

The influence of the maintenance concept on vegetation changes of subcontinental dry grasslands

Julian Gärtner, Berlin

Rare bee and wasp discoveries on the Oder and their zoogeographical significance

Dr. Christian Schmid-Egger, German Wildlife Foundation, Berlin

The taxonomic problems of the *Festuca vaginata* agg. and their coenonymic aspects

Dr. Károly Penksza University of Gödöllő, Hungary

coffee break

Care and protection of Grassland in the Czech Republic

Ametyst, N. N. Pilsen, Czech Republic, requested

Changes in the cicada fauna of various dry grasslands in Eastern Germany since the 1960s

Dr. Sebastian Schuch, Senckenberg Museum of Natural History, Görlitz

Goat grazing - a suitable method for restoring bushy dry habitats

Dr. Daniel Elias, Anhalt University, Bernburg

The Botanical Garden of Cracow

N. N. University of Cracow, Poland, requested

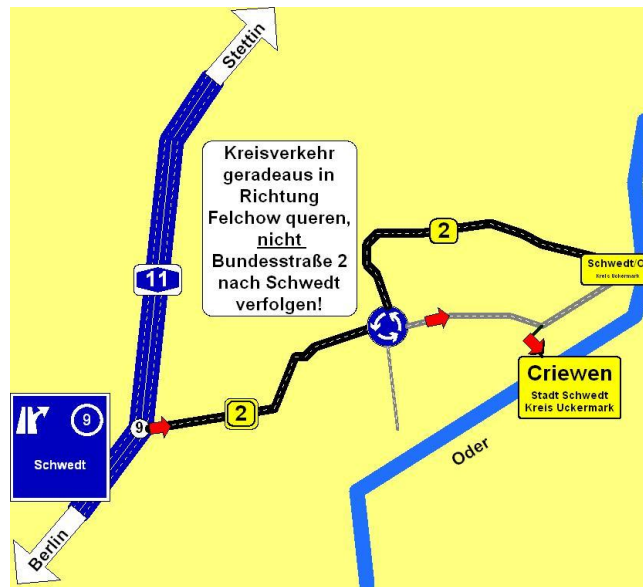
Afterwards snack, end of the conference ca. 2:30 p.m.

How to find us:

By car:

From Berlin via the A 11 Berlin-Stettin (Szczecin), exit Joachimsthal / Schwedt , via the B198 and the B2 to the roundabout, continue on the L284 (direction Felchow / Schwedt) to Criewen.

From Stralsund via motorway A20, exit Kreuz Uckermark, via B166 to Schwedt (Oder-Center), in the direction of Angermünde to Criewen



Railway / public transport

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Coming from Berlin or Stralsund, take the train (RE 3) to Angermünde. From the station square take bus line 468 to Criewen-Nationalparkzentrum.

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**Ecosystem dry grassland
Monitoring, Projects,
Perspectives**

13th - 14th June 2019

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About the topic: The variety of plants and animals that can be found on lean, dry surfaces even surprises experts again and again. Depending on the season, a large number of plants that love and tolerate the warmth grow on these habitats. And they are ideal for insects and reptiles too. This biodiversity turns dry grasslands into biological hotspots, but they are also among the most endangered habitats in Central Europe. Intensive land use threatens the biodiversity of many dry grassland sites. Maintaining and conserving dry grasslands is a particular responsibility, but also a challenge. The conference offers the opportunity to inform oneself about maintenance and development concepts which are economically and nature conservationally sustainable and it is an occasion to exchange requirements and perspectives for the conservation of dry grasslands in Europe. Conference languages: German, Polish, English (simultaneous translation during the conference)

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In cooperation with:

Eurasian Dry Grassland Group (EDGG)
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Conference venue:

Brandenburg Academy "Schloss Criewen" (Criewen Castle), Park 3
D - 16303 Schwedt / OT Criewen

Participation fee: 90,00 € - Scientists, Officials 30,00 € - All participants from East-European and Southeast-European countries

The participation fee includes the conference documents, excursion costs as well as catering and drinks.

Please use the registration form for your registration

Program

Thursday 13 June, 2019

11.00 a.m.

Welcoming

Brandenburg Academy

Creating a Sustainable Future for Grassland Biodiversity

Prof. Dr. Stephen Venn,
University of Helsinki, Finland

Effects of global changes on the biodiversity of dry grasslands

Prof. Dr. Thomas Fartmann University
of Osnabrück

How the intelligence of pollinating insects is damaged by pesticides

Prof. Dr. Randolph Menzel,
Free University of Berlin

Insights into the development of dry grassland vegetation in the Lower Oder Valley

Dr. Immo Kämpf, AKI GbR, Grömitz

Dry grasslands in Eastern Brandenburg – are they still suitable habitats for bees and wasps?

Dr. Christoph Saure, Berlin

lunch break

Dry Grassland – care and protection in Westpomeranian Region

Lukasz Lawicki, Nature Society, Poland, requested

Renaturation of dry grassland on arable brownfields

Prof. Dr. Christine Römermann,
Friedrich Schiller University of Jena

9.00 a.m.

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Dr. Walter Durka, Helmholtz Centre
for Environmental Research, Halle

Geographical peculiarities among the plant species of the Oder Valley and its dry grasslands

Dr. Frank Zimmermann, Botanical
Society of Brandenburg and Berlin

Phytoceonological studies in open sandy grasslands along the Danube

Gergely Pápay, University of Gödöllő,
Hungary

Controlled use of fire in the Lower Oder Valley National Park

Tim Bornholdt, Lower Oder Valley Na
tional Park, Criewen

coffee break

Excursion

**Reception of the National Park
Foundation Unteres Odertal**

Afterwards dinner in the castle

Friday, 14 June 2019

Conservation status of steppe grasslands in the Thuringian Basin under the influence of contiguous agricultural production

Dr. Katja Gödeke, Thuringian State
Institute for Agriculture, Jena

Evaluation of the renaturation of limestone grasslands

Dr. Dominik Poniadowski, University
of Osnabrück