

## European Network on Soil Awareness

### Conference 2009

#### Second Circular

Museum am Schölerberg  
Osnabrück, Germany

27 - 29 September 2009



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### Conference Venue:

Museum am Schölerberg  
Am Schölerberg 8  
D - 49082 Osnabrück  
[www.museum-am-schoelerberg.de](http://www.museum-am-schoelerberg.de)

### Conference Office:

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### Registration:

Registration is required by fax or E-Mail.

### Registration Fee:

Conference  
100,- €  
Including: Dinner (Monday evening), Refreshments,  
Entrance fee (Museum)

Advanced training course for teachers  
20,- € (participation only Tuesday)  
Including: Refreshments, Entrance fee (Museum)

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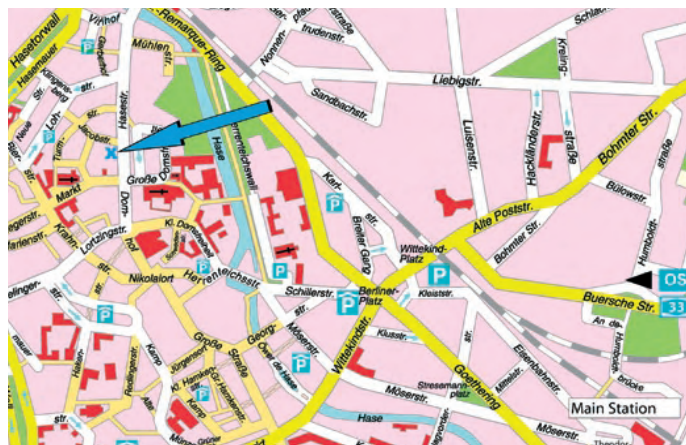
### How to reach Osnabrück and the Conference Venue

**By train:** Long distance trains from Amsterdam, Hannover, Berlin and Intercity trains every hour from Basel, Cologne, Düsseldorf, Bremen and Hamburg to Osnabrück main station.  
(Train schedules in English: [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de))

**By bus:** Line 21 from the main station directly to "Kreishaus / Zoo".

**By plane:** Daily flights from various destinations to Münster / Osnabrück Airport (FMO).  
Airport Express Bus X 150 every hour to Osnabrück (main station), driving time is 45 minutes (information in English: [www.fmo.de](http://www.fmo.de)).

**By car:** From Bremen or Dortmund / Münster: A 1, change at intersection "Lotter Kreuz" to A 30 (Hannover), exit Osnabrück – Nahne. From Hannover or Amsterdam: A 30 exit Osnabrück- Nahne



Icebreaker (Sunday evening):

Brewery "Rampendahl", Hasestraße 35, 49074 Osnabrück (s. map)  
[www.rampendahl.de](http://www.rampendahl.de)

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## Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2009

19:00-20:30 Sightseeing Tour "Old town of Osnabrück"  
20:30 Icebreaker (Brewery Rampendahl)

## Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2009

09:30-11:00 "under.World – the universe under our feet"  
(Germany 's only permanent interactive soil  
exhibition, guided tour)  
13:00-13:30 Welcome

### Opening Addresses

13:30-13:45 Boris Pistorius  
Lord Mayor of the Host City Osnabrück  
13:45-14:00 Werner Wahmhoff  
Head of Division Environmental Research  
and Nature Conservation  
German Federal Environmental Foundation  
14:00-14:15 Christian Steiner  
Chair, European Land and Soil Alliance  
14:15-14:30 Gabriele Broll  
President, German Soil Association  
14:30-14:45 Stephen Nortcliff  
Secretary General  
International Union of Soil Science  
14:45-15:00 Karl Friedrich Falkenberg  
Director General  
DG Environment, European Commission  
15:00-15:30 Break

### Activities to Raise Soil Awareness in Different Countries of Europe

15:30-15:50 Renate Leitinger, State Upper Austria and  
Monika Tulipan, Austrian Fed. Environ. Agency  
Soil Awareness in Austria  
15:50-16:10 Silvia Lazar, German Soil Association and  
Klaus Mueller, German Soil Science Society  
Soil Awareness in Germany  
16:10-16:30 Hanneke van den Ancker and Pieter D. Jungerius  
Geoheritage NL  
Soil Awareness in the Netherlands  
16:30-17:00 Discussion

17:00-18:30 **Exhibition "under.World – The universe under  
our feet"** (guided tour)  
**Poster session**

18:30-20:00 **Buffet Dinner**  
in the Museum am Schölerberg

20:00-21:30 **Presentation: „Dirt - The movie“**  
European premiere of a new outstanding  
American movie about soil ([www.dirtthemovie.org](http://www.dirtthemovie.org))  
in the Museum am Schölerberg

## Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2009

### EU Activities on Soil Awareness

09:00-09:20 Luca Montanarella and Arwyn Jones  
Joint Research Centre, European Commission  
EU activities on soil awareness at the JRC  
09:20-09:40 Rachel Creamer and Willie Towers  
Chairs of the Working Group  
on "Soil Awareness and Education"  
of the European Soil Bureau Network  
Tasks of the Working Group  
09:40-10:00 Discussion  
10:00-10:20 Break  
10:20-10:30 **European Network on Soil Awareness**  
Proposals – Where do we go from here?  
10:30-11:30 Discussion in Working Groups  
1. Education  
2. Outreach  
11:30-12:00 Break  
12:00-13:00 Reports of the Working Groups  
and Final Discussion  
14:00-18:00 **Advanced Training Course for Teachers**  
"Soil in School – it's amazing!"  
In German - Participation in the conference  
on Tuesday included

### Please return by Fax or E-Mail

**+49 (0) 541 323 15 3173 / mail@soil-alliance.org**

- I would like to register for the conference. The registration  
fee of 100,- € will be transferred to the organizer after  
having received the registration confirmation.
- I would like to participate on
- Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> September 2009
    - Sightseeing Tour
    - Icebreaker
  - Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> September 2009
  - Tuesday, 29<sup>th</sup> September 2009
- I would like to present a poster.
- Title:.....
- I would like to register for the Advanced training course  
for teachers on Tuesday. The registration fee of 20,- € will  
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