

ANNOUNCEMENT

INQUA XV Congress

Durban, South Africa, August 3–11, 1999

The XV International Congress of the International Union for Quaternary Research (INQUA) will take place in Durban, South Africa from 3 to 11 August 1999. The Congress theme, Environmental Background to Hominid Evolution in Africa, reflects that this is the first INQUA Congress to be held in Africa and that this continent is making a unique contribution to the study of human evolution. The Congress will open with a one-day symposium devoted to the Congress theme. Thereafter, symposia and workshops will address key issues in Quaternary studies. INQUA scientists' interests include glaciation, paleohydrology, loess, neotectonics, paleoclimate, paleopedology, tephrochronology, human paleoecology, terrestrial carbon, shorelines, vegetation history, and stratigraphy.

The first circular and preregistration forms are available on the Congress Internet Homepage at the following addresses:

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