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FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS FOR THE 19th CYCLONE WORKSHOP

Dear colleagues:

We are pleased to announce the 19th Cyclone Workshop (CW) will be held beginning with dinner on Sunday, 29 September, and ending after lunch on Friday, 4 October 2019, at Kloster Seeon near Munich in Germany. We would like to solicit contributions under the broad theme of “*Meditating on the role of cyclones ...*”

- 1) ... *in predictability*
- 2) ... *in high-impact weather*
- 3) ... *in the large-scale circulation*
- 4) ... *from the tropics to the poles*

In addition to these themes, the selection of workshop topics is open and will be determined by the interests of the participants. If it rotates, we want to hear about it! As with past CWs, we strongly encourage participation from the operational forecasting community.

The workshop will be held at Kloster Seeon (<http://www.kloster-seeon.de/en>) in Seeon, near Munich, Germany. Approximate total cost for the workshop, including accommodations (five nights), all meals, and registration fee, will be 650€–800€, per person, for double and single occupancy, respectively. Hotel reservations will be centrally handled by the Organization Committee. Further information and exact pricing for 2019 will be announced soon.

In keeping with our strategy from past CWs, we will schedule afternoon recreation breaks, at least one poster session, and special evening sessions. Proposed topics include: the 101st anniversary of the Bergen School, ensemble visualization of cyclones, and machine learning. Any suggestions regarding either the topics or the format of the evening sessions are welcome and should be sent to the Organization or Science Committee members. Given the success of past CWs and our desire to maximize discussion time, expected participants should be aware that there will likely be limitations on the overall number of presentations.

CW19 is kindly supported by Waves to Weather (www.wavestoweather.de), a Collaborative Research Center funded by the German Science Foundation, DFG. It is, therefore, possible to offer **support for early career scientists travelling overseas**. To apply for support, please send your CV, estimated travel costs, and a letter of interest stating your motivation to participate in one PDF file along with your abstract submission. The amount of travel support will be up to 700€. Criteria for selection will be based on scientific quality and the letter of interest. The committee will strive to balance travel awards between working groups and institutions. Decisions on travel support will be made by **15 May 2019**.

Please email your abstract to Kristen Corbosiero at kcorbosiero@albany.edu by **15 April 2019**. Participants will be notified of the CW19 schedule by **1 June 2019**.

We look forward to seeing you at Kloster Seeon!

Sincerely,

CW19 Organization Committee (Kristen Corbosiero, Michael Riemer, and Volkmar Wirth) and Scientific Committee (Hannah Attard, Melissa Breeden, Julian Quinting, Victoria Sinclair)

Synopsis of important dates:

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| 15 April 2019: | Abstracts due |
| 15 May 2019: | Travel award notifications sent |
| 1 June 2019: | Scientific agenda sent to participants |
| TBD 2019: | Hotel reservation and registration fee deadline |
| 29 September 2019: | Cyclone Workshop begins with Sunday dinner |
| 4 October 2019: | Cyclone Workshop ends with Friday lunch |