

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Announcement

## The MS11 organization is in progress

- ✓ The introduction of the different topics of the Congress will be given by <u>five plenary lecturers</u> :
  - Ian Farnan, Department of Earth Sciences, University of Cambridge
  - Patrice Chartrand, Department of Chemical Engineering, Polytechnique Montréal
  - Mathieu Salanne, PHENIX Laboratory, Sorbonne University, Paris
  - Toshiyuki Nohira, Institute of Advanced Energy, Kyoto University
  - J.Robert Selman, Illinois Institute of Technology, Armour College of engineering.
- ✓ The Abstract submission is open up to February the 15<sup>th</sup>
  See the <u>My Space section</u> on the website of MS11 after connection.
  Please answer quickly for a better organization, following the indications on the <u>MS11 site</u>
- ✓ Some news about the program:
  - On Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup> of May, the registration and the welcome party will take place at the International Universitary Center for Research, rue Dupanloup (<u>Blue pin on the city map</u>) close to the Cathedral in the historical center of Orléans. There, you will find the desk for registration and a "welcome buffet".
  - From Monday to Thursday, the conference will take place at the Conference Center (<u>Red pin</u> on the city map).
  - We prepared some events to discover Orléans city.
    - On Monday evening, a visit of the ancient City hall of Orléans (<u>Groslot Hotel</u> is a typical building of Renaissance style). The visit will be concluded by a cocktail party offered by the Orléans town council.
    - On Tuesday, the poster session will be organized in the great hall of the conference center and every one will be able to discover French specialties of cheese and wines.
    - The Wednesday evening will be reserved for the traditional conference dinner. (more information are coming soon)
    - On Thursday evening, we will propose a special event to close the congress.
  - More news will be posted on the site particularly for registering and for accommodations.
  - For those who needs a visa, please look at the site.