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- 20-25 September **Polar Regions & Quaternary Climates: Coupling between Northern and Southern Hemisphere Climates during the Last Climatic Cycles.** Acquafredda di Maratea, Italy. Contact: Dr Josip Hendekovic, European Science Foundation, 1 quai Lezay-Marnesia, 67080 Strasbourg Cedex, France. Tel: +33 3 88 76 71 35, Fax: +33 3 88 36 69 87, Internet: <http://www.esf.org/euroscos>, e-mail: euroscos@esf.org
- 25-27 September **Poles Apart: A Study in Contrasts.** Ottawa, Canada. Contact: The Chairman, Department of Geography, University of Ottawa, 165 Waller St, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1N 6N5
- 4-5 December ☞ **XX Symposium on Polar Biology**, Tokyo, Japan. Contact: Secretariat, XX Symposium on Polar Biology, National Institute of Polar Research, 9-10 Kaga 1-chome, Itabashi-ku, Tokyo 173, Japan. Tel: 813 3962 4569, Fax: 813 3962 5743, E-mail: iwao@nipr.ac.jp
- 8-11 December **MODSIM 97. International Congress on Modelling and Simulation.** Hobart, Tasmania. Theme: Spatial and Temporal Dynamics in Physical, Biological and Socio-Economic Systems. Contact: Dr A. David Macdonald, c/o CSIRO Marine Laboratories, PO Box 1538, Hobart, Tasmania 7001, Australia. Tel: 61 3 6232 5482, Fax: 61 3 6232 5000, E-mail: MODSIM97@ml.csiro.au

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- 14-19 May **"Belgica" Centennial Symposium.** Brussels, Belgium. Contact: Dr C. de Broyer, Institut Royal des Sciences Naturelles de Belgique, rue Vautier 29, B-1000 Bruxelles, Belgium. Tel: 32 2 627 42 77, Fax: 32 2 627 42 77, E-mail: debroyer@kbinirsnb.be
- 22-26 June **Fifth Circumpolar Remote Sensing Symposium.** University of Dundee, Scotland. Contact: Sheila Newcombe, DCCZR, Dept of APEME, University of Dundee, Dundee DD1 4HN, Scotland. Tel: 44 0(1)382 344933, Fax: 44 0382 34515, email: s.k.newcombe@dundee.ac.uk
- 23-27 June **Seventh International Conference on Permafrost.** Yellowknife, MWT, Canada. Contact: J.A. Heginbottom, Terrain Sciences Division, Geological Survey of Canada, 601 Booth Street, Ottawa, Canada K1A 0E8.
- 28 June-5 July **Gondwana-10. Event Stratigraphy of Gondwana.** University of Cape Town, South Africa. Contact: Organising Committee, Gondwana-10, Department of Geological Sciences, University of Cape Town, Private Bag, Rondebosch 7700, South Africa. Internet: <http://www.uct.ac.za/depts/cigc>, Tel: +27 21 650 3171, Fax: +27 21 650 3167, E-mail: gondwana@geology.uct.ac.za
- 6-10 July **The Mary Wade Symposium. 14th Australian Geological Convention.** Townsville, Australia. Contact: Dr Alex Cook, Queensland Museum, PO Box 3300, South Brisbane, QLD 4101 Australia. E-mail: a.cook@mailbox.uq.oz.au
- 17-20 August ☞ **International Symposium on Glaciers and the Glaciated Landscape**, Kiruna, Sweden. Contact: Secretary General, International Glaciological Society, Lensfield Rd, Cambridge CB2 1ER, UK. Tel: 44 1223 355 974, Fax: 44 1223 336 543, E-mail: 100751.1667@compuserve.com
- 24-28 August ☞ **International Symposium on Polar Aspects of Global Change**, Tromso, Norway. Contact: International Symposium on Polar Aspects of Global Change, c/o Norsk Polarinstitutt, N-9005 Tromso, Norway. E-mail: jaklin@tromso.npolar.no

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- 1–5 September **SCAR Seventh Biology Symposium**, Christchurch, New Zealand. Contact: VII SCAR Biology Symposium, Centre for Continuing Studies, University of Canterbury, Private Bag 4800, Christchurch, New Zealand. Tel: 64 3 3642645, Fax: 64 3 3642057, E-mail: scarbio@cont.canterbury.ac.nz
- 5–9 September **Sixth International Symposium on Antarctic Glaciology (ISAG-6)**, Lanzhou, China. Contact: Secretary General of ISAG-6, Laboratory of Ice Core and Cold Regions Environment, Lanzhou Institute of Glaciology and Geocryology, CAS, Lanzhou 730000, China. Fax: 86 931 888 5241, E-mail: icecore@ns.lzb.ac.cn