



The associations BDEM, Doc'Up, Symbiose 6 and Timarcha are pleased to welcome you to the 5th Young Natural History scientists Meeting at the National museum of natural history (MNHN) of Paris. We hope that this congress created for young scientists will provide you with the opportunity to present, possibly for the first time, your research in a relaxed but studious atmosphere. We believe that the YNHM is a great chance for everyone to have a first international congress experience.

We thank you all for coming and hope you will enjoy the conference and get opportunities for networking.

Faithfully yours,

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The YNHM's history

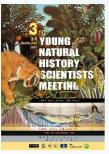
Since 1995, **the BDEM** association of PhDs and students of Museum organized an annual congress following a specific theme, often pluridisciplinary to attract the most audience possible, but it somehow limited the scientific discussion made essentially in french. Hence, in 2014, the organizing committee decided to change the congress' format. Why delimiting the congress to a specific theme when we were already all gathered by Natural Sciences? The next day, the first edition of the Young Natural History scientists Meeting was born.

Our main goal was to offer young scientists an opportunity to experience their first communication in a scientific congress by reuniting several crucial elements:

- Propose scientific communication selected by a scientific committee composed of Master and PhD students and post-doctoral fellows;
- Organize a congress of the level of international scientific meetings but open only for non-permanent young researchers, in english, with sessions covering all disciplines of Natural Sciences;
- Open the congress to other french and foreign universities and provide grants to help students from foreign countries to attend to the congress;
- Increase the congress attractiveness by inviting renowned researchers to give opening talks for each session and organizing public conferences to which we invite students from high schools.

This experience proved to be successful as for the fifth year in a row, the YNHM attract every year over **300** young researchers in Natural sciences from more than 30 different countries.











			TUESDAY 6th	
	09:00	Registration		
	9:00 - 9:30	Opening speech: Nathalie Machon, director of the Doctoral School		
Humanities and Natural Sciences	9:30 - 10:00		Keynote speaker : Jean-Bernard Huchet	
	10:00 - 10:15	Guilhem Mauran	Hues of Namibia: characterization and provenience of Erongo rock art pigments	
	10:15 - 10:30	Andréa Filippo	Exploration of the morphological diversity of mandible of dogs during Epipalaeolithic until Bronze Age in Europe and Near and Middle East. Morpho-functional aspects link to dietary changes induced by man.	
	10:30 - 10:45	Chloé Duffaut	Is the perception of urban biodiversity related to ecosystem services?	
	10:45 - 11:00	Marine Levé	Advocating, caring, knowing as many ways of relate to gardens' nature	
sai			Coffee break	
Humanities	11:30 - 11:45	Alexandre Suire	Vocal behavior and its correlation to mating success in humans	
	11:45 - 12:00	Sandra Simões	In front of captive felines and primates: does welfare matter?	
	12:00 - 12:15	Mélanie Dacheux	Potential involvment of human secreted group IIA phospholipase A2 in malaria	
	12:15 - 12:30	Eslem Ben Arous	Contribution of human occupations study in Northwestern Africa: new dating results of the MSA/LSA transition from El Haroura 2 cave	
			Lunch break	
r S	14:00 - 14:30		Keynote speaker : Erin Saupe	
volution and Comparative Anatomy	14:30 - 14:45	Pierre Charrier	Transcriptomics help resolve phylogenetic relationships in ticks	
	14:45 - 15:00	Pierre Arnal	Phylogenomic reveals differences in the temporal and spatial diversification of two diverse families of moths	
	15:00 - 15:15	Maxime Taverne	Terrestrial vs. Arboreal : functional differences in the forelimb muscles of Carnivora	
	15:15 - 15:30	Anna Zango Palau	Do sexually dimorphic species have sexually dimorphic brains?	
an			Coffee break	
ution	16:00 - 16:15	Romain Pintore	Limb functional shift between prosauropod and sauropod dinosaurs: Morphological changes among stylopod bones	
ш	16:15 - 16:30	Théo Pannetier	The imprint of climate in phylogenetic trees: a global analysis on the diversification of Tetrapod families	
Systematics,	16:30 - 16:45	Laetitia Carrive	The ancestor of buttercups and poppies: Flower evolution in Ranunculales	
	16:45 - 17:00	Javiera Chinga	Integration and allometric dynamics during development and its relation with morphological evolution in Schizanthus (Solanaceae) flowers	
	Poster session: Humanities and Natural Sciences & Systematics, Evolution and Comparative anatomy			
	19:15 - 20:15	Fill	m projection "The keepers of the moon mountains"	

	WEDNESDAY 7th			
	9:15 - 9:45	Keynote speaker : Aurélien Besnard		
Biodiversity Dynamics and Conservation	9:45 - 10:00	Cathleen Petit	Combining statistical and mechanistic models to unravel the causes of mortality causes within rear-edge beech population	
	10:00 - 10:15	Felix Rosumek	Natural History of Ants: What We (do not) Know about Trophic and Temporal Niches of Neotropical Species	
	10:15 - 10:30	Cristiana Alves	Forecasting the potential impacts of environmental change on lberian plants of conservation concern	
	10:30 - 10:45	Estelle Razanatsoa	Impact of 700-year rainfall variability on spiny forests: case of the southwestern Madagascar	
ап			Coffee break	
Biodiversity Dyna	11:15 - 11:30	Kyungmin Kim	Landscape characteristics and prediction of leopard cat (Prionailurus bengalensis euptilura) road-kills in the Republic of Korea	
	11:30 - 11:45	Loïc Prosnier	Parasites affect their hosts through many ways: virulence, vulnerability, behavior and energy	
	11:45 - 12:00	Fernanda Fernandes Garcia	Sexual segregation in red deer: a question of food?	
	12:00 - 12:15	Antoine Gazaix	The contribution of seed bank mapping to conservation programs: The case of Lythrum thesioides	
			Lunch break	
ry Sciences	14:00 - 14:30		Keynote speaker: Anneleen Foubert	
	14:30 - 14:45	Christian Müller	Insect folivory patterns in late Eocene coastal lowland riparian associations from central Germany	
	14:45 - 15:00	Caroline Thaler	The effect of sulfate on biomineralisation by foraminifera	
	15:00 - 15:15	Luiz Gustavo Pereira	High resolution taphonomic analysis of shell beds in the Holocene sedimentary deposits in southern Brazil	
	15:15 - 15:30	Aleksander Majchrzyk	Geochemical analysis of the Devonian fossilized fauna from Hamar Laghdad Massif (Anti-Atlas, Morocco)	
eta			Coffee break	
Earth and Planetary Sciences	16:00 - 16:15	Jordan Gônet	Taphonomic study of a pleurosternid turtle shell from the Lower Cretaceous of Angeac-Charente (South-West France)	
	16:15 - 16:30	Amélie Cavelan	Impact of organic matter chemical transformations on shale porosity during the confined pyrolysis of organic rich shales: a complement to the observations of natural systems	
	16:30 - 16:45	Morgan Bezard	Structural geology coupled with Raman geothermometry and 40Ar/39Ar dating in the south of the Menderes Massif, Turkey	
	16:45 - 17:00	Abdellah El Azhari	Pollution and ecological risk assessment of heavy metals in the soil-plant system and the sediment-water column around a former Pb/Znmining area in NE Morocco	
	17:15 - 19:00 Poster session : Biodiversity dynamics and Conservation & Earth and Planetary Sciences		iversity dynamics and Conservation & Earth and Planetary Sciences	

			THURSDAY 8th	
	9:15 - 9:45	Keynote speaker : Céline Teplitsky		
Evolutionary Ecology	9:45 - 10:00	Miguel Valbuena	Arabidopsis thaliana root growth under simulated microgravity	
	10:00 - 10:15	Felix Lallemand	The mystery of the albinos orchids	
	10:15 - 10:30	Charline Pinna	Evolution of transparency in mimetic Lepidoptera	
	10:30 - 10:45	Thomas Aubier	Selection for mutual mate choice can inhibit speciation	
			Coffee break	
	11:15 - 11:30	Francisko Rezende	Do different light conditions influence warning signal efficacy	
	11:30 - 11:45	Ayala Loisel	Disposable soma theory patterns in oxidative balance of thermally contrasted arctic charr populations	
	11:45 - 12:00	Camille Leroy	Linking wing shape and flight behaviour in Morpho butterflies	
	12:00 - 12:15	Tazio Tissot	The evolution of resistance and tolerance to cancer	
			Lunch break	
	13:30 - 14:00		Keynote speaker : Esther Lopez-Montalvo	
Methods in Natural Sciences	14:00 - 14:15	Ceferino Varón- González	Multivariate methods and the genetics of shape: an empirical approach in the study of the skull	
	14:15 - 14:30	Ugoline Godeau	The importance of being random! Taking full account of random effects in nonlinear hierarchical Bayesian models	
	14:30 14:45	Laxmi Tumung	Assessing the application of Digital microscope for usewear and residue analysis: A Preliminary approach	
	14:45 - 15:00	Rúben Mina	Bioaccumulation of metals in bats: the use of fur and wing as non-lethal samples	
Na			Coffee break	
Methods in	15:30 - 15:45	Nicolas Lazzerini	Investigating pastoral mobility of Mongolian domestic horses using GPS tracking and stable isotope (δ 13C and δ 15N) analysis of tail hair	
	15:45 - 16:00	Fanny Pagès	What is the impact of preparation bone deformations in a morphometrical study?	
	16:00 - 16:15	Marcjanna Jędrych	A new approach for environmental monitoring using remote sensing techniques	
	16:15 - 16:30	Hugo Gruson	New insights in the measurement and characterization of iridescent colours	
	16:45 - 18:30 Poster session : Evolutionary Ecology & Methods in Natural Sciences			
	20:00 - 1:00		Closing Gala	



The Young Natural History scientists Meeting invites you to its public conferences on Friday the 9th of March 2018

We will have the great pleasure to welcome:



Gilles Boeuf Conference in English

Rich of 40 years of research, he reflects on the future of Nature and Mankind we're building today

Jean-Michel Bertrand

Conference in French

Director of a documentary on wolves, he spent three years in the Alps to meet with the charismatic animal



These conferences will take place at the Grand Amphithéâtre du Muséum

Conferences open to the public. Be aware that seats are limited (315 seats).

Social events

Tuesday 7th, 19:15, Movie projection: "The keepers of the moon mountains"

A documentary by Sylvie Tiên Gadmer

On an island of equatorial forest lives a community of wild chimpanzees threatened with extinction. Following their tracks closely, the primatologist Sabrina Krief and her team tries to understand them to better preserve them. She observes the medicinal plants they consume and may heal us tomorrow. You will be immersed in her research that also reveals the poetry of the forest, fragile and threatened, as our two species.



Sabrina Krief is a veterinarian, primatologist and senior lecturer at the National Museum of Natural History. Her research focuses on chimpanzees, their health and the plants they consume, as well as the effects of human activities on the behavior and ecology of chimpanzees.

Photographic contest

During **the poster sessions** you will have the opportunity to admire the photos selected by the jury of the photographic contest. **Do not forget to vote for your favorite!** Results of the vote will be given at the Gala evening.

Thursday 8th, 20:00 Gala evening

You are all invited on Thursday evening to join us at the Gala to share some food, drinks and music and celebrate yet another edition of the YNHM. We will award prices to the best oral and poster presentations. Come to enjoy the party!



Social events

Galleries access

Don't forget that during the congress you can access all these galleries of the Museum for free by just showing your badge at the entrance:

- ➤ Grande Galerie de l'Evolution
- ➤ Galerie de Minéralogie
- ➤ Galerie de Botanique
- Galerie de Paléontologie et d'Anatomie comparé
- Grandes serres
- Ménagerie

If you want to visit the Musée de l'Homme (Mankind Museum), come and get a ticket at the registration desk.

Please note that all galleries are closed on Tuesdays.

Friday 9th Excursions

People who enrolled for the excursions have to be on time at the meeting points at 14:00 for the first ones and at 15:00 or 15:30 for the second ones:

- Imaging platform
- Herbarium 🙆
- Collections of Entomology 3
- Collections of Comparative anatomy
- Collections of Marine invertebrates

Springer Workshop 6

'Springer author's workshop' is dedicated to young researchers willing to learn about publishing scientific research.

Saturday, 10th, Field trip 🧑

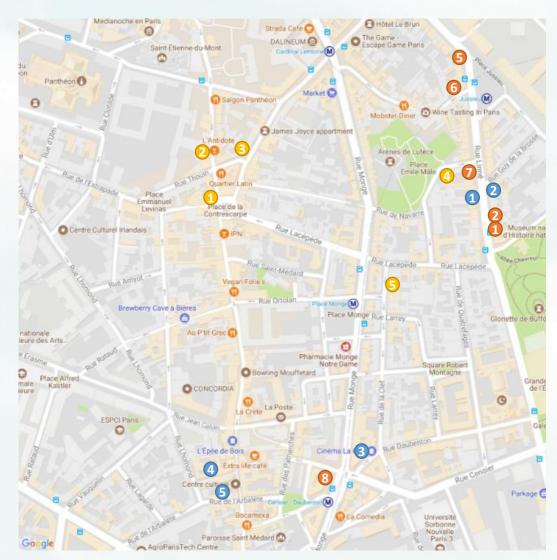
People who enrolled for the field trip on Saturday afternoon, have to be at the entrance of the Jardin Ecologique at 14:00.







Where to eat a bite



Eat in a small restaurants

- 1 L'étoile du Liban − 13 rue Linnée
- L'arbre à cannelle 14 rue Linnée
- 3 Aux délices d'Asie 36 rue Daubenton
- Golosino IT 4 square Vermouze
- 5 Les petits plats de Marc 6 rue de l'Arbalète

Grab a sandwich

- Maison Cocherel 6 rue Linnée
- T &A − 8 rue Linnée
- Gabriel artisan boulanger 4 boulevard de l'Hôpital
- MPS boulanger pâtissier 30 rue Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire

or grab a drink!



- Aux délices de Jussieu 28 rue Jussieu
- Chaud les sandwichs-4, rue des Boulangers
- Subway 19, rue Linné / 98 rue Monge
- (9) L'epi Saint Marcel 56 bd St-Marcel

- Le Requin Chagrin 10 rue Mouffetard
- Le Chapi Chapo 50 rue Descartes
- Rollin's Pub 18 rue Rollin
- Baker Street Pub 9 rue des Boulangers
- The Local 54 rue de la Clef

