



## **VARISCAN 2015**

### **The Variscan belt: correlations and plate dynamics**

*Special meeting of the French & Spanish Geological Societies*

**Rennes, 9-11 June 2015**

<http://variscan2015.univ-rennes1.fr>

### **Third Circular**



**Observatoire**  
*des Sciences de l'Université*  
**de Rennes**

Terre, Écosystèmes et Sociétés



## Venue



Amphithéâtre Louis Antoine  
Campus de Beaulieu – bâtiment (building) 2  
Université Rennes 1  
Rennes, Brittany, France  
48°07'01.0"N 1°38'16.0"W

This link will provide a location map: <https://goo.gl/maps/lgH9B>

The venue is easily accessible by car (use the parking P4, about 100 m NE) or public transport (regular, on time and fast – ca. 10' from the city centre):

from the city centre: bus 4, 6, 40, stop “Tournebride”

from the central train station: bus 41, stop “Tournebride”

from Cesson-Sévigné or the north of Rennes: bus 31, 32, 35, stop “Beaulieu Chimie”.

You can find all the information on the public transport website: <http://www.star.fr/>

## Programme

The conference programme and the list of poster presentations can be downloaded from the webpage (tab “Programme”): <https://variscan2015.univ-rennes1.fr/page.php?7>

### Format:

The format of the presentations is detailed on the webpage, in the tab "Information" (part Presentation): <https://variscan2015.univ-rennes1.fr/page.php?6>

In short:

regular oral presentations: 12 min + 3 min discussion

keynotes: 25 min + 5 min discussion

posters: A0 portrait (max 100 cm width x 120 cm height)

### Survival:

Buffet **lunches** and **coffee breaks** for the three conference days are included in the registration.

On top of it, we are pleased to offer all the participants a **casual dinner** “Douar ha Mor” (land & sea) in a nearby bar Le Tournebride (<https://goo.gl/maps/jOn54>), providing a typical example of the rich Breton gastronomy. If necessary, participants are invited to inform us about their potential dietary requirements (allergies, vegetarian,...).

## Meeting schedule:

Saturday June 6, 2015

14:15 departure of the pre-conference field trip

Monday June 8, 2015

17:00-19:30 registration

18:00-20:00 ice-breaker party

Tuesday June 9, 2015

8:00-8:45 registration

8:45-17:30 conference day 1

17:30-19:30 poster session

Wednesday June 10, 2015

8:45-17:30 conference day 2

17:30-19:00 poster session

19:00-24:00 conference dinner “Douar ha Mor”

Thursday June 11, 2015

8:45-12:30 conference day 3

12:30-14:00 final lunch

14:00 departure of the post-conference field trip

Friday June 12, 2015

19:00 approximate return of the post-conference field trip

## **Field trips**

The pre-conference excursion (Groix blueschists, migmatites, SC granites, ...) will leave on Saturday 6 June at about 14:15 from the campus (parking P4, close to the conference venue and the Geosciences department: <https://goo.gl/maps/T7Os4>) and return on Monday 8 June on the same place, in time to catch the icebreaker party.

The post-conference excursion (Champtoceaux, nappes, inverted metamorphism, ...) will leave after the closure of the meeting, Thursday 11 June, at about 14:00 from the campus and return back on Friday 12 June in the evening (ca. 19:00). If desired, participants could be dropped off also at the Nantes or Rennes airport or train station.

No specific equipment is required. Light hiking boots / sport shoes are sufficient. Although the weather is generally clement, occasional rain cannot be excluded... this is Brittany after all.

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## **Help**

If you feel lost, call somebody from the organizing team:

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## Plan of the southern part of the Beaulieu campus, Rennes



- (1) Amphithéâtre Louis Antoine - building 2; (2) Géosciences Rennes - building 15; (3) parking P4;  
(4) bus stop "Tournebride"; (5) bus stop "Beaulieu Chimie"; (6) bar Le Tournebride