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9th International Conference on Geochronology, Cosmochronology and Isotope Geology

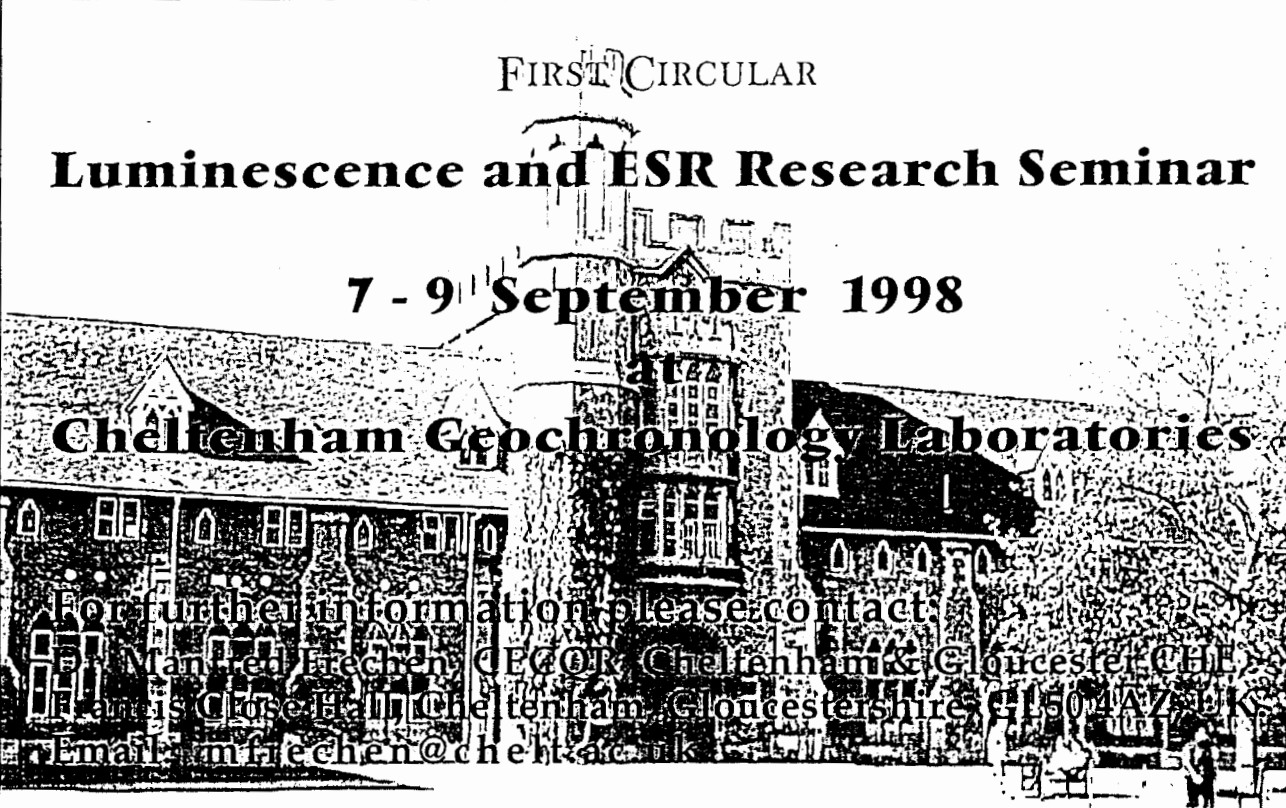
August 20-26, 1998
Beijing, China

This major geochronology conference is held every 4 years in a different country. For the first time this conference will have specific sessions for trapped-charge dating methods and applications.

Deadline for Abstract & Pre-registration = March 1, 1998.

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FIRST CIRCULAR

Luminescence and ESR Research Seminar

7 - 9 September 1998

at Cheltenham Geochronology Laboratories

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LED99

9th International Conference on Luminescence and Electron Spin Resonance Dating

**6-10 September 1999
ROME-ITALY**

The 9th International Conference on Luminescence and Electron Spin Resonance Dating (LED99) will be held in Rome at the *Complesso Monumentale del San Michele a Ripa* from Monday 6th to Friday 10th September 1999.

LED99 will gather experts from around the world in fields of Luminescence and Electron Spin Resonance Dating. The topics range from fundamental studies of the basic physical phenomena to dosimetry, advances in equipment technology and applications of the dating techniques in quaternary researches, accident dosimetry, archaeology and history of art.

PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings will be refereed and published in *Quaternary Geochronology and Radiation Measurements*.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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Forthcoming Postdoctoral Position : Wollongong, Australia

The School of Geosciences in the University of Wollongong, Australia, is soon to advertise a 3 year postdoctoral position. The successful applicant will be required to establish and operate an OSL laboratory which will function in conjunction with the existing TL facility. The unit will operate closely with members of the Quaternary Environmental Research Centre (QERC) whose interests include tsunami, aeolian, fluvial, marine and lacustrine sediments as well as having archaeological applications.

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Postdoctoral Research Fellowship : Oxford, Great Britain

Applications are invited for a postdoctoral research fellow in luminescence dating at the Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art at the University of Oxford. The position is offered for a two year period in the first instance, but may be renewable for a third year.

The primary role of the successful applicant will be to initiate applied and/or fundamental research into the luminescence dating of archaeological and geological samples, and to assist in the supervision of DPhil students. In addition, the person appointed will be expected to undertake some luminescence dating, principally, of archaeological sediments and pottery. The person appointed will be encouraged to seek alternative funding, in order to enable the appointment to continue beyond the initial two or three year period.

The person appointed will have access to a wide range of luminescence and radiation dosimetry equipment, including automated Riso sets, a laser for optically stimulated luminescence and a high resolution gamma spectrometer. Some technical assistance in the maintenance and development of equipment will be available, and there is the possibility of limited technician support for the luminescence dating of archaeological materials. In addition, interaction and collaboration with the luminescence group in the Department of Geography will be encouraged. There is also the possibility of limited teaching experience in geochronology and related areas for suitably qualified applicants.

Applicants should have an honours degree, and should have completed a PhD or have equivalent research experience in luminescence dating. Preference will be given to candidates whose previous research has involved the study of the luminescence properties of quartz. The appointment will be to academically-related research staff grade 1A at a salary in the range £15,159 to £22,785, depending on age and qualifications.

Applications, including a cv, a brief outline of proposed research, and the names and addresses of two academic referees, should be sent to Professor M S Tite, Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art, 6 Keble Road, Oxford OX1 3QJ. Enquiries about this post can be made to Professor Tite on (01865) 515211. The closing date for applications is 28 February 1998.