



Section on European Quaternary Stratigraphy



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## SEQS 2017 – Tautavel, Eastern Pyrenees, France

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UPVD Université de Perpignan Via Domitia, France  
EPCC CERP Centre Européen de Recherches Préhistoriques de Tautavel  
UMR 7194 « HNHP » du CNRS, MNHN-UPVD-CERP Tautavel

### *Quaternary stratigraphy and hominids around Europe: Tautavel (Eastern Pyrenees).*

**Tautavel, France, 10 – 15 September 2017**

## 1<sup>ST</sup> CIRCULAR

### INSTITUTIONS SUPPORTING THE CONFERENCE

INQUA – SEQS Section on European Quaternary Stratigraphy  
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### ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

#### **Organizers of the Meeting:**

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**Please send any request of information to the above mentioned Secretary**

## **PROGRAM**

The meeting Venue and all the SEQS events are located in the Congress Palace of Tautavel.  
Address: Musée de Préhistoire de Tautavel, av Leon Jean Grégory, 66720 Tautavel FRANCE

Museum website <http://450000ans.com/la-grotte-les-fouilles> under maintenance

More information on the Arago cave site

<http://www.monumentum.fr/grotte-caune-larago-pa00104141.html>

or <http://www.hominides.com/html/lieux/caune-de-l-arago-tautavel.php>

### **September 10<sup>th</sup> DATESTRA**

#### **Workshop IFG INQUA SACCOM SEQS-DATESTRA:**

“A Database of Quaternary Stratigraphy of Europe”

No talks or presentations are forecasted. The SEQS's Board will present to the participants the ideas behind the INQUA funded IFG Project, the prototype of the structure of the database, the type of data to be included and finally the possible output (WebGIS and so on). All of you are then invited to take part, in a friendly environment and in an informal way, to the discussion highlighting problems, suggesting changes, bringing new ideas in order to get the best result as possible. In our plans the final compiled version of the Database and related Output at the next INQUA Congress in Dublin. Therefore, your contribution to the discussion is warmly welcome.

### **September 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**

#### **THE INDOOR MEETING**

**ORAL SESSIONS:** Time for contributions is set at 15 minutes + 5 minutes for questions.. Please use PowerPoint compatibles for slides.

**POSTER SESSION:** The maximum size for the posters is 80 cm (width) x 120 cm (height), a 75 x 110cm size is recommended. Posters will remain in exhibit all throughout the meeting, nevertheless a poster session might take place with a 5 minutes presentation by the authors.

#### **SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS**

1. Quaternary stratigraphy and its relationships with tectonics and climate.
2. Assessing chronology of Quaternary stratigraphy: certainties, problems, limits and new perspectives
3. Archaeological deposits and Quaternary stratigraphy
4. Biostratigraphy across Europe: new data and perspectives for Quaternary stratigraphy.
5. DATESTRA, a Database of Terrestrial Quaternary Stratigraphy of Europe.

**THE DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION IS THE 10<sup>TH</sup> OF AUGUST.**

**PLEASE SEND THE ABSTRACTS TO [vincenzo.celiberti@cerptautavel.com](mailto:vincenzo.celiberti@cerptautavel.com) using the abstract form INDICATING THE SESSION AND THE FORM OF PRESENTATION (ORAL OR POSTER)**

**12<sup>th</sup> of September, Afternoon, SEQS BUSSINESS MEETING**

**September, 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>**  
**THE SCIENTIFIC EXCURSION**

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>** - Caune de l'Arago, Middle Pleistocene sequence, Prehistory Museum and European Research Centre of Tautavel. Visit to the palaeontological, archeological and palaeoanthropological collections (*Homo heidelbergensis*, Arago XXI)  
Overnight in Tautavel (CapFrance Hotel)

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>** Alluvial terraces and alluvial sequences along the coastal rivers (Tet, Tech and others)  
Overnight in Tautavel (CapFrance Hotel)

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup>** Coastal and continental sequences: Ramaldis Cave (Port La Nouvelle), Arbreda Cave (Catalonia), Olot: volcanic sequences.

Please remember that the Excursion Fees include meals and overnights.

**CONFERENCE LANGUAGE**

The official language of the conference is English.

# How to get to Tautavel

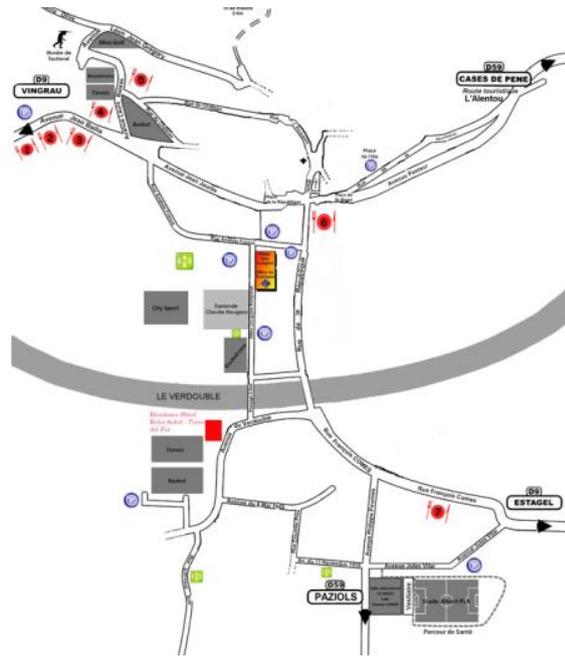
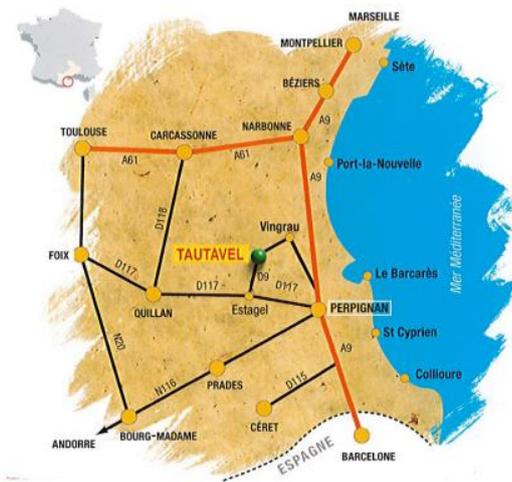
**By car: Speedway A9, exit 41 (Perpignan Nord), then departmental 12 until Vingrau and departmental 9 until Tautavel.**

**By train: Nearest train stations: Perpignan, Rivesaltes.**

**By plane: The nearest airport is the Perpignan airport, “Llabanera” in Rivesaltes, north of Perpignan.**

Also the airports of Barcelona and Girona are not so far from Tautavel (2h30 and 1h) and are connected by train and by a Bus service easily with Perpignan and indeed with Tautavel.

Here you are some link: <http://www.barcelona-airport.com/> or <http://www.girona-airport.net/>



Further useful link for train and bus to Tautavel

[https://www.trainline.fr/horaires-train/perpignan-a-barcelona-sants?gclid=CPIx4JKP9NQCFXu0wodNEAM4A&gclsrc=aw.ds&dclid=CK\\_t85KP9NQCFVa3GwodNC4JKg](https://www.trainline.fr/horaires-train/perpignan-a-barcelona-sants?gclid=CPIx4JKP9NQCFXu0wodNEAM4A&gclsrc=aw.ds&dclid=CK_t85KP9NQCFVa3GwodNC4JKg)

<https://www.voyages-sncf.com/>

<http://fr.ouibus.com/fr/calendrier-des-prix?origin=PGF&destination=XBC&gclid=CMuai76P9NQCFYUaGwod2bUGSA&gclsrc=aw.ds>

[https://www.flixbus.fr/voyages-car/perpignan-barcelone?departureCity=5178&arrivalCity=3618&wt\\_mc=paid.fr.FlixBus.sea.google.5822021602.393995480\\_29327604080.ad&wt\\_cc1=non-branded&wt\\_cc5=barcelone%20perpignan%20bus&gclid=CNvBssuP9NQCFQmeGwodkZsP8A](https://www.flixbus.fr/voyages-car/perpignan-barcelone?departureCity=5178&arrivalCity=3618&wt_mc=paid.fr.FlixBus.sea.google.5822021602.393995480_29327604080.ad&wt_cc1=non-branded&wt_cc5=barcelone%20perpignan%20bus&gclid=CNvBssuP9NQCFQmeGwodkZsP8A)

<http://www.eurolines.fr/fr/destinations-voyage-bus/destination-voyage-bus-europe/voyage-bus-espagne/voyage-bus-barcelone/?kard=1&gclid=CNW3wtmP9NQCFQ-3Gwod-D8EDg&kCikId=170706092237507924>

A lot of car hiring are also present in the Barcelona Airport

(i.e. [http://www.rentalcars.com/en/airport/es/bcn/?affiliateCode=google&preflang=en&label=bcn-cGise6lpITQKHUN0Z2TOAAS121272203448&ws=&ppc\\_placement=&ppc\\_target=&ppc\\_param1=&ppc\\_param2=&aceid=&adposition=1t1&ppc\\_network=g&feeditemid=&ppc\\_targetid=kwd-52776181&loc\\_physical\\_ms=9055927&loc\\_interest\\_ms=&ppc\\_device=c&ppc\\_devicemodel=&gclid=CKyC0qKQ9NQCFcG6GwodKycP2w](http://www.rentalcars.com/en/airport/es/bcn/?affiliateCode=google&preflang=en&label=bcn-cGise6lpITQKHUN0Z2TOAAS121272203448&ws=&ppc_placement=&ppc_target=&ppc_param1=&ppc_param2=&aceid=&adposition=1t1&ppc_network=g&feeditemid=&ppc_targetid=kwd-52776181&loc_physical_ms=9055927&loc_interest_ms=&ppc_device=c&ppc_devicemodel=&gclid=CKyC0qKQ9NQCFcG6GwodKycP2w))

and the distance between Barcelone and Tautavel is around 2h30 by Highway.

The Tautavel-Barcelone itinerary is here

[https://fr.mappy.com/itineraire/perpignan/barcelone#/2/M2/Titinerary/IFRTautavel%2066720|TO08001-08042%20Barcelone%20\(Espagne\)|GP1.402|GTpetrol/N151.12061,6.11309,2.55642,42.04388/Z7/](https://fr.mappy.com/itineraire/perpignan/barcelone#/2/M2/Titinerary/IFRTautavel%2066720|TO08001-08042%20Barcelone%20(Espagne)|GP1.402|GTpetrol/N151.12061,6.11309,2.55642,42.04388/Z7/)

## ACCOMMODATION

The accommodation during the SEQS Conferences has been planned in the village club Languedoc Roussillon Torre del Far, only a few meters from the place where the work of the Congress will take place.



Standard

Chalet (2-5 people)

Rooms (2-4 people)

For information and reservations:

<http://www.capfrancevacances.com/village-vacances/torre-del-far-pyrenees>

By the way, the best solution for the accommodation reservation is:

choose the kind of accommodation (see above details about room typologies) and communicate to Vincenzo Celiberti by mail and he will arrange the reservation, because the web site of CapFrance is possibly still under maintenance.

For any supplementary information please sent a e-mail to:

Vincenzo Celiberti [vincenzo.celiberti@cerptautavel.com](mailto:vincenzo.celiberti@cerptautavel.com)

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

INQUA provides the possibility for limited financial support to the SEQS activity in 2017 related to DATESTRA Project (Database of Terrestrial European Stratigraphy) (<http://datestra-seqs.strikingly.com>).

The support concerns only (a part of) travel-accommodation costs or registration costs and is primarily meant for Early Career Researcher (ECR, less than 8 years PhD) and Researchers from Countries with a low GDP.

If you want to make use of this opportunity for the 2017 meeting in Tautavel, France, you can ask for support by sending the application form to the Secretary of SEQS: Pierluigi Pieruccini ([pieruccini@unisi.it](mailto:pieruccini@unisi.it))

before **15th July 2017**.

**There is no guarantee that all costs can be covered by the INQUA grant.** Therefore we ask you to indicate which part of the total costs can be covered by yourself or your institute. **Since the funds are devoted particularly to the DATESTRA project people who will present contributions to the DATESTRA session (please indicate the provisional title) will come first.**

**DOWNLOAD THE APPLICATION FORM AT**

<http://datestra-seqs.strikingly.com/#tautavel-2017>