

SEISMOLOGY@SCHOOL COURSE PROGRAM

Program

Hes-so Valais-Wallis
 Aula François- Xavier Bagnoud
 Sion, 20-24 October 2014

MONDAY – October 20, 2014

8.15: Registration

8.45: Welcome and Introduction

François Seppey, Director of the Hes-so Valais
 Jean-Marie Cleusix, Director of Education in Wallis
 Stefan Wiemer, Director of the SED

Session 1: Introduction in Seismology and Geodynamics

9.30: Earthquakes and waves

Prof. Stefan Wiemer, Director of the SED

10.30: Coffee Break

11.00: Evolution of plates tectonic and Seismology

Prof. Jean-Pierre Burg, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

12.00: How Earthquakes occur?

Prof. Jean-Pierre Burg, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

13.00: Lunch break

Session 2: Bringing seismology into the classroom

14.00: Seismology@School : Data, picking waves, earthquake localization, tectonic

Dr. Stefano Solarino, INGV, Italy

15.00: Hands-on activities for the classroom (Gr. A part I: seismic instruments)

Dr. Joseph Moerschell, Hes-so, Switzerland

15.00: Hands-on activities for the classroom (Gr. B part II: modeling earthquake, using data modeling)

Dr. Jean-Luc Berenguer, CIV Valbonne, France

16.30: Coffee Break

17.00: Hands-on activities for the classroom (Gr. B part I: seismic instruments)

Dr. Joseph Moerschell, Hes-so, Switzerland

17.00: Hands-on activities for the classroom (Gr. A part II: modeling earthquake, using data modeling)

Dr. Jean-Luc Berenguer, CIV Valbonne, France

18.30: Dinner

20.00: "Teachers project" and Web-platform

TUESDAY- October 21, 2014

Session 3: Observation, measurements and natural hazard

9.00: Geodynamics and seismology- Alpine structure

Prof. Stefan Schmid, ETH Z, Switzerland

10.30: From site effects to induced phenomena: liquefaction and triggered landslides

Prof. Donat Fäh, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

11.30: Coffee Break

12.00: Seismic risk in Alpine structure

Dr. Stefano Solarino, INGV, Italy

13.00: Lunch break

Session 4: Bringing seismology into the classroom

14.00: Hands-on activities for the classroom (part III: modeling earthquake, seismic signal processing)

Dr. Paul Denton, British Geological Survey, UK

16.00: Coffee Break

16.30: Teachers project.

Open public Conference: Aula François- Xavier Bagnoud

17.00: François Seppey

17.30: Jean-Marie Cleusix

18.00: Geothermy and risk

Prof. Domenico Giardini, ETH Z, Switzerland

19.30: Aperitif

20.00: Social Dinner

WEDNESDAY October 22, 2014

Session 5: Seismic Risk Mitigation

8.30: Defeating Earthquakes: How to build?

Prof. Bozidar Stojadinovic, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

9.30: Earthquake Early Warning Systems: Challenges and Benefits

Dr. Gilles Hillel Wust-Bloch, TAV, Israel

10.30: Coffee Break

11.00: Expected Earthquakes and Seismic Risk Mitigation in Palestine

Prof. Jalal Al Dabbeek, UPDRR, Palestine

12.00: Community Earthquake preparedness and response for a Kibbutz (Sde Eliahu)

Dr. Gilles Hillel Wust-Bloch, TAV, Israel

13.00: Lunch break

Session 6: Bringing seismology into the classroom

14.00: Seismology@School : The European experience, now and future

Dr. Paul Denton, British Geological Survey, UK

15.00: Simulator (feeling an earthquake) (Gr. A)

Dr. Anne Sauron, Hes-so, Switzerland

15.00: Experiments, posters, made by teachers and/or students (Gr. B)

16.00: Coffee Break

17.00: Simulator (feeling an earthquake) (Gr. B)

Dr. Anne Sauron, Hes-so, Switzerland

17.00: Experiments, posters, made by teachers and/or students (Gr. A)

18.30: Dinner

20.00: "Teachers project" and Web-platform

THURSDAY October 23, 2014

Session 7: Seismic Risk Assessment

9.00: Probabilistic Seismic Hazard and assessment and 2013 European Seismic Hazard Model

Dr. Jochen Woessner, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

10.00: Extreme consequences of earthquakes:

Dr. Arnaud Mignan, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

11.00: Coffee Break

12.00: Earthquake risk in building codes and beyond

Dr. Blaise Duvernay, BAFU, Switzerland

13.00: Lunch break

Session 8: Teachers' projects

14.00: Presentation teachers' projects

16.00: Coffee Break

17.30: Visit cave of vine in Wallis

20. 00: Dinner

FRIDAY October 24, 2014

Session 9: Field trip

9.00: Field trip departure:

This fieldtrip aims to discuss the structure of the Alps in the area of Sion (Valais, Suisse).

Special emphasis will be placed on brittle structures such as faults. Several faults can be observed or postulated in the area.

Their history can be long and complex. Some are probably in relation to deposition of sediments during the Mesozoic or Cenozoic others are related to the Alps formation. Some sets could be very young in the Alpine kinematics and are compatible with the present day stress regime.

Consequences of the 1946 Sierre earthquake will be examined.

If weather conditions are good enough, a visit to the "Six des Eaux Froides" rock falls and to the nearby Tseuzier dam site is planned.

Prof. Jean-Luc Epard, University of Lausanne, Switzerland

17: Return

18.00: Seismology@school network, 'staying in touch'

Dr. Paul Denton, British Geological Survey, UK

18.30: Evaluation session and closure

19.00 Dinner

