



Málaga, 21st - 22nd September 2019

INTRODUCTION

Karstifiable terrains cover around 15% of the Earth's continental surface and their aquifers are at least a partial source of drinking water supply of almost 25% of the world's population. In Europe, for example, one third of its territory overlies karst aquifers and in some countries karst water resources mean more than half of the water supply. Overall, the hydrogeological behavior of karst aquifers shows heterogeneity in its processes and storage dynamics: 1) duality of infiltration and recharge mechanisms (diffuse and/or concentrated, allogenic vs autogenic), 2) spatial heterogeneity and marked anisotropy in the distribution of the characteristics hydraulic parameters, 3) duality of discharge conditions, from continous discharge when the system is dominated by flow through the matrix and fisures to high discharge variability when flow through the conduits is dominant.

PROGRAMME

Saturday, September 21

08:30 - 09:00 Welcome, reception and opening of the course
09:00 - 10:00 Introduction to the study of karst aquifers. General
concepts. Juan José Durán / Eulogio Pardo
[Spanish Geological Survey, SPAIN]

10:00 - 10:30 Sampling strategies, instrumentation and monitoring of

11:00 - 12:00 natural responses of karst aquifers. Matías Mudarra [University of Málaga, SPAIN]

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

12:00 - 12:30 Hydrogeochemical tools applied to the study of

14:00 - 15:00 carbonate aquifers. Juan Antonio Barberá [University of Málaga, SPAIN]

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

15:00 - 16:00 Statistical methods for simulating karst aquifers.

16:30 - 17:00 Eulogio Pardo [Spanish Geological Survey, SPAIN]

16:00 - 16:30 Coffee break

17:00 - 18:30 From conceptual models to mathematical approaches in karst aquifers. Bartolomé Andreo [University of Málaga, SPAIN]

LOCATION

Research building Ada Byron. Arquitecto Francisco Peñalosa, 18. Campus of Teatinos. University of Málaga.



HYDROKARST 2019 is the 12nd edition of a course given usually by researchers from the Partnership Association "Advanced Hydrogeological Studies", constituted of the Center of Hydrogeology of the University of Málaga (CEHIUMA) and the Spanish Geological Survey (IGME), on methods applied to hydrogeological research into carbonate aquifers. On the occasion of the 46th IAH Congress, also members of the IAH Commission on Karst Hydrogeology participate, in the framework of the KARMA project (Karst Aquifer Resources availability and quality in the Mediterranean Area). The course is an activity of the Spanish Group of the International Association of Hydrogeologists (AIH-GE) in collaboration with the International Hydrological Program of UNESCO. In this new edition of the HYDROKARST course, researchers will have the opportunity to learn the methods used to characterize the functioning of carbonate aguifers, as well as for the evaluation, protection and management of water resources in this type of medium.

Sunday, September 22

09:00 - 10:30 Use of isotopic techniques in karst hydrogeology.

Marco Petitta [Sapienza Universita di Roma, ITALY]

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 - 12:30 Tracer techniques in karst hydrogeology. Nico

14:00 - 14:30 Goldscheider [Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, GERMANY]

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

14:30 - 16:00 Numerical modelling in karst hydrogeology I. Hervé

Jourde [University of Montpellier II, FRANCE]

16:00 - 16:30 Coffee break

16:30 - 18:00 Numerical modelling in karst hydrogeology II.

Andreas Hartmann [University of Freiburg, GERMANY]

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

COORDINATORS

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AVAILABILITY AND FEE

At least 20 inscriptions are necessary to organize the course. The reserve criteria will be in order of inscription arrival to the secretary email adress. **Course fee: 250 €** (includes coffe breaks and lunchs).

PAYMENT (by bank transfer in the following account):

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