



On behalf of the organizing committee, we are pleased to invite you to take part in a joint INQUA-PAGES conference for early-career researchers:

Impacts of sea-level rise from past to present (iSLR18)
26-29 August 2018, Utrecht, the Netherlands
www.islr18.org

This conference aims to facilitate scientific exchange between early-career researchers (ECRs) from a broad range of disciplines working with sea-level change. The conference will include two days of oral and poster presentations by ECRs, invited keynote lectures, a one-day field trip to the Rhine delta and Holland coastal plain with conference dinner, and a public 'Science and Society' evening event. The conference is open to ECRs who have obtained or expect to obtain their Ph.D. in 2010 or later. The conference is limited to 75 ECR participants.

PROGRAMME

	Sun 26 August	Mon 27 August	Tue 28 August	Wed 29 August
Day	Arrival	Lectures and poster presentations	Field trip 'Delta and Coast'	Lectures and poster presentations
Evening	Ice-breaker	'Science and Society' public event	Conference Dinner	Departure

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

	Session title	Keynote speaker	Invited ECR speaker
1	Past sea-level changes	Roland W. Gehrels	Nicole Khan
2	Submerged landscapes	Fraser Sturt	tba
3	Recent and future sea-level changes	Marta Marcos	Roelof Rietbroek
4	Mitigation, adaptation and coastal impacts	Carles Ibáñez	tba

For a full description of the sessions, see www.islr18.org

CONFERENCE DEADLINES

1 February 2018	Abstract submission & grant request open
16 March 2018	Abstract submission & grant request closes at midnight (CET)
30 March 2018	Notification of acceptance sent to participants
1 April 2018	Registration opens
25 May 2018	Registration closes at midnight (CET)

The conference is limited to 75 participants. The selection procedure will be based on the quality of the abstract (250 words max), topic of the participants' research, a brief CV (1 page) and a short statement of motivation why the participant wants to attend (100 words max).

CONFERENCE FEES

Conference + hostel shared room accommodation: 250 EUR
Conference only (book own accommodation): 170 EUR

Conference fees include the conference and field trip, coffee breaks, lunches, ice-breaker, public event, and conference dinner on Tuesday.

A limited number of grants will be available to support travel and/or conference fees. At abstract submission, participants are asked to indicate whether they require support. The outcome of the grant selection will be communicated to participants by 30 March 2018. The maximum amount of support for travel is 150 EUR within Europe and 750 EUR outside Europe. Grants will be transferred after the conference, after submission of completed reimbursement forms (to be handed out at conference) and receipts of costs.

CONFERENCE VENUE

Utrecht Science Park 'De Uithof' (www.utrechtsciencepark.nl/en/home)
Koningsberger building (www.uu.nl/en/victor-j-koningsberger-building)

CONTACT

Website: www.islr18.org
Email: islr2018@gmail.com (**not for abstract submissions!**)
Twitter: @iSLR18

ECR organizing committee:

Dr. Aimee Slangen (NIOZ)
Dr. Kay Koster (TNO)
Dr. Robert Barnett (Univ. of Exeter; PALSEA; PAGES)
Dr. Xavier Benito (Univ. of Nebraska-Lincoln; PAGES)
Dr. Bas de Boer (IMAU; Utrecht University)
EG. Eduardo Alarcón (Central Univ. of Venezuela; INQUA)

Advisory committee:

Prof. Dr. M. van Kolfschoten (Leiden Univ.; INQUA)
Prof. Dr. A. Ashworth (N-Dakota State Univ.; INQUA)
Dr. M.-F. Loutre (PAGES)
Dr. F.S. Busschers (TNO; INQUA)
Dr. K.M. Cohen (Utrecht University; INQUA-NL)
Dr. W.Z. Hoek (Utrecht University; INQUA-NL)
Dr. P. Stocchi (NIOZ)
Dr. W. van der Wal (Delft University of Technology)
Dr. M.P. Hijma (Deltares)
Dr. R.S.W. van de Wal (IMAU; Utrecht University)

