

VIKINGS project meeting, Professorboligen, Oslo

Tuesday Jan 29, 2019: Open VIKINGS project meeting, 09:00-15:00 (16:00 VIKINGS Group)

Welcoming VIKINGS Project Meeting (09:00-9:10)

10 min - Lene Melheim (MCH, UiO) and Carmen Gaina (CEED, UiO)

Volcanoes, Climate and Society during 500-1250 CE (09:10-10:00)

20 min - Kirstin Krüger & Manon Bajard (UiO): VIKINGS project intro and first results

30 min - Frode Iversen (MCH, UiO): Large scale cultural change AD 500-1250. The archaeological record. Eastern Norway - Scandinavia

The Holocene - Climate Proxies, Methods and Modelling (10:00-12:30)

30 min - Jostein Bakke (UiB): Climatic changes in Scandinavian records

Café break 10:30-11:00

30 min - Helge Høeg (MCH, UiO): Pollen analysis in lakes around Oslo/SE Norway - new data base

30 min - Steinar Solheim (MCH, UiO): Radiocarbon dates as proxies for prehistoric population size: Methods and data; problems and potential.

30 min - Matthew Toohey (GEOMAR): Disproportionately strong climate forcing from explosive extratropical volcanic eruptions

12:30-13:30 Lunch break

The Holocene – Volcanoes, Climate and Society (13:30-15:00)

30 min Michael Sigl (University Bern): The Holocene volcanic ice core record

30 min Lene Melheim (MCH, UiO): Archaeology and the Holocene: Theories on climate change and its impact on society

30 min Open Discussion

15:00-15:15 Café - End official meeting

15:15-16:00 Internal VIKINGS meeting – final discussion, revue and future plans

Meeting and Location:

Professorboligen meeting location, «Stallen» room, Karl Johans gate 47, Oslo

