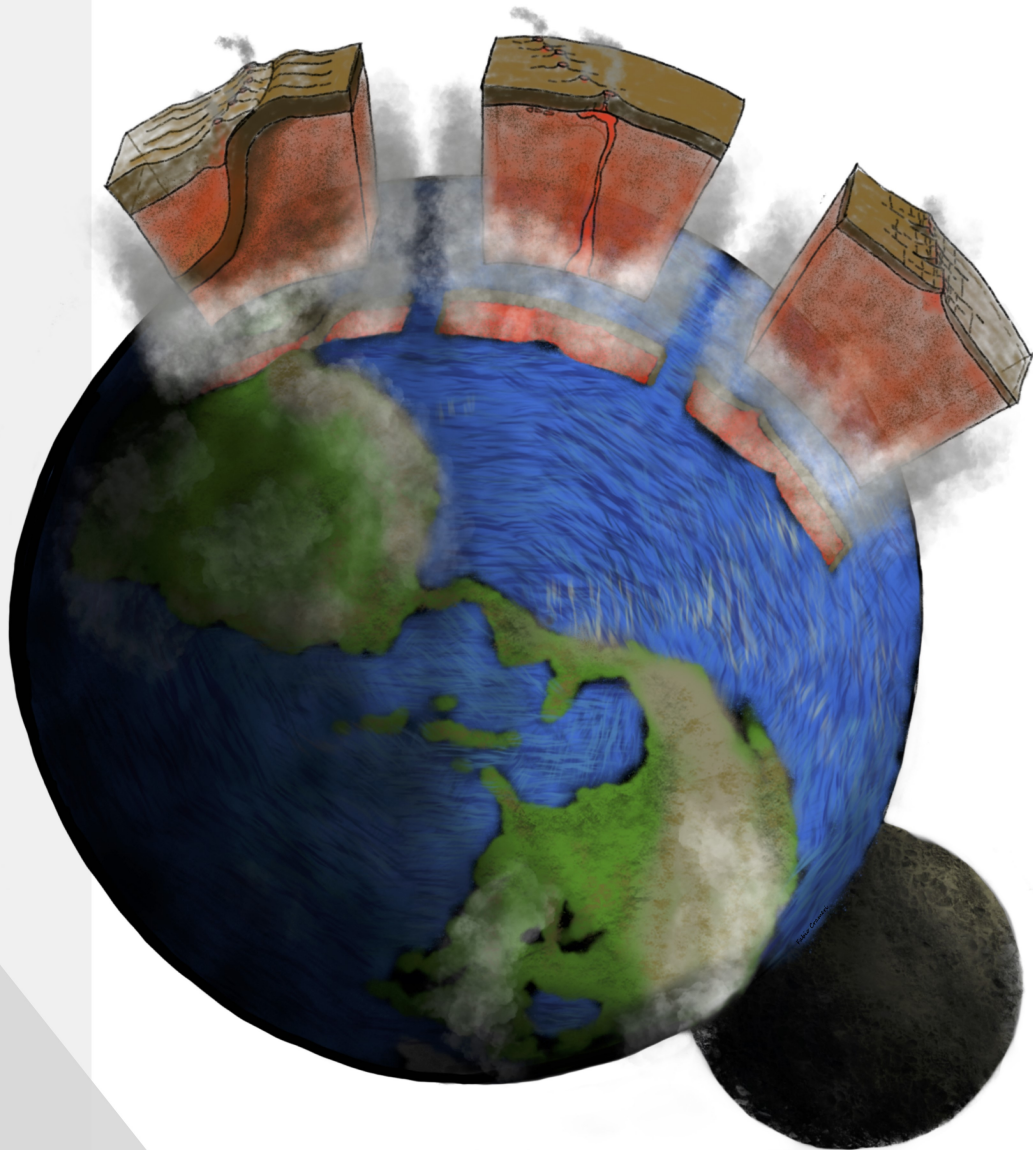




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***Above:** From the official opening of the Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry Lab in Christine Bonnevie's Hus; the University of Oslo the 24th of April. Photos: T-L. K. Gørbitz*

***Front cover:** Ocean-Plate Tectonics: A concept to describe the formation, cooling and destruction of an oceanic plate as intimate parts in the convective overturn of the Earth's mantle, see page 20. By Fabio Crameri, CEED*

Back cover from the top:

- 1: From the Oslo rift excursion at Krokskogen, 20th of June*
- 2: The symposium «CEED—no longer a teenager» in the University Aula, 1st of March*
- 3: The first Else-Ragnhild Neumann award was shared between Anja Røyne, PGP-UiO (left) and Grace Shephard, CEED-UiO (right); In the middle: Professor Emerita Else-Ragnhild Neumann, the Academy of Science the 7th of December*

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PRIMARY OBJECTIVE:

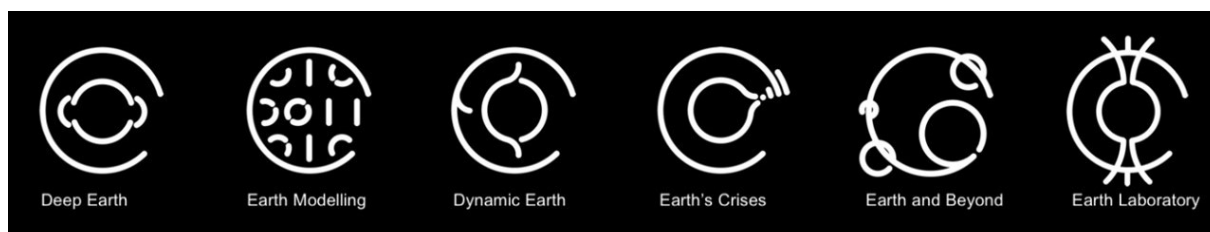
Develop an Earth model that explains how mantle processes drive plate tectonics and trigger massive volcanism and associated environmental and climate changes throughout Earth history

SECONDARY OBJECTIVES:

- (1) Build a consistent global plate tectonic model for the past 1100 Ma
- (2) Explore how palaeogeography and True Polar Wander have influenced the long-term climate system
- (3) Develop models that link surface volcanism with processes in the deepest mantle
- (4) Develop models that link subduction processes in arcs and collision orogens with the mantle
- (5) Understand the role of voluminous intrusive and extrusive volcanism on global climate changes and extinctions in Earth history
- (6) Develop models for mantle structure, composition and material properties
- (7) Understand similarities and differences between the Earth and the other terrestrial planets
- (8) Develop tools and databases that integrate plate reconstructions with geodynamic and climate modelling

CEED is dedicated to research of fundamental importance to the understanding of our planet, that embraces the dynamics of the plates, the origin of large scale volcanism, the evolution of climates and the abrupt demise of life forms.

This ambitious venture shall result in a new model that explains how mantle processes interact with plate tectonics and trigger massive volcanism and associated environmental and climate changes throughout Earth history.



The new CEED logos design by Fabio Crameri, CEED

ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2018

CEED produced **129** publications in international journals. This includes six papers in **high-impact journals**; three of these had a young CEED researcher as the first author.

CEED researchers authored six books or book chapters.

Three PhD students at CEED successfully defended their PhD projects: **Nils C. Prieur**, **Pingchuan Tan** and **Thea H. Heimdal**

The Young Outstanding Scientist project *Platonic*, started in November, with P.I. **Tobias Rolf Mathew Domeier** was awarded the 2018 *Reusch Medal* from the Norwegian Geological Society

Adjunct Professor **Juan Carlos Afonso** received the *Early Career Scientist Award* from The International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics.

Anne Hope Jahren was elected as a *member of the Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters*.

Trond H. Torsvik and Robin Cocks received the *Prose award* for their book *Earth History and Paleogeography*.

Grace Shephard received the first *Else Raghild Neuman award for young female scientists* (shared with Anja Røyne, PGP-UiO)

Thea Heimdal received the CEED prize for young scientists.

International conference organized by CEED

CEED – No longer a teenager. The University Aula on the 1st of March, with international participants, organizers: C. Gaina and T-L. K. Gørbitz.

New Frontiers in Palaeogeography and Biogeography. 21st of September, the Geological Society, Burlington House, London. Organized by Conall Mac Niocaill (Oxford University), **Trond Torsvik** (University of Oslo) and David Harper (Durham University).

A **symposium to honour Else-Ragnhild Neumann**, the first female Professor in Geosciences in Norway. The Academy of Sciences, the 5th of December. Organizers: H. Svensen, C. Gaina and T-L. K. Gørbitz

Young CEED workshop: 14 inter-disciplinary early-career scientists from 12 nationalities and 8 university affiliations, Drøbak Norway 5-12 November. Organizers: F. Crameri, V. Magni, G. Shephard and M. Domeier,

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Centre for Earth Evolution and Dynamics (CEED) was officially opened on the 1st of March 2013. Our research includes the dynamics of tectonic plates and Earth history, convection in the mantle, structure of the deep Earth and the origin of mantle plumes and possible connections with large scale volcanism, climate changes through geological time, mass extinctions, and research on planets from our Solar System. To ensure that our scientific vision is effectively met, 2018 activities have been carried out mainly within six research themes, each lead by a Team leader :

The Deep Earth (Team leader Reidar Trønnes)

Earth Modelling (Team leader Clint Conrad)

The Dynamic Earth (Team leader Trond H. Torsvik)

Earth Crises (Team leader Henrik Svensen)

Earth and Beyond (Team leader Stephanie Werner)

Earth Laboratory (Team leader Pavel Doubrovine)

CEED members

37 Professors, Adjunct Pro-
fessors, Researchers and Re-
search Associates

19 Postdocs

12 PhD fellows

8 Technical-administrative
staff members

8 Master students

1 Professor emerita

In total:

76 paid staff members and
51,7 man-years representing
16 nationalities



*Above: **Mathew Domeier** is awarded the Reusch Medal 2018 by Øystein Nordgulen at NGF's Winter meeting, Bergen 8.1.2019. Photo: Gudmund Løvø/NGU*

*Right: **Stephanie C. Werner** became a full Professor and a permanent staff member at the Department of Geosciences in June 2018.*





GEO-DEEP9500 course in Svalbard - August 2018, safety instructions.

*The intensive course on **Arctic tectonics, volcanism and climate** was initiated by the RCN INTPART project NOR-R-AM (PI. C. Gaina), which brings together Arctic researchers from Norway, Russia, Canada and USA. The course was organized under CEED's National Research School DEEP's auspices. (See more on page 70). Photo: Eivind O. Strume*

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From the Director



On March 1st 2018 we have declared that CEED is no longer a teenager. Our research now is finding answers to some of the big questions we have asked back in 2011, when the SFF proposal was written. In the following, I will briefly present few examples from published and on-going CEED “break-through” research. The interested reader will find more in the present report and respective papers.

One of our fundamental questions is “Are the Large Low Velocity Provinces (**LLVP**) at the core mantle-boundary long-lasting features?” The Deep Earth team suggests that the two present-day topographic piles located antipodal on the core-mantle boundary under Africa and the Pacific, respectively, have formed before the final Basal Magma Ocean (BMO) solidification. Based on their recent silicate melts studies the team reached the conclusion that the spherical harmonics degree-2 convection pattern, characterizing the present Earth, was established well before the final BMO solidification, which allowed the dense cumulate material to have been swept into piles or layers at the root zones of the LLVPs (*Trønnes et al., 2018*)-see page 13. To shed more light on this issue, the Earth Modelling team investigated the LLVP material properties that will allow these piles to survive Giga years of mantle convection (*Heyn et al., 2018*). They showed that a viscosity increase related to composition can stabilize the piles and increase the mass retained in the structures. The potential increase in viscosity most likely results from interaction between the core and the Earth’s mantle during the magma ocean stage, which enriched the dense material in bridgmanite (*Trønnes et al., 2018*). CEED PhD student Heyn also shows that the pile edge changes its properties during interaction with subducted material, which can lead to the LLVP lateral move (few tens of kilometres) along the core-mantle boundary (CMB). The lateral extension of the pile causes a new plume to rise at the pile edge (page 25).

From Mesoproterozoic and Neoproterozoic paleogeographic reconstructions of Laurentia and Baltica (page 60), to the early Late Ordovician Iapetus Ocean (page 37), and to Eocene (page 34) and Miocene to Present-day examples (page 24) **SUBDUCTION** is a running theme through CEED’s 2018 activities and tackled by three CEED teams: Earth Laboratory, Dynamic Earth and Earth Modelling. Temporal fluctuations in subducted material along specific continental margins has been elegantly linked by *Domeier et al. (2018)* to changes in arc magmatism along those margins, by using the estimated zircon age frequencies. This study has been published in Nature Scientific Reports. *Hounslow, Domeier, and Biggin (2018)* have also found that changes in the global rate of subduction are linked with subsequent changes in the rate of geomagnetic reversals (page 59). These remarkable findings built upon several years spent by CEED researchers to diligently build a comprehensive Earth Model, and indeed they fulfill CEED’s ultimate goal to “demonstrate how mantle processes drive plate tectonics and trigger massive volcanism and associated environmental and climate changes throughout Earth history”.

Tackling the “climate change through Earth’s history, PhD Thea Heimdal (Earth Crises team) completed her doctoral dissertation in December 2018 on a topic linked to causes and consequences of one of the largest Large Igneous Province (**LIP**) – the Jurassic Central American Magmatic Province-CAMP. *Heimdal et al. (2018 and 2019)* findings support the

hypothesis that sill-epiorite interactions increased volatile release during the CAMP emplacement and suggests that also the sub-volcanic part of a LIP can be of major importance in driving climate change and mass extinctions (page 42).

Switching gears from Earth's climate to planetary climates, the Earth and Beyond team brings now compelling evidences that Mars's climate was warmer in its past. They have used numerical methods, experimental and remote sensing techniques to study the weathering profiles of Noachian surface of Mars (*Bultel et al., 2019* and *Krzesinska, A.M. et al, 2018*-see pages 49-50).

And as Water is the magic ingredient for having plate tectonics, climate and life on Earth and possibly on other planets, CEED is proudly introducing the **Water Planet** umbrella project that explores and develops water-related linkages among the CEED teams (page 62 and waterplanet.no). And to boost even more the CEED internal and external network, in 2018 we have established the **YoungCEED** "club" which conducted their first international workshop, on a theme dear to our center: Subduction Initiation (page 66).

Last, but not least, CEED established a Norwegian award for Early Career women in Geosciences. **The Else-Ragnhild Neumann award** honours the scientific contribution of Professor Else-Ragnhild Neumann who, in 1981, became the first female professor in Geosciences in Norway. Professor Emerita at CEED, Neumann, who turned 80 on 7th of December 2018, is still active and continues to publish about volcanism and links to mantle processes. We are proud that one of CEED researcher, Grace Shephard, has received the inaugural award together with Anja Røyne, a physicist and geoscientist from University of Oslo (pages 64-65).

I congratulate all my colleagues on their excellent 2018 activities and results! There are new exciting projects to be started in 2019: CEED will go to Greenland (the MAGPIE project), to Lake Baikal (the HOTMUD project), and virtually, to Europa, one of Jupiter's icy moons (the PLATONICS project). Looking forward to a great 2019!

2018 papers in high impact journals

Bold: CEED researcher, CEED young researcher*

***Domeier, Mathew; Magni, Valentina;** Hounslow, Mark W; **Torsvik, Trond. H.** Episodic zircon age distributions mimic fluctuations in subduction. Scientific Reports 2018, 8, Article number: 17471.

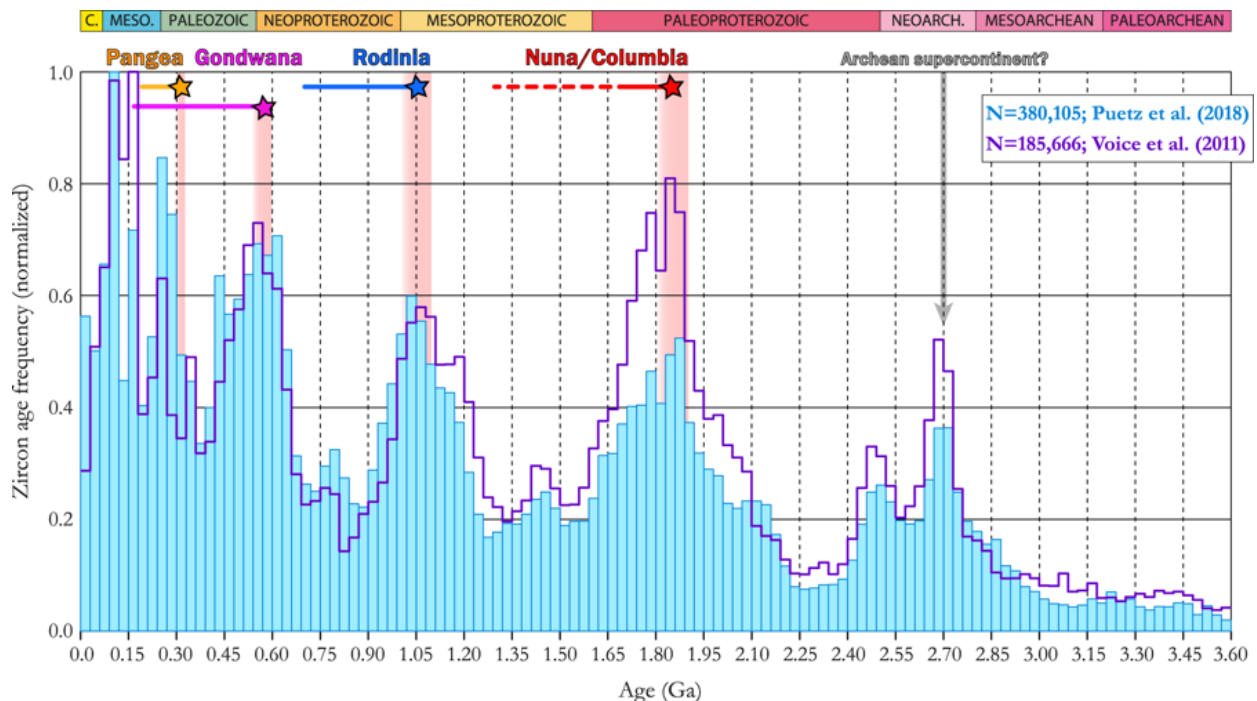
***Heimdal, Thea Hatlen; Svensen, Henrik;** Ramezani, Jahandar; Iyer, Karthik Herman; Pereira, Egberto; Rodrigues, René; **Jones, Morgan Thomas; Callegaro, Sara.** Large-scale sill emplacement in Brazil as a trigger for the end-Triassic crisis. Scientific Reports 2018 ; 8 (1), 141.

***Jamtveit, Bjørn;** Moulas, Evangelos; **Andersen, Torgeir Bjørge;** Austrheim, Håkon Olaf; Corfu, Fernando; Petley-Ragan, Arianne Juliette; Schmalholz, Stefan Markus. High Pressure Metamorphism Caused by Fluid Induced Weakening of Deep continental Crust. Scientific Reports 2018 ; 8. s. –

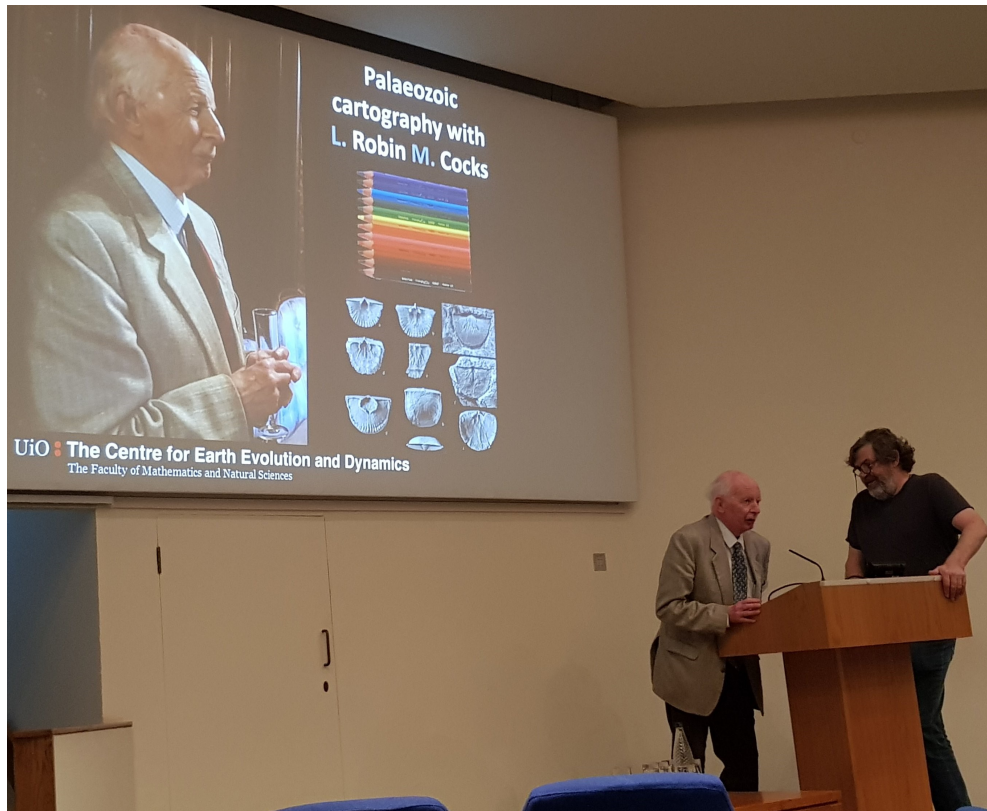
Karstens, Jens; Haflidason, Haflidi; Becker, Lukas; Berndt, Christian; Rüpke, Lars Helmuth; **Planke, Sverre;** Liebetrau, Volker; Schmidt, Mark; Mienert, Jürgen. Correction: Glaciogenic sedimentation pulses triggered post-glacial gas hydrate dissociation. Nature Communications, 2018; 9.(1).

Konrad, Kevin; Koppers, Anthony A.P.; **Steinberger, Bernhard;** Finlayson, Valerie A.; Konter, Jasper G.; Jackson, Matthew G.. On the relative motions of long-lived Pacific mantle plumes. Nature Communications 2018; 9.

***Spakman, Wim;** Chertova, Mariya V., Van Den Berg, Arie; van Hinsbergen, Douwe J J. Puzzling features of western Mediterranean tectonics explained by slab dragging. Nature Geoscience 2018 ; 11.(3) s. 211-216



*Episodic age distribution of zircons since 3.6 Ga. Blue (purple) histogram shows the age distribution of zircons in 30 Ma bins. Pink bars mark the estimated age of major supercontinent assembly events^{44,45}, and the duration of those continents is shown by the colored horizontal bars along the top of the panel. From **Domeier, Mathew; Magni, Valentina;** Hounslow, Mark W; **Torsvik, Trond. H.** Episodic zircon age distributions mimic fluctuations in subduction. Scientific Reports 2018, 8.*



From the conference «New Frontiers in Palaeogeography and Biogeography”, honouring Robin Cocks (left) - a long term collaborator of CEED), on the 21st of September, the Geological Society, Burlington House, London. Co-organized by Trond H. Torsvik (right).



1. Deep Earth: Materials, structure and dynamics

The Deep Earth Team continued in 2018 to explore the materials and structure of the outermost core and lowermost mantle. The recent realisation that the more compressible silicate melts become denser than the lower mantle minerals at pressures above 70-80 GPa, implies that such melts early would accumulate in the lower third of the mantle. Because the solidus (= temperature of initial partial melting) of peridotitic and basaltic mantle rocks are only 100-300 K above the present temperature of the outermost core, and because the mantle has cooled by less than 200-300 K during the last 3 Gy, the complete solidification of such a basal magma ocean (BMO) is likely to have taken at least 1-2 billion years. Chemical exchange between the metallic core and the BMO during the first 30-60 % of Earth's lifetime probably led to the current structure and dynamics of the core and the lower mantle. The efforts of the Deep Earth group are focussed on decoding various aspects of this exchange.

Terrestrial planet formation and core composition

The oxygen content of terrestrial (Earth-like) planetary bodies is too low to fully oxidise all of the other major elements. The abundant element iron, which may easily assume three main valence states, is the major component of the metallic cores of Mercury, Venus, Earth, Moon, Mars and Vesta (Trønnes *et al.* 2018). Figure 1.1 shows that the core fraction and the $\text{FeO}^{\text{mantle}}$ content are inversely related. The $\text{FeO}^{\text{mantle}}$ and oxygen fugacity increase with heliocentric distance from Mercury to Vesta. The metal separation and core segregation processes, as well as the resulting core composition, are governed by pressure, temperature and oxygen fugacity (oxygen activity). At high O-fugacity, S becomes increasingly siderophile (iron-loving) and at pressures below 15 GPa, corresponding to the early melting of the planetary embryo Mars and planetsimal Vesta, the ternary eutectics in the system Fe-O-S are close to the Fe-S join. Mars and Vesta have therefore S-rich cores (Trønnes *et al.*, 2018).

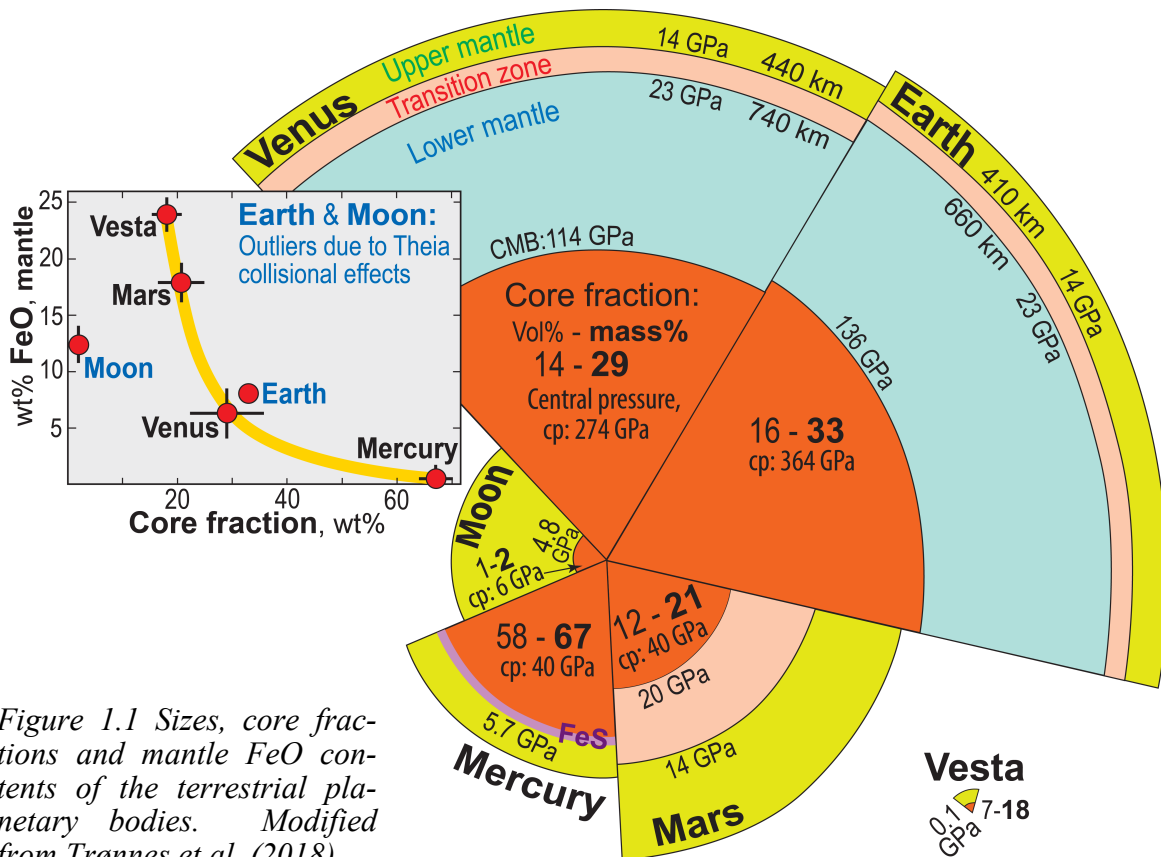


Figure 1.1 Sizes, core fractions and mantle FeO contents of the terrestrial planetary bodies. Modified from Trønnes *et al.* (2018),

Mercury accreted from extremely reduced materials, resulting in a very large core (67 wt%) with about 15 wt% Si and 1 wt% S, combined with a separate FeS-layer at the core-mantle boundary (CMB) and a S-rich mantle and crust. Although much of the Venus and Earth accretion was from similarly reduced material in the inner Solar system, they also received more oxidised materials. The accretion and metal separation from silicate magma oceans (MO) within these two large planets occurred at very high pressures and temperatures up to about 130 GPa and 5600 K (*Laneuville et al., 2018*). The high temperature would have driven the equilibrium $2\text{Fe}^{\text{core}} + \text{SiO}_2^{\text{MO}} = \text{Si}^{\text{core}} + 2\text{FeO}^{\text{MO}}$ towards the product (right) side, resulting in a high $f\text{O}_2$ combined with high Si in the core.

Core-BMO chemical exchange in Earth and Venus

Planetary cooling and slow solidification of a thermally insulated basal magma ocean (BMO) would reverse the equilibrium $2\text{Fe}^{\text{core}} + \text{SiO}_2^{\text{MO}} = \text{Si}^{\text{core}} + 2\text{FeO}^{\text{MO}}$ towards the reactant (left) side, favouring core-BMO chemical exchange. The FeO (and Fe_2O_3) components from the BMO would dissolve into the core alloy, in parallel with SiO_2 -crystallisation in the outer core and buoyant rise of the silica crystals into the BMO, followed by dissolution there. Figure 1.2. (next page) shows the silica liquidus surface at 136 GPa. Evidence for a non-convecting outermost core E'-layer with reduced density and seismic velocity, reviewed by e.g. *Brodholt and Badro (2017)* and *Trønnes et al. (2018)*, may represent a chemical trace of the core-BMO exchange. Modelling of a 445 km thick and chemically gradational E'-layer based on observed seismic velocity gradients (*Kaneshima, 2018*), using mineral physics properties of *Brodholt and Badro (2017)*, yields an outermost E'-layer with 0.4 wt% Si, 6.7 wt% O and a density deficit of 0.98% compared to the convecting core with 3.6 wt% Si and 3.0 wt% O (*Trønnes et al. 2018*). We performed mass balance modelling of the complementary chemical impact on a basal magma ocean of primitive peridotite composition, comprising 34 wt% (28 vol%) of the mantle. The results show that the bulk SiO_2 content increases from 44.9 to 48.7 wt% and the FeO content decreases from 8.04 to 1.8 wt% in the lower third of the mantle. The continuous SiO_2 -addition to and FeO-extraction from the BMO will buffer the Si/(Mg+Fe) ratio to a fairly high value and greatly prolong the period of crystallisation of MgSiO_3 -dominated bridgmanite cumulates, which today may be preserved as large refractory BEAMS (bridgmanite-enriched ancient mantle structures) or blobs (*Becker et al. 1999; Ballmer et al. 2017*).

The core-BMO exchange might have resulted in the 445 km thick, gradational and stagnant E'-layer of the outermost core (e.g. *Brodholt and Badro, 2017; Kaneshima 2018; Trønnes et al. 2018*). The low fluid viscosity, combined with the recent discovery of very high thermal conductivity, led *Hernlund & McNamara (2015)* to conclude that convective entrainment is unlikely to destroy such a gradational and stagnant layer. The rate of core-BMO chemical exchange would have decreased strongly during the development of the E'-layer. The modelled chemical E'-layer gradient of *Trønnes et al.* indicates that the outermost portion directly below the CMB with 0.37 wt% Si and 6.74 wt% O would be below the silica saturation level at 0.51 wt% Si for an O-content of 6.74 wt% (*Hirose et al. 2017*). Although there is still a chemical drive for FeO-dissolution into the outermost E'-layer (*Frost et al. 2010*), the slow solid-state diffusion in ferropericlase, and especially in bridgmanite, is strongly rate-limiting.

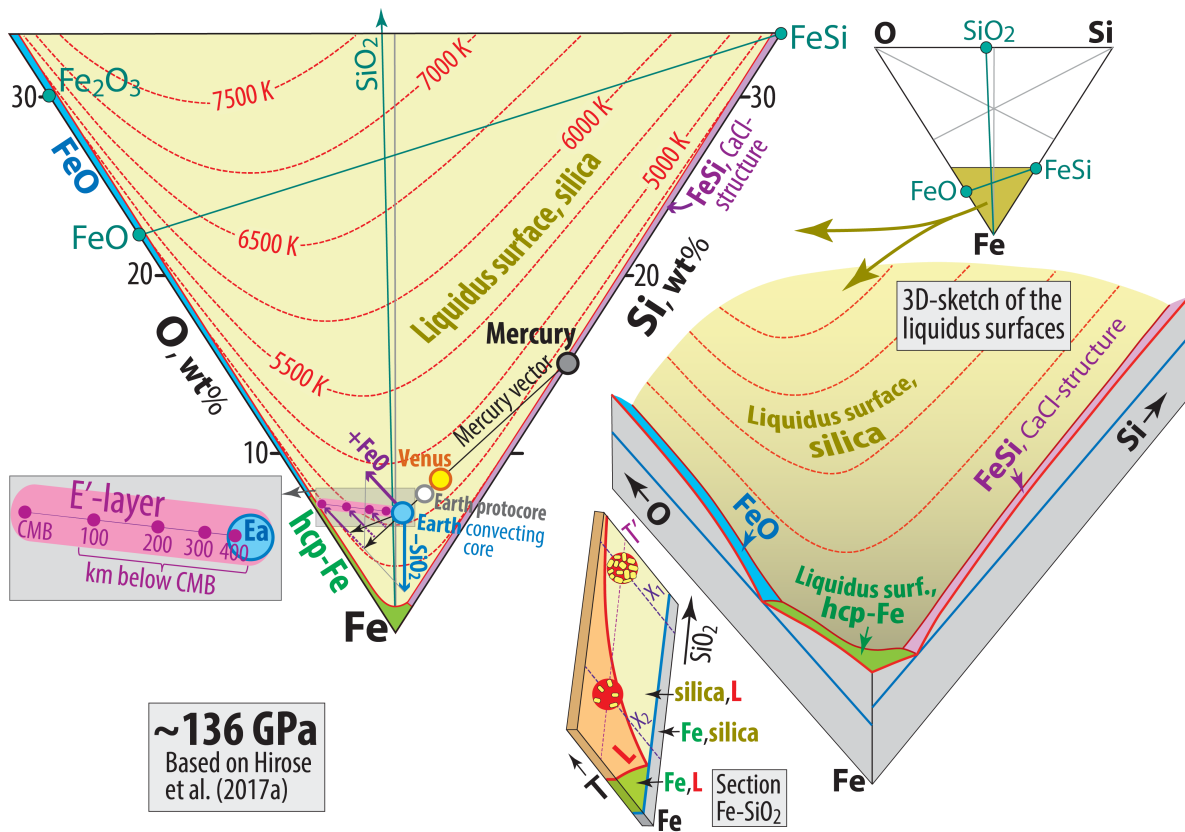


Figure 1.2. Liquidus phase relations in the Fe-rich part of the system Fe-Si-O at about 136 GPa modified from Hirose et al. (2017) and Trønnes et al. (2018). The upper panels show the liquidus phase relations and the core compositions of Mercury, Venus, Earth and Earth protocore composition. The E'-layer compositional gradient is shown by compositions at 0, 100, 200, 300 and 400 km below the CMB (see also left inset figure). The mass balance modelling involving Earth's protocore, current convecting core, E'-layer and the corresponding magma oceans is described in Trønnes et al. (2018). The lower panels include a three-dimensional perspective sketch of the liquidus surfaces (middle), a section along the Fe-rich part of the Fe-SiO₂ join (lower left). The lower left Fe-SiO₂ section illustrates the effect of aggregation of silica crystals on their stability and ability to survive during buoyant ascent through the core. At a temperature of T , silica crystals are stable in the "local" composition X_1 with high proportion of (aggregated) silica crystals. In contrast, pre-existing crystals are not stable and will tend to dissolve in the composition X_2 at the same pressure and temperature condition. hcp-Fe: hexagonally close-packed Fe.

Late-stage crystallisation and the structure of the D''-zone

The solidification of the last 5% of the BMO would increase the Fe/Mg ratio of the melt to such an extent that late-stage bridgmanite cumulates with about 16 mol% of the combined FeAlO₃ (FA) and FeSiO₃ (FS) components might have developed (*Trønnes et al. 2018*). At this a late stage, Ca-perovskite with a density similar to that of bridgmanite with 16 mol% FA+FA would crystallise and accumulate together. The partitioning coefficient $K_D = (\text{Fe/Mg})^{\text{bridgmanite}} / (\text{Fe/Mg})^{\text{melt}}$ decreases below 0.1 in the 80 to 136 GPa pressure range (e.g. *Tateno et al. 2014*), and the extremely Fe-rich melts would likely remain denser than the late-stage cumulates of bridgmanite with minor amounts of Ca-perovskite. We propose that the very last and dense bottom-mantle melts would have undergone simultaneous solidification and FeO-loss to the E'-layer, because the FeO-loss would also increase the solidus and liquidus. Late-stage bridgmanite-rich cumulates with 16 mol% FA+FA have a density excess corresponding to that observed for the lowermost 100-200 km of the two large low S-wave velocity provinces (LLSVPs), located antipodally under Africa and the Pacific.

Our working hypothesis is that the spherical harmonics degree-2 convection pattern, characterising the present Earth, was established well before the final BMO solidification. In that case, the dense cumulate material would immediately upon its formation have been swept into piles or layers at the root zones of the LLSVPs.

New projects

In November and December 2018 we initiated three new projects aimed at improved insights into the structure, materials and dynamics of the lower mantle and outermost core. The compositional nature and origin of the lower mantle and outermost core structure are the main focus of this research. In addition to the new projects mentioned briefly below, we are also involved in collaboration with other CEED groups to evaluate the structure and stability of the LLSVPs in the D''-zone and the other more elusive structures in the middle parts of the lower mantle.

Silica phase transitions in the lowermost mantle and the core. We extend our preliminary atomistic simulations on the β -stishovite to seifertite transition in pure SiO₂, occurring in the lowermost mantle, to the additional seifertite to pyrite-structured silica transition, occurring well inside the core. The uncertainties associated with these two transitions are large, and better constraints on their locations and Clapeyron slopes are essential to understand the densification of subducted oceanic crust in the D''-zone, as well as the silica liquidus surface in the system Fe-Si-O through the pressure range of the core.

The silica liquidus surface for selected compositions in the system Fe-Si-O through the core pressure range. In order to constrain the conditions for silica crystallisation in the core during the Hadean and Archean, we will extend the preliminary experimental results of *Hirose et al. (2017)* to the entire core pressure range. As a starting point we plan to use the convecting core compositional estimate of *Trønnes et al. (2018; 3.6 wt% Si, 3.0 wt% O)*, comparing the energies of coexisting alloy and either seifertite or pyrite-type phases of pure SiO₂ at a range of p-T-conditions. Such data are essential to determine the feasibility of core-BMO chemical exchange and the development of the E' layer.

Solidification of the BMO and generation of early refractory and late-stage Fe-rich cumulates. The BMO solidification accompanied by core-BMO chemical exchange will be investigated by a combination of mass balance modelling and density calculations for a range of mineral and melt compositions, using first principles atomistic simulations, as well as the

BurnMan software. This project will contribute new constraints on the compositional nature and origin of LLSVPs, early refractory domains, and possibly also on the thin ultra-low velocity zones directly above the CMB.

Activities in seismology in 2018

Tomography of southeast China

A new tomographic technique based on beamforming of ambient noise was developed by V. Maupin (CEED) in cooperation with prof. Laiyu Lu and his PhD student Kaiming Wang from the Institute of Geophysics, Earthquake China Administration in Beijing. Kaiming Wang visited CEED from September 2017 to September 2018 and Prof. Lu visited for two months in August and September 2018. The new methodology has been applied to data from the seismological array ChinArray II with particular emphasis on the structure of the lower crust in Tibet and southeastern China (Figure 1.3). The particularly low crustal velocities we image in the Tibetan area with thickest crust is an important element to constrain the geodynamical models of the evolution of this area. In addition to this noise-based tomography, we have pursued our collaboration with Prof. Lu on the analysis of the ellipticity of the earthquake-generated Rayleigh waves in the ChinArray dataset, in view of constraining anisotropy and heterogeneity of the area (*Wang, Lu, Maupin, Ding, Zheng and Zhong in prep*).

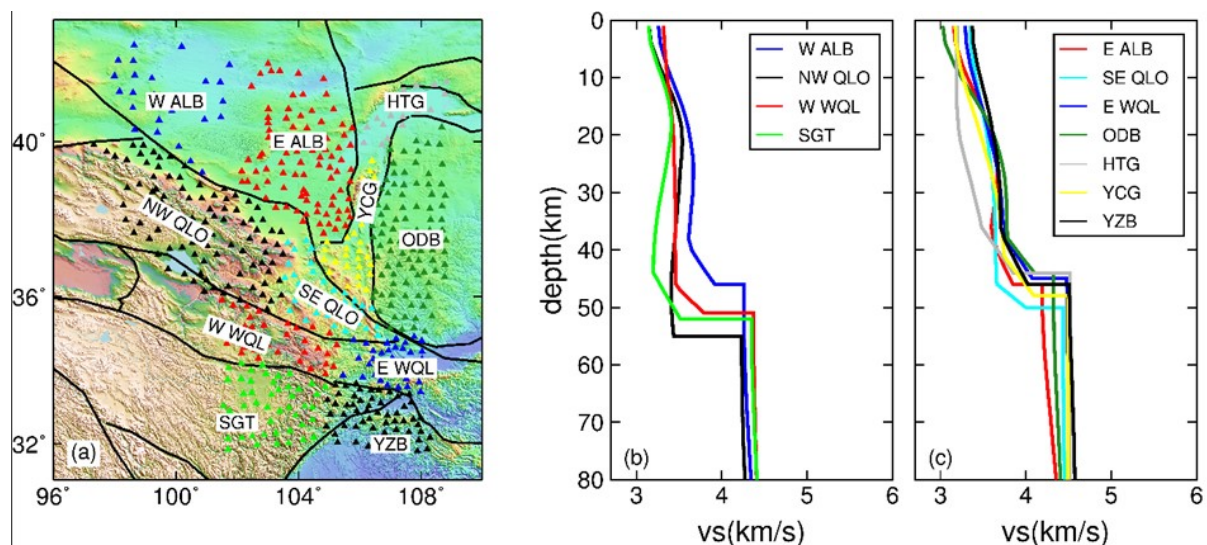


Figure 1.3. Seismic S-wave velocity in the crust in different tectonic provinces of Southeastern China. The triangles on the map show the location of the seismological stations used in this study.

Glacial seismicity at Kronebreen, Svalbard

In cooperation with Andreas Kohler and Chris Nuth from the Geography and Hydrology section from the Department of Geosciences, we have grouped in different types and studied the temporal distribution of icequakes at Holtedalonna, located on the Kronebreen glacier in Svalbard. Glacial seismicity provides important insights into glacier dynamic processes. Using data from a single three-component seismometer installed on the glacier between April and August 2016, we investigated sources for observed icequake groups using polarization analysis and waveform modeling. Three examples of earthquake group data and modeling

are shown in Figure 1.4. Processes responsible for different icequake categories are suggested, near-surface crevasse opening through brittle failure generating being the dominant icequake type. Bursts of high-frequency signals presumably caused by repeated near-surface fracturing during glacier fast-flow episodes, events related to resonance in water-filled cracks and a few deep icequakes probably caused by processes at the glacier bed are also observed.

The Kongsberg Seismological network

Eight seismological stations were granted in 2018 by the Norwegian Broadband Pool Consortium for our Kongsberg project, that aims at studying the structure of the crust, in particular Moho topography, in a radius of about 50 km around the permanent KONO station in Kongsberg. The stations were installed in April 2018 in cooperation with NORSAR and will stay in the field for two years. This will address specifically the structure of the crust at the border of the Oslo Graben but the stations are also used for other purposes, as better location of the

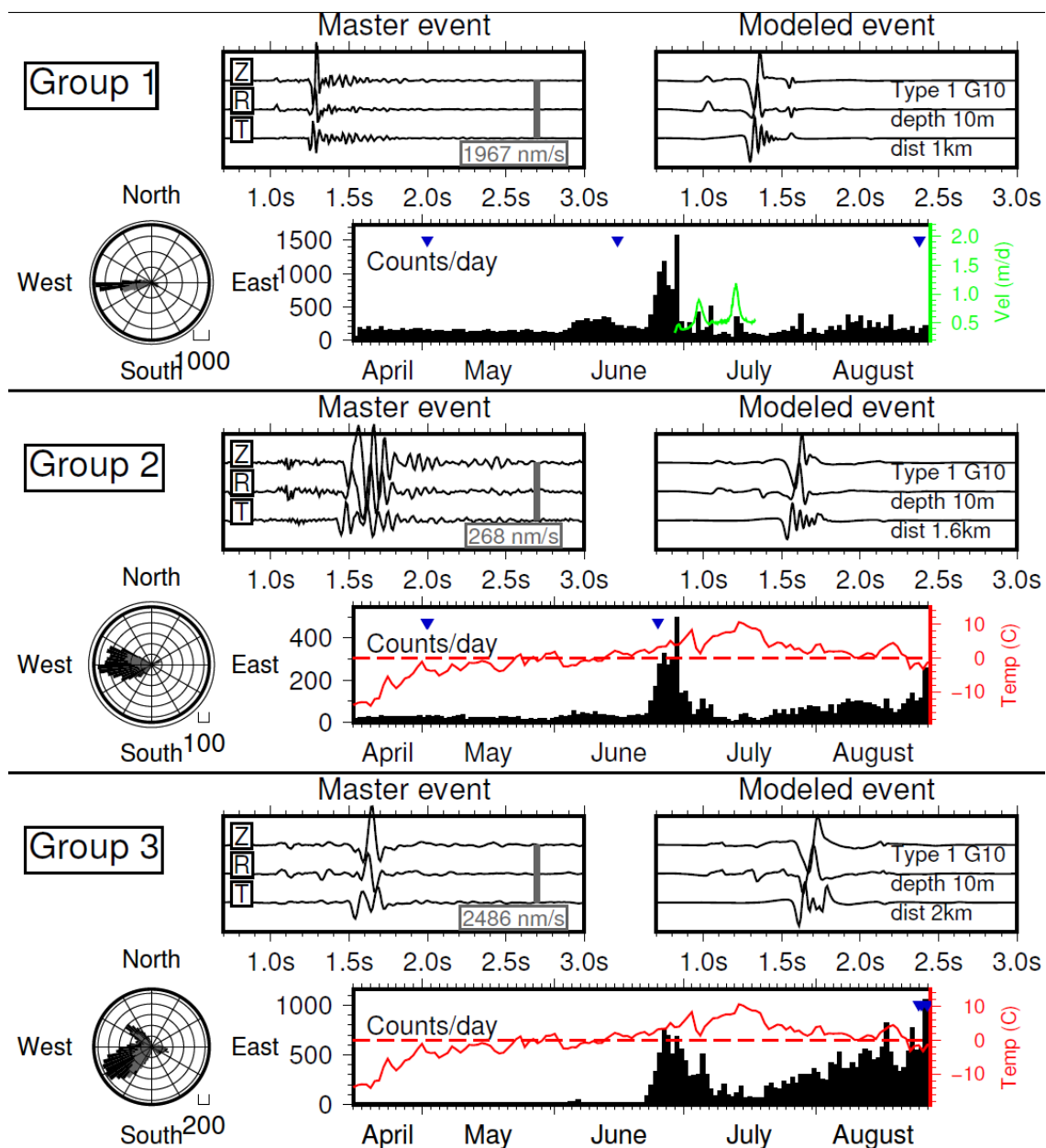


Figure 1.4. A characteristic data example, modelled waveform, azimuthal distribution from the Holtedalfonna seismometer and temporal distribution for three groups of icequakes.

seismicity in southern Norway. This Kongsberg project is part of a larger seismological temporary network installed in cooperation with the University of Aarhus and Uppsala University in southern Scandinavia. We assisted Aarhus University in testing 5 broadband Ocean Bottom Seismometers (OBS) in Norwegian waters in the Skagerrak from November 2017 to August 2018. Complementing the OBS by land stations in Denmark, Norway and Sweden, we will address some scientific questions regarding in particular the continuation of the Tornquist Zone northwards and the structure of the Oslo Graben. A more specific reason for having additional stations around Kongsberg is to try to identify the cause for an anomalous arrival in the receiver functions at KONO for events with backazimuth from about 0 to 90 degrees. This arrival, detected by Marianne Kolstrup during her PhD thesis, leads to unrealistically low mantle velocities if interpreted in a classical way with a 1D structure of the lithosphere. We suspect 3D effects. Additional data from stations in a radius of 50 km would help identify the reason for this arrival. The scientific outcome is both a better model of the structure and sharpness of boundaries at the border of the Oslo Graben, and quantifications of 3D effects that can be mistaken for low-velocities zones in the lithosphere.

We have been active in the infrastructure EPOS project that will contribute to better monitoring of the Arctic regions and to better exchange of data for multidisciplinary research by organizing workshops and meetings with several Norwegian institutions.

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Reidar Trønnes explaining details of the Oslo rift evolution observed at Krokkleiva. From the Oslo rift excursion in June 2018.



2. Earth Modelling: Numerical Models of Earth Dynamics

The Earth Modelling Team employs a variety of modeling techniques to understand the geodynamics of Earth's lithosphere and mantle, with an overall goal toward deciphering the relationship between mantle dynamics, plate tectonics, and the Earth's surface environment over Earth history. In 2018 the group was active in a wide variety of projects involving the interaction of plate tectonics with mantle flow over Earth history, the factors controlling the rise of plumes from the LLSVP edges, dragging of slabs in the mantle, the global-scale cycling of water between the oceans and the mantle, the impact of viscosity anisotropy on plate motions, and the mantle's influence on present-day true polar wander. In addition, we contributed to model development and scientific visualization for geodynamics.

In 2018 the Earth Modelling team has made significant progress both deepening and broadening the scope of our activities. We are now developing models of earth processes operating throughout the entire mantle (core-mantle boundary to the surface), and across timescales ranging from billions of years to the past century. Below is a brief synopsis of our most important 2018 activities. We are looking forward to more exciting results coming in 2019!

Ocean Plate Tectonics

Years of study of dynamic links between Earth's surface and its deep interior (e.g., *Crameri & Lithgow-Bertelloni 2018*) have demonstrated that comprehending Earth evolution and dynamics requires a fundamental understanding of whole mantle-convection. This understanding begins with the fascinating dynamic earmark of

our planet, the oceanic plate. Postdoc Fabio Crameri and Professor Clint Conrad and their colleagues have published an extensive review about the dynamic life of the oceanic plate from its formation, through its cooling stage, all the way to its destruction (*Crameri et al., 2018*). In an effort to foster clear communication between the different geoscientific communities involved in the study of the oceanic plate, they presented a new concept, Ocean-Plate Tectonics (Figure 2.1), which clearly describes the dynamics of the oceanic plate as an intimate part of whole mantle convection (*Crameri 2018b*).

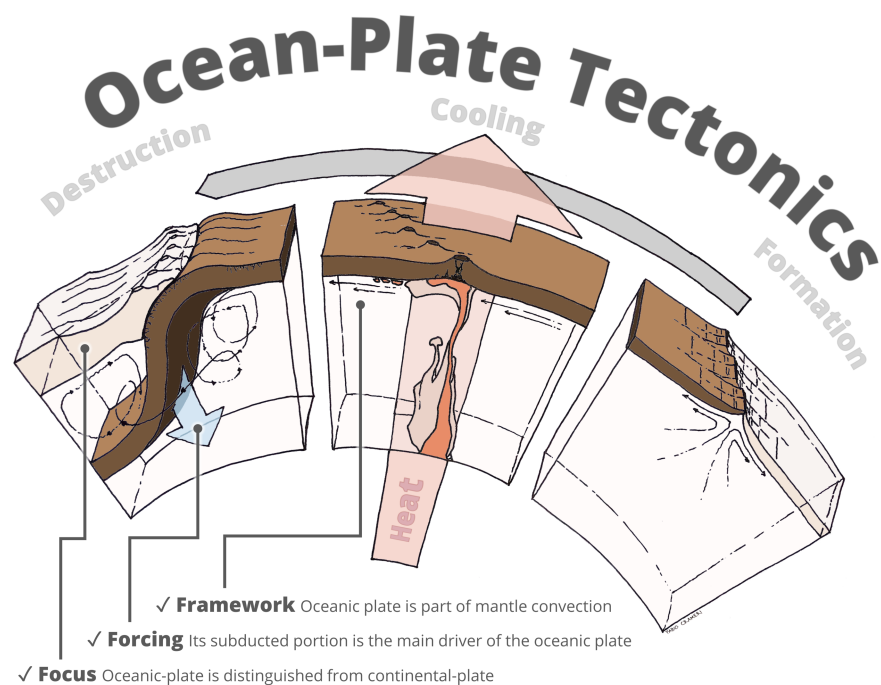


Figure 2.1. Ocean-Plate Tectonics is the concept that describes not only the horizontal surface motion of the oceanic plate (grey arrow), but also (i) highlights the pull from its subducted portion as the main driver (blue arrow), (ii) distinguishes the oceanic plate (dark brown) from its continental counterpart, (iii) acknowledges the plate–mantle coupling that induces characteristic regional mantle-flow patterns (black flow lines), and (iv) describes the dynamics of the oceanic plate as part of the larger framework of global mantle convection that transports heat out of the interior (light-red arrow).

The Breakup of Pangea Caused Mantle Water Regassing and Sea Level Drop

The last part of the breakup of Pangea (~ 150 Ma) involved opening the South Atlantic Ocean, through the birth of the mid-Atlantic ridge. This massive new ridge-system caused a doubling of the total ridge-system's length over a short period of time. According to recent plate reconstruction models, the creation of the new ridge system was not compensated by the initiation of new subduction zones, but instead by a dramatic increase in convergence velocity for already active trenches. This led to a period of rapid subduction of old oceanic lithosphere around the remnants of Earth's last supercontinent (Figure 2.2). This is important because PhD student Krister Karsen has shown that the amount of water that slabs can transport into the deep mantle depends strongly on both the velocity and age of the down-going plate. Together with Professor Clint Conrad and CEED Postdoc Valentina Magni, Karlsten has shown that this “rift pulse” of Pangea breakup was likely associated with a dramatic sea level fall of up to ~100 m, as rapid subduction transported water from the oceans into the mantle interior (Karlsten *et al.*, *in review*).

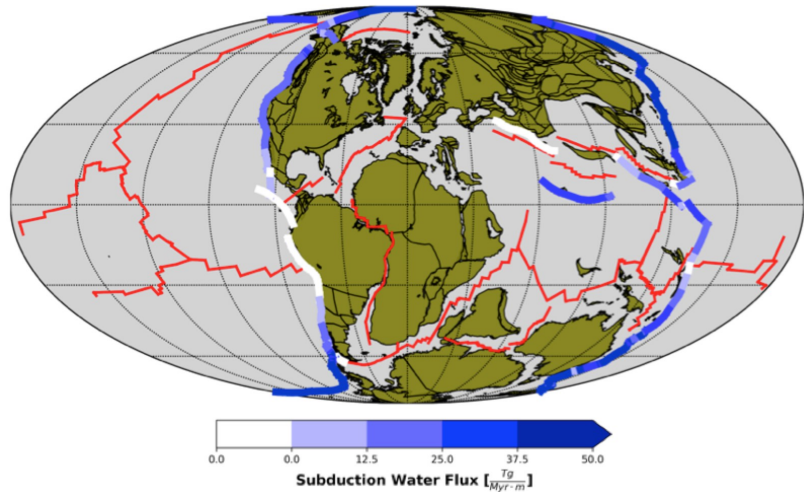


Figure 2.2. Reconstructed map of 130 Ma showing ridges (red) and the deep water flux at subduction zones (blue colors).

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Mantle flow contributes large fraction of 20th century polar motion

Different processes may contribute to the geodetically observed polar motion in the last century. Environmental mass changes of glaciers and ice sheets, oceans, groundwater and reservoirs, and the resulting polar motion component (green ellipse in Figure 2.3, left), as well as the small contribution due to earthquakes (yellow circle), can be quantified relatively well but mismatch the actual rate of motion. Previously, this difference has often been attributed to glacial isostatic adjustment (GIA). A new

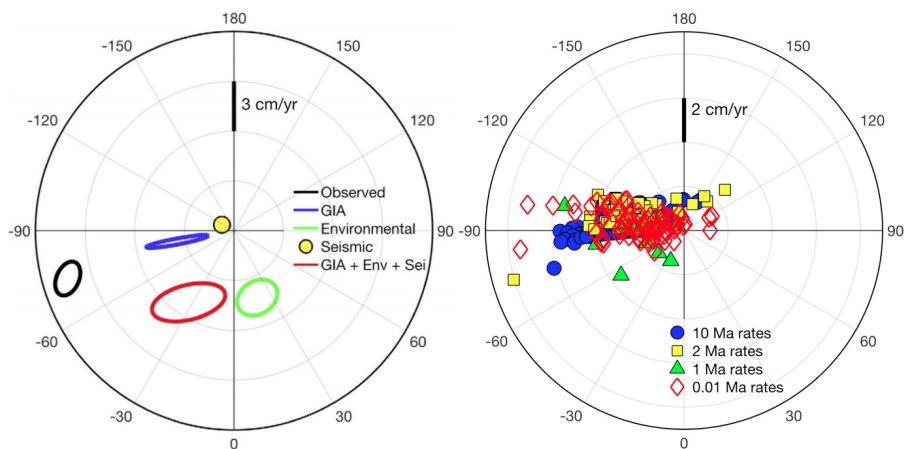


Figure 2.3. Left: Three different contributions to 20th century polar motion and their sum (red ellipse), compared to observed polar motion (black ellipse). Here we address whether the difference can be due to mantle convection. Right: Mantle contribution inferred from subduction history (10 Ma and 2 Ma rates; Steinberger *et al.*, 2017), or from density anomalies derived from seismic tomography and associated flow (1 Ma and 0.01 Ma rates).



Bayesian analysis, which takes the background long-term triaxiality of Earth's inertia tensor into account, yields this GIA contribution (blue ellipse). While in the right direction, the GIA contribution likely explains less than half of the difference, with large uncertainty. Professor Bernhard Steinberger and colleagues examined whether polar wander predictions from mantle flow models can explain the remaining discrepancy. They found that polar motion from present-day mantle flow averages about 3 cm/yr in a direction towards $\sim 90^\circ\text{W}$ (Adhikari *et al.*, 2018), which agrees within (rather large) uncertainties with true polar wander over the past 2-10 Myr derived from paleomagnetic data (Figure 2.3, right). The direction agrees almost exactly with the remaining discrepancy between the black and red ellipses. The amplitude explains about half of the difference on average, and all of it for some models.

Long-Wavelength Dynamic Topography is Smaller than Expected

Stresses from mantle convection deflect Earth's surface vertically, producing dynamic topography that is important for continental dynamics and sea-level change but difficult to observe due to overprinting by isostatic topography. Mantle flow models predict that for the longest wavelengths ($\sim 10^4$ km) this topography may be up to about 1 km in amplitude, with topographic highs supported by mantle upwelling beneath Africa and the Pacific (Figure 2.4, bottom). This pattern of dynamic topography should cause both the Mid-Atlantic ridge and the East Pacific Rise to be asymmetric (Figure 2.4, top), with steeper slopes on the South American flank of these ridges. Professor Clint Conrad contributed to a study (Watkins & Conrad, 2018) that analysed bathymetry surrounding these ridges, and found that both ridges are indeed tilted toward South America, but with asymmetries that are consistent with only 500 m of long-wavelength dynamic topography, or about half what is predicted by most

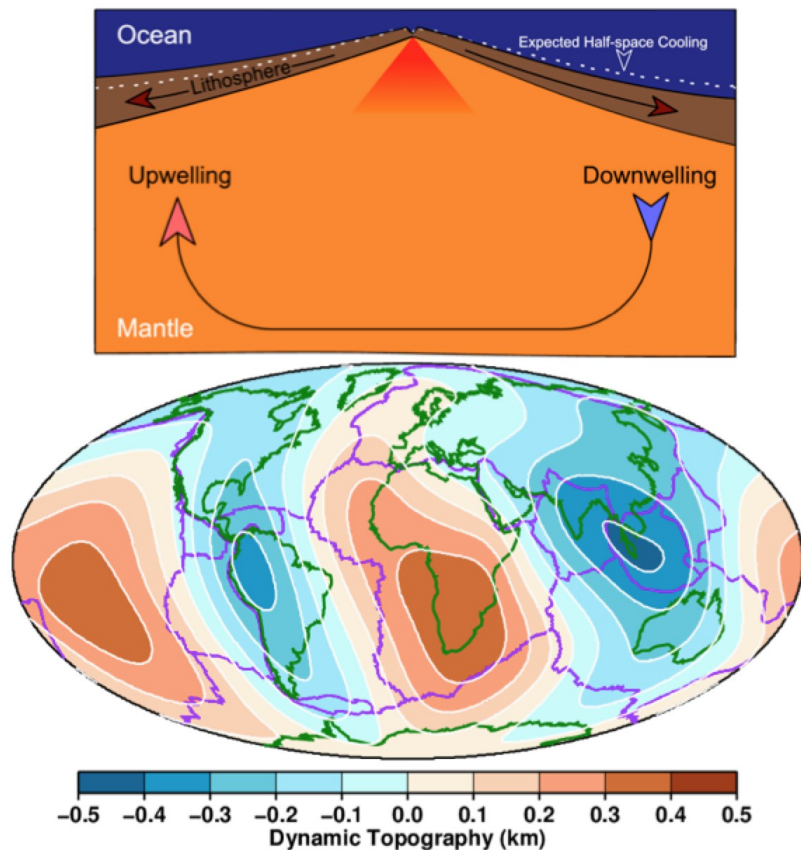


Figure 2.4. A ridge system becomes topographically asymmetric if mantle flow causes dynamic subsidence on one side of the ridge and dynamic uplift on the other (top). Numerical mantle flow models predict that this dynamic topography should cause both the East Pacific Rise and the Mid-Atlantic Ridge to be asymmetric (bottom). Bathymetric constraints for these two ridges suggest long-wavelength dynamic topography with amplitudes of ~ 0.5 km, which is about half the amplitude predicted by mantle flow models.

mantle flow models. This conclusion is supported by a second study (Steinberger *et al.*, 2018) by Professor Bernhard Steinberger, which shows that spectral analysis of residual topography indeed shows smaller amplitudes for the longest wavelengths (mostly spherical harmonic degree 2) compared to mantle flow models. It is possible that thermochemical mantle convection models may help to explain this discrepancy.

Viscosity anisotropy in the asthenospheric mantle

The movement of the tectonic plates is the most observable expression of mantle dynamics. For plates in the Pacific basin, plate movement is mainly driven by slab pull toward subduction zones and resisted by deformation of the underlying asthenosphere. This means that viscous shear of the asthenosphere determines the velocity of a plate. This shear also tends to orient olivine grains into a lattice preferred orientation (LPO). Laboratory experiments show that it is difficult to shear olivine across the LPO, which suggests that anisotropic viscosity in the asthenosphere may impede changes in plate motions. Postdoc Ági Kiraly has been examining the implications of this anisotropic viscosity by combining a micro-mechanical deformation model with a texture development model for a simple plate system that assumes shear deformation within an asthenospheric layer made of equal-sized olivine grains.

By first imposing shear deformation driven by motion of a rigid lithosphere with a driving force acting on one side, and then changing the direction of the driving force (Figure 2.5), we examine the impact of anisotropic viscosity on plate motions. We find that although the amplitude of the driving force is not changed, the plate velocity decreases after the change in direction because the mantle is now forced to shear at an angle relative to the olivine LPO. The amplitude this plate velocity change, and the time it needs to recover its original velocity, depends on the duration and angle over which the driving force is changed. These results may be extremely important for understanding the time-dependent history of plate motions (Kiraly *et al.*, 2018)

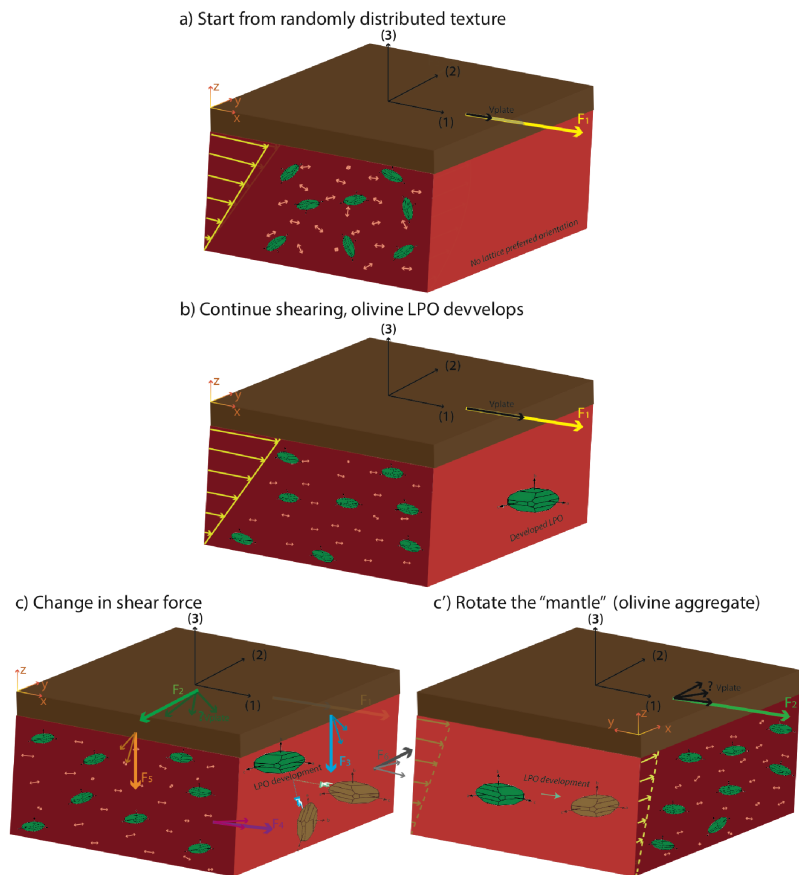


Figure 2.5. Our model starts with an initially random texture (a) that is then sheared to create an LPO texture in the asthenosphere (b). The direction of the shear force is then changed (c) and the viscous response of the model is then measured in terms of a new plate velocity and a newly developing texture. In practice, we rotate the fabric and keep the force direction the same (c').



Slab dragging and slab morphology evolution

In the current subduction paradigm, the *surface motion* of the subducting plate contributes to the sinking slab by plate motion *perpendicular* to the subduction trench. Professor Wim Spakman and colleagues recently discovered a new, potentially globally-governing, role of subducting plate motion as a driver of lateral transport of entire subduction systems (*Spakman et al., 2018*). This transport is called “slab dragging” and denotes slab transport in the direction of the local absolute motion of the subducting plate in the mantle reference frame. By integrating 3-D numerical modelling of subduction evolution with observations from geology, mantle tomography and geodesy, Spakman and co-workers inferred slab dragging to the NNE of the east-dipping Gibraltar slab at a rate of 7-8 mm/yr by NNE African plate motion. Slab dragging is resisted by the viscous mantle, which may impact tectonic evolution at the surface as well as slab morphology and subduction zone evolution. Spakman’s group demonstrated large slab deformation resulting from viscous coupling between slab and mantle (*Chertova et al., 2018*) by numerically modelling the impact of a trench-parallel mantle wind of 30 mm/yr (Figure 2.6). This is comparable to slab dragging by 30 mm/yr in the opposite direction for a mantle that is not moving. Such a large rate of trench-parallel slab dragging was discovered by Spakman’s group for the Tonga-Kermadec slab, well-known for its strong slab-strike parallel deformation (*van de Lagemaat et al., 2018*). Lateral transport of slabs has been largely overlooked since the advent of plate tectonics and may be a globally occurring process with potentially large impact on subduction evolution.

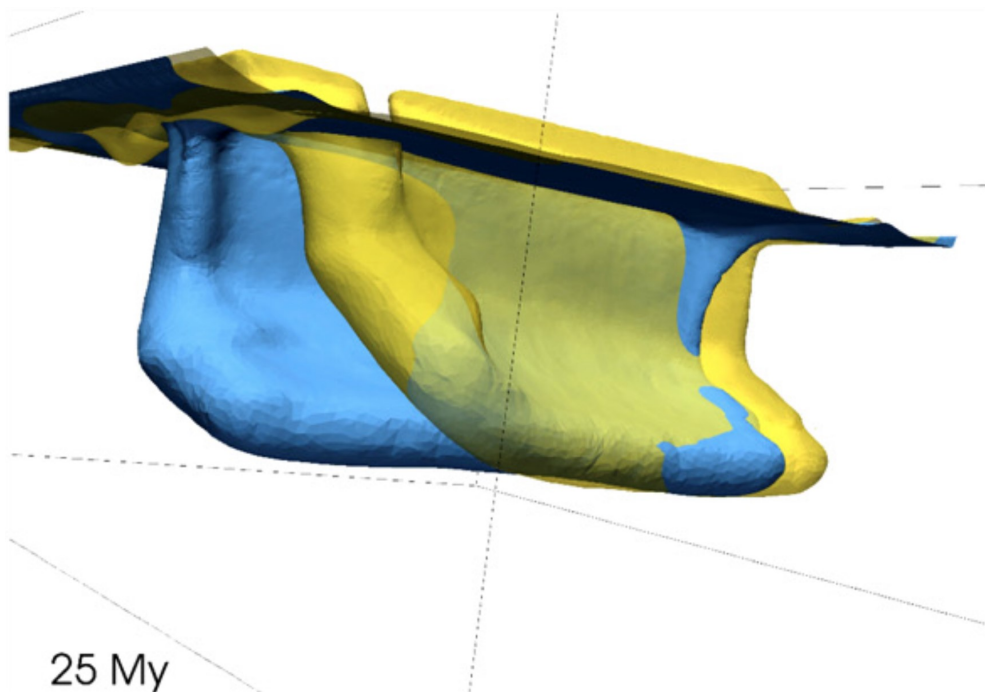


Figure 2.6. The effect on slab morphology of a uniform trench-parallel ‘mantle wind’ (30 mm/yr, entering through left). Blue slab: morphology of a 1400 km wide slab after 25 My of roll-back without mantle wind; Yellow slab: morphology after 25 My of trench-parallel mantle wind. (from: *Chertova et al., 2018*)

LLSVP survival and dynamics.

The large low shear velocity provinces (LLSVPs) are a dominant feature within tomographic images of the lowermost mantle, but their origin and evolution are not well understood. The most likely explanation of these regions is a dense and compositionally different material that forms hot thermochemical piles. Based on numerical models, PhD student Björn Heyn investigated the requirements for such a material to survive 4.5 Ga of mantle convection (Heyn *et al.*, 2018). This study shows that a viscosity increase related to composition can stabilize the piles and increase the mass retained in the structures. The potential increase in viscosity most likely results from interaction between the core and the Earth's mantle during the magma ocean stage, which enriched the dense material in bridgmanite (Trønnes *et al.*, 2018).

Building on these observations, Heyn investigated the interaction between the pile edge and the ambient mantle in more detail. The pile edge plays an important role not only for entrainment of dense material, but also for plume generation. As shown in Figure 2.7, the pile edge moves a few tens of kilometres laterally along the core-mantle boundary (CMB) with time. This periodic movement is caused by compaction and thickening of the pile due to push of the subducted slab along the CMB, followed by a gravitational collapse of the pile as the upper part of the pile loses some of its heat. The lateral extension of the pile causes a new plume to rise at the pile edge.

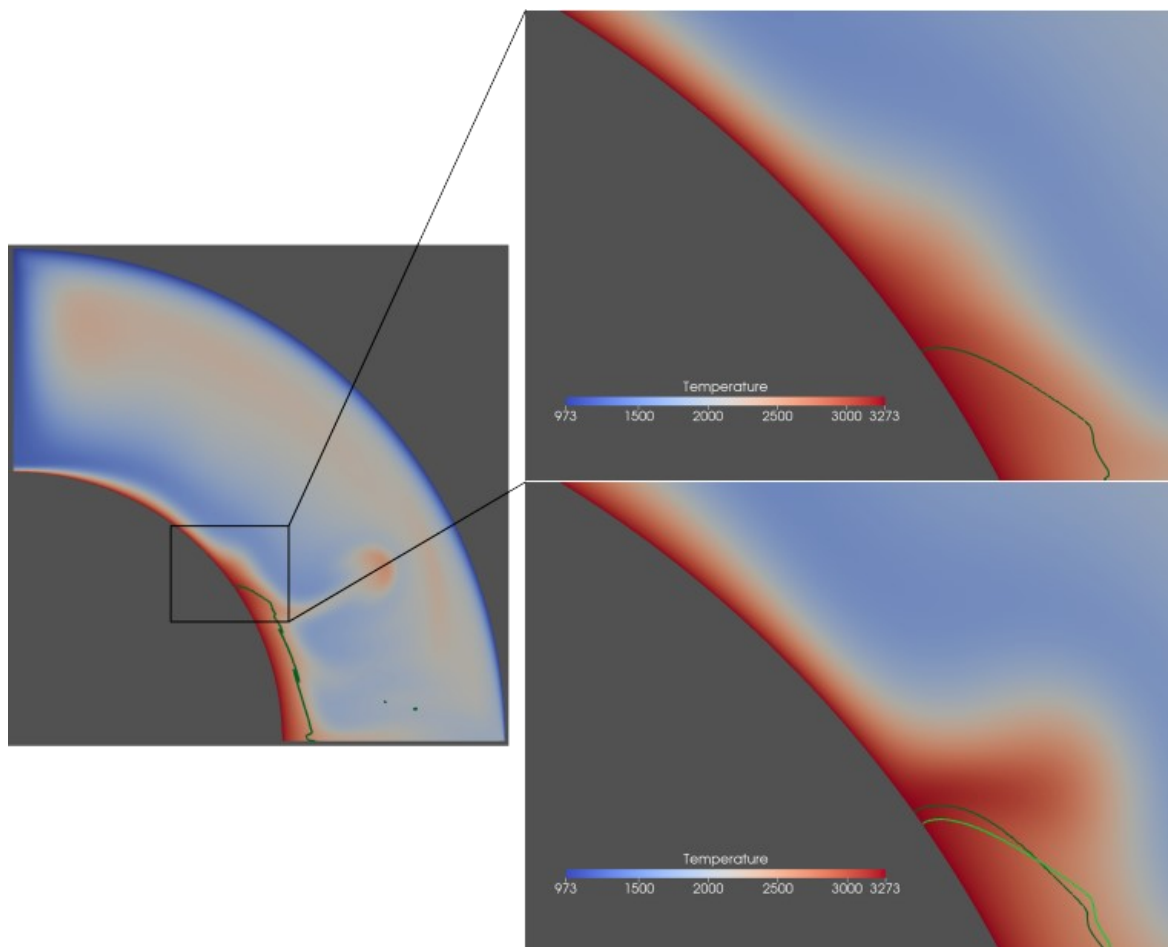


Figure 2.7. Snapshots of the temperature field at two different time steps with the pile outline marked by the dark green line. Left: the temperature field for the whole domain. Zoom-ins are shown for the pile before the collapse (top right) and during the collapse and associated triggering of the plume (bottom right). For comparison, the pile outline of the top right panel is shown in light green.



Geodynamic Modelling, Reproducibility, and Visualization

The Earth Modelling group has contributed significantly to development and visualization of geodynamic models, and the philosophy behind their use within the scientific community. For example, postdoc Fabio Crameri provides the scientific community with state-of-the-art open-access post-processing software. This includes a novel and unique set of scientific colour maps (Figure 2.8) that prevent perceptual data distortion and are inclusive for readers with colour-vision deficiencies. This suite of colour maps has been made publicly available and is widely adopted (Crameri, 2018c). It also forms, together with an extensive set of fully automated geodynamic diagnostics, the core functionality of the post-processing software StagLab 3.0 (Crameri, 2018d). Both the Scientific Colour Maps 4.0 and StagLab 3.0 are now published (Crameri, 2018a). Finally, PhD student Krister Karlsen has publicized the importance of research reproducibility for the geodynamic modelling community, and has provided tips for making computational model results reproducible by others (Karlsen, 2018).



Figure 2.8. Scientific Colour-Maps are (i) perceptually uniform, (ii) perceptually ordered, (iii) colour-vision-deficiency friendly, (iv) readable in black-and-white, and (v) provided in all major file formats

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3. Dynamic Earth: Plate motions and Earth history

The Dynamic Earth Team explores plate motions and Earth history in the framework of Plate Tectonics and the Wilson Cycle. The Team is divided into three working groups (WGs), one focussing on passive margins and basin evolution (WG1: Integrated Basin and Lithospheric Studies), a second addressing continents adrift, oceanic basin formation and climate (WG2: Oceanic Basins and Climate Changes) whilst the third working group focus on subduction and collision but also old margins now variable preserved in the mountain belts (WG3: Margins and orogeny). Collectively these WGs cover the entire Wilson Cycle from Wilson kick-off through continents adrift to subduction and terminal collision. The Dynamic Earth Team strongly collaborates with the other CEED Teams and international collaborators in exploring links between plate tectonics, intra-plate volcanism and deep Earth dynamics. In 2018, Dynamic Earth members and their collaborators published 38 articles.

Working Group 1: Integrated Basin and Lithospheric Studies

In 2018, this working group and their collaborators published 13 papers mainly focused on the North Atlantic, Barents Sea and High Arctic regions. In these studies, structures and processes at lithospheric, crustal and basin scales are linked to constrain basin/margin evolution. Our published results in 2018 are divided in the following three main areas/topics.

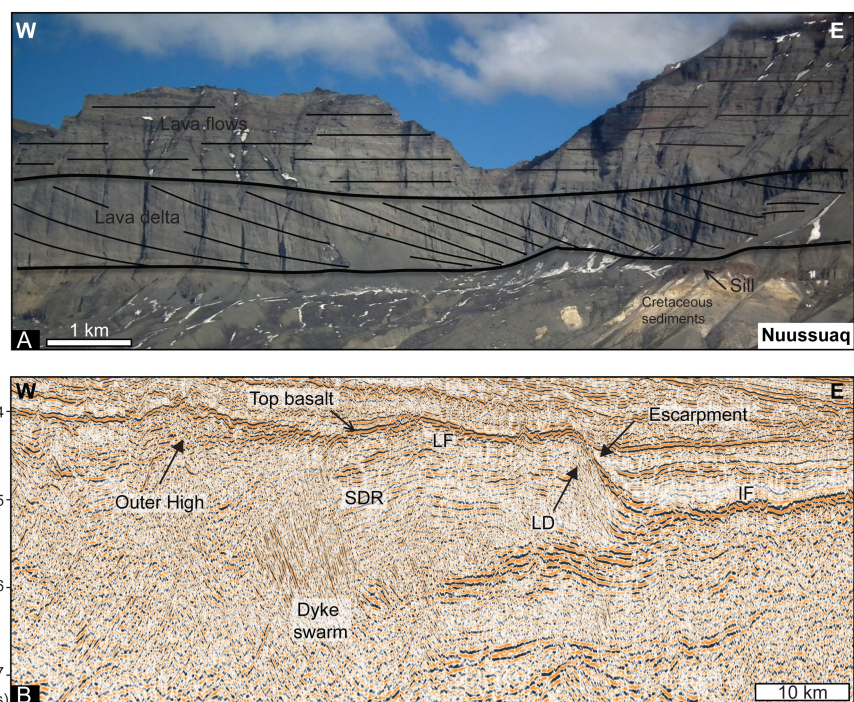
The North Atlantic

The Abdelmalak *et al.* (2018) paper (Figure 3.1) presents a summary of the NW Atlantic tectonomagmatic evolution covering the Labrador Sea, Davis Strait and Baffin Bay areas. The work is based on integrated analysis of extensive new

seismic, gravity, and magnetic datasets, complemented by seabed samples and field work. Breakup-related igneous rocks were emplaced during several Paleogene events associated with lithospheric stretching, continental breakup, and the formation of new oceanic basins. Plate reconstructions and basalt geochronology suggest that the majority of the volcanism in the NW Atlantic occurred between ~62 and ~58 Ma, associated with an increased spreading

Figure 3.1 A: Volcanic rocks seen in outcrops in the Nuussuaq area in West Greenland. A lava delta unit of foreset-bedded hyaloclastites is overlain by thick horizontal lava flows.

B: Seismic line from the northern Labrador Sea off SW Greenland showing a wedge of seaward-dipping reflectors (SDR). A dyke swarm feeder system cross-cut the SDR wedge. A lava delta (LD) forming an escarpment separates the landward flows (LF) from the inner flows (IF). Seismic data courtesy of TGS. From Abdelmalak *et al.* (2018).



rate in the Labrador Sea, starting from the onset of the Selandian (~61.6 Ma). A change in the spreading direction during the Eocene (~56 Ma), synchronously with a shift of volcanic activity from the NW to the NE Atlantic, corresponds to a northward drift of Greenland and the initiation of the Eurekan Orogeny. Our interpretations reveal a complex rift configuration along the NW Atlantic conjugate margins both prior to and during breakup.

A paper by *Tan et al. (2018)* focuses on the NE Atlantic oceanic lithosphere north of Iceland, in an area that is key for understanding the effects of the Iceland plume on the greater Jan Mayen-East Greenland Region. The 3D density structure of the crust and upper mantle is derived from regional seismic data combined with a shear wave velocity (V_s) tomography model and forward/inverse gravity modelling. A deep and broad negative mantle density anomaly under the Middle Kolbeinsey Ridge (MKR) is overlain by a narrower uppermost mantle NE-SW elongated negative density anomaly, which reflect a significantly shallower basement on the eastern side of the ridge. This is interpreted as the result of thermal erosion of the lithosphere by hot asthenospheric flow out from the Iceland plume, possibly the main driver for several eastward jumps of the MKR during the last 5.5 Ma.

The *Zastrozhnov et al. (2018)* paper (Figure 3.2) presents results of a multidisciplinary study of the northern segment of the Vøring volcanic rifted margin, offshore mid-Norway. An extensive geological and geophysical data set, including regional 2D seismic reflection and refraction profiles, potential field data and new borehole data, have been integrated and analyzed to better understand the margin architecture and geological evolution of the area. The outer and distal northern Vøring Margin represents a series of deep Cretaceous and Paleocene sag subbasins underlain by a significantly thinned continental crust. The sub-basins developed in between structural highs, which are underlain by a thicker crust and interpreted as a series of rigid continental blocks (“buffers”). During a series of Cretaceous-Paleocene extensional events the Vøring Basin axis migrated sequentially northwestward to the present-day continent-ocean boundary. The study also shows fundamental differences between the volcanic rifted mid-Norwegian Margin and non-volcanic (Iberian-type) margins and how pre-existing structures can shape the architecture and evolution of the margin.

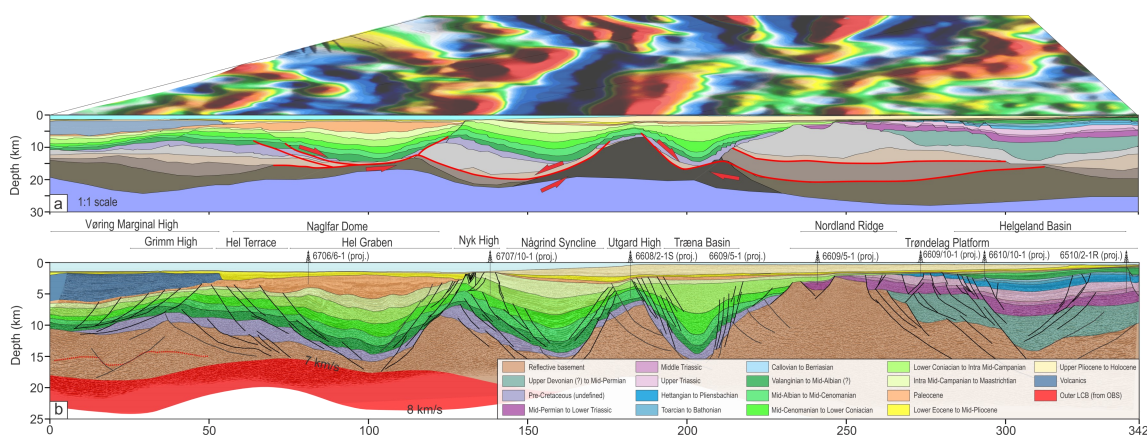


Figure 3.2 Regional profile across the northern Vøring Margin offshore mid-Norway. A: Crustal transect at 1:1 scale combined with gravity anomalies in map view. B: Depth-converted seismic line with main sedimentary sequences. Seismic data courtesy of TGS. Modified from Zastrozhnov et al. (2018).

Barents Sea - Svalbard

In the Barents Sea we have followed up the tradition of crustal-scale studies based on wide-angle seismic data. *Shulgin et al. (2018)* presents a 600 km long profile close to and along the Norwegian-Russian border in the central Barents Sea. Our model, based on both ocean-bottom and onshore seismometers, reveals a complex crustal structure of the Baltic Shield to Barents shelf transition zone, as well as strong structural variability on the shelf itself. High-velocity/density bodies in the lower crust may be linked to magmatism during Devonian rifting or they represent an integral part of the Timanides stretching from the Russian mainland into the southeastern and central Barents Sea. We also calculate net regional erosion based on the shallow velocity structure.

In collaboration with other groups/projects at the department we have also published several papers focusing on various areas in the SW Barents Sea. Some of these (*Gac et al., 2018; Indrevær et al., 2018*) involve numerical modelling addressing the vertical motion histories of key structural elements. The *Koehl et al. (2018)* paper focuses on Late Paleozoic collapse basins on the platform adjacent to the Norwegian mainland. The *Corseri et al. (2018)* paper presents high-resolution seismic data across a submarine channel formed in front of a prograding delta system.

High Arctic

Deep and complex geodynamic processes, including the effects of plumes, heat, plate tectonics and local tectonics control have shaped the circum-Arctic continental margins. In the Arctic these processes are often masked by extensive glaciations and associated erosion. In the *Medvedev et al. (2018)* paper (Figure 3.3) we model erosion backward in time by numerically restoring eroded material and calculating the flexural isostatic response repeatedly iteratively until eroded features are filled. This method, linking surface and deep Earth dynamics, estimates erosion recorded in the modern topography and models the influence of that erosion. The coupled erosion-isostatic response results in dramatic vertical motions leading to km-scale uplift in fjord carved areas of Scandinavia, Greenland, and Canadian Arctic Archipelago. The model results are also compared to gravity anomalies showing that our method is valid for both glacial and fluvial affected landscapes.

Through a Norwegian-Russian project we have continued our collaboration with Russian partners. In the *Ershova et al. (2018)* paper detrital zircon geochronological data for samples from the Severnaya Zemlya archipelago shed light on the paleogeography of the Kara Terrane in the Russian High Arctic. The (U-Th)/He ages coincide with significant regional exhumation during the Caledonian and Timanian orogenies, and combined U-Pb and (U-Th)/He dating suggest potential overlap of these orogens within the source region. A younger (375 Ma) event may be correlated with either the Ellesmerian Orogeny or the terminal Solundian/Svalbardian stages of the Caledonian Orogeny.

The main results of the *Faleide et al. (2018)* and *Minakov et al. (2018)* papers were reported last year ahead of their final publication.

Collaboration

The NOR-R-AM network (PI C. Gaina, CEED) is a key arena for our Arctic research. In particular, we have further developed our collaboration with Russian partners from St Petersburg and Moscow Universities. We also have close collaboration with other complementary projects in the Barents Sea, in particular with ARCEX (Research Centre for Arctic Petroleum Exploration). Among the international partners, we collaborate closely with GFZ Potsdam both in the Barents Sea and the NE Atlantic.

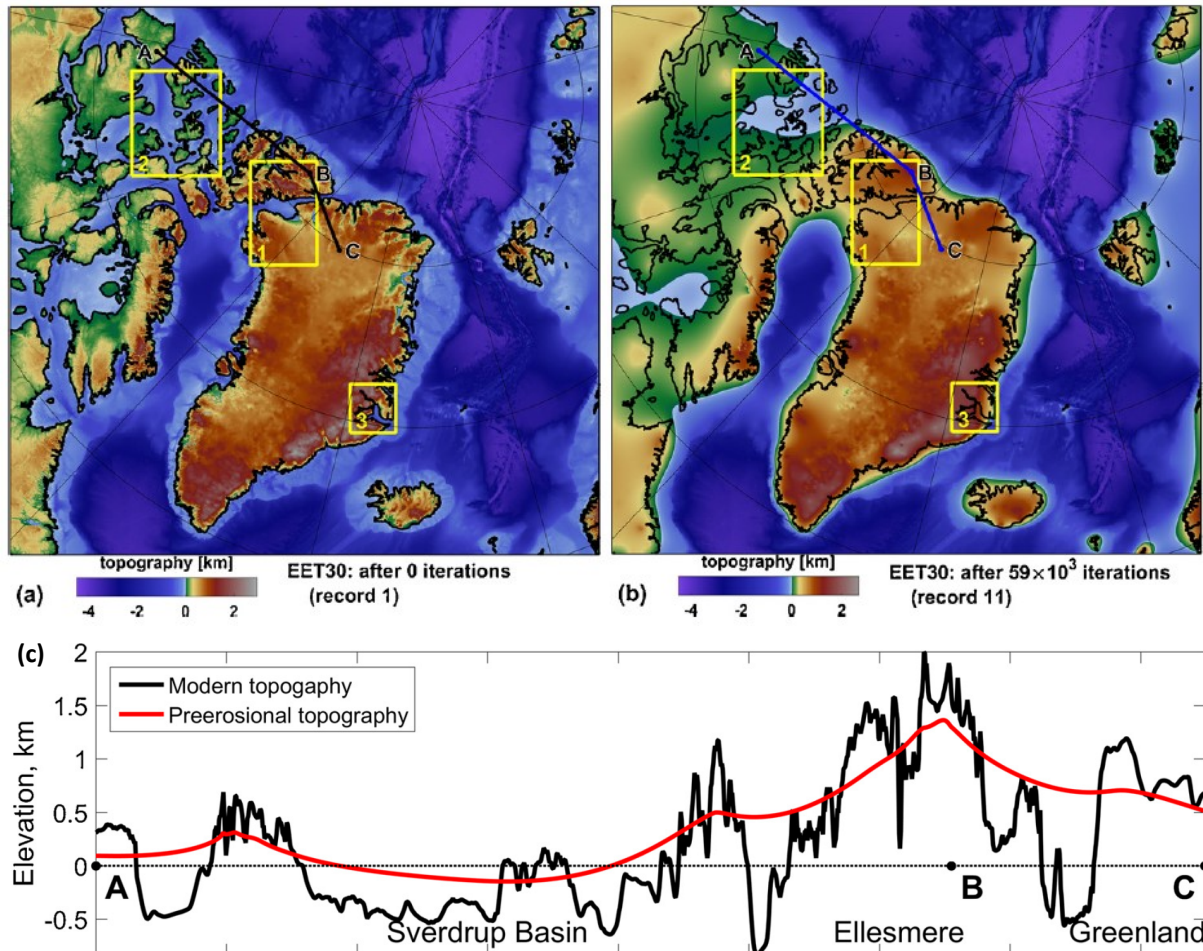


Figure 3.3. Modern topography (a) and reconstructed (pre-erosional) topography (b). The modern and pre-erosional topographies are compared along the profile A-B-C across the Canadian Arctic to North Greenland in (c). From Medvedev et al. (2018).

Working Group 2: Oceanic Basins and Climate Changes

Researchers of this group are interested in uncovering the links between the evolution of oceanic basins and adjacent continental margins and the upper and lower boundaries—the mantle and the oceans/atmosphere. We collect and interpret geophysical, geological and geochemical data, make numerical models, and collaborate with specialists in mantle dynamics and petrology, and in ocean and climate sciences. In 2018, this working group and their collaborators published 23 papers divided in two main topics:

The structure and evolution of the NE Atlantic and Arctic regions

The ice-covered Eurasia Basin in the Arctic region attracted numerous scientific expeditions since the 19th century, but its unique architecture and clues for its tectonic evolution were revealed only in the last decade due to intense international mapping and exploration. Scientists from CEED were involved in data collection and interpretation from Russian and Canadian-Swedish campaigns and were instrumental in developing new ideas about the evolution of the High Arctic realm.

Nikishin et al. (2018) used new geophysical data to demonstrate that the least explored East Eurasia Basin has an oceanic lithosphere asymmetry similar with its western part, and the eastern sector of the Gakkel Ridge displays volcanic and sparsely-volcanic segments. They were the first to describe in detail the deepest part of the ultraslow Gakkel Ridge, which they named the “**Gakkel Ridge Deep**”, and its peculiar recent volcanic activity (Figure 3.4).

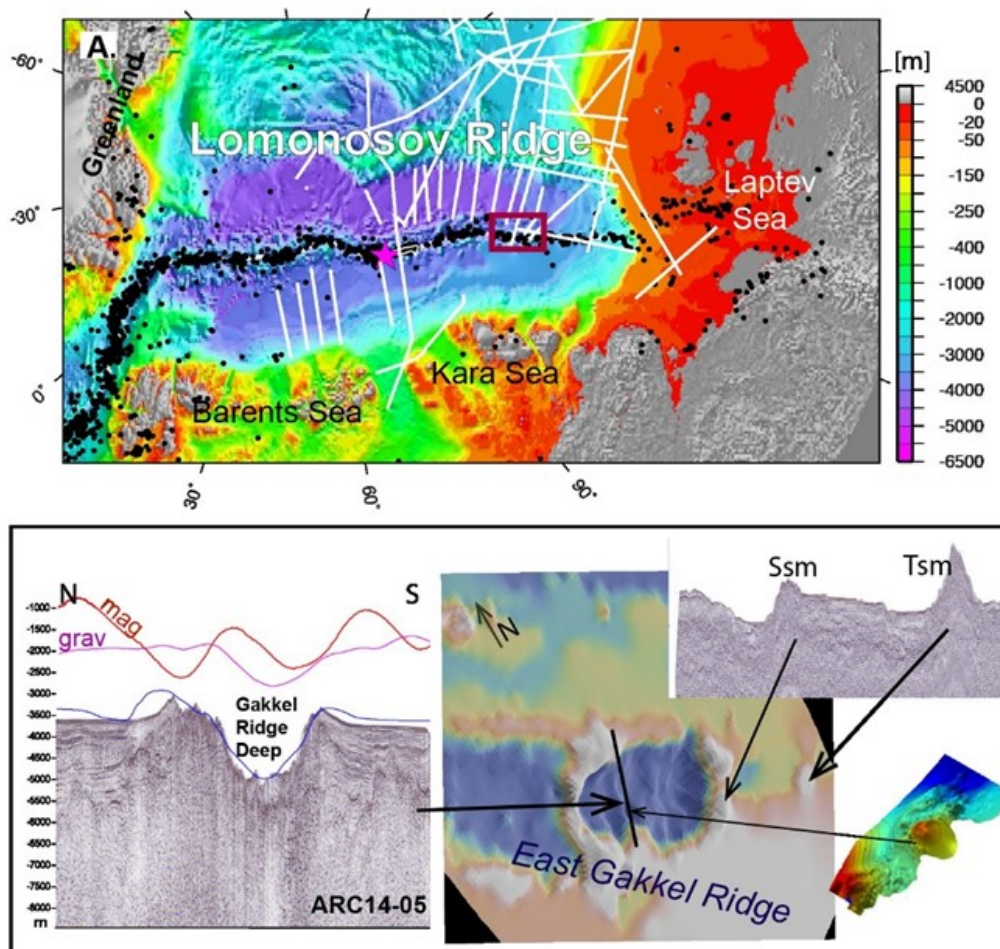


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Shephard et al. (2018) also used newly collected geophysical data in addition to global mantle tomography to suggest that the geographical North Pole may sit on a mantle thermal anomaly revealed by high heat flow values. The present day thermo-mechanical structure and effective elastic thickness of the entire Arctic lithosphere was modelled exploiting the state-of-the-art knowledge of the crustal thickness and lithospheric age (*Struijk et al., 2018*), a model that can reveal, among other things, the coupling between the upper and lower crust and the upper mantle, and therefore better understand the Arctic realm seismicity and active tectonics.

Regional and global oceanic basin dynamics and links to the mantle, oceans and climate

In order to assess how numerical modelling of mantle convection can predict the dynamics of Earth's plate boundaries through time, and how various errors may influence these results, *Coltice & Shephard (2018)* compared the tectonic predictions (kinematics and plate boundary locations) of 3-D spherical convection models with plate-like behaviour and tectonic reconstructions. Their study suggests that calculations for short-term dynamical evolution models are more suitable experiments than instantaneous flow calculations for the inversion of the temperature field and rheological parameters. Consequently, they recommend dynamic calculations instead of instantaneous models, as they demonstrate stronger discriminating power for sources of errors in kinematic predictions.

As a follow up to the vote map methodology of *Shephard et al. (2017)*, which compared multiple seismic tomography models to reveal locations and trends of subducted slabs, the study of *Hosseini et al. (2018)* involved the release of a new website called SubMachine. This community resource allows for the easy plotting and analysis of over 30 seismic tomography models, the vote maps, and other complementary surface geophysical datasets. (see example on the next page from *Gaina and Jakob, 2018*).

Figure 3.4 (left) Upper panel: Bathymetry of the Eurasia Basin, Arctic Ocean (Jakobssen et al., 2012). White lines are new seismic reflection profiles (Russian Federation) used to interpret the basement and sedimentary structure. Black dots show the location of seismic events. Lower panel: The Gakkel Ridge Deep (GRD, location in the upper panel-red box) – the deepest part of the ultraslow Gakkel Ridge has been characterised for the first time by Nikishin et al. (2018) study. Seismic reflection profiles shown in the left and upper right shows the wide and deep mid-ocean ridge valley, and seamounts along the ridge, respectively. The middle figure shows the GRD bathymetry and details from multi-beam bathymetry that image a cone-shaped feature within one flank of GRD, here interpreted as a young volcano. Figure modified from Nikishin et al (2018).

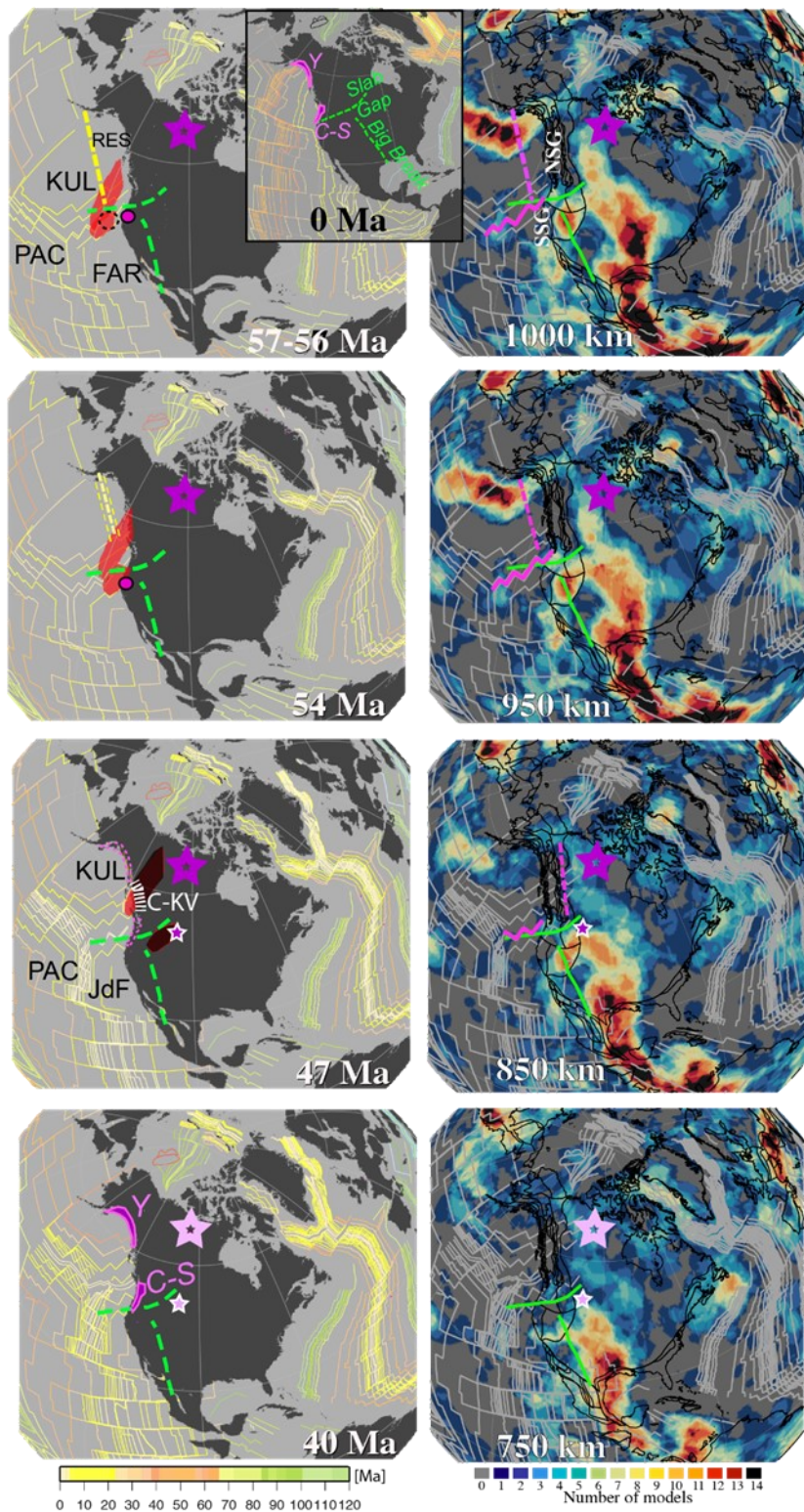


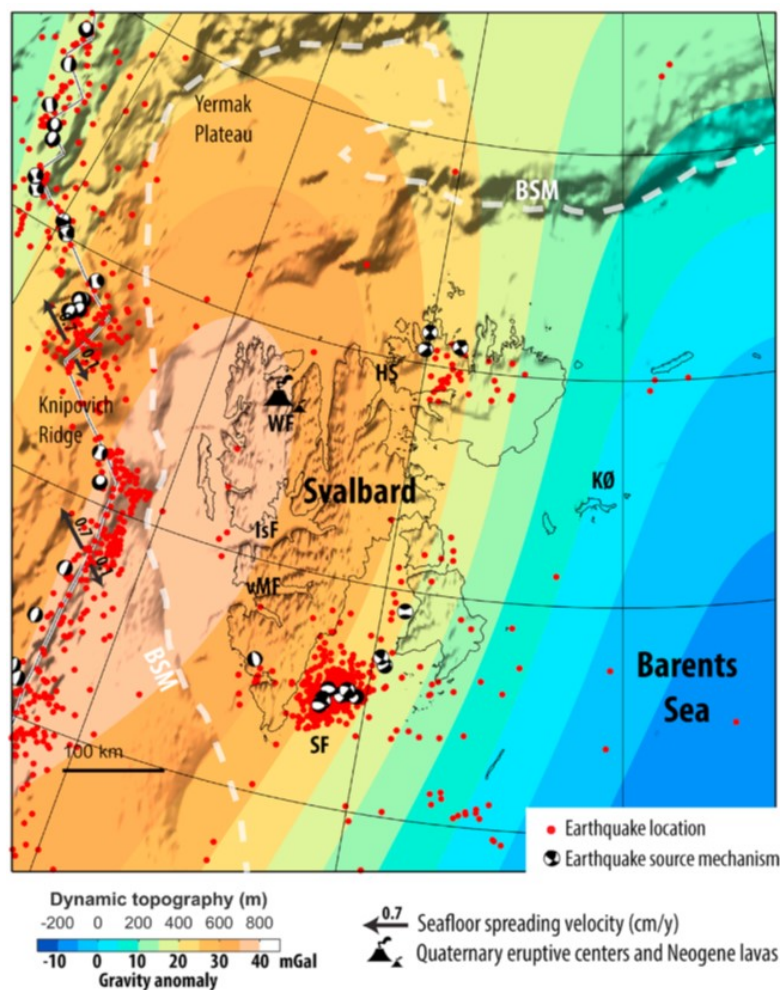
Figure 3.5. Tectonic plate reconstructions in an absolute reference frame (left panels), and subducted slab distribution (“vote maps”, Shephard et al., 2017) in the lower mantle (right panels). The continents (dark grey) are outlined by present-day coastlines (black, thin lines). “S” stands for Siletzia, and “C” for Crescent accreted terrane (pink outlines). The red polygons show the estimated of the Siletzia-Crescent-Yakutat Large Igneous Province (LIP). This LIP was partly accreted (pink dashed lines) and probably also subducted (dark brown polygons) on and under the North American plate. Light green lines show the Sigloch et al., (2008) and Sigloch (2011) interpretation of slab gap boundaries (as in the inset upper panel). The magenta circle shows the approximate location of the Yellowstone hotspot, the black dotted circle in the upper left panel indicates its possible position due to mantle advection. The magenta star symbols indicate the reconstructed locations of Eocene kimberlite eruption

sites (large star-Canadian location, smaller star-US location). The pale stars in the lower panels indicate inactive kimberlite sites. The reconstructed positions of mid-ocean ridges in the NE Pacific are shown as magenta segments on right panels. Abbreviations are: FAR-Farallon, JdF-Juan de Fuca, KUL-Kula, PAC-Pacific, Res-Resurrection plates, C-KV- Challis–Kamloops volcanic belt, and Y-Yakutat (modified from Gaina & Jakob, 2018)

To better understand how our planet's turning points were caused and whether sudden changes in plate tectonic configuration could have been related to continent collision, mountain building, major changes in the subduction geometry or catastrophic outbursts of volcanism often caused by mantle plume impingement at the base of the Earth's lithosphere, *Gaina & Jakob (2018)* revised the Eocene tectonic unrest which is imprinted in the world's oceanic lithosphere. They suggest that tectonic events of Eocene age recorded on the western and eastern margins of the North American plate may be linked and explained by lithosphere-mantle interactions triggered by subduction. The North American Late Paleocene-Early Eocene kimberlite magma that erupted more than 1000 km from its western plate boundary constitutes additional evidence that tectonic stresses may have affected the entire plate, and therefore also its eastern boundaries (Figure 3.5 left page).

A link between mantle convection, seafloor spreading and glaciation events is suggested by the *Minakov's (2018)* paper (Figure 3.6). The paper focuses on the recent (10 Ma to present) evolution of the northwest Barents Sea passive margin and Svalbard archipelago, which experienced tectonic reactivation including regional uplift, volcanism and fault movements. The area is underlain by a thin lithosphere and excess mantle temperature. Seismological models of the upper mantle, gravity anomalies, rates of glacial isostatic adjustment (GIA) and the spatio-temporal characteristics of earthquakes are integrated and analyzed with the aim to (i) constrain the thermal state and rheological structure of the upper mantle beneath Svalbard, (ii) infer the magnitude of vertical motion in the late Cenozoic time related to various processes,

Figure 3.6. Dynamic topography of the Svalbard region inferred from long-wavelength gravity anomalies. The maximum of dynamic topography (~ 800 m) corresponds to the location of the Quaternary eruptive centers and Neogene lavas (WF) in Svalbard. Major fjords indicated: HS – Hinlopenstredet, IsF – Isfjorden, vMF – van Mijenfjorden, SF – Storfjorden. From Minakov (2018).



(iii) better understand the likely causes of the tectonic and volcanic activity. The relative magnitudes, and the physical relationship between surface processes, plate boundaries and mantle flow, are assessed. It is concluded that a transient temperature anomaly in the asthenosphere northeast of Jan Mayen, combined with the northwest absolute plate motion of Eurasia, is the likely primary cause of the late Cenozoic tectonic reactivation in Svalbard.

The “**Oceanic Basins and Climate Changes** “ group hosts the RCN project: Coupled climate, volcanism, and ocean tectonics in deep time – **ClimVoTe**, a collaboration between CEED/the Department of Geosciences and Bjerknes Centre for Climate Research, University of Bergen. Professor K. Nisancioglu, Adj. Professor at CEED, his group at UiB, and CEED PhD student E. Straume are designing new paleoceanography models for the NE Atlantic region by using realistic paleo-bathymetry. C. Gaina and E. Straume are also participating in the Australian Research Council funded project: “How the complexity of continental breakup controls ocean circulation”. Preliminary results have been presented as an invited contribution at AGU by *Straume et al., (2018)* (Figure 3.7).

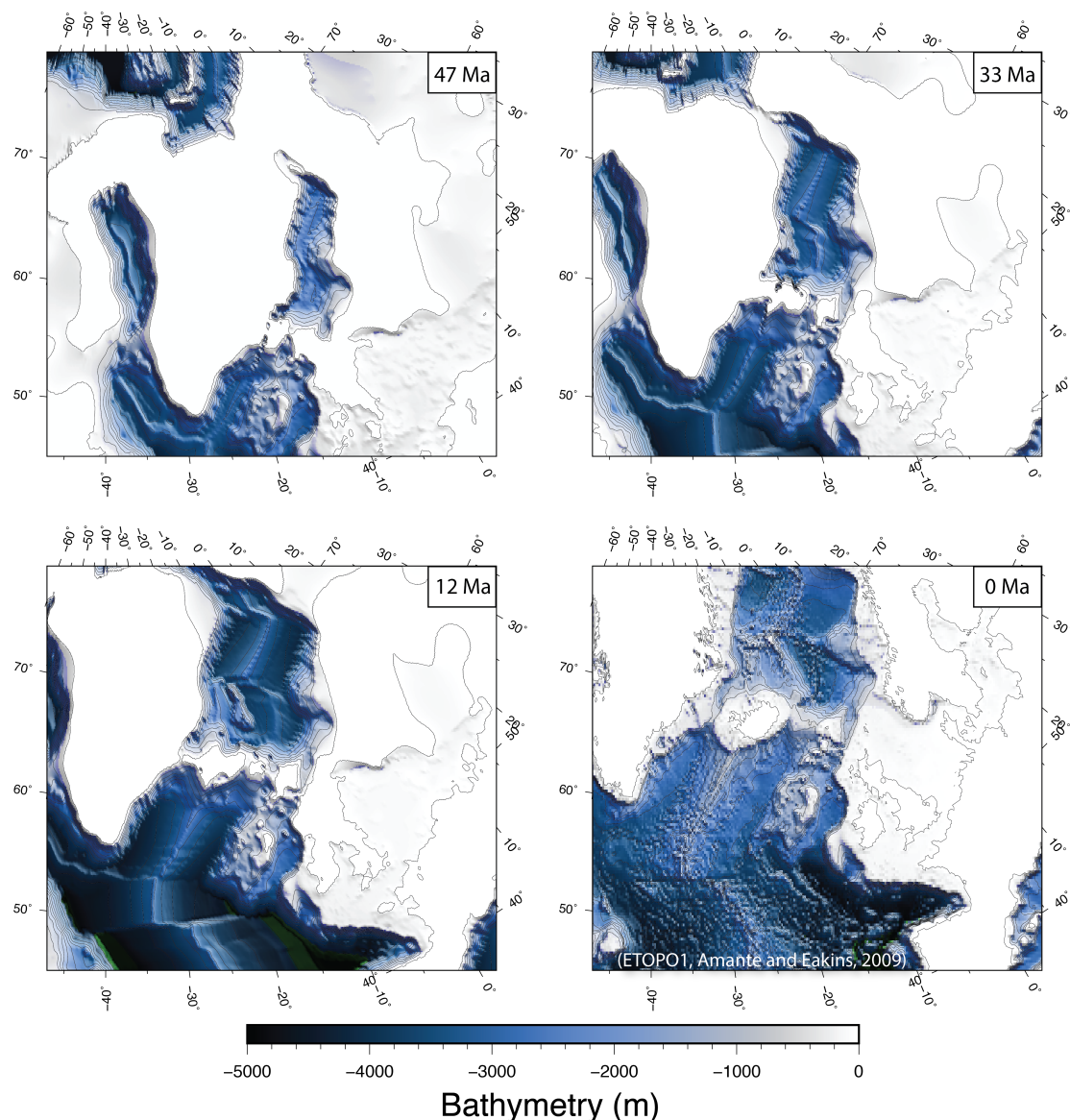


Figure 3.7. Cenozoic paleobathymetric reconstructions and present day bathymetry of the NE Atlantic (*Straume et al., 2018*).

Working Group 3: Margins and Orogeny

Our research in 2018 was concentrated on (1) understanding intermediate deep earthquakes and their relationships to metamorphic transformation during subduction and orogeny, and (2) to unravel the geodynamic setting and structural architecture of the pre-Caledonian margin developed along Baltica in Late Precambrian (Ediacaran) and into the Early Ordovician (Figure 3.8). We have demonstrated how the inherited passive margin architecture controlled the later structural architecture of the Scandinavian Caledonides during the Scandian collision and mountain building.

In 2018, working group 3 and collaborators published 2 papers with CEED funding (*Ferré et al., 2018* and *Jamtveit et al., 2018*), both related to deep crustal/mantle processes during collision and co-seismic faulting. However, a number of manuscripts (7 in total) were completed and submitted in 2018 for major international journals. Of these, four are already published or in press. Results of this research have also been presented in a number of contributions at various meetings, principally EGU/AGU, Nordic meeting and outreach.

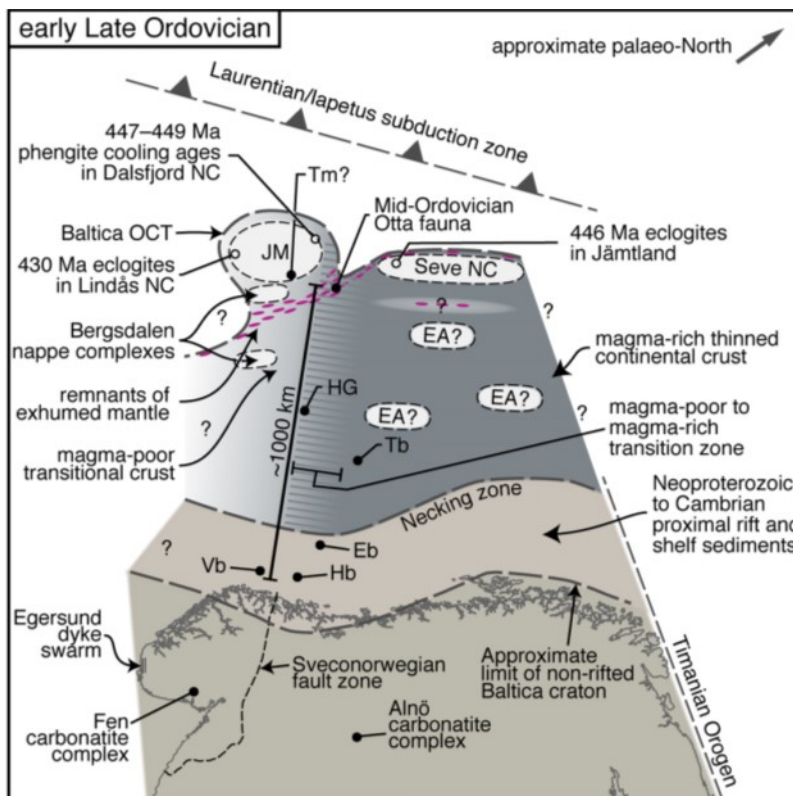


Figure 3.8. A schematic reconstruction of the pre-collision architecture of the rifted margin of Baltica in the Late Ordovician (~450±5 Ma) before onset of the Scandian collision., Purple ellipses represent mantle exposed at the sea floor. The island type Otta fauna is placed ~1000 km away from the Baltic cratonic margin. The size of the Jotun Microcontinent is approximately 200 × 300 km. Black circles indicate the palaeoposition of future thrust nappes. Open circles indicate the palaeoposition of tectonic units and geological events at some time after onset of earliest Scandian inversion of the margin. EA, extensional allochthon; Eb, Engerdalen basin; HG, Heidal Group; Hb, Hedmark basin; JM, Jotun Microcontinent; NC, nappe complex; Tb, Tossåsfjället basin; Tm, Turtgrø metasediments; Vb, Valdres basin. From: Jakob et al. (2019).

Field work and workshops

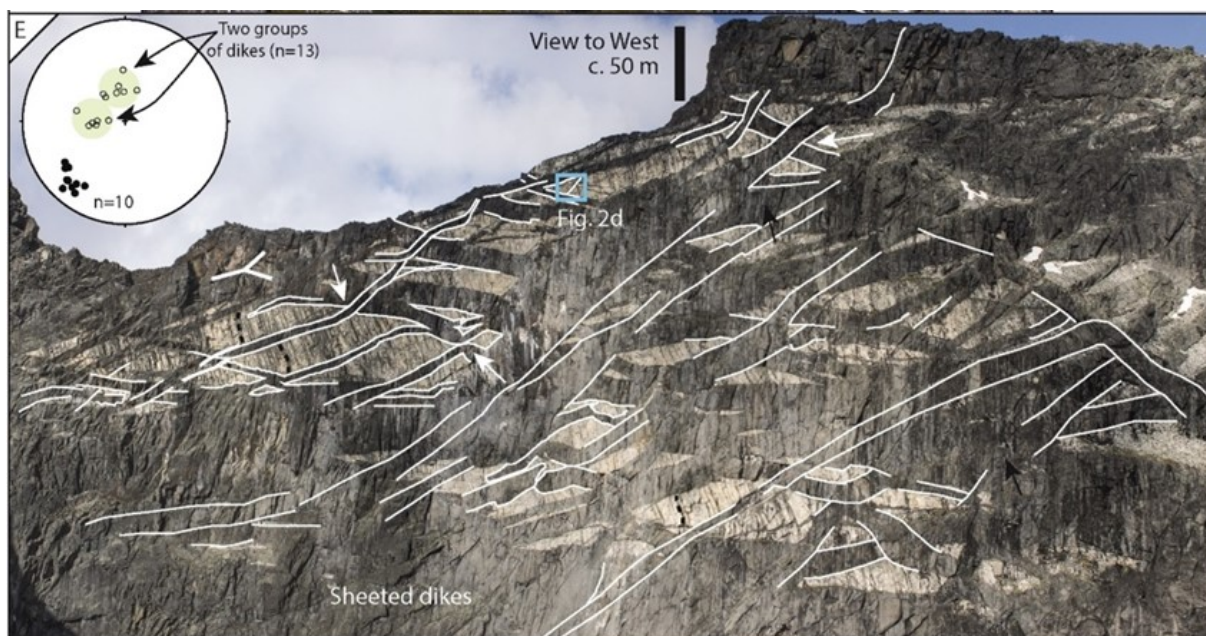
The field work in the Scandinavian Caledonides is partly of expedition-type work in remote areas, and with extensive use of helicopters, requiring permits from national park authorities in Norway and Sweden. In connection with the NRC FRINAT project *Hyper-extension in the pre-Caledonian margin of Baltica*, these studies have continued and complementary detailed work to the previous regional studies (2014-1217) of the pre- magma-rich and magma-poor ocean-continent transition zone preserved along the mountain belt in northern Scandinavia and in central Sweden and Norway was largely completed in 2018. In 2018 most of the field-

work work has been carried out by J. Jakob and PhD student H.J. Kjöll, assisted by the international co-workers. A productive workshop in the project was arranged at CEED with participation of L. Labrousse and G. Mohn (France) and Olivier Galland from PGP (October 29 -31st). We also arranged a workshop on the deep crustal processes (Berlin, March 5-7th), with participation from CEED (Andersen), Sorbonne (Labrousse) and Freie Universität (John, Katz, Zwertani).

External funding and collaboration

A major source of external funding in 2018 has been via the NRC project *Hyperextension in the pre-Caledonian margin of Baltica*. Principal external collaborators in this project in 2018 were C. Tegner (Univ. Århus), L. Labrousse (UPMC-Sorbonne), G. Mohn (Univ Cergy-Pontoise), S. Buiter (NGU/CEED) and O. Galland (PGP). Galland has been an important contributor to our work on the magmatic plumbing system and dyke-emplacement mechanisms in the Pre-Caledonian magma-rich passive margin, which is dealt with in a manuscript (EPSL, in press) with H.J. Kjöll as the principal author (Figure 3.8). Tegner *et al.* (2019) completed a major manuscript on the geochemistry, petrology and geodynamic significance of the Large Igneous Province (LIP) expressed as the 605 ± 10 Ma Scandinavian Dyke complex preserved in the Caledonides.

Master student involvement in 2018 includes O. Quintela (CEED, internship student) and P. Closset (Univ. Strasbourg) who completed his master thesis in the spring 2018, and L. Katz who completed her master thesis based on field studies in Norway (with T. John at Freie



*Figure 3.8. Large-scale dyke and wall rock relationships of the Scandinavian Dyke Complex in a vertical cliff section at Saräk, North Sweden. The annotated photo is of a 300-meter-high cliff showing dykes of the Scandinavian Dyke Complex (605 ± 10 Ma) as dark rocks, highlighted locally with white lines to indicate their mutually cross-cutting relationships and their different orientations, truncating well-bedded sandstones (light coloured) with preserved near vertical bedding. Stereonet show poles of the dykes (open circles) and bedding (closed circles). Note grouping of dyke poles in two distinct orientations separated by an approximately 30-degree angle (Kjöll *et al.*, 2019)*

Universität Berlin). We also had extensive *in-house* CEED collaboration with S. Planke and M. Abdelmalak in discussions and interpretations of the magma-rich part of the Pre-Caledonian Baltican margin, and with T.H. Torsvik regarding the geodynamic setting of the 605±10 Ma pre-Caledonian LIP.

In the studies on the on deep-crustal deformation and metamorphic processes during subduction and orogeny we have worked extensively with co-workers from Freie Universität, Berlin (T. John and PhD student S. Zertani). Zertani has submitted two major publications, also based on field work in Norway, and co-supervised by T.B. Andersen.

Extensive internal UiO collaboration has been with the PGP-team, (B. Jamtveit, H. Austrheim, F. Renard and S. Incel). Results of this work has been published in Nature Scientific Reports (*Jamtveit et al., 2018*), and more recently in Geology (*Incel et al, 2019*).

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4. Earth's Crises: LIPs, mass extinctions and environmental changes

In the Earth Crises Team we study volcanically driven effects on the climate system and the biosphere, focussing on Large Igneous Provinces (LIPs). The Earth Crises mission is to investigate the role of volcanism in general, and sediment-derived gases in particular, on the history of life on Earth. Here we present a selection of the results, updates, and activities from 2018, focussing on four topics: 1) sill-sediment interactions in the CAMP LIP, 2) a published paper from our Master student, 3) mercury anomalies across the Paleocene-Eocene Thermal Maximum, and 4) the new VIKINGS project. In addition, we have published on related themes including CAMP and Paraña-Etendeka volcanism (De Min et al., 2018; Marzoli et al., 2018; Jerram et al., 2018), the sub-volcanic stages of the Siberian Traps (Svensen et al., 2018), and the history of LIP-related research and terminology (Svensen et al., 2019).

Sill-evaporate interactions within the CAMP

Up to 20% of the stratigraphy of the Amazonas and Solimões basins in Brazil is composed of sills emplaced as part of the Central Atlantic Magmatic Province (CAMP). Thea H. Heimdal defended her PhD thesis in December 2018 on the topic of CAMP volcanism and its role in the end-Triassic mass extinction. In a previous paper (Heimdal et al., 2018), she tested the hypothesis that widespread sills of the CAMP intruded in volatile-rich Brazilian sedimentary basins and released massive amounts of isotopically light carbon. In a second paper from the thesis, published in *Earth and Planetary Science Letters* in January 2019, she presented a geochemical study of 26 dolerite samples from 6 deep boreholes in the Brazilian basins, including whole-rock major and trace elements, whole-rock Sr–Nd isotopes and detailed biotite mineral chemistry.

Heimdal et al. (2019) show that there is a strong correlation between host-rock lithology and Cl concentrations in biotite from the dolerites, and interpret this to reflect large-scale crustal contamination of the low-Ti magmas by halite-rich evaporites. The findings support the hypothesis that sill-evaporite interactions increased volatile release during the emplacement of CAMP. This strengthens the case for active involvement of this LIP in the end-Triassic crisis, and suggests that the sub-volcanic part of a LIP can be of major importance in driving climate change and mass extinctions (Figure 4.1).

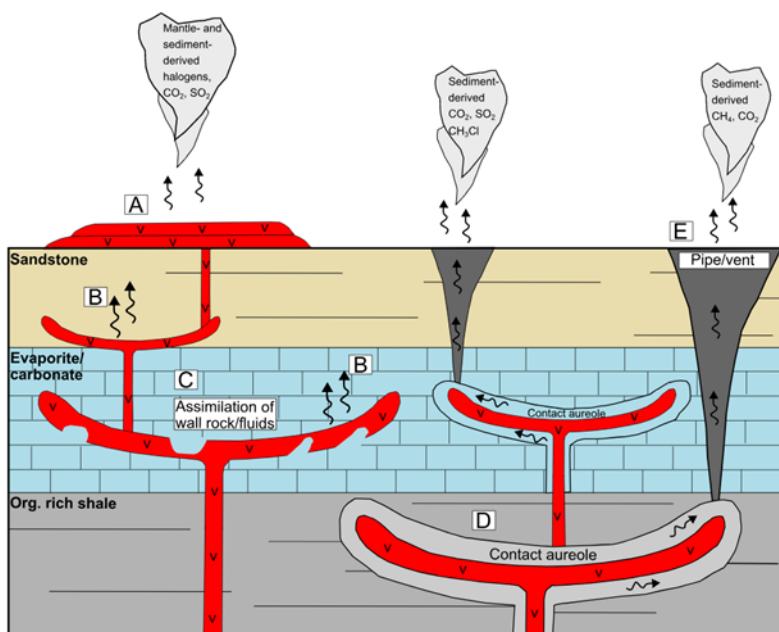


Figure 4.1 Schematic presentation of the degassing from the Solimões and Amazonas sedimentary basins (Brazil) following emplacement of the CAMP. Magma-evaporite interactions led to evaporite assimilation, resulting in elevated halogen contents in the last melt fraction crystallizing in the sills. Figure from Heimdal et al. (2019).

Published Master project about Ordovician tephtras and age models Eirik G. Ballo finished his Master thesis in June 2017 and spent the next year, in between other activities, working on a paper about his results. Ballo performed zircon geochronology and cyclostratigraphy on a very well preserved section of Ordovician tephtras in sedimentary rocks in Oslo. The manuscript was submitted in August 2018, accepted, and published in April 2019 in *Palaeogeography, Palaeoclimatology, Palaeoecology* (Figure 4.2).

Five of the 33 K-bentonites in the section in Oslo have been dated by high-precision chemical abrasion-thermal ionization mass spectrometry (CA-TIMS) U-Pb zircon geochronology, where the well-known Kinnekulle K-bentonite gave an age of 454.06 ± 0.43 Ma. By combining the age dating with cyclostratigraphy, Ballo made an age model showing the sedimentation rates through the section and thereby the ages of each of the 33 K-bentonites. Using the age model, *Ballo et al. (2019)* further present a new age for the Sandbian-Katian stage boundary. The section in Oslo provides the highest resolution window into the Upper Ordo-

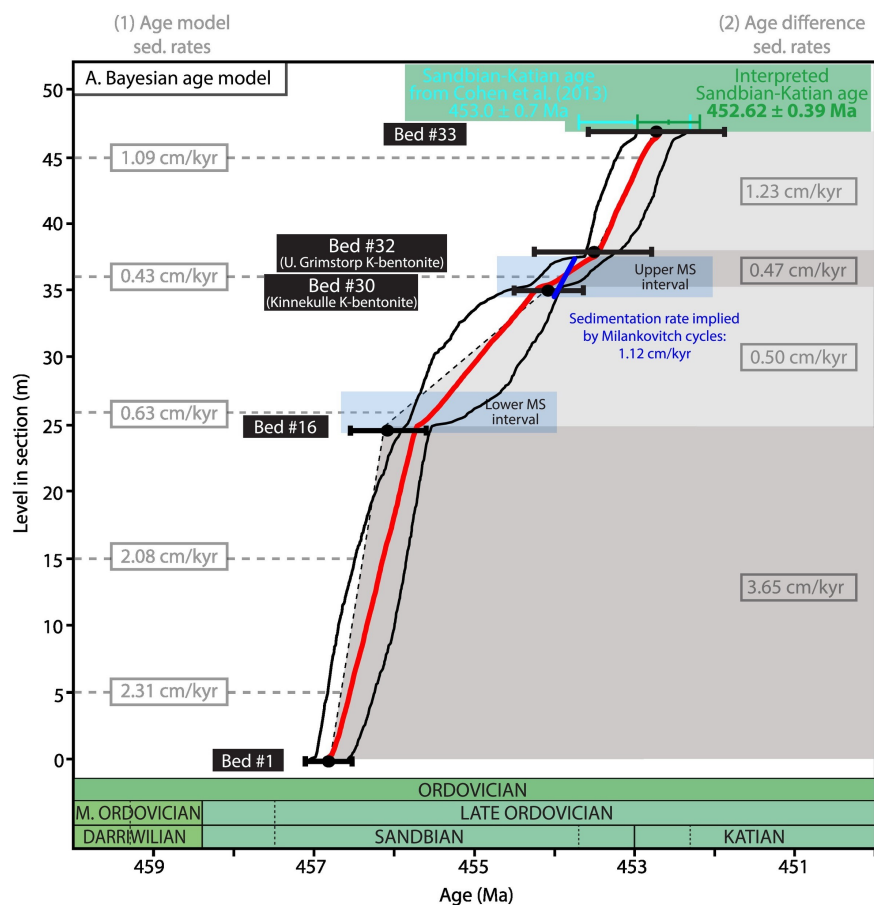


Figure 4.2. The Bayesian radiocarbon chronology package (Bchron) age model for the Sandbian aged Arnestad Formation at Sinsen (red curve). Black curves represent the upper and lower limits of 95% confidence interval. The five radiometric dated beds are shown as black dots, with 2σ error bars (horizontal black lines). Interpreted sedimentation rates from this study are included in grey boxes for two approaches: 1) Bchron age model, 2) age difference between dated levels (dashed black lines between the age anchors show linear interpolations). Ordovician stage boundaries are from the latest revision of the ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart, Cohen et al. (2013), where the Sandbian-Katian boundary is set at 453.0 ± 0.7 Ma. Dashed lines next to the stage boundaries illustrate the uncertainties for the boundary ages. Cyclicity-derived sedimentation rate of 1.12 cm/kyr is shown in blue. From Ballo et al. (2019).

vician K-bentonite succession so far and helps shed more light on the chronology of one of the most intense volcanic periods of the Paleozoic and the relationship with the global carbon cycle changes that followed.

Mercury anomalies across the Paleocene-Eocene Thermal Maximum

The NFR-funded ASHLANTIC project is targeted at understanding the link between North Atlantic volcanism and the rapid climatic change during the Paleocene-Eocene Thermal Maximum. The project includes core and outcrop studies on Fur Island in Denmark, with emphasis on both stratigraphy/carbon isotopes and mercury geochemistry. In a new study *Jones et al. (2019)* have analysed five continental shelf sections located around the North Atlantic Igneous Province (NAIP) in the Palaeogene. They measured Hg concentrations, total organic carbon (TOC) contents, and $\delta^{13}\text{C}$ values to assess how Hg deposition fluctuated across the PETM carbon isotope excursion (CIE). There are huge variations in Hg anomalies between sites. The Grane field in the North Sea, the most proximal locality to the NAIP analysed, shows huge Hg concentrations in the early Eocene. Significant Hg/TOC anomalies are also present in Danish and Svalbard sections prior to the onset of the PETM and during the recovery period.

The Hg/TOC anomalies in strata deposited prior to the CIE may suggest that magmatism linked to the emplacement of the NAIP contributed to the initiation of the PETM. However, evidence for considerable volcanism in the form of numerous tephra layers and Hg/TOC anomalies post-PETM indicates a complicated relationship between LIP volcanism and climate. Processes such as diagenesis and organic matter sourcing can have a marked impact on Hg/TOC ratios and need to be better constrained before the relationship between Hg anomalies and volcanic activity can be considered irrefutable (Figure 4.3).

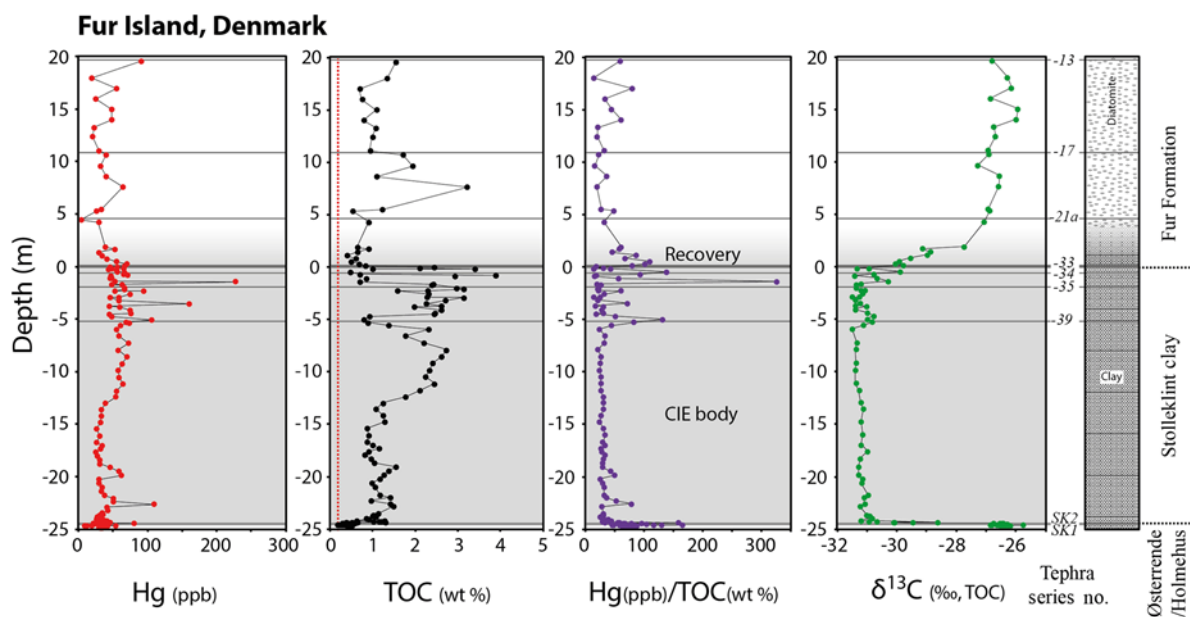


Figure 4.3. Mercury, TOC, Hg/TOC, and $\delta^{13}\text{C}$ TOC data from an expanded section of the Stolleklint beach section on Fur Island in Denmark, showing the onset of the PETM CIE. The grey shaded area shows the approximate onset and body phases of the CIE. Tephra layers SK1, SK2, and SK3 are marked at their respective depths, along with a stratigraphic log based on the beach section at Stolleklint. From Jones et al. (2019).

The VIKINGS project

The Earth Crises group is involved in the NFR/UiO funded TOPPFORSK project called **VIKINGS** (Volcanic Eruptions and their Impacts on Climate, Environment, and Viking Society in 500-1250 CE). The project is led by Prof. K Krüger (affiliated with CEED) and includes a work package led by Svensen and Jahren, involving the CEED-funded PhD student Josh Bostic, and VIKINGS-funded PhD and postdoc (Eirik G. Ballo and Manon Bajard). Bostic works on tree ring analyses, and Ballo and Bajard on lake sediment records (Figure 4.4). The VIKINGS project started 01.07.2018 and is funded for five years. The project is multi-disciplinary, including climate studies and archaeological studies, and aims to understand the role of volcanic eruptions and climate change in shaping the early history of Europe.

The period 500-1250 Common Era (CE) is characterized by natural disasters, societal unrest, Viking expansion, emerging kingship - and large volcanic eruptions evidenced by geochemical markers in natural archives. At present, we know little about the detailed climate variations in Europe and especially in Scandinavia during this period. The VIKINGS project seeks to reveal the climate of the early historic period, and resolve how volcanic eruptions and their environmental impacts facilitated societal changes during the Viking era. Lake coring started in October 2018 and was followed by high resolution stratigraphic and geochemical analyses, including core scanning XRF and CT scanning.

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Figure 4.4. Lake coring near Asker, south of Oslo in January 2019. The project is targeting varved sedimentary archives, but finding varved lakes is difficult and involves test coring. Sediment cores, up to four meter long, are further studied and analyzed at the University of Bergen and the Earth Lab, in collaboration with Jostein Bakke and others. Other cored lakes includes Semsvann (Asker), Nordbytjern (Jessheim), Ljogottjern (Jessheim), Sagtjernet (Elverum), and Borrevannet (Horten). Varved sediments were found in several of these lakes.



The Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry lab

The CLIPT Stable Isotope Biogeochemistry Lab officially opened April 24, 2018 with an open house to welcome all members of CEED and the university at large, to tour the laboratory facilities. The remainder of the year was spent building a user base, in addition to setting up the highly versatile Isoprime Stable Isotope Mass Spectrometer system that was transported from the United States using CEED funds. With four peripheral instruments (an Elemental Analyzer, a dual inlet, a gas chromatograph, and an Aquaprep system), analytical capabilities were expanded to include: compound specific analysis of geologic substrates that are important for many earth history studies, including applications in the petroleum industry (such as *n*-alkanes); stable isotope analysis of natural waters; carbonates; and atmospheric gases (CO₂ and N₂). Additionally, the dual inlet provided the flexibility to prepare samples offline using non-conventional methods to address specific analytical needs that cannot be met using standardized automated analytical systems.

To date, members of the Earth Crises group within CEED have used the facility to gain stable isotope determinations upon geological substrates, specifically rock and sediment studies conducted by **Wulfsberg and Jones**. Further analyses are planned on diverse substrates ranging from fish muscle tissue (Mazzini), to micro-meteorites (Werner) to various sediment and soil (Svensen, Jakob and Planke). The CLIPT lab sees a bright future of expanding utility for multiple projects underway within CEED.

As part of the Earth Crisis group, the CLIPT lab participates in the NFR-funded project **Volcanic Eruptions and their Impacts on Climate, Environment, and Viking Society in 500-1250 CE (VIKINGS)**, which began in August of 2018. The CLIPT lab's contributions to the project involve developing high-resolution climate proxies, in both tree rings and lake sediments, to detect perturbations in seasonal climate patterns following large-scale volcanic eruptions. Throughout 2018, Ph.D. student Joshua Bostic, working in concert with Henrik Svensen and Frode Iversen of the UiO Museum of Cultural History, procured samples of Norwegian Spruce from Raknehaugen, a pre-Viking age burial mound near Oslo dated to the mid-6th century. Cross-sections cut from the logs underwent dendrochronological analysis to identify rings corresponding to volcanic eruption years, with stable isotope analysis set to begin in 2019. In November 2018, CLIPT lab members also assisted CEED students Manon Bajard and Eirik Ballo with the collection of cores from two lakes near the Raknehaugen mound. Varve identification and analysis was conducted in Bergen, with geochemical and isotopic analysis set to begin in 2019.

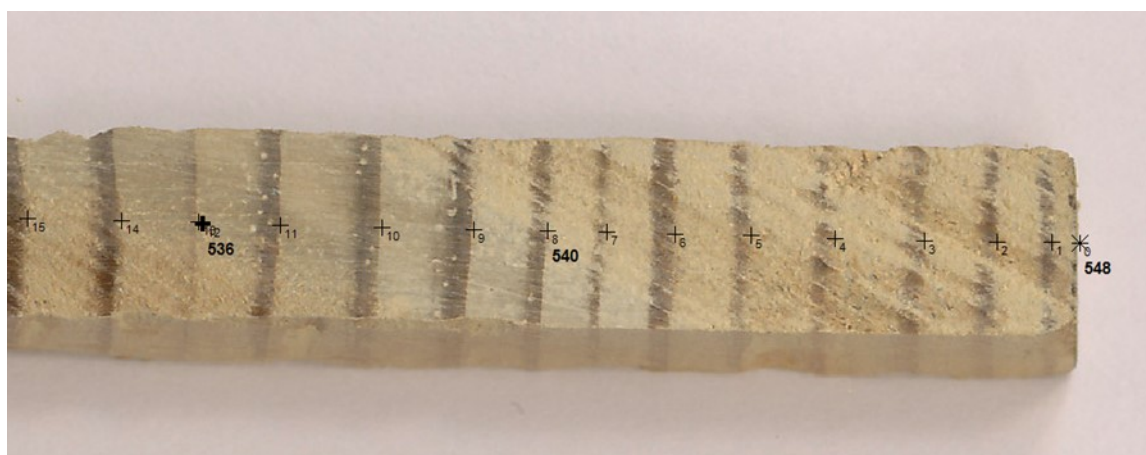


Figure 4.5. Photomicrograph of Raknehaugen wood core used to determine the tree ring corresponding to the volcanic eruption year of 536 CE.

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5. Earth and Beyond: Comparative Planetology

Earth and Beyond Team focuses on similarities and differences between Earth and other terrestrial planets, and why Earth may have always been the only planet with plate tectonics. In 2018 the group described why the surface of Venus recently (~600 Ma ago) got rejuvenated, used crater formation to model the properties of rocks that may be found under the Moon's dusty surface, and discovered the last clue for Mars's climate change by using numerical methods and experimental and remote sensing data.

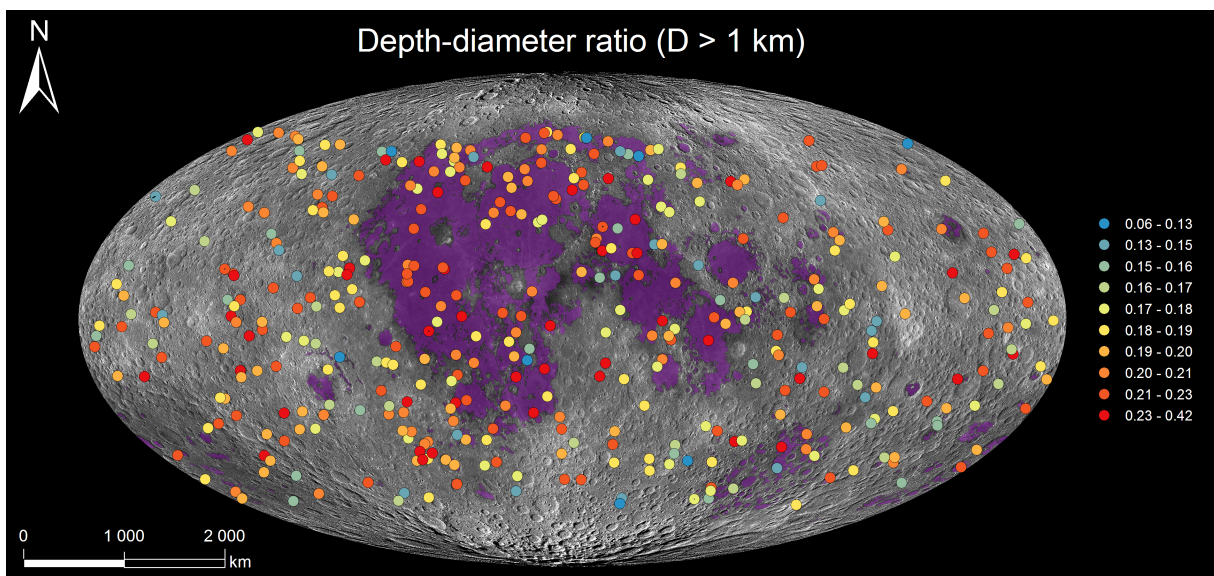
Terrestrial planet evolution from far and very close, now and in deep time

To decipher the planetary surface evolution, geologic events are dated relatively, based on crater counts. This method has been calibrated on the Moon and adapted to other planetary bodies. A good calibration on the Moon is thus a valuable key to understand the chronology of all solid surface planetary bodies. Crater counts are linked to isotopically-dated Apollo and Luna samples, which provides calibrated absolute model ages (AMA). The observed crater size frequency distributions (CSFD) on defined surface units are fit with crater production functions. These are used to derive crater density measurements,

which currently have resulted in several lunar chronology models. Several problems have risen regarding this method such as the uncertainty in linking returned samples and their source terrains for crater counting and used as templates. We study near infra-red images to define homogeneous units and re-determined the crater size frequencies of each Apollo and Luna landing sites to re-vise traditional lunar cratering chronology models, which should lead to re-evaluate the ages of planetary surfaces of the entire inner Solar System (Bultel et al, 2018).

Modelling of crater formation with different target properties

An important challenge in impact crater formation numerical modelling is that the geometry of a specific impact crater is ambiguous in setups and parameters. Because the crustal and material properties of planetary bodies are poorly constrained the question to whether or not the chosen numerical setup and parameters are the most adequate is difficult to answer without additional information. In order to develop a robust numerical model setup, a large number of fresh impact craters (craters that experienced very little erosion) in the database compiled by Werner & Medvedev (2010) are used. Morphological parameters (such as the depth-diameter ratio, see Figure 5.1) have been computed for those observations and are currently



being compared to the most common numerical model setups used in the cratering community. This step will help us in selecting a model setup that reflects the morphology of observed lunar and Martian craters for crater with diameters spanning a large interval (from few meters up to kilometer-size impacts) and provide the fundamentals in order to test the influence of target properties on the cratering statistic method. (Priour *et al.*, 2019, Werner *et al.*, 2018).

Mars close up and at a distance

The Planetary Terrestrial Analogues Library (PTAL) has the ultimate goal is to build a multi-instrument spectral database that will enable thorough interpretation of remote-sensing data collected, among others, to constrain the history of water on Mars and potential martian habitability. Many terrestrial environments may be considered analogues for martian ones, but in many aspects fluid-atmosphere-rock interactions on the surface of Mars differ from the Earth and no corresponding terrestrial analogues can be found. Therefore, our goal is to enhance the definition of these environmental differences by studies of meteorites, that host fluid al-

teration minerals (Figure 5.2) and to determine the key parameters responsible for reconstructed alteration pathways by laboratory experiments under controlled conditions. Hydrothermal laboratory experiments help understand the formation of martian clay minerals, sources of fluids for alteration and ultimately address potential habitability of such environments. (Priour *et al.*, 2018; Werner *et al.*, 2018).

Early Mars water-rock interactions and planetary surfaces evolution

Noachian surfaces on Mars exhibit vertical assemblages of weathering horizons termed as weathering profiles; this indicates that surface water caused alteration of the rocks which required a different, warmer climate than today. Evidence of this early martian climate with CO₂ vapor as the main component causing greenhouse warming has been challenged by the lack of carbonate in these profiles. We report the analysis of near-infrared data leading to the detections of carbonates using a spectral signature exclusively attributed to them. The car-

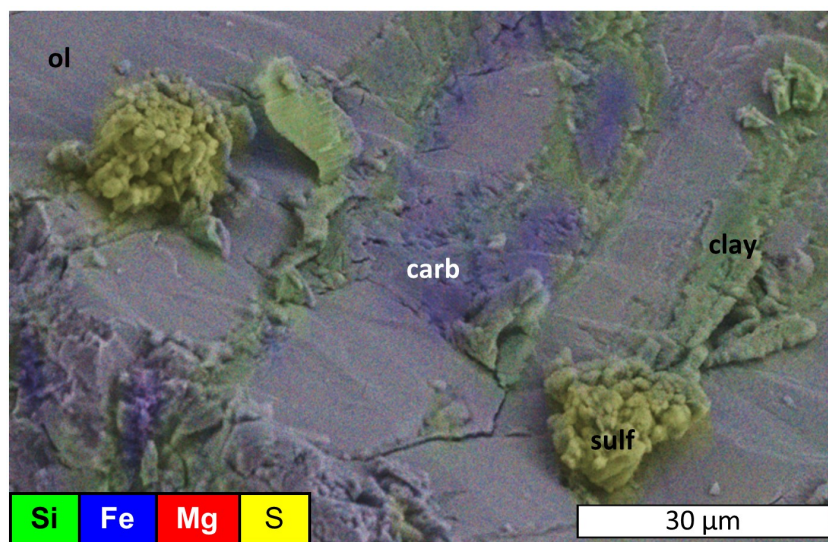


Figure 5.2 (above). Example of a meteorite that hosts fluid alteration minerals.

Figure 5.1(left). Crater morphologies on the lunar surface such as the depth-diameter ratios provide more constraints to test our impact numerical models. Locations and depth-diameter ratios of fresh simple craters from this study. The surface of the Moon is Mollweide projected. The background image is a global WAC image (NASA/GSFC/Arizona University).

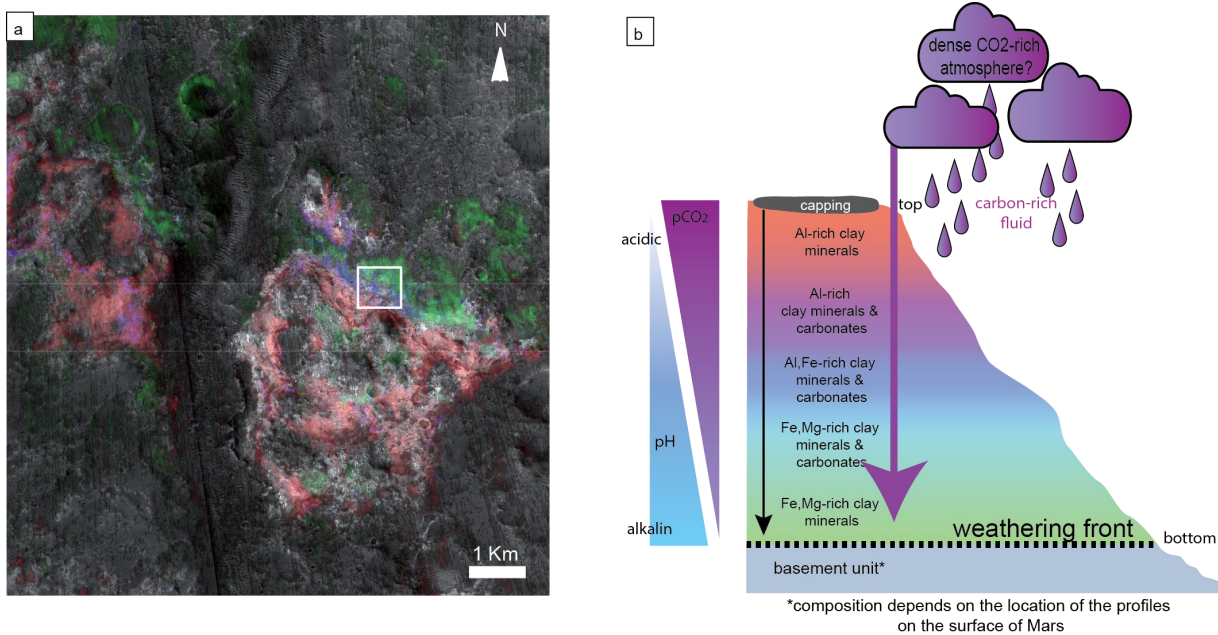


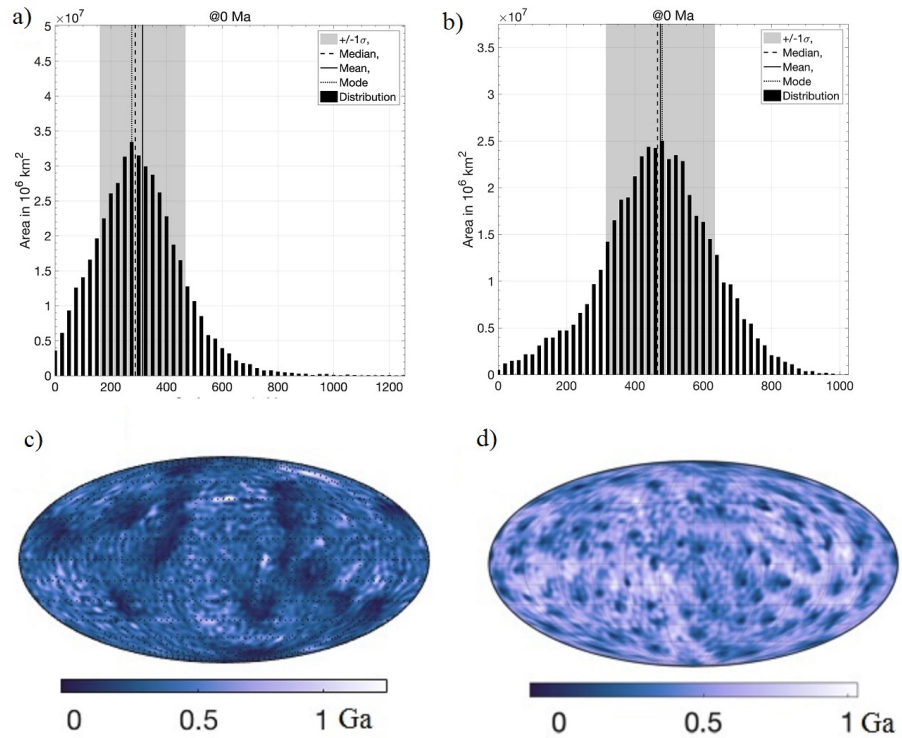
Figure 5.3. Left: CTX mosaic on Mawrth Vallis with overlapping CRISM image FRT00003BFB to visualize the mineralogy. Right: Sketch (not at the scale) of the weathering profile. The evolution trend from top to bottom of pH and pCO₂ is shown. The dotted line indicates the weathering front between the Fe, Mg-rich clay minerals horizon and the basement. The black arrow symbolizes the progression of the weathering front. The droplets symbolize the percolation of the fluid through the weathering profile. The clouds symbolize a denser than today CO₂-rich atmosphere.

bonates are collocated with hydrated minerals in weathering profiles over the martian surface. The origin of CO₂ for the formation of carbonates could be the atmosphere. The widespread distribution of weathering profiles containing carbonates over the surface of the planet testifies of large scale interactions between fluids containing carbonic acid (pCO₂ > 0.1) with the surface of Mars in the presence of atmospheric water until around 3.7 billion years ago (Figure 5.3; Krezinska et al., 2018).

Venus' surface tells about her convecting interior

Despite its similarities in size and bulk density to Earth, Venus' geodynamic evolution has been under long debate. There is a clear sparsity in the knowledge about Venus' interior and its complex surface geology. Several past studies suggested that the surface has recycled at least ~ 0.3 to 1 Ga ago. This last recycling event has been suggested to possibly have occurred through continuous magmatic resurfacing or by a whole mantle overturn events, which occur episodically. In either case, Venus presently attained a stagnant mode with a very young surface, whose global mean surface age is estimated as ± 500 Myr. This age estimate comes from the impact crater studies which also led to the assumption of near uniform global surface age. We computed global mantle convection models of Venus with an objective of reproducing young surface age distributions matching the observations. The surface age is generated self-consistently from 3D numerical models featuring both volcanic and resurfacing by overturn events. Result from these models, show that stagnant lid models have often kept the mean surface age globally as young as 250 ± 150 Myr with in a range of 100-500 Myr. In case of episodic lid models where the resurfacing is by overturn events produced age

Figure 5.4. (shows a) & (c) the stagnant lid and (b) & (d) the episodic lid cases where (a) & (b) shows the histograms of surface age and (c) & (d) their spread globally at the final snapshot of model evolution in Mollweide projection.



ranges from 300-650 Myr with mean surface age at ± 500 Myr (Figure 5.4). We also computed models to investigate the roles of mantle viscosity, melt eruption and internal heating rates. In episodic cases, increasing yield stress is revealed to have a greater influence in causing overturn events and has direct effect over global mean surface age distributions.

Using available surface observation data, geologic mapping is carried out to estimate the area covered by volcano-tectonic structures, plains, and tesserae. Tessera units are long debated to have survived the last overturn or recycling event. We also computed numerical models by implementing cratons to represent tesserae to understand their role on interior dynamics. By using the amount of tesserae obtained from the geologic mapping, model results can help in understanding their role in surface and mantle dynamics, especially in linking the chronological classification of various geologic landforms and the timing of resurfacing events. Furthermore, this study can be extended to understand the role of tesserae structures and their role in the Venusian dynamic evolution (Rolf et al., 2018. Bultel et al., 2019).

Venus' mantle dynamics modelling constrained by observed gravity and topography

One of our new projects, **PLATONICS** an NFR-funded Young-Talents grant, further bridges the gap between interior planetary dynamics and its surface expressions across different bodies of our solar system, focussing on the Earth, Venus, and one of Jupiter's icy moons with active surface tectonics, Europa (Figure 5.5; *Uppalapati et al., 2019*).

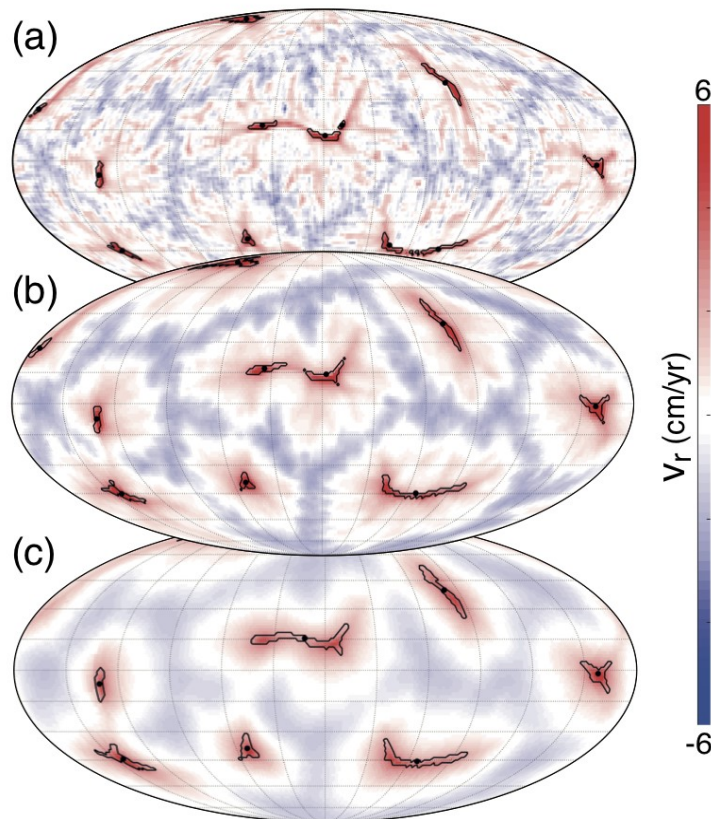


Figure 5.5. Mantle cross section of radial velocity in one of the published models of Venus' mantle dynamics. Red colour indicates upward, blue colour downward flow. Black contours surround the major upwelling regions, the black dots denotes the centroids of those. Their number in the model is in line with constraints from thermal emissivity observations on Venus' surface. The panel (a)-(c) correspond to three different depths, 590, 950, 1840 km below the surface.

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6. Earth Laboratory

The Earth Laboratory Team uses paleomagnetism as an investigative tool for constraining the Earth's paleogeography, studying the history of the geomagnetic field, and developing absolute full-plate kinematic models for the motion of lithospheric plates in the geologic past.

In 2018, the Earth Laboratory team conducted several research projects aimed to generate new, high-quality paleomagnetic datasets and integrate paleomagnetic data with other geological and geophysical observations to develop full-plate paleogeographic reconstructions for the last 600 million years of the geologic history. Our researchers (Dobrovine, Kulakov) led two large collaborative studies, which were carried out in cooperation with colleagues from the UK, Finland, Ecuador, Estonia and the USA, with the aim to investigate the stability and intensity of the geomagnetic field in Mesozoic time and relate these observations to the fundamental properties of the Earth's magnetic dynamo, such as the frequency of geomagnetic reversals. Three field-work trips were organized for collecting new paleomagnetic materials in northern Norway (Finnmark), Russia (central Siberia) and northern China (Shnaxi province). The team members published 9 research articles in peer-reviewed scientific journals (one of them in Nature Scientific Reports, *Domeier et al., 2018*) and authored 12 conference papers that were presented at the annual meetings of the European Geosciences Union (EGU) and the American Geophysical Union (AGU). Dr. Mathew Domeier was awarded by the Reusch Medal 2018 from the Norwegian Geological Society in recognition of his contributions to the development of Paleozoic full-plate paleogeographic reconstructions.

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Table 6.1. Summary of research projects for 2018

<i>Paleomagnetism of Mesozoic and Precambrian diabase dikes from southwestern Greenland: implications for paleogeographic fits and true polar wander (Evgeniy Kulakov, CEED; Justin Tonti-Fillipini, Erasmus+ PhD student, Univ. Iceland)</i>
<i>Baltica and Laurentia during the assembly of Rodinia: Paleomagnetic constraints from southern Norway (Evgeniy Kulakov, CEED)</i>
<i>Precambrian paleomagnetism of northern Norway (Evgeniy Kulakov, CEED; Justin Tonti-Fillipini, Erasmus+ PhD student, Univ. Iceland)</i>
<i>Latitude dependence of geomagnetic secular variation in the Cretaceous and Jurassic and its relationship with the frequency of magnetic reversals (Pavel V. Dobrovine and Evgeniy Kulakov, CEED)</i>
<i>Intensity of the geomagnetic field in the Cretaceous and Jurassic: Implications for the long-term history of Mesozoic geodynamo (Evgeniy Kulakov and Pavel V. Dobrovine, CEED)</i>
<i>Paleomagnetism of 510 Ma Kalkarindji large igneous province from northwestern Australia (Mathew Domeier, CEED)</i>
<i>The Triassic Nicola Group and Cretaceous Spences Bridge Group from western Canada: Paleomagnetic records and implications for the tectonics of the North American Cordillera (Mathew Domeier, CEED)</i>
<i>Refining the Permian position of Africa with paleomagnetic data from the volcanics of Morocco (Mathew Domeier, CEED)</i>
<i>Paleomagnetism and dating of Neoproterozoic sediments in Northeast Svalbard (Hans Jørgen Kjøl, PhD student at CEED)</i>
<i>Age and environmental evolution of early syn-rift stratigraphy, Corinth Rift, Greece (Gauti T. Eliassen, UiB, visiting)</i>
<i>Paleomagnetism and magnetic fabric of shallow igneous intrusions from the Early Cretaceous Diabassoden suite, Svalbard (Erik Halvorsen, UiB, visiting)</i>

The national geomagnetic facility is hosted by CEED in partnership with the UiB, NTNU, and the Geological Survey of Norway (NGU), and has been run and maintained by the Earth Laboratory team since 2016, with support from the Research Council of Norway (NFR). In accordance with the plans for operating the Norwegian national research infrastructure for geomagnetism, paleomagnetism and rock magnetism (the Ivar Giæver Geomagnetic Laboratory, IGGL), two research visits by scientists from the University of Bergen (UiB) were organized and conducted at the IGGL. Below is a brief synopsis of the most important outcomes of our 2018 activities. The full list of research projects conducted by or with assistance of the Earth Laboratory team is given in Table 6.1.

Paleomagnetism

Paleomagnetic study of Mesozoic coast-parallel dykes of southwestern Greenland

It is a well-known and still unresolved problem that the Jurassic to Early Cretaceous segments of paleomagnetically-derived paths of apparent polar wander (APWP) for North America (Laurentia) and Eurasia show a clear discrepancy when they are corrected for the relative motion between the two continents. Paleomagnetic poles from coeval Early Cretaceous-Jurassic rocks of North America and Eurasia differ significantly, with North American poles characterized by shallower pole latitudes. The APWP mismatch cannot be resolved by correction for inclination shallowing or using different plate circuits. One of the possible explanations for the observed discrepancy is that paleomagnetic data from North America have been possibly affected by younger remagnetizations and/or tectonic rotation. In an attempt to resolve this problem, paleomagnetic study of samples from Late Jurassic to Early Cretaceous coast-parallel mafic dykes exposed in SW Greenland (part of Laurentia) was carried out. Paleomagnetic samples have been subjected to a step-wise thermal and alternating field demagnetization which yielded well-defined directions of characteristic remanent magnetization. A primary nature of the characteristic remanence is supported by positive baked-contact tests and the presence of paleomagnetic directions of both polarities that pass a reversal test. Our results indicate that the paleomagnetic pole for Greenland has higher latitude than the coeval North American poles and plots closer to the APWP path for Eurasia (Figure 6.1). This observation does not support a hypothesis of a rapid true polar wander episode with magnitude of over 20 degrees at ~150-145 Ma. The preliminary results of this study have been reported at the General Assembly of the European Geosciences Union 2018 in Vienna, Austria

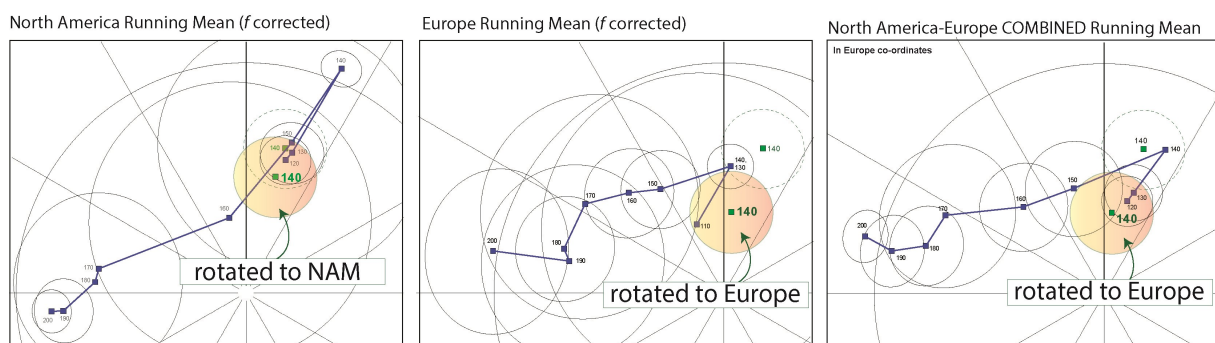


Figure 6.1. Jurassic through Early Cretaceous segments of apparent polar wander paths for North America (left) and Eurasia (center) of Torsvik et al. (2012) compared to the ~140 Ma pole from dykes of SW Greenland (green square with orange-shaded 95% uncertainty region) rotated to North America and Eurasia, respectively. The right panel shows the comparison with a synthetic APWP combining the poles from North America and Eurasia in European coordinates (Kulakov et al., 2018a).

(Kulakov *et al.*, 2018b) and the work on the analysis of paleomagnetic and rock-magnetic data from dykes of SW Greenland will continue in 2019 and will be finalized by the end of the year.

Paleosecular variation in the Cretaceous and Jurassic and its relationship with the frequency of geomagnetic reversals

Changes in the Earth’s magnetic field have led to numerous polarity reversals in the geologic past, causing the field directions over the entire Earth to be opposite to those observed today. More subtle changes during periods of stable field polarity are referred to as “secular variation.” In paleomagnetic studies, the level of field variability is commonly estimated by the directional dispersion of remanent magnetization vectors in rapidly-cooled igneous rocks (lavas and shallow intrusions), or by the dispersion of virtual geomagnetic poles (VGPs) corresponding to these directions. Estimates of paleosecular variation (PSV) derived from geologically recent lavas (0-5 Ma) showed that the dispersion of VGPs has systematically varied with latitude during this period, being approximately twice lower at the equator compared to high latitudes. Further analyses of PSV extending back to the Early Jurassic suggested that there existed a link between the latitude variation of VGP dispersion and the frequency of geomagnetic reversals, and hence that the latitude behavior of PSV can be used as a proxy for assessing the stability of geomagnetic dynamo process with regard to its propensity to produce reversals.

In this study, we have compiled a new paleomagnetic database from rapidly-cooled igneous rocks that were specifically selected to obtain reliable PSV estimates in Late Cretaceous through Jurassic time, allowing us to compare the latitude dependence of PSV during time intervals characterized by drastically different frequencies of geomagnetic reversals. Specifically, we compared the latitude patterns of PSV for a long interval of stable polarity in the

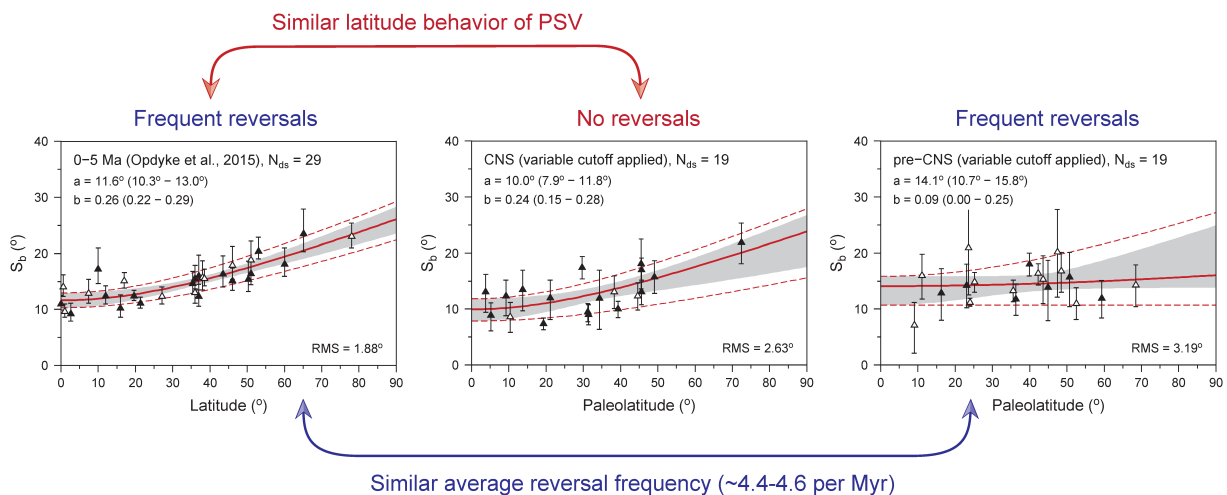


Figure 6.2. Latitude dependence of PSV estimated by the angular dispersion of VGPs (S_b) for 0–5 Ma (left, data from the compilation of Opdyke *et al.* (2015)), the Cretaceous Normal Superchron (84–126 Ma, center) and the preceding Early Cretaceous–Jurassic interval (126–198 Ma, right) (Dobrovine *et al.*, 2019). Black and white triangles show the individual PSV estimates from rock formations paleogeographically located in the northern and southern hemispheres, respectively. Red solid curves show the fits of Model G of McFadden *et al.* (1991) that describe the overall patterns of latitude variation. Red dashed lines correspond to the 95% uncertainties of Model G parameters; gray-shaded fields show the true 95% confidence regions, which take into account the covariance of model parameters.

Cretaceous (the Cretaceous Normal Superchron, CNS, 84-126 Ma) and the preceding Early Cretaceous-Jurassic interval (pre-CNS, 126-198 Ma), during which geomagnetic reversals were frequent (average reversal frequency of ~ 4.6 Myr⁻¹). We found that the CNS was characterized by a strong increase in the VGP angular dispersion with latitude, whereas the VGP dispersion for the pre-CNS period was nearly invariant as a function of latitude (Figure 6.2). However, a comparison with the PSV behavior for the last 5 or 10 million years (average reversal frequency of ~ 4.4 - 4.8 Myr⁻¹) showed that the latitude invariance of VGP scatter cannot be considered as a characteristic feature of a frequently-reversing field, and that a strong increase in VGP dispersion with latitude was not restricted to the long periods of stable polarity (Figure 6.2). We also showed that the existing models describing the latitude dependence of PSV do not provide reliable proxies for the reversal frequency and should not be used to make inferences about the geomagnetic field stability. **The latitude-invariant PSV behavior during the pre-CNS interval suggests that the geodynamo may have operated in a regime characterized by a high degree of equatorial symmetry. In contrast, more asymmetric geodynamos suggested for 0-10 Ma and the CNS were evidently capable of producing a very wide range of reversal frequencies.** A paper describing the results of this study has been accepted for publication in *Geochemistry, Geophysics, Geosystems* (Dobrovine *et al.*, 2019).

Variations in the intensity of geomagnetic field in the Mesozoic

A new global paleointensity database for 65-200 Ma was compiled and analyzed using a modified suite of paleointensity quality criteria (QPI) such that the likely reliability of measurements was assessed objectively and as consistently as possible across the diverse dataset. This interval was chosen because it includes dramatic extremes of geomagnetic polarity reversal frequency ranging from greater than 10 reversals per million years in the Jurassic hyperactivity period (JHAP, 155-171 Ma) to effectively frequency zero during the Cretaceous Normal Superchron (CNS, 84-126 Ma). Our analyses indicate that independent of the selection criteria applied, data consistently exhibit the strongest median virtual dipole moment (VDM) values during the CNS (Figure 6.3 next page). In addition, the CNS and JHAP are characterized by the highest and lowest percentage of VDMs exceeding the overall median for the 65-200 Ma interval, respectively. **These observations suggest that the superchron dynamo was able to generate stronger fields than the dynamo operating in the frequently reversing regime. While the precise mechanism remains unclear, our results are compatible with the hypothesis that field strength and reversal rate variation are controlled by changes in core-mantle boundary thermochemical conditions.** The results of this study have been presented at the Fall Meeting of the American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2018 in San-Francisco, CA, USA (Kulakov *et al.*, 2018), and have been submitted for publication to the *Journal of Geophysical Research* (Kulakov *et al.*, *submitted*).

Paleogeography and Plate Tectonics

Reconsidering the Grenville-Sveconorwegian-Sunsas link in Rodinia reconstructions

The Grenville, Sveconorwegian, and Sunsas orogens are typically inferred to reflect collision between Laurentia, Baltica, and Amazonia at ca. 1.0 Ga, forming a central portion of the Rodinia supercontinent. This triple-junction configuration is often nearly identical in otherwise diverse Rodinia reconstructions. However, available geological data suggest that although the Grenville and Sveconorwegian provinces shared a similar tectonic evolution from

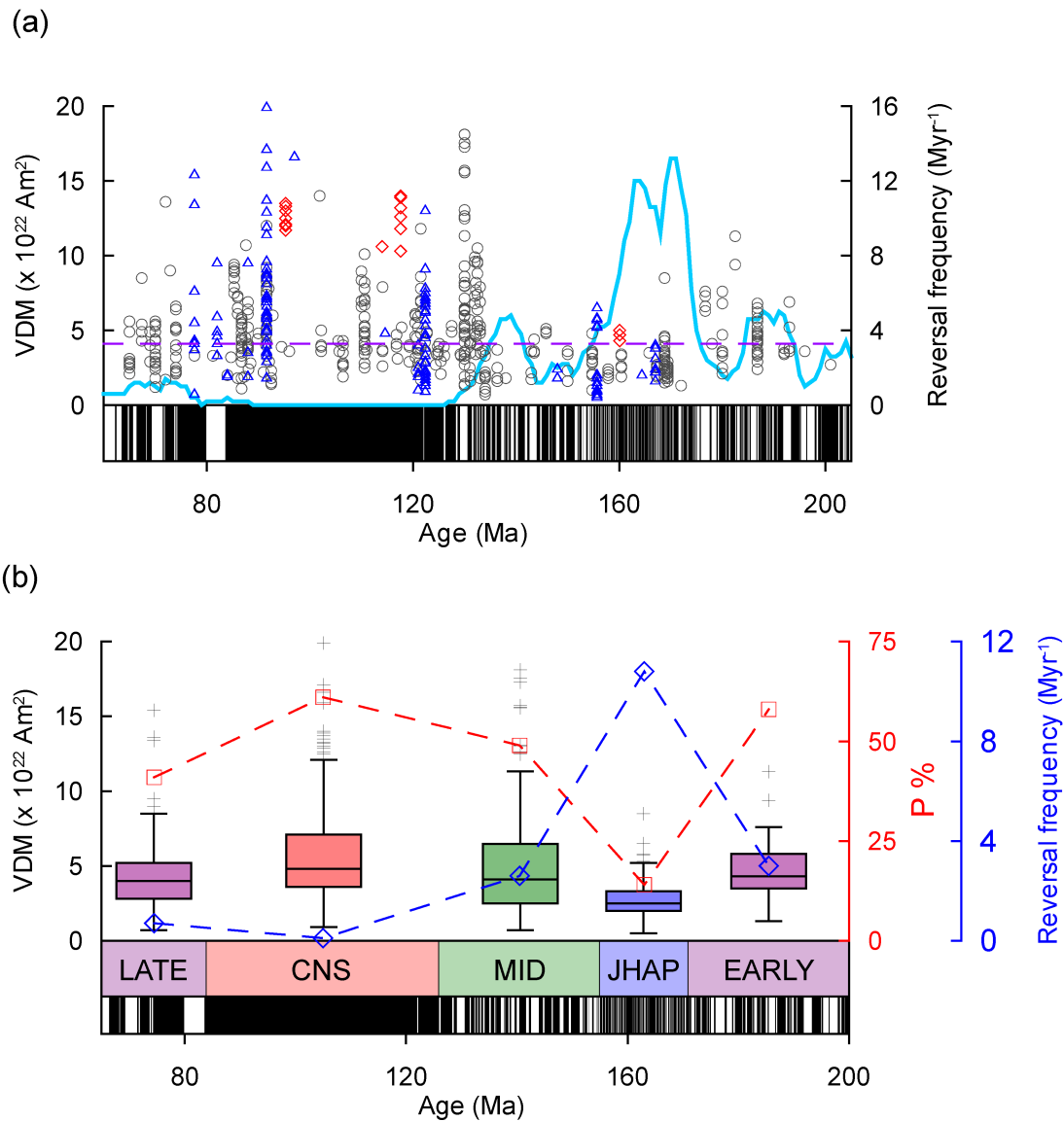


Figure 6.3. Paleointensity data for 65-200 Ma expressed as values of Virtual Dipole Moment (VDM). (a) Site-mean VDMs based on analyses of bulk rocks (grey circles), submarine basaltic glass (SBG; blue triangles), and single silicate crystals (red diamonds). The light blue curve shows the average reversal frequency calculated with a 5 Ma sliding window. The geomagnetic polarity timescale (Ogg, 2012) shows the normal/reverse polarity as black/white bars. (b) Box plot for data within the selected time bins (EARLY: 200-171 Ma; the Jurassic hyperactivity period, JHAP: 171-155 Ma; MID: 155-126 Ma; the Cretaceous Normal Superchron, CNS: 126-84 Ma; and LATE: 84-65 Ma). Horizontal lines are median VDM values, color boxes show the interquartile range (IQR), error bars show the full range excluding outliers (black crosses). Outliers are defined as being more than ± 1.5 IQR outside of the box. Blue open diamonds indicate the average reversal rate for the selected time bins. Red open squares show the percentage (P%) of VDM values exceeding the overall 65-200 Ma median for individual time bins.

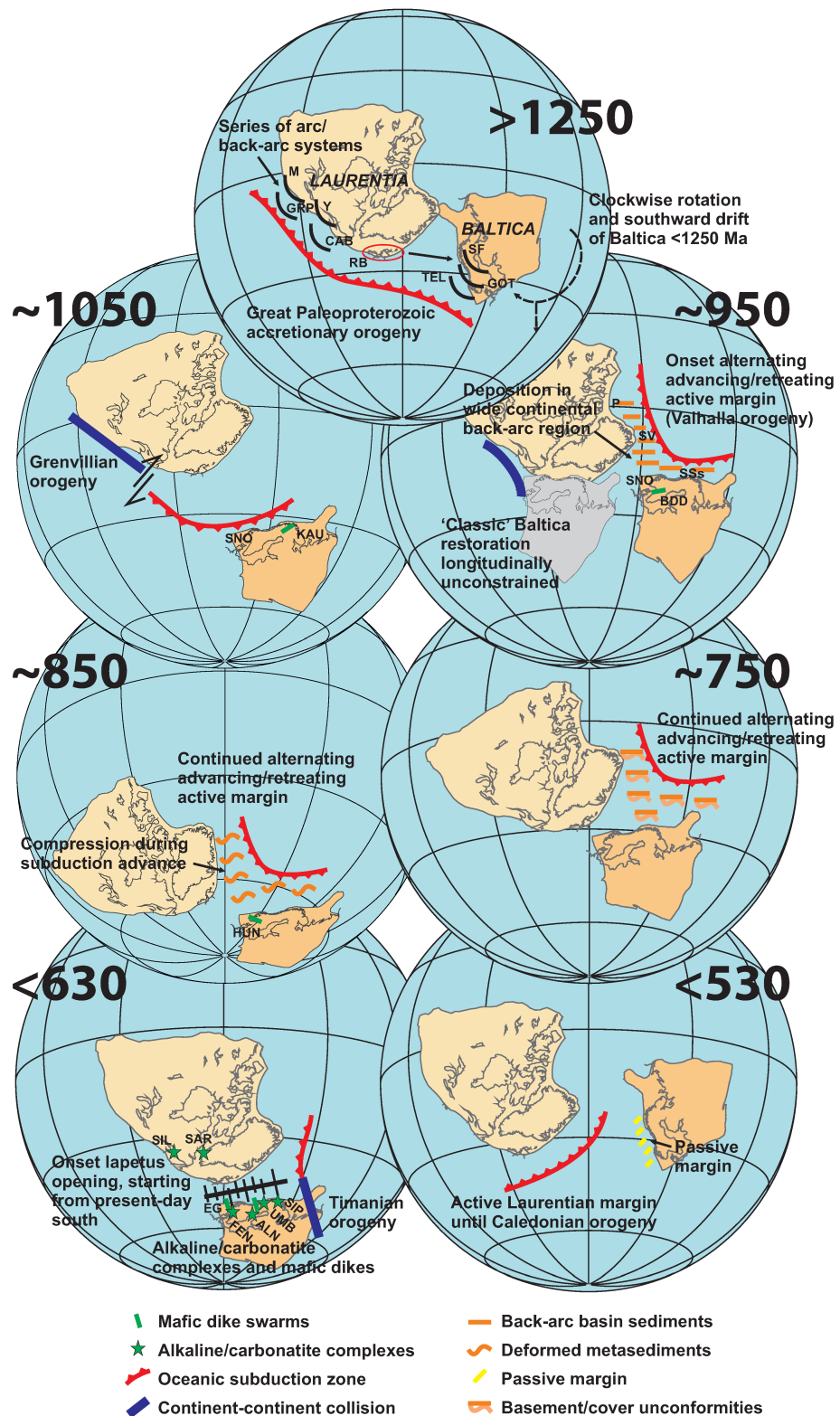
pre-1.8 to ca. 1.3 Ga, they record distinctly different tectonic histories leading up to, during, and following Grenville–Sveconorwegian orogenesis. Whereas Grenvillian tectonic evolution likely ended in collision with Amazonia at 1.1–1.0 Ga, Sveconorwegian orogenesis is interpreted to have ended when the active continental margin retreated to a more outboard position at ca. 0.9 Ga. From then on, active-margin processes continued as the Valhalla orogeny and this long-lived evolution can be traced until the Iapetus ocean opening at ca. 0.6–0.55 Ga (Figure 6.4 next page). Our interpretations suggest that most published Rodinia reconstructions and evolutionary models need to be revised and illustrate the power of considering both pre- and post-orogenic evolution when correlating orogenic systems in supercontinent reconstructions, requiring an understanding of different systems both prior to and following the onset of an orogenic event. A manuscript describing these findings has been submitted for publication in *Geology* (Slagstag *et al.*, *submitted*).

Full-plate paleogeographic reconstructions for the Paleozoic and the latest Neoproterozoic

Full-plate paleogeographic models (e.g., Domeier and Torsvik, 2019) can provide key input for linking the evolution of paleogeography with the underlying processes of global plate tectonics, and developing full-plate reconstructions has been one of the main research activities of the Earth Laboratory team. As a continuation of an on-going, overarching project to construct a spatially and temporally seamless plate tectonic model of the Earth for the last 600 Myr (Domeier and Torsvik, 2014; Domeier, 2016; 2018), much work in 2018 has been spent on compiling and distilling geological information from the major continents for the time period between 600 and 500 Ma. This window of time represents the final period for which fundamental reconstructions with plate boundaries are lacking, and so the last major obstacle to completing a continuous 600-Myr plate model. Our present aim is to be finished with this work by late 2019.

In addition to that main research theme, we have conducted two additional projects that have spawned from the full-plate models. Both of these projects focused on the calculation of the global subduction-flux and linking its temporal evolution to other geodynamical processes. The first project investigated the possible temporal connection between changes in the global rate of subduction and subsequent changes in the rate of geomagnetic reversals, which should be sensitive to changes in the core-mantle boundary heat flow (the latter being presumably modulated by changes in the rate or volume of lithosphere subducted as a function of time). The results of this study have been published in *Tectonophysics* (Hounslow *et al.*, 2018). The second project considered the possible link between regional changes in the subduction flux along specific continental margins, and resulting changes in arc magmatism along those margins, insofar as the latter can be estimated from zircon age frequencies. This study has been published in *Nature Scientific Reports* (Domeier *et al.*, 2018). **Both studies argued for significant linkages between the time-dependent subduction flux and the geodynamic processes considered, and present examples of the utility of full-plate models** (Figure 6.5, page 61).

Figure 6.4. Mesoproterozoic and Neoproterozoic paleogeographic reconstructions of Laurentia and Baltica and interpretations of the tectonic events leading to, during, and following the development of the Sveconorwegian orogeny (Slagstad et al., submitted).



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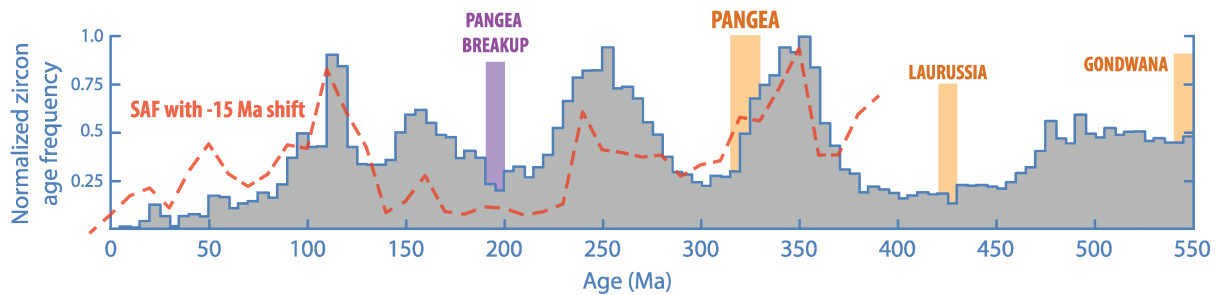


Figure 6.5. Episodic age distribution of zircons in the Phanerozoic (Domeier et al., 2018). Gray bars show the age frequency distribution of Phanerozoic detrital zircons from arc environments. Vertical yellow bars mark major continental assembly and dispersal events. The red-dashed line shows the subduction area flux of the last 410 Ma, shifted by 15 Ma according to the best-fit correlation lag-time determined by Hounslow et al. (2018).

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The Water Planet is an umbrella project that explores and develops water-related linkages among the CEED teams. This project recognizes the ubiquity of water within the Earth system, extending from the hydrous minerals within Earth's deep interior to the active role of water within Earth's surface environment. Using the commonality of water within the research of all the CEED teams, the Water Planet project helps to build a collaborative and interdisciplinary environment within CEED.

Water is tightly linked to planetary dynamics on a variety of timescales, and therefore represents a theme running through the research activities of all the CEED teams. In particular, water plays an important role in topics as diverse as planetary formation, mantle dynamics, sedimentology, glaciology, biology, and hydrology. Many water-related topics, such as sea level change, link geoscience research with problems of significant public interest.

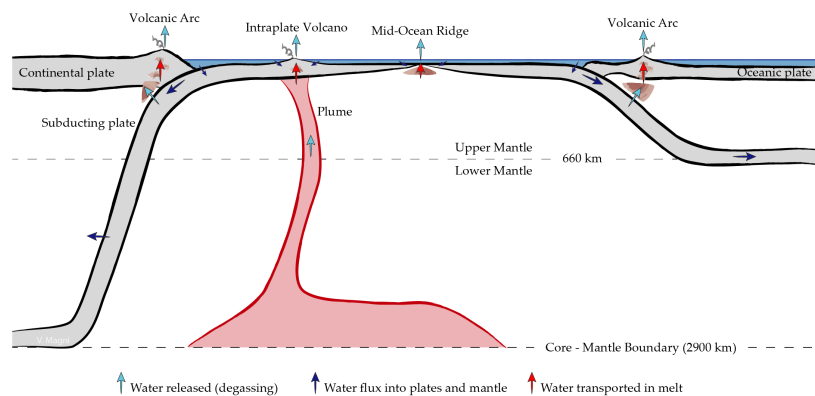
In 2018, CEED initiated the “**Water Planet**” umbrella project. This project aims to explore and develop water-related linkages among the CEED

teams, with outreach to the Geosciences Department, other UiO entities, and international collaborators. We will organize interactions through seminars, discussions, and contributions from all CEED teams, and document our activities using the new water planet website: www.waterplanet.no. Already, we have begun to develop research themes that help to focus the efforts of the Water Planet project. Here we describe the four research themes that we have developed so far.

Mantle Dynamics

Water is present not only on the surface of the Earth, but also within its interior. It is stored in small percentages or parts per million in hydrous and nominally anhydrous minerals that are stable at different pressures and temperatures.

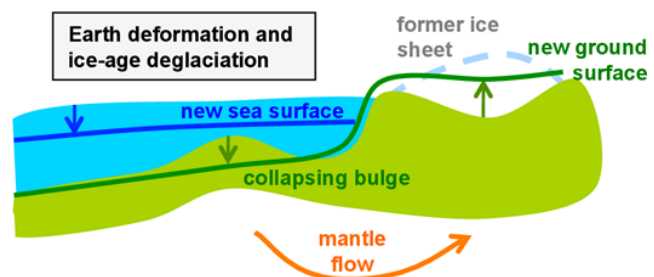
How much water is present in the Earth's mantle is unknown; estimates range from about half to seven times the present-day ocean mass. The links between shallow and deep water at the mantle scale are interesting to explore as they affect many aspects of our dynamic planet.



Surface Deformation

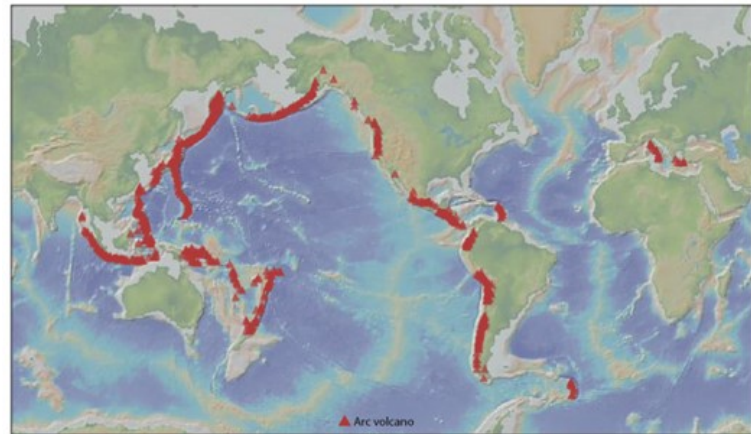
Water on Earth's surface is stored primarily as seawater in the ocean basins and as ice and groundwater on the continents. Changes to Earth's climate cause water to move between these storage reservoirs, resulting in adjustments to Earth's hydrological load.

These changes can deform the Earth's solid surface, deflect Earth's gravitational field, and perturb Earth's rotation axis. On longer timescales, geologic and geophysical processes can alter the shapes of ocean basins and continents, influencing sea level and affecting climate. Study of water movements across recent history and distant geologic time can help us to understand the deformation processes occurring within the Earth.



Volcanism

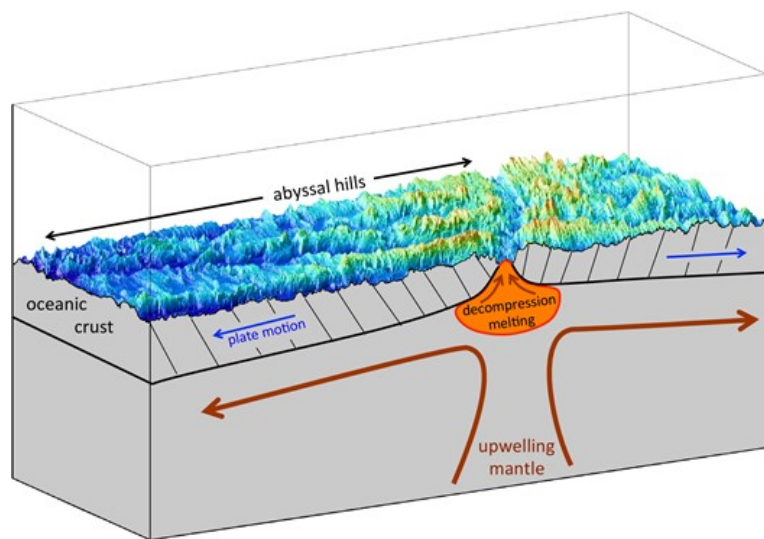
Water is a key ingredient of volcanism; it plays a major role in the formation of many volcanoes, it affects both the viscosity of magmas and the explosiveness of eruptions. The volcanic arc chains at convergent margins, such as the volcanoes of the “ring of fire” around the Pacific Ocean, form thanks to the water released from the subducting plate at depth.



Away from subduction zones, magmas produced at the mid-ocean ridges and in intraplate settings can also release small amounts of water transported from the deep mantle. All of these volcanic systems can interact with water near the Earth’s surface, producing hydrothermal or hybrid systems, or eruptions associated with glacial unloading. As a result, water is intimately linked to volcanism throughout the earth system, from the deep mantle to the surface, across timescales as short as those relevant for climate change and as long as those associated with earth’s geologic history.

Seafloor

While Earth’s continents have been explored and studied in detail, the other ~70% of our planet’s surface has been more difficult to study because it is covered by water. Indeed, massive features such as Earth’s global mid-ocean ridge system were discovered as late as the 1950s, and only after extensive shipboard mapping efforts. Now, satellite mapping of gravity variations give a much more detailed picture of seafloor topography, but our knowledge of seafloor processes is still very



much limited by the underwater environment. Despite these challenges, some of our most fundamental advances in the earth sciences, such as the theory of plate tectonics, have resulted from geological and geophysical observations of the ocean floor. This is because the continuous recycling of seafloor into Earth’s interior links it tightly to our planet’s interior processes and keeps it young enough (less than 180 million years, compared to Earth’s age of 4.54 billion years) that key tectonic and volcanic processes can be observed in a relatively pristine state. For these reasons, marine geology and geophysics represents an important frontier for the Earth sciences, despite the difficulty of making observations beneath a covering of water.

The Else Ragnhild Neumann award

Centre for Earth Evolution and Dynamics (CEED) awards every year the Else-Ragnhild Neumann Award for Women in Geosciences. The award goes to a woman who through PhD or postdoctoral work has made a significant contribution to research in Geosciences.

Requirements for nomination

The nominee should reside in Norway at the time of nomination. Women are eligible for the first 7 years following their degree, except in the case of significant interruptions to a research career.

About the award

The Else-Ragnhild Neumann award honours the scientific contribution of Professor Else-Ragnhild Neumann. In 1981, she became the first female professor in Geosciences in Norway. Neumann worked with the University of Oslo and are still active and publish about volcanism and links to mantle processes. She studied the Oslo region, the Canary Islands and other volcanic islands, the Siberian Traps and other areas that experienced significant magmatism.

ciety like the one built in Norway where parents is a big step forward. Despite this, first fulfil her tasks as a mother and as a partner, and only after that to think about a (time) demanding academic career.

Because an academic career means uncertainty, unorthodox working hours, days, weeks and even months away from home, moving your family around the world, and maybe having your mind and attention hooked on strange, abstract problems. Last year, when I have first proposed the idea of an award recognising early career female geoscientists, I have received the reply: “Do you really think that there are so many candidates for that award”?

On the 7th of December CEED celebrated the 80th birthday of the first female professor in Geosciences in Norway: **Else-Ragnhild Neumann**. She became a Full Professor in 1981, the year the world was revolutionised by the first IBM personal computer (PC). Was it the dawn of a new era?

The information about when the first woman completed a doctoral degree in Geosciences in Norway was difficult to find, but it was 1903 when the first woman defended a doctoral thesis in Kristiania (now Oslo), and 1912 when the University of Oslo appointed the first female professor, the zoologist Kristine Bonnevie. Another 69 years passed until a female geoscientist was found qualified to become a Professor!

The statistics based on data available for the last six years show that in 2018 women represent 25% from the number of full professors in Norwegian Universities. The Department of Geosciences at University of Oslo has 7 female full professors, out of the total of 29 professors, confirming the national ratio (1/4) published earlier this year.

Although an improvement since 1981, talented young women who choose to pursue an academic career still encounter more obstacles than their male peers. A so-

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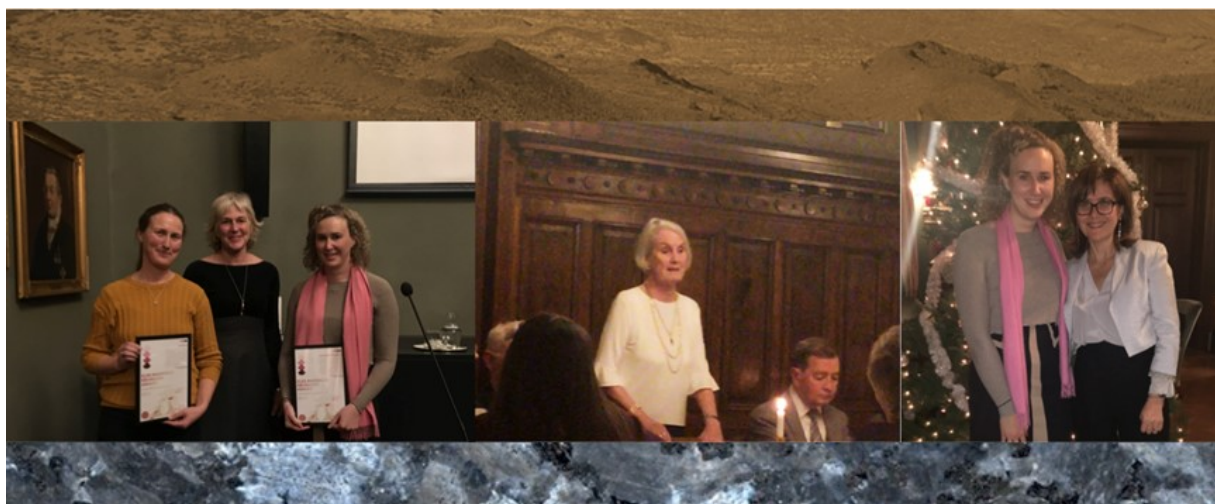
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Yet, the Else-Ragnhild Neumann award international committee received 6 excellent nominations and they have selected two amazing young and talented women who deserve the prize for contributing in a significant way to the field of Geosciences during their PhD and postdoctoral studies. They are both working now with the University of Oslo.

Dr. Anya Røyne is a Norwegian physicist turned into a geoscientist, has three children, received a PhD in 2011, and has published 25 papers. Her work advanced our understanding of mineral growth in porous media, fluid and hydration, and crystal growth by using original experimental approaches and new devices.

The award is shared with **Dr. Grace E. Shephard**, an Australian scientist who moved to Norway immediately after completing her doctoral studies in 2014. Dr. Shepard is commended for her growing scientific production that provides fundamental contribution on understanding the link between shallow surface process and deep mantle dynamics. A considerable amount of both awardees scientific work was developed in Norwegian centers of excellence (in Physics of Geological Processes-PGP, and the Center for Earth Evolution and Dynamics-CEED, respectively).

Being recognized early in your career can change many things. It feels good to know that what one does from passion and dedication is helpful and important. It opens doors, at least this is how the history, mainly written by our male colleagues, goes. And maybe the (academic) world can suddenly become a more accessible arena, and a career that leads to a professorship may turn more often into reality. For women too.



*Snapshots from the Else Ragnhild Neumann seminar and award ceremony at the Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters, Oslo, Norway, 07.12.2018. **Left** – Inaugural Else Ragnhild Neumann awardees for Women in Geosciences: Anja Røyne and Grace Shephard (UiO) and Head of Department of Geosciences, Brit Lisa Skjelkvåle; **Middle** –Else Ragnhild Neumann on her 80th birthday; **Right** – Grace Shephard and Carmen Gaina (CEED).*



In 2018, a new initiative was brought to life to foster new ideas on long-standing geoscientific questions and to support CEED's early career researchers with developing broad scientific and academic skills and establishing a presence in the research community. The novel YoungCEED initiative aims to bring together a diverse group of early career researchers, from CEED but also from other research institutes abroad, to work on a cross-disciplinary topic of the Earth Sciences. The main research is carried out during a week-long intensive workshop in the Oslo area, which is in its entirety organised by some of the participating YoungCEED researchers.



YoungCEED workshop 2018 – Subduction Initiation: When do oceanic plates start to sink?

The first YoungCEED workshop was held between 5.-12. November 2018. A total of 14 cross-disciplinary scientists were involved, among which were 8 international and 6 CEED-based scientists, to spend a full week (i.e., 7 days) in the UiO-owned, Biology research station in Drøbak.

The 2018 cross-disciplinary project focussed on how, when and where new subduction zones form on the recent (i.e., <200 Ma) Earth in the presence of ongoing present-day style of plate tectonics. Subduction zones are the regions where surface plates collide with other plates and subsequently sink into the mantle. The formation of new subduction zones is important to understand as it enables and maintains Earth-like, present-day plate tectonics. Subduction-zone initiation is thereby the crucial geodynamic feature that keeps distinguis-





The UiO-owned, Biology research station in Drøbak.

hing the Earth's evolution from the evolution of all other known rocky planets.

The aim of the workshop was to shed new light on this hugely important, but still elusive aspect of the Earth's evolution by collecting and interpreting all available cross-disciplinary data. By studying the literature and diagnosing plate reconstruction models and seismic tomography data sets of present-day slabs, a novel Subduction-Zone Initiation (SZI) Database was created. The SZI-Database will be made openly accessible and published alongside a publication in which this extensive data set will be analysed. This not only improves the characterisation of individual SZI events, but also shines important new light on the general dynamics involved in SZI.

This intensive workshop, that brought together 14 inter-disciplinary early-career scientists, was a novel way to tackle this long-standing, inter-disciplinary problem of the Earth Sciences. Apart from producing new scientific insights and providing each participant with an incredibly broad understanding of SZI, it fostered the development of each participant by training academic independence (from current supervisors) while forming new (and strong) connections to peers.

A summary of the first YoungCEED workshop has been posted on the CEED webpage (<https://www.mn.uio.no/ceed/english/about/news-and-events/news/2018/young-ceed-subduction-initiation.html>).

Organisers: Valentina Magni, Grace Shephard, Mat Domeier, Fabio Crameri

Funding: Centre for Earth Evolution and Dynamics (CEED)

The workshop in numbers:

Total expenses: 100,000 NOK, Participant statistics

Number of unique nationalities: 12

Number of unique University affiliations: 8

% of female participants: 64 %

Participants: Kiran Chotalia (UCL, UK), George Cooper (U.Durham, UK), Fabio Crameri (CEED, UiO), Mathew Domeier (CEED, UiO), Caroline Eakin (ANU, Australia), Antoniette Grima (UCL, UK), Derya Gürer (U.Queensland, Australia), Ági Király (CEED, UiO), Valentina Magni (CEED, UiO), Elvira Mulyukova (Yale, USA), Kalijn Peters (U.Utrecht, The Netherlands), Boris Robert (CEED, UiO), Grace Shephard (CEED, UiO), Marcel Thielmann (U.Bayreuth, Germany).

Over the course of the 2018 calendar year there were numerous individual and CEED-driven outreach initiatives, including both online/digital and in-person. CEED's outreach strategy includes the dissemination of discrete research output (i.e. publications) as well as more general content (i.e. education, research and societal-related content, for example, commentary on external news items and events, blogs and news articles, job advertisements, thesis defenses, public lectures, science fairs, secondary school visits, field work and excursions, awards and honours, visiting researchers, other UiO/Geo/MatNat events and initiatives, conferences and workshops, etc.). The outreach activities aim to showcase the wide range of CEED's research interests and activities, thus all employees and students of CEED are encouraged to be proactive in outreach activities.

An aim of CEED's outreach activities is to engage both the fellow geoscientific community as well as the general public, depending on the nature of the content. It is also an opportunity to update those within the CEED community about their own colleagues' activities. Outreach posts or events include those in English, Norwegian, or both (articles in other languages, including those of the researchers' native languages is also encouraged). For the online-based outreach, CEED's main avenues include the CEED website, social media (Facebook and Twitter; YouTube from 2019), the Department of Geosciences website, and the UiO news outlets Titan.uio.no, Apollon, and Uniforum. In the Norwegian media avenues have included NRK (radio, TV and online), TV2, and www.forskning.no. New to 2018, a Wikipedia editing session (led by the 'Wikimedia' foundation) was held on the 10th October.

Selected highlights of in-person outreach events from 2018 include:

- Open Day at the new Stable Isotope Laboratory (lead by Anne Hope Jahren) 24th April 2018.
- Henrik Svensen's book: *Stein på stein* (2018). Including book launches and interviews, Dagbladet's recommended reading. See also Svensen's extensive individual outreach efforts.
- Nils Prieur popular science talk at "Astronomy on Tap" at Brygg Pub 26^h November 2018
- Forskningtorget booth (School Science Fair) 21-22 September 2018, Oslo.
- GEO-Onsdag talks – held on at the UiO Natural Sciences Library and streamed online.
- *More events listed in "In the media"*

CEED's social media presence includes accounts on Facebook (@CEEDOslo; 469 likes, 198 individual posts in 2018) and Twitter (@CEEDOslo; 905 followers, 116 tweets and 1.3 million "impressions" in 2018). Where possible, the posts include photos and/or video and a link to more in-depth information i.e. the journal article, CEED webpages etc. The re-sharing of posts is encouraged by individual CEED members from their own social media accounts – and the significant knock-on effect of such sharing is visible in the account's statistics.

Wikipedia editing course held at CEED



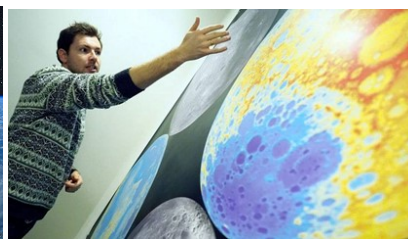
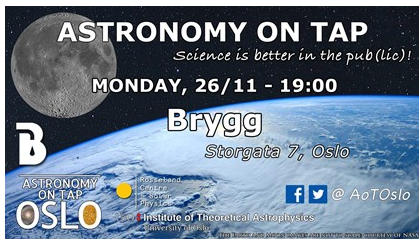


Photo: Clockwise. Nils Prieur and "Astronomy on Tap," CEED at GEO-Onsdag with talk by Trond Torsvik, and CEED at Forskningstorget in 2018.

Selected highlights of online/digital outreach events from 2018 included:

- "A Film about the Creation of Iceland" by Alisha Steinberger made in association for Steinberger et al., (2018, Nature Geoscience) publication
- DEEP and NOR-R-AM course video made by Eivind Straume
- "Postcards from CEED" over the summer week a geoscience-related photo submitted by CEED members is posted on our social media accounts
- Reidar Trønnes, various interviews with NRK (see 'In the media')
- Aswin Sekhar. Gender gaps in academia. Nature Correspondence (2018)
- Trond Torsvik and Reidar Trønnes featured in the VPRO Television (Netherlands) TV episode "The mind of the universe. A journey along the frontiers of knowledge"
- New CEED logos designed by Fabio Cramer (see page 3)

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🎉 We are pleased to announce that Pingchuan Tan defended his PhD Dissertation today (on his birthday nonetheless!): Magmatic development of the Jan Mayen - East Greenland area, NE Atlantic. 🎉
Pingchuan was supervised by Asbjørn Breivik (CEED/Institutt for geofag, Universitetet i Oslo - UiO) and co-supervised by Rolf Mjelde (UiB) and Judith Sippel (GFZ). We wish him all the best in the future as he takes up a Researcher position at the South China Sea Institute of Oceanology at the Chinese Academy of Sciences. <http://english.scsio.cas.cn/>

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Two example posts from Facebook (Pingchuan Tan's PhD defence, and the CEED summer party 2018 with related statistics to the right).



DEEP and teaching at CEED

CEED scientists participate in several teaching activities. In addition to teaching regular courses at the Department of Geosciences (see Table on next page), in 2018 they were involved in coordinating, running and lecturing in several DEEP courses as following:

GEO-DEEP9400 Intensive course: Solid Earth – Fluid Earth Interactions (16 – 20 April 2018): This intensive PhD course addressed topics like material recycling across the geospheres and how mantle dynamics, volcanism, plate tectonics influences long-term, global environmental and climatic changes. The course organizer was **Carmen Gaina** and she taught the course with 12 others, among them **Stephanie Werner, Clint Conrad, Valerie Maupin, Grace Shephard, Valentina Magni, Morgan Jones** and **Reidar Trønnes** (CEED) plus international lecturers. 12 PhD students and 1 PostDoc participated, including 6 from CEED (Straume, Uppalapati, van den Broek, Karlsen, Heyn, Zaputlyaeva).

GEO-DEEP9500 Intensive course: Arctic tectonics, volcanism and climate at Svalbard (3 – 10 August 2018): This intensive PhD course was organized in collaboration with the University Centre in Svalbard (UNIS) and NOR-R-AM. NOR-R-AM is a Norwegian-Russian -North American collaboration in Arctic research and education across several world-leading institutes. This course addressed the diverse geological history of the Arctic region, including both onshore and offshore regions from Paleozoic to recent times. It focused on the interplay of plate tectonics and volcanism (including, arc, rifting and plume-related) and explored some of the outstanding region-by-region case studies/questions within the Arctic research community. Based in the gateway to the Arctic, Svalbard, the course was complemented by a field trip.

The course organizers were **Carmen Gaina, Grace Shephard** and Kim Senger (UNIS) and they taught the course with 8 others. The other teachers from CEED were Morgan Jones, Lars Eivind Augland and **Alexander Minakov**. Of the 15 PhD and master students participating were 5 from CEED (Straume, Zaputlyaeva, Heyn, Uppalapati, Corr).

GEO-DEEP9100 Planetary Physics and Global Tectonics (24 – 28 September 2018): The course gave an introduction to the physics and tectonic processes that govern the properties and evolution of the Earth and other planets. The course responsible was **Stephanie Werner** and she taught the course with 9 others. The other teachers from CEED were **Bernhard Steinberger, Valentina Magni, Fabio Crameri, Grace Shephard, Clint Conrad, Pavel Dubrovin, Mat Domeier** and **Evgeniy Kulakov**. 6 PhD and master students registered and 4 completed the course.

DEEP has also offered several non-scientific courses in 2018:

- Course in Science communication (24-26 January 2018), 2 participants from CEED
- Bringing out the best in your students: A seminar for PhD supervisors (19 February 2018), 6 participants from CEED
- Writing for Scholars (22-23 February + 22-23 March 2018), 5 participants from CEED
- Your academic care - Building your academic CV and writing successful project proposals (21 June 2018), 1 participant from CEED
- Nature master class – advanced writing course (6-7 September 2018).

Each year DEEP also arranges the DEEP General Assembly. In 2018 it was hosted on Hurligtuta from Bergen to Trondheim with 51 participants, including 16 participants from CEED. This is a gathering of all DEEP PhD students and their supervisors to present and discuss their science.

Teaching by CEED staff at UiO

DEEP courses are given in **bold**

Course code & name	Semester	ECTS	Course responsible / assisting
GEL2140 Geofysikk og global tektonikk	Spring 18	10	A.J. Breivik
GEL2150 Field course and methodology in geology and geophysics	Spring 18	10	A.M. Lundmark, L.E. Augland , F. Franeck
GEO4120 Near-Surface Geophysics	Autumn 18	10	A.J. Breivik , S. Bazin, T. Eiken
GEO4240 Seismic interpretation	Spring 18	10	J.I. Faleide , M. Heeremans
GEO4270/9270 Integrated basin analysis and prospect evaluation	Autumn 18	10	J.I. Faleide , M. Heeremans
GEL4360 Field methods in hydrogeology	Spring 18	5	A. Sundal, C. Seena, A.J. Breivik , P. Aagaard, H. French (NMBU).
GEO4630/9630 Geodynamics	Autumn 18	10	C. Conrad , B. Steinberger , S. Buiter , V. Magni
GEO4840/9840 Tectonics	Spring 18	10	T.B. Andersen , C. Gaina / M. Domeier , J. Jakob , H.J. Kjøll for
GEO4860/GEO9860 Advanced Petrology	Spring 18	10	R.G. Trønnes , B. Jamtveit
GEO4620/9620 Seismic waves and seismology	Autumn 18	10	V. Maupin
GEO-DEEP 9400 Intensive course: Solid Earth – Fluid Earth Interactions	Spring 18	5	C. Gaina
GEO-DEEP 9500 Intensive course on Arctic tectonics, volcanism and climate at Svalbard	August 18	5	C. Gaina/G. Shephard
GEO-DEEP9100 Planetary Physics and Global Tectonics	Autumn 18	5	S.C. Werner
ISSMN4030 - A changing Arctic	Summer School	15	C. Gaina/ G. Shephard





CEED members and invited guests at Krokkleiva during the Oslo rift excursion the 19th of June

International cooperation

Country	Activity	Person(s) involved
Australia	Joint publications, collaboration, visits	C. Gaina, E. Straume, G. Shephard, H.J. Kjöll, A. Minakov
Brazil	Collaboration, joint publication, visiting student	H. Svensen, T.H. Heimdal
Canada	Research cooperation	C. Gaina, J. Jakob
Denmark	Field work (Fur, Greenland), joint supervision and collaboration, joint publications	M. Jones, T.B. Andersen, H.J. Kjöll, P. Doubrovine, E. Kulakov, C. Gaina, S. Callegaro, A. Shulgin
France	Visiting students, Field work, collaboration	T.B. Andersen, J. Jakob, C. Gaina, A. Minakov, S. Werner, C.E. Mohn, M, Baron
Germany	Visitors; Joint publication (s), collaboration	T.B. Andersen, B. Steinberger, S. Werner, A. Mazzini, C. Gaina, C. Conrad, A. Breivik, T. Rolf, N.C. Prieur
Iceland	Collaboration	C. Gaina
Indonesia	Joint research project	A. Mazzini
Italy	Collaboration	C. Gaina, A. Kiraly, T.B. Andersen,
Japan	Collaboration	R. Trønnes, S. Werner, V. Maupin
Kina	Collaboration	V. Maupin,
Russia	Field work; Research cooperation; Joint publication(s)	A. Polozov, R. Kulakov, C. Gaina, J.I. Faleide, A. Minakov, A. Mazzini
South Africa	Field related work; Joint publication(s)	T.H. Torsvik, H. Svensen
Sweden	Collaboration	S. Callegaro
The Netherlands	Joint publication(s), research collaboration, Exo Mars landing site.	T.H. Torsvik, W. Spakman, C. Gaina, S. Werner
Turkey	Collaboration, visiting student	M. Domeier, T.H. Torsvik, V. Maupin
UK	Lab work; Joint publication (s), collaboration	J. Dougal, R. Trønnes, T.H. Torsvik G. Shephard, V. Maupin, F. Crameri, C.E. Mohn, V. Magni
USA	Joint publication(s), Lab. Facilities, student visit, research cooperation	C. Conrad, A.H. Jahren, T.H. Heimdal, C. Gaina, F. Crameri

PhD student projects (in bold: finished in 2018)

Name	Topic	CEED super- visors	Funding
Ballo, Eirik	Reconstructing climatic, environmental and societal dynamics in Scandinavia in the Iron- and Viking-Age (RECESS)	Svensen, Bajard, Makke	UiO
Broek, Joost van den	The role of subduction in the formation and evolution of continental slivers and microcontinents	Gaina, Buitter, Gabrielsen, TB Andersen, Magni	EU
Bostic, Joshua N.	Reconstructing the magnitude and societal effects of acute climate changes during the Viking dark ages	Jahren, H. Svensen,	UiO
Heimdal, Thea H.	The geochemistry of sill-sediment interactions and the implications for global environmental crises – case studies from the Tunguska, Amazon and Solimões Basins. PhD defence 6 Dec. 2018	Svensen, Callegaro, Jones, Trønnes	UiO & SFF
Heyn, Bjorn H.	Convective dynamics in the lowermost mantle	Conrad, Trønnes,	UiO
Karlsen, Kristin S.	The effects of water on mantle convection dynamics - Linking the Earth's hydrological, thermal and tectonic histories	Conrad, Trønnes, Magni	UiO
Kjøll, Hans Jørgen	Wilson-cycle 'kick-off': Large Igneous Provinces, the Neoproterozoic and Cambrian evolution of Baltica and adjacent continents	TB Andersen, Torsvik	RCN & SFF



Above: Thea H. Heimdal and her main supervisor Henrik Svensen at her PhD defence party.

Left: Dr. Nils C. Prieur with his doctoral hat.

PhD student projects (cont.)

Name	Topic	Internal superv.	Funding
Prieur, Nils C.	The influence of target properties on simple crater evolution. PhD defence 13 Feb. 2018	Werner	RCN
Stokke, Ella W.	The effects of volcanic eruptions and degassing during the North Atlantic LIP on the PETM thorough geochemical analyses and studies of ash layers i the Fur Fm, Denmark	Jones, Sven-sen	RCN
Straume, Ei-vind O.	Paleoclimate in the Cenozoic time: Quantifying the role of North Atlantic plate tectonicsa amd mantle processes	Gaina, La-Casce, Nisan-cioglu, Sven-sen	UiO
Tan, Ping-chuan	Magmatic development of the Jan Mayen - East Greenland corridor, NE Atlantic. PhD defence 29 Oct. 2018	Breivik	UiO
Uppalapati, Sruthi	Cooling of a planet – Mechanisms tested for Venus and Io	Werner, Rolf, Crameri, Conrad	UiO
Zastrozhnov, Dmitry	Structure and Evolution of Mid-Norway Conti-nental Margin	Faleide, Plan-ke, Gabriel-sen	RCN
Zaputlyaeva, Alexandra	Fluid-rock interactions and geochemistry of the Lusi mud eruption, Java, Indonesia	Mazzini, Svensen	UiO

Dr Philos project

Name	Topic
Halvorsen, Erik	Paleomagnetic and magnetic fabric studies of Early Cretaceous sills from Central Svalbard: unraveling Early Cretaceous paleopole and suggested Cenozoic remagnetization in addition to divergent magnetic fabric.

Master student projects

Bold: finished in 2018

Name	Topic	CEED supervisor(s)
Bruland, Charlotte	Ambient noise tomography at the Oseberg oil and gas field, North Sea. Master exam in June 2018	Maupin
Corr, Michael E.	'Satellite Gravity Data and Lithospheric Stresses'	Minakov, Gaina
Gilje, Kristina	Interpreting the statistics of small craters on Mars by coupling cratering statistics and numerical modelling	Werner, Prieur
Hatalova, Petra	Guiding of Tectonic Plate Motions by Transform Faults	Conrad
Kolstad, Kristian G.	Relative relocation of earthquakes along the northern North Atlantic Ridge using Rayleigh waves. Finished in June 2018	Maupin
Karlsson, Rebecca	Rifting on Venus: Insights from Beta Regio system	Werner
Quintela, Orlando	Structural geology and tectonic history of the Caledonian "mélange" near Lesja, Central-South Norway	TB Andersen, Jakob
Myhre, Ragnhild	Identification of seismic records left by different landslide types in Norway . Master exam in June 2018	Maupin

Conferences and workshops (co-)organized by CEED

Date	Title and organizers (bold: organizers from CEED)
28.2	CEED - no longer a teenager. A five-year celebration of The Centre for Earth Evolution and Dynamics. Gamle Festsal, Domus Academica. Organizers: C. Gaina and T-L K. Gørbitz
19-20.4	Scanarray workshop CEED. 18 participants from Denmark, Turkey, Germany, Sweden, Australia and Norway. Organizer: V. Maupin ,
11.4	EGU short course - Geodynamics 101: how to use and interpret numerical models of the solid Earth, Vienna, Austria . Organizers: Zelst, Pusok, Rozel, F. Cramer , Dannberg, Glerum,
21.9	New Frontiers in Palaeogeography and Biogeography, the Geological Society, Burlington House, London. Organizers: C. Mac Niocaill, T.H. Torsvik and D. Harper.
5-12.11	YoungCEED workshop, Drøbak. Organizers: F. Cramer , V. Magni , G. Shephard and M. Domeier
5.12	A symposium to honour Else Ragnhild Neumann, the first female Professor in Geosciences in Norway. The Academy of Sciences. Organizers: H. Svensen , C. Gaina and T-L.K. Gørbitz

Labwork, workshops attended outside UiO		
Date	Event	Attendant(s)
29-30.5	Magellan workshop GEOMAR	A. Breivik
15-19.10	Instructor at the "École De Physique des Houches", which is a PhD training school that is run out of France. The school runs all year round for different topics in physics	C. Conrad
4.10	IODP workshop Trondheim	C. Gaina
29.1	North Atlantic workshop BHP Houston	C. Gaina
20.3	Maggelan IODP workshop Tromsø	C. Gaina
25-27.9	IODP Workshop Mt. Hood, Oregon USA	J. Jakob
28.5 to 3.6	Raman spectroscopy (RSCM) in Paris, France, together with Olivier Beys-sac	J. Jakob
24- 29.9	IODP workshop, Oregon, USA	J. Jakob
	Lab work in Copenhagen	M. Jones
19-22.8	German-Swiss Geodynamics Workshop 2018, in Kiel	A. Kiraly
21.9	German-Swiss Geodynamics Workshop 2018 - Arranged by Geomar. at Schloss Noer	V. Magni
2.9	European Seismological Conference, 36th General Assembly	A. Minakov, A. Mironova,
	NOR-R-AM Workshop, St.Petersburg State University	A. Minakov
16.1-24.2	National Oceanographic Center (NOC) i Southampton , organic geo-chemistry work	E. Stokke
23.6-1.7	Workshop in Geology and Geophysics of the solar system organized in Petnica Science Center,Serbia	S. Uppalapati
16-22.8	Workshop "Mud Volcanism and Petroleum Systems", Baku, Azerbaijan	A. Zaputlyae-va
Autumn	Stockholm, ion probe at Nordsim	S. Callegaro
Autumn	Raman spectroscopy	S. Callegaro

Field work in Norway		
19-24.9.	Svalbard, Eocene sedimentary rocks and ash deposits	LE Augland
Nov.	Coring campaign, Hedmark, Akershus, Aust-Agder, Vest Agder	E. Ballo, M. Bajard
28-30.6	The Røros area	F. Corfu
16.7	Rølldal	F. Corfu, L.E. Augland
8-18.8	Tromsø-Vesterålen-Lofoten	F. Corfu
20-24.8	Sognefjell	F. Corfu
2-9.5.	Student field course in Western Norway	J. Jakob, H.J. Kjøll, S. Callegaro
1.7 to 14.9	Field Work Norway and Sweden	J. Jakob
15-19.8	Corrovarre (Troms/Finmark)	Kjøll
15-31.8	Kautokeino-Karasjok, Finmark	Kulakov, Silkoset
Summer	Deltadalen, Svalbard	S. Planke, Sleve-land
Summer	Jessheim, Akershus	H. Svensen
Field work in Europe outside Norway		
Summer	Fur, Denmark	M. Jones, E. Stokke
15-19.8	North Sweden and	H.J. Kjøll
3-10.9.	Sarek, North Sweden	
April	Fieldwork at the Salinelle di Paterno' conducting a multidisciplinary survey including fluids sampling, drone photogrammetry and 3D geoelectrics.	A. Mazzini



Coring in lake Berse by the Vikings project members, november 2018

Field work outside Europe		
Autumn	Karoo, S. Africa with the Earth Crises Team: Augland, Callegaro, Heimdal, Jones, Stokke, Svensen	Earth Crises
12.08.-03.09.	A 3 week paleomagnetic fieldwork campaign in the Verkhoyansk fold-belt, northeast Siberia, Russia	M. Domeier
16-30.5	a 2 week paleomagnetic fieldwork campaign in Shanxi Province, China	M. Domeier
Summer	Kimberlite reconnaissance trip Cortland, NY	P. Doubrovine, E. Kulakov,
June to July	TTR-BL-18 cruise in Lake Baikal focusing on seafloor sampling and acoustic investigations of gas seeps, flares, mud volcanoes, slumps and debris flows, canyons and channels in the coastal proximity.	A. Mazzini
August to 26	Baku, Azerbadjan. Summer school in Azerbaijan on "Mud volcanism and petroleum systems" including with seminars and field excursions and exercises visiting mud volcanoes and petroleum systems outcrops.	A. Mazzini, A. Zaputlyeva,
September	Indonesia Fieldwork: Sampling of noble gasses from gas and oil fields around Lusi and the hydrothermal springs, drone sampling of Lusi crater	A. Mazzini, A. Zaputlyeva
Summer	Siberia for the project Ørnen	S. Planke



CEED's researcher Adriano Mazzini reports from Baikal, seen on Russian television. **Mazzini:** "We found a new gas bearing structure that we named MSU (Moscow State University), the institute of the expedition organizer. The main Russian TV channel came and the journalist made a short reportage collating our drone and underwater camera videos + the interview of the cruise chief scientist.". Photo from Russian TV.

Project funding

UiO project #	Projects, project leader	Total funding (kk)
SFF 143906	123272 Centre for Earth Evolution and Dynamics, Gaina (2013-23), In kkr:	155 000
143899	235058/F20 CraterClock, Werner (2014-18) In kr:	8 853
143997	226214/F50 National Geomagnetic lab, Torsvik (2014-18) In kkr:	8 000
144151	246929/F20 Clim-VoTe,ISP-Geofag, Niscancioglu (2015-20) In kkr:	1 395
190647	234153/E30 BarPz, Faleide (2015-18) CEED-part. In kkr:	1 091
144251	249040/F60 DEEP Research school, Werner (2016-23) In kkr:	23 400
144252	250327 Hyperextension, TB Andersen (2016-19) In kkr:	5 333
144312	250111 600 Myr Plate Model, Domeier (2016-20) In kkr:	6 997
144256	254962 Basement and Depos. Systems, Faleide (2016-19) In kkr:	4 980
144446	261729 Changes at the Top of the World, Gaina (2017-19) In kkr:	4 500
144450	263000 Ashlantic, Jones (2017-20) In kr:	7 818
190645	268094/E10 The Future is, Svensen (2017-20) CEED part In kkr:	228
144657	276032 Platonics, Rolf (2018-22) In kr:	7 678
650129	Lusi Lab ERC start up grant, Mazzini (2013-18) In Euro:	1 422 420
651025	Subitop European Training network, Gaina (2016-20), In Euro.	286 275
651021	PTAL H2020 COMPET, Werner (2016-19) In Euro:	599 914
690471	3D Earth, ESA ITT, Gaina (2017-19), In Euro	250 000
690477	Cratering Rates on Moon and Mars, ESA Prodex Werner (2017-20), In Euro:	320 000
421048	Chronos, Stein/Hannah 2014-18. To CSU: 14 5000 kkr, to UiO in kkr:	9 500
461349	Shephard, G. VISTA, (salary at Vista), running costs at UiO in kkr:	100
421269	Ørnen, Det Norske, Planke/Faleide (2018-20), in kkr	900
UiO funding	Strategy grant (2013-22) in kkr	2 000
UiO funding	3+2 PhD positions incl. Running costs in kkr	3 728
UiO funding	Salary paid by UiO (not PhD-pos). in kkr	4 744
500-103601	Desktop, Conrad/Heeremans USIT funding in kkr	1 050
UiO funding	overhead from other projects , CEED part in kkr	852
UiO funding	PES funding in kkr	160
Covered by UiO	Overhead on SFF staff, overhead on UiO staff, estimate in kkr	7 399

Invited guest lectures at CEED

1. Glacial retreats in the Barents Sea: implications for gas hydrates formation - Nov. 26, by **Renata Lucchi**, Geosciences Research Group, Istituto Nazionale di Oceanografia e di Geofisica Sperimentale (OGS), Trieste, Italy.
2. The development of rifting and magmatism in Ethiopia: implications for the development of continent-ocean transition - Nov. 21, by **Ian Bastow**, Imperial College London, UK
3. The importance of subduction history and mineral grain size evolution to mantle dynamics - Nov. 19, by **Juliane Dannberg**, Department of Earth and Planetary Sciences, University of California, USA
4. Laurentia in the mid-Cretaceous (120 to 90 Ma): Reconciling the Cordilleran and Cratonic geological records - Nov. 15, by **Stephen Johnston**, Dept. of Earth & Atmospheric Sciences, University of Alberta, Canada
5. Small lunar crater degradation and crater's SFD and lifetime - Nov. 2, by **Boris Ivanov** Institute for Dynamics of Geospheres, Russian Academy of Science
6. Discrepancies in SKS-SKKS shear wave splitting: An indicator for contributions ,lowermost mantle anisotropy - Nov. 1, by **Michael Grund**, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany
7. Ophiolites: A window on past subduction initiation events - Oct. 18, by **Marco Maffione** School of Geography, Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Birmingham, UK
8. Geophysical observations and a radical model for the the North Atlantic and Iceland - Oct. 11, by **Christian Schiffer** Durham University (UK) and Uppsala University (Sweden)
9. Generating plate tectonics ,the grain to global scale - Oct. 4, by **David Bercovici** Department of Geology and Geophysics, Yale University, USA
10. An ab initio perspective on the magma ocean stage of the Early Earth Sep. 27, by **Razvan Caracas** CNRS, Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon, Laboratoire de Géologie de Lyon, France
11. Subduction zones dynamics and structure ,coupled geodynamic and seismological modelling - Sep. 20, by **Manuele Faccenda**, Dipartimento di Geoscienze, Università di Padova
12. **The CEED Wilson Lecture 2018: Discovering the Deep - Deep-Sea Volcanic and Hydrothermal Processes in the 21st Century. By Professor **Daniel J. Fornari**, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Sep. 18.**



From the CEED Wilson lecture 18 September by Daniel J. Fornari.

13. Modelling the Eurasian ice sheet complex and its environmental legacy during the Last Glacial Maximum and beyond – Sep. 13, by **Henry Patton** ,CAGE, University of Tromsø Norway
14. Orphan Slabs at Mid-Mantle Depths - June 7, by **Antoniette Grima** UCL, London, UK
15. Modelling continental crust formation on Archean Earth - May 31, by **Gregor Golabek** Bayerisches Geoinstitut, University of Bayreuth, Germany
16. Key role of Upper mantle rocks in Alpine type orogens: Some speculations derived extensional settings for subduction and collisional processes - May 24, by **Othmar Müntener** University of Lausanne, Switzerland
17. Past warm climates and their implications for future climate sensitivity - May 3, by **Chris Poulsen** Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Michigan, USA
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Top: **Henrik H. Svensen**'s new book «stein på Stein» was launched at the Science Library at UiO 16 April. The book received numerous positive reviews, and was characterized as a «pageturner» by the national newspaper *Dagbladet*.

Above: «A research life in rocks and volcanoes». Interview with **Else-Ragnhild Neumann** in *Titan*, 6 December. Photo: **Gunhild M. Haugnes/UiO**

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127. **Magni Valentina,** The influence of mantle flow on subduction-related volcanism, AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12. (Invited talk).
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130. **Magni, V;** P. Bouilho J. Van Hunen; M. Domeier. The role of subduction velocity in slab dehydration and arc magmatism. AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12. (Invited talk).
131. **Magni, Valentina.** The influence of mantle flow on the interaction between arc and back-arc melts. Mon, 09 Apr, 17:30–19:00, Hall X2, X2.263 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).

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133. Mallard, Claire; **Tobias Rolf**, and Nicolas Coltice. Evolution of the layout of tectonic plates through global reorganisation. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk).
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135. Maunde B-L; .S.D.B. Goes: J. Van Hunen; J. Prytulak; **.V. Magni**; .P. Bouilho. The Decoupling Depth and Slab Thermal Structure. AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12. (Poster).
136. **Maupin, Valerie.** 3-d sensitivity kernels of the Rayleigh wave ellipticity. Thu, 12 Apr, 08:30–08:45, Room D3 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk).
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140. **Medvedev, Sergei.** Notes on thin sheet approximation for continental deformations. Le Studium Conference: Balance laws in fluid mechanics, geophysics, biology; 2018-11-19 - 2018-11-21
141. Midtkandal, I; J.M. Holbrook; **J.I. Faleide**; C. Myer; A.E. van Yperen; **G.E Shephard**; J.P. Nystuen. Early Cretaceous Arctic Palaeotopography as Constrained by Barents Sea Sediment Budget AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12. (Poster).
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143. Mikhaltsov; Nikolai; **Evgeniy Kulakov.** Absolute Geomagnetic Paleointensity as recorded by ~ 250 Ma Kuznetsk Traps. Preliminary results. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
144. **Minakov, Alexander.** Late Cenozoic geodynamics in Svalbard: interplay of glaciation, seafloor spreading and mantle convection. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
145. **Minakov, Alexander.** Thermochemical Structure of Upper Mante Beneath Hotspot Swells. Tue, 10 Apr, 17:30–19:00, Hall X2, X2.316 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
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147. **Mohn, Chris Erik; Trønnes, Reidar G.** Partitioning of the FeSiO₃, FeAlO₃ and Al₂O₃ components between bridgmanite and post-bridgmanite. Goldschmidt Conf. Abstr. 02d, 1530, Tu.. Goldschmidt Conf.; 2018-01-01
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154. **Prieur, N. C., T. Rolf and S. C. Werner**, The European Planetary Sci. Congress Berlin, 16-21.09.2018, Testing impact numerical model setups for simple craters (poster).
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169. **Shephard, Grace .E.**, K.J. Matthews, K. Hosseini, **M. Domeier**. A simple 'vote maps' methodology for imaging mantle features across alternative tomography models. JpGU Meeting Chiba, Japan 20-24 May 2018. (Talk)
170. **Shephard, Grace E**. Mapping deep mantle structure – high latitude slabs and plate reconfigurations. GSL New Frontiers in Paleogeography and Biogeography. 21 September, London, UK (Invited Talk).
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172. **Shulgin, Alexey; Jan Inge Faleide**, Rolf Mjelde, Ritske Huisman, and Iselin Aarseth. The North-western Barents Sea: crustal structure from the recent seismic profiles? Tue, 10 Apr, 17:30–19:00, Hall X2, X2.210 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
173. Slagstad, T; Nick M.W. Roberts, **Evgeniy Kulakov**. Linking orogenesis across the North-Atlantic; the Grenvillian and Sveconorwegian orogens, different in style, but geodynamically coupled. 33rd Nordic Geological Winter MeetingAt: Copenhagen (Talk).
174. **Stokke, Ella W; Jones, Morgan T**; Hammer, Ø; **Svensen, Henrik**. Geochemical variations during the PETM and later Eocene hyperthermals: investigating a new drill core from Fur, Denmark. 33rd Nordic Geological Winter Meeting; 2018-01-10 - 2018-01-12
175. **Stokke, Ella Wulfsberg**; J. Whiteside, Ø. Hammer, **Henrik Svensen, Morgan Jones**. Linking warming, environmental changes, and volcanic ash falls from onset to recovery of the PETM: new insights from the island of Fur, Denmark. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).

176. **Svensen, H.** Invited talk, University of Lausanne, Switzerland
177. **Svensen, Henrik.** Travels to the end of the world. Årsmøte Norsk petroleumforening, Stavanger; 2018-12-29
178. **Straume, E., Gaina, C., LaCasce, J., Medvedev, S., Gjermundsen, A., Klocker, A., Nikurashin, M.,** 2018. NE Atlantic Cenozoic Paleobathymetry: Oceanic Gateway Formation and Paleo-ocean Circulation, AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12.2018.
179. **Svensen, Henrik; Jerram, Dougal Alexander; Polozov, Alexander; Jones, Morgan Thomas; Augland, Lars Eivind; Planke, Sverre.** Volcanic causes for the PETM and other past hothouse climates. 33rd Nordic Geological Winter Meeting; 2018-01-10 - 2018-01-12
180. **Svensen, Henrik; Percival, Lawrence; Jones, Morgan Thomas; Mather, Tamsin.** Release of mercury from black shale during contact metamorphism and the implications for mercury as a volcanic proxy. EGU General Assembly 2018; 2018-04-08 - 2018-04-13
181. Szwillus, Wolfgang; **Juan Carlos Afonso, Jörg Ebbing, and Peter Haas.** Estimating lithospheric density structure using probabilistic joint inversion of satellite gravity gradients and topography. Tue, 10 Apr, 11:00–11:15, Room -2.47 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk)
182. **Tan, Pingchuan; Asbjørn Johan Breivik, and Rolf Mjelde.** Development of the igneous Logi Ridge, NE Atlantic, from seismic reflection data. Tue, 10 Apr, 17:30–19:00, Hall X2, X2.402 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
183. Tegner, Christian; **Andersen, Torgeir B; Kjöll, Hans Jørgen;** Brown, Eric L.; Hagen-Peter, Graham; **Corfu, Fernando; Planke, Sverre; Torsvik, Trond Helge.** The pre-Caledonian Scandinavian Dyke Complex and 600 Ma plate reconstructions of Baltica. Nordic geological wintermeeting 2018; 2018-01-10 - 2018-01-12
184. Thybo, Hans; Helene Kraft, **Alexey Shulgin,** and Lev P. Vinnik. Lithospheric structure and topography in Central-Eastern Greenland. Tue, 10 Apr, 16:15–16:30, Room D3 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk).
185. **Torsvik, T.H.** The Burkian Earth. AGU Fall meeting, Washington DC 10-14.12. (Talk).
186. **Trønnes, Reidar G; Mohn, Chris Erik; Eigenmann, KR.** He and Ne diffusion in bridgmanite and lower mantle structure. Goldschmidt Conf. Abstr. 2018-01-01
187. **Uppalapati, Sruthi; Tobias Rolf, Fabio Crameri, Clinton P. Conrad, Stephanie C. Werner.** How Venus' young surface came to be: New insights from 2D and 3D modelling. Fri, 13 Apr, 17:30–19:00, Hall X2, X2.320 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
188. Valeriani, Lucrezia; Andrea Marzoli, Joshua Davies, Jacopo Dal Corso, Nereo Preto, Simonetta Cirilli, Eleonora Vasconcellos, Marcia Ernesto, **Henrik Svensen,** Nasser Youbi, Herve Bertrand, and **Sara Calligaro.** CAMP intrusive and extrusive activity and its influence on the end-Triassic mass extinction. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Poster).
189. **van den Broek, Joost Martijn; Gaina, Carmen; Buitter, Susanne; Andersen, Torgeir B.** Subduction-related continental rifting and microcontinent formation. EGU 2018; 2018-04-09 - 2018-04-13
190. Veneranda, M., Negro, J.-I., Medina, J., Rull, F., Lantz, C., Poulet, F., Cousin, A., Dypvik, H., Hellevang, H., **Werner, S.C.** (2018) PTAL Database and Website: Developing a Novel Information System for the Scientific Exploitation of the Planetary Terrestrial Analogues Library. Second International Mars Sample Return 2071, 6069 (poster).
191. Verónica Antunes, Thomas Planès, Aurore Carrier, Anne Obermann, **Adriano Mazzini,** Tullio Ricci, Alessandra Sciarra, Milena Moretti, and Matteo Lupi, 2018. Locating drumbeat signals generated at the Nirano Mud Volcano, Italy. The European Seismological Commission, 36th General Assembly, 2-7 September, Valletta, Malta.
192. **Werner, S.C;** H Dypvik, F Poulet, F Rull Perez, J-P Bibring, **B Bultel,** C Casanova Roque, J Carter, A Cousin, A Guzman, V Hamm, H Hellevang, C Lantz, G Lopez-Reyes, JA Manrique, S Maurice, J Medina Garcia, R Navarro, JI Negro, ER Neumann, C Pilorget, L Riu, C Sætre, A Sansano Caramazana, A Sanz Arranz, F Sobron Grañón, M Veneranda, **J-C Viennet,** PTAL Team. The Planetary Terrestrial Analogues Library (PTAL). Second International Mars Sample Return, 2018 (Poster).
193. Wagner, R.-J., Stephan, K., Schmedemann, N., **Werner, S.C.,** Hoffmann, H., Roatsch, T., Kersten, E., Jaumann, R., Palumbo, P(2018)The large bright ray crater Osiris on Ganymede: its age, role as a potential time-stratigraphic marker, and target for detailed imaging by the JUICE/JANUS Camera. European Planetary Science Congress 12, EPSC2018-855 (Poster).
194. Wagner, R.J., Schmedemann, N., **Werner, S.C.,** Ivanov, B.A., Roatsch, T., Kersten, E., Jaumann, R. (2018) Double and Multiple Craters on the Satellites of Saturn and Jupiter and their Implications on Impactor Size Distributions. EGU General Assembly Conference Abstracts 20, 8210 (poster).
195. **Werner, SC; B Bultel,** Vera Fernandes, **Tobias Rolf.** Lunar Cratering Chronology – Review and Revision. AGU, 2018
196. Wessel; P; **C.P Conrad.** Absolute Plate and Plume Motions and Implications for True Polar Wander

197. Wrona, Thilo; Haakon Fossen, Robert L. Gawthorpe, Christopher A-L. Jackson, Rebecca E. Bell, Craig Magee, **Jan Inge Faleide**, and Marit Stokke Bauck. Deep crustal structures in the northern North Sea rift: observations from new 3-D seismic reflection data. Tue, 10 Apr, 15:30–15:45, Room D2 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk).
198. **Zaputlyaeva A., Mazzini A.**, Blumenberg, M., Scheeder, G., **Svensen H.**, 2018. The sources of oil erupted at Lusi, NE Java, Indonesia. EGU General Assembly 2018, Vol. 20, EGU2018-6468, Wien 8-13 April 2018.
199. **Zaputlyaeva A., Mazzini A.**, Caracausi A., **Svensen H.**, and Sciarra A., 2018. Mantle-derived fluids in the oil and gas fields around the Lusi mud eruption, NE Java, Indonesia. EGU General Assembly 2018, Vol. 20, EGU2018-579, Wien 8-13 April 2018.
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201. Zertani, Sascha; Timm John, Frederik Tilmann, Loic Labrousse, **Torgeir B. Andersen**. The effect of eclogitization and associated deformation on the petrophysical properties of lower continental crust. EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Talk).
202. Zwaan, Frank; Guido Schreurs, **Susanne Buiter**, John Naliboff, and Jürgen Adam. Comparing various analogue set-ups for modelling extensional tectonics. Fri, 13 Apr, 10:34–10:36, PICO spot 3 EGU Vienna 8-13.4.18 (Pico talk).



PhD student Joost van den Broek leading an excursion with a school class from Elvebakken Videregående to the cobalt mines in the Modum area, South Norway.

Professors, Researchers and Adjunct Professors

Name & title	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months	% position	Citizenship
Andersen, Torgeir B. Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	30.04.22	6	50	Norwegian
Breivik, Asbjørn, Associate Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	6	50	Norwegian
Corfu, Fernando. Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	22.09.19.	3,6	30	Swiss
Dypvik, Henning. Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	11.09.20	2,4	20	Norwegian
Faleide, Jan Inge. Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	3,6	30	Norwegian
Kruger, Kirstin, Prof.	UiO-IG	01.11.18	28.02.23	0,03	10	German
Maupin, Valerie	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	6	50	French
Neumann, Else R. Prof. Emerita	UiO-IG	01.03.13				Norwegian
Torsvik, Trond H. Prof	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	6	50	Norwegian
Trønnes, Reidar. Prof.	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	6	50	Norwegian
Werner, Stephanie, Prof	UiO-IG	01.03.13	28.02.23	6	50	German
Afonso, Juan C. Adjunct Prof.	690471	01.06.17	30.03.18	2,4	20	Brazilian
Afonso, Juan C. Adjunct Prof.	SFF	01.09.18	30.08.19			
Brodholt, John, Adjunct Prof.	SFF	01.03.18	28.02.20	2	20	British
Buiter, Susanne, Researcher	SFF	01.05.16	28.02.20	2,4	20	Dutch
Caracas, Razvan Researcher	SFF	01.09.18	31.08,20	0,8	20	Romanian
Conrad, Clinton Professor	SFF	01.18.16	31.07.19	12	100	American
Domeier, Mathew, researcher	144312	07.08.16	06.02.19	12	100	American
Doubrovine, Pavel, Researcher	SFF	1.10.16	28.02.23	7,6	80	Russian
Doubrovine, Pavel	143997	01.10.16	31.12.18	2,4	20	
Hannah, Judith, Researcher	421048	01.07.12	30.06.18	3	50	American
Gaina, Carmen	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.23	12	100	Romanian
Jahren, Anne Hope Wilson Prof.	SFF	01.09.16	31.08.19	12	100	American
Jerram, Dougal. Researcher 20%	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.20	2,4	20	British
Jones, Morgan. Researcher	144450	18.09.17	02.12.20	12	100	British
Mazzini, Adriano. Reseacher	650129	01.03.13	31.12.18	7,6	80	Italian
Mazzini, Adriano. Reseacher	UiO-IG	01.03.13	31.12.18	2,4	20	
Medvedev, Sergei Researcher	SFF	15.11.17	15.01.18	2,4	20	Russian
Mohn, Chris Researcher	SFF	01.06.13	28.02.23	12	100	Norwegian
Niscancioglu Kerim H. Prof	144151	01.08.15	31.07.20	2,4	20	Norwegian
Planke, Sverre, Adjunct Prof..	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.18	0,03	20	Norwegian
Planke, Sverre.	190648	01.07.18	28.02.23	1,2	20	
Polozov, Alexander. Associate P.	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.18	0,4	20	Russian
Rolf, Tobias, Researcher	144657	01.12.18	20.10.23	1		German
Schweizer, Johannes Adjunct Prof.	NORSAR	01.09.15	31.08.19	2,4	20	German
Sekhar, Aswin Researcher	SFF	01.03.18	30.08.18	1,2	20	Indian
Shephard, Grace Researcher	SFF	01.05.18	28.02.23	8	100	Australian

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Name & title	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months at CEED	% position	Citizenship
Spakman, Wim Adjunct Prof.	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.20	2,4	20	Dutch
Stein, Holly	421048	01.07.12	30.06.18	3	50	American
Steinberger, Bernhard	SFF	01.05.16	28.02.20	2,4	20	German
Svensen, Henrik H. Researcher	SFF	01.05.16	28.02.23	12	100	Norwegian
Watson, Robin	SFF	01.12.18	31.12.19		10	British

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Ballo, Eirik	UiO IG KD	24.09.18	23.09.23	1	100	Norwegian
Bostic, Joshua	UiO IG KDF143	04.09.17	03.09.20	12	100	American
Heimdal, Thea H.	SFF	03.08.17	02.1.18	11	100	Norwegian
Heyn, Björn H.	UiO IG KDF144	15.09.16	14.11.19	12	100	German
Karlsen, Krister S.	UiO IG KDF73	01.08.17	30.07.21	12	100	Norwegian
Kjøll, Hans Jørgen	SFF	01.05.16	20.07.19	12	100	Norwegian
Stokke, Ella W.	144450	03.07.17	02.07.19	12	100	Norwegian
Straume, Eivind O.	UiO IG KDF214	15.08.16	14.08.20	12	100	Norwegian
Tan, Pingchuan	UiO IG KD	01.11.14	31.10.18	10	100	Chinese
Uppalapati, Sruthi	UiO IG KDF142	19.09.16	18.09.19	12	100	Indian
Van den Broek, Joost M.	651025	22.08.16	21.08.19	121	100	Dutch
Zaputlyaeva, Alexandra	UiO IG KDF104	19.09.16	18.09.19	12	100	Russian

Postdoc fellowships

Name & title	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months at CEED	% position	Citizenship
Augland, Lars Eivind	SFF	01.10.15	31.06.19	12	100	Norwegian
Bajard, Manon	152200-144656	01.09.18	31.08.21	4	100	French
Bultel, Benjamin	143899 + SFF	15.01.16	14.01.19	12	100	French
Callegaro, Sara	SFF	01.02.16	28.02.19	12	100	Italian
Cowie, Sara	144256	13.06.16	12.06.18	6	100	British
Crameri, Fabio	SFF	01.02.16	28.02.19	12	100	Swiss
Jakob, Johannes	144252	12.11.16	30.09.19	12	100	German
Király, Ágnes	SFF	01.08.17	30.07.20	12	100	Hungarian
Krzesinska, Agata M.	651021	15.10.18	14.10.21	2,5	100	Polish
Kulakov, Evgeniy	SFF	01.05.16	28.02.23	12	100	Russian

Postdoc fellowships (continuation)

Name	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months	% position	Citizenship
Lavecchia, Alessio	SFF	24.07.17	31.12.18	12	100	Italian
Løken, Andreas	SFF	14.03.17	31.05.18			Norwegian
Magni, Valentia	SFF	01.03.16	28.02.19	12	100	Italian
Minakov, Alexander	SFF	16.11.17	30.09.20	12	100	Russian
Prieur, Nils C.	690477	01.10.17	31.03.20	12	100	Frensh
Robert, Boris	144312	29.09.17	28.09.20	12	100	Frensh
Sekhar, Aswin	143899	01.09.15	28.02.18	2	100	Indian
Shephard, Grace	Vista	01.05.16	30.04.18	4	100	Australian
Shulgin, Alexey	190647	09.06.15	08.06.18	12	100	Russian

Technical-administrative staff

Name & title	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months at CEED	% position	Citizenship
Birkelund, Anniken R.	144251	07.03.16	28.02.23	6	100	Norwegian
Gørbitz, Trine-Lise K.	SFF	01.03.13	28.02.23	12	100	Norwegian
Hagopian, William	SFF	01.01.17	31.12.19	12	100	American
Haugland, Vanja	144251	14.08.17	17.06.18	6	100	Norwegian
Mironova, Anna	SFF	01.11.17	02.10.18	2	75	Russian
Murray, Leight	152240-000500	01.04.18	31.18.19	8	100	Australian
Silkoset, Petter	152200	01.01.16	28.02.23	12	100	Norwegian
Sørli, Anita	SFF	15.06.16	28.02.23	9	75	Norwegian

Short term / hour based salary

Name & title	Funding source	Contract from	Contract to	Working months at CEED	% position	Citizenship
Busengdal, Marte	SFF	01.01.18	31.08.18			
Müller, Philipp	650129	01.08.18	30.11.18	4	100	
Minetto, Riccardo	650129	01.09.18	31.12.18	4	100	
Uehara, Dan	SFF	01.12.17	31.05.18	4	75	

Guest researchers in 2018

Name	Title	from	to
Basto.Lucas	PhD student, Rio de Janeiro, Brasil	03.09.18	28.02.19
Breyer, Floriane	Master student, Bretagne, France	03.04.18	10.09.18
Bulut, Nevra	PhD student, Istanbul, Turkey	01.10.18	31.03.19
Closset, Pierre	Master student, Strasbourg, France	13.02.18	18.06.18
Gac, Sebastien	Guest researcher, Norway	24.08.18	31.12.18

Guest researchers in 2018 (continuation)

Name	Title	from	to
Halvorsen, Erik	Dr. Philos	01.01.18	01.01.18
Janin, Alexandre	Guest Master student from Bretagne, France	01.04.18	01.04.18
Lu, Laiyu	Researcher, China Earthquake admin, Beijing ,China	03.08.18	30.09.18
Medvedev, Sergei	Guest researcher, Norway	16.01.18	30.11.18
Schaffer, Andrew	University of Ottawa, Canada	01.08.18	13.08.18
Tonti-Filippini, Justin	Erasmus+ student from Iceland	07.11.18	01.03.19
Wang, Kaiming	PhD guest student from Beijing, China	16.09.17	15.09.18

Stipend to stay abroad (longer term):

Name	Gender	Visiting country	from	to
Straume, Eivind O.	M	IMAS, Tasmania Australia	04.11.18	01.12.18
Shephard, Grace E.	F	ELSI, Tokyo Japan	04.05.18	07.06.18
Uppalapati, Sruthi	F	ETH, Zurich Switzerland	05.05.18	04.06.18
Zaputlyaeva, Alexandra	F	INGV, Palermo Italy	20.10.18	16.12.18





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