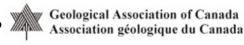
MAIN THRUST - 2001 Newsletter of the Canadian Tectonics Group (CTG) & Structural Geology and Tectonics Division (SGTD) of GAC/MAC



In this year's Mainthrust:

- * Best theses award winners for 2000 and information on submitting theses for this year's award.
- * Information on the CTG Fall 2001 meeting in Sudbury from Bruno Lafrance.
- * Annual meeting of our formal sister organization, the SGTD, at GAC/MAC 2001.
 - * New Website address and contact people for contributions.
 - * Update from Sandy Cruden on the Structural Atlas project.
 - * SGTD Financial Statement from Andy Okulitch.
 - * Call for a new executive.

Best Theses Awards for 2000

Best Ph.D., Jack Henderson Award:

MARY SANBORN-BARRIE,

"GEOLOGY, GEOTHERMOBAROMETRY AND GEOCHRONOLOGY OF THE HIGH-P GRANULITE-FACIES KRAMANITUAR COMPLEX, WESTERN CHURCHILL PROVINCE".

SUPERVISORS: SIMON HANMER and SHARON CARR, CARLETON UNIVERSITY

Best M.Sc. Award:

STUART R. KNOOP,

"A STABLE ISOTOPIC ANALYSIS OF SYN-TECTONIC FLUID REGIMES IN THE DOGTOOTH, WESTERN AND MAIN RANGES OF SOUTHEASTERN BRITISH COLUMBIA."

SUPERVISOR: LORI KENNEDY, UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

2001 theses should be submitted as soon as possible, and before

the Oct 8th deadline, to:

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21th Canadian Tectonics Group Workshop, October 27-28, 2001, Sudbury, Ont.

Please indicate to Bruno Lafrance if you plan to attend. His contact information is given at

the end of his outline of the meeting, which follows. The Canadian Tectonic Group meeting is being held in Sudbury on Saturday, October 27th, and Sunday, October 28th, 2001. Sudbury is located at driving distances from Toronto (4-5 hours), Ottawa (7 hours), Montreal (8-9 hours), and Fredericton (18 hours for UNB students). Because of Sudbury's central location, we expect the meeting to be very

well attended. This meeting is an excellent opportunity for all to catch up on current structural research in Canada, and for graduate students to meet all members of the Canadian structural community. We invite all geologists interested in structural geology, and especially graduate students, to the meeting.

The first day of the meeting will be devoted to posters and talks on structural topics, ranging from experimental and computer modeling studies to tectonic and field studies. During the second day of the meeting, Dr. John Spray (University of New Brunswick) will lead a field trip across the Sudbury impact structure. John Spray and his students have proposed interesting new ideas on the evolution of the Sudbury meteoritic impact structure. Impact-related pseudotachylites, faults, breccias, and shatter cones will be examined during the trip.

MEETING INFORMATION:

LOCATION:

Cardinal Motor Inn 1500 Regent Street Sudbury, Ontario

P3E 3Z6

Tel: (705)522-8900

Toll Free 1-800-787-4008

Fax: (705) 522-8400

TIMES & DATES:

Friday October 26th Evening

Informal ice breaker at the bar of the Cardinal Motor Inn Saturday October 27th 8:00 am to 7:00 pm Talks and Posters Sunday October 28th Field Trip

CONFERENCE FEE:

(a) Accommodation and Meals: \$121.00 This includes a shared room (two in each room) for two nights, breakfast-lunch-dinner on Saturday, and a breakfast and boxed lunch on Sunday.

(b) Registration fee: \$74.00 This includes transportation on field trip, airport shuttles, field trip guide, and setup fee for conference room.

TOTAL \$195.00

Geologists residing in Sudbury must cover only the registration fee. The conference fee (\$195.00) will be collected at the registration desk on Friday evening Sept. 26th and on Saturday morning Sept. 27th before the beginning of the talks.

REGISTRATION:		
Name:		
Affiliation/Institution:		
Phone number:		
Fax Number:		
E-mail:		
Flight Information:		
Are you flying in? (Yes/No):		
Arrival (flight number, date, and time):		
Departure (flight number, date, and time):		
Meal Information:		
Would you prefer vegetarian meals (Yes, No, N/A):		
Room Information:		
Smoking or non-smoking:		
Is there someone you would like to share your room with? If ye	s,	

the name of this person?:		
Name:		
Presentation:		
Are you presenting a talk or poster (Yes/No):		
Poster:	Talk:	

PRESENTATION:

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Talks are 15 minutes plus 5 minutes for discussion. Two slide projectors, an overhead projector, and a computer projector will be available. For computer presentations, please bring your own laptop. Poster boards will be available for posters. A special session will be set aside for posters. Tradition dictates that authors must present a 5 minute oral summary of their posters.

The deadline for submission of abstracts (200-300 words) is Friday October 5th. Submit your abstract via e-mail in MS Word or WordPerfect format.

DEADLINES:

Please confirm your reservation for accommodations and meals (\$121.00) with Cardinal Motor Inn by SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 30th. You must guarantee your reservation by credit card. Please specify that you are attending the Canadian Tectonic Group Meeting. The toll free phone number for the Cardinal Motor Inn is 1-800-787-4008. The Cardinal Motor Inn can also be reached at the following number: 1-705-522-8900. Note that you will only be assigned a room at the registration desk on Friday evening Sept. 26th.

Please fill in and send in the above registration form to Bruno Lafrance (contact information below) by SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 30th. If you are presenting a talk or poster, please submit your abstract by e-mail in MS Word or WordPerfect format to Bruno Lafrance by FRIDAY OCTOBER 5th.

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ANNUAL MEETING STRUCTURAL GEOLOGY AND TECTONICS DIVISION (SGTD) OF THE GEOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF CANADA, MAY 2001; St. John's NF.

Attendees: Andrew Okulitch (Treasurer), Normand Goulet, Stephen Johnston, Donna Kirkwood and Michael Malo. A quorum of 10 persons is needed so no formal meeting was held.

New CTG WFB PAGE

The CTG website (http://craton.geol.brocku.ca/ctg.html) is up and running but is in need of contributions; please contact Jurgen (jkraus@sk.sympatico.ca; kraus@mac.com) or Jim Ryan (jryan@nrcan.gc.ca) with content ideas or contributions.

STRUCTURAL ATLAS PROJECT

Here is an abbreviated update from Sandy Cruden (May 23, 2001): I have received submissions from 17 people plus offers of what is already present on web sites from another 2 people. These submissions ranged from one image to sets of up to 20 or so images and/or maps. Not having counted all of the images yet, my guess is that we

have around 100 images to work with at present.Based on my preliminary scan of the submissions, I can report that we are heavy on kinematic indicators (why am I surprised?) and light on general structures (folds, faults, fractures, fabrics) and oredeposits specific material (i.e. timing relationships, vein and breccia types, etc.).Submissions are still welcome and will be for quite some time.

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SG&T DIVISION, FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 2000

Balance forward 01 JAN 00 \$ 6,468.79 Best paper and thesis prizes \$ 600.00 Dues \$ 900.00 Service charges \$ 3.00 Total debits \$ 603.00 Total credits \$ 7,368.79 Balance 31 DEC 00 \$ 6,766.79

Note: The Best MSc thesis prize cheque has not yet reached the recipient and will appear in the financial statement for 2001. The present (ie. 2001 mid-year) status of the account is: \$7263.79, which includes most of this year's membership dues and the various awards cheques.

CALL FOR NEW EXECUTIVE

Finally, Larry, Andy and I have decided to make way for new blood so we are searching for a new executive. It seems to work well if a team from one location volunteers together. Please give this some consideration before the Fall meeting in Sudbury so that we can elect or acclaim a new executive at the meeting. Andy has volunteered to stay on if need be.

Cheers,

Larry Lane, Andy Okulitch and Dennis Johnston.