstratensian Monastery, Czech Republic. Web page: http://petrol.natur.cuni.cz/eclogites/index.php/ice/2011

**August 7–10** Teaching Mineralogy, Petrology and Geochemistry in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Minneapolis, MN, USA. E-mail: mogk@montana.edu; web page: http://serc.carleton.edu/NAGTWorkshops/mpg/workshop2011/index.html

**August 7–11** Microscopy and Microanalysis 2011, Nashville, TN, USA. Web page: www.microprobe.org/events/microscopy-microanalysis-2011

**August 7–11** European Association of Geochemistry (EAG) Workshop: Tools in Environmental Biogeochemistry – Opportunities and Limitations, Tübingen, Germany. Details: Andreas Kappler, e-mail: andreas.kappler@uni-tuebingen.de; web page: www.eag.eu.com/education/shortcourse/eag-shortcourse2011

**August 8–12** 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Meteoritical Society, Greenwich, England. Details: Gretchen Benedix, e-mail: greb@nhm.ac.uk; web page: www.metsoc2011.org

**August 8–12** Asia Oceania Geosciences Society (AOGS 2011), Taipei, Taiwan. Web page: www.asiaoceania.org/aogs2011

**August 9–11** 21<sup>st</sup> Biennial Conference, European Current Research on Fluid Inclusions (ECROFI XXI), University of Leoben, Austria. E-mail: ecrofiXXI@unileoben.ac.at; website: https://ecrofiXXI.unileoben.ac.at

**August 14–19** 2011 Goldschmidt Conference, Prague, Czech Republic. E-mail: helpdesk@goldschmidt2011.org; web page: www.goldschmidt2011.org

**August 14–19** International Materials Research Congress (IMRC) 2011, Cancun, Mexico. Web page: www.mrs.org/s\_mrs/sec.asp?CID=25401&DID=

**August 21–23** MSA and GS Short Course: Sulfur in Magmas and Melts and Its Importance for Natural and Technical Processes, Goslar, Germany. Details: Harald Behrens and Jim Webster. E-mail: h.behrens@mineralogie.uni-hannover.de or jdw@amnh.org. Web page: http://msasulfurmelts.org

**August 21–24** 2<sup>nd</sup> International Workshop on Antimony in the Environment, Jena, Germany. Web page: www1.uni-jena.de/Antimony2011=291980

**August 22–26** 25<sup>th</sup> International Applied Geochemistry Symposium (IAGS 2011), Rovaniemi, Finland. Web page: www.iags2011.fi

**August 22–29** XXII Congress of the International Union of Crystallography, Madrid, Spain. Web page: www.ecanews.org/iucrs.php. and www.iucr2011madrid.es

**August 28–September 1** 242<sup>nd</sup> American Chemical Society (ACS) National Meeting & Exposition, Denver, CO, USA. Web page: www.acs.org

**August 29–September 2** 14<sup>th</sup> Latin American Geological Congress and the 13<sup>th</sup> Colombian Geological Congress, Medellín, Colombia. Web page: www.14clg.com

**August 30–September 2** 3P Arctic Conference: Polar Petroleum Potential, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. Web page: www.3parctic.com

**September 4–7** 7<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Mineralogy and Spectroscopy (ECMS 2011), Potsdam, Germany. Details: Prof. Dr. Monika Koch-Mueller, e-mail: mkoch@gfz-potsdam.de; web page: www.physchemgeo.com/ECMS/index.html

**September 4–7** FRAGILE EARTH: Geological Processes from Global to Local Scales and Associated Hazards, Munich, Germany. Web page: www.geosociety.org/meetings/2011munich

**September 7–9** Ore Deposits in an Evolving Earth, London, UK. Website: www.fermor2011.org.uk

**September 19–23** VIII Forum Italiano di Scienze della Terra, Torino, Italy. Web page: www.geoitalia.org/index.php?action=folder\_list&folder\_id=189

**September 20–24** GEOMED2011 – 4<sup>th</sup> Hemispheric Conference on Medical Geology, Bari, Italy. Details: Saverio Fiore, e-mail: fiore@imaa.cnr.it; web page: www.geomed2011.it

**September 25–30** The Clay Minerals Society 2011 Annual Meeting, Lake Tahoe, NV, USA. www.clays.org/annual%20meeting/announcement.html

**September 26–29** 11<sup>th</sup> Biennial Society for Geology Applied to Mineral Deposits (SGA) Meeting, Antofagasta, Chile. E-mail: sga2011@ucn.cl; web page: www.sga2011.ucn.cl

**September 27–30** International GNM-GABeC School on Minerals and Biosphere, Campiglia Marittima (LI), Italy. E-mail: lattanzp@unica.it; web page: www.socminpet.it/minbio2011/index.html

**September 30–October 2** 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the New England Intercollegiate Geological Conference (NEIGC), Middlebury College, VT, USA. Web page: neigc.org

**October 4–8** 9<sup>th</sup> Silicate Melts Workshop, La Petite Pierre, Alsace, France. Details: Don Dingwell, Pascal Richet, and Alan Whittington; e-mail: dingwell@lmu.de, richet@ipgp.fr, whittingtona@missouri.edu; web page: http://web.missouri.edu/~whittingtona/9thSMW

**October 9–12** Geological Society of America Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, USA. E-mail: meetings@geosociety.org; web page: www.geosociety.org/meetings/2011

**October 14–16** Migmatites: Contemporary Views and Examples – Annual Meeting of the Petrology Group and General Meeting of the Mineralogical Society of Poland, Bukowina, Poland. Web page: www.ptmin.pl

**October 16–20** Materials Science & Technology 2011 Conference and Exhibition – MS&T '11 combined with the ACerS 113<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Columbus, OH, USA. Web page: www.tms.org/Meetings/meetings.asp

**October 18–21** 12<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Rock Mechanics (ISRM 2011), Beijing, China. E-mail: secretariat@isrm2011.com; website: www.isrm2011.com

**October 24–28** Cathodoluminescence 2011: A MAS Topical Conference, Gaithersburg, MD, USA. E-mail: CL2011@microbeamanalysis.org; website: www.microbeamanalysis.org

**October 24–28** MaThCryst Workshop on Mathematical Crystallography, Manila, Phillipines. Webpage: www.crystallography.fr/mathcryst/manila2011.php

**November 11–13** 9<sup>th</sup> Swiss Geoscience Meeting, ETH Zürich, Switzerland. Web page: http://geoscience-meeting.scnatweb.ch

**November 21–24** Conference on Arsenic in Groundwater in South Asia, Hanoi, Vietnam. E-mail: vietcetad53@yahoo.com; web page: http://vietas.er.dtu.dk

**November 28–December 2** MRS (Materials Research Society) Fall Meeting, Boston, MA, USA. Web page: www.mrs.org/s\_mrs/index.asp

**December 5–9** AGU Fall Meeting, San Francisco, CA, USA. Web page: www.agu.org/meetings

**2012**

**January 22–27** 36<sup>th</sup> International Conference and Expo on Advanced Ceramics and Composites, Daytona Beach, FL, USA. Web page: http://ceramics.org/dates-deadlines

**February 6–12** 10<sup>th</sup> International Kimberlite Conference, Bangalore, India. Website: www.10ikcbangalore.com.

**March 4–7** XIV EMPG (Experimental Mineralogy, Petrology and Geochemistry) Meeting, Kiel, Germany. E-mail: empg2012@min.uni-kiel.de

**March 11–15** The Minerals Metals & Materials Society (TMS) TMS 2012: Linking Science and Technology for Global Solutions, Orlando, FL, USA. E-mail: mtgserv@tms.org; web page: www.tms.org/meetings/annual-12/AM12home.aspx

**March 25–29** 243<sup>rd</sup> American Chemical Society (ACS) National Meeting & Exposition, San Diego, CA, USA. Web page: www.acs.org

**April 9–13** MRS Spring Meeting, San Francisco, CA, USA. Web page: www.mrs.org/s\_mrs/index.asp

**April 22–25** AAPG Annual Convention & Exhibition, Long Beach, CA, USA. Web page: www.aapg.org/meetings

**May 28–30** Geological Association of Canada and Mineralogical Association of Canada Annual Meeting, St. John's, NL. Web page: www.gac.ca/activities

**May 31–June 10** Erice School: Present and Future Methods for Biomolecular Crystallography, Erice, Sicily, Italy. Web page: www.crystalalice.org/Erice2012/2012.htm

**June 24–29** Goldschmidt 2012, Montreal, Canada. E-mail: helpdesk@goldschmidt2012.org; website: www.goldschmidt2012.org

**July 9–13** Inter/Micro: 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Applied Microscopy Conference, Chicago, IL, USA. Web page: www.mcri.org

**July 15–19** International Congress on Ceramics (ICC4), Chicago, IL, USA. Web page: http://ceramics.org/4th-international-congress-on-ceramics-icc4

**July 28–August 2** American Crystallographic Association (ACA) Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, USA. Web page: www.AmerCrystalAssn.org

**July 29–August 2** Microscopy and Microanalysis 2012. Phoenix, AZ, USA. Web page: www.microprobe.org/events/microscopy-microanalysis-2012

**August** ECM-27 – XXVII European Crystallographic Meeting, Bergen, Norway. Web page: www.lcm3b.uhp-nancy.fr/ecasig5/Activity.php

**August 2–10** 34<sup>th</sup> International Geological Congress, Brisbane, Australia. E-mail: info@34igc.org; web page: www.34igc.org

**August 12–17** Annual meeting of the Meteoritical Society, Cairns, Queensland, Australia. Details: Trevor Ireland, e-mail: trevor.ireland@anu.edu.au; web page: www.meteoriticalsociety.org

**August 19–23** 244<sup>th</sup> ACS National Meeting & Exposition, Philadelphia, PA, USA. Web page: www.acs.org

**September 9–13** EMC2012: Planet Earth – from Core to Surface, Frankfurt, Germany. Web page: http://emc2012.uni-frankfurt.de

**September 17–20** Geoanalysis 2012, Búzios, Brazil. Web page: www.ige.unicamp.br/geoanalysis2012

**October 7–11** MS&T'12: Materials Science & Technology Conference and Exhibition, combined with ACerS 114<sup>th</sup>

Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Web page: www.matscitech.org

**November 4–7** Geological Society of America (GSA) Annual Meeting, Charlotte, NC, USA. Web page: www.geosociety.org/meetings

**November 26–30** MRS Fall Meeting, Boston, MA, USA. Web page: www.mrs.org/s\_mrs/index.asp

**2013**

**April 7–11** 245<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society (ACS) National Meeting & Exposition, New Orleans, LA, USA. Web page: www.acs.org

**May 19–22** AAPG 2013 Annual Convention & Exhibition, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Web page: www.aapg.org

**May 22–24** Geological Association of Canada /Mineralogical Association of Canada Annual Meeting, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. Web page: www.mineralogicalassociation.ca/index.php?p=35

**July** IAVCEI General Assembly 2013: Forecasting Volcanic Activity, Kagoshima, Japan. Details: Masato Iguchi; e-mail: iguchi@svo.dpri.kyoto-u.ac.jp; web page: www.iavcei.org/IAVCEI.htm

**August** ECM-28 – XXVIII European Crystallographic Meeting, Warwick, UK. Details forthcoming

**August 4–8** Microscopy & Microanalysis 2013, Indianapolis, IN, USA. Web page: www.microprobe.org/events

**September 8–12** 246<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting & Exposition, Indianapolis, IN, USA. Web page: www.acs.org

**October** MS&T'13: Materials Science & Technology Conference and Exhibition, Montreal, Quebec, Canada. Details forthcoming

**October 27–30** Geological Society of America Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, USA. E-mail: meetings@geosociety.org; web page: www.geosociety.org/meetings

**2014**

**September 1–5** 21<sup>st</sup> General Meeting of the International Mineralogical Association (IMA2014), Johannesburg, South Africa. E-mail: info@ima2014.co.za; web page: www.ima2014.co.za

The meetings convened by the societies participating in *Elements* are highlighted in yellow. This meetings calendar was compiled by Andrea Koziol (more meetings are listed on the calendar she maintains at <http://homepages.undayton.edu/~akoziol1/meetings.html>). To get meeting information listed, please contact her at [Andrea.Koziol@notes.undayton.edu](mailto:Andrea.Koziol@notes.undayton.edu).

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