

# Earth Surface Sector meeting 4 February 2015

## Agenda

### 1. Impressions from recent major conferences:

AGU (Anders Damsgaard)

GSA (Jan Piotrowski)

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### 2. Styles and formats of reporting absolute ages of Quaternary deposits: chaos or order? (Jan Piotrowski)

“yr” vs “a” (for some: “yr” = for time interval; “a” = point in time)

“AD” and “BC”

“BP” vs “ago”

“b2k” (before AD 2000; NGRIP Rasmussen et al. 2006)

”calibrated” vs ”calendar”; ”cal” vs ”cal.”

16500 yr BP; 16500 a BP; 16500 BP; 16.5 ka BP; 16.5 kyr BP

### 3. New computational tools in the study of surface dynamics (Anders Damsgaard)

### 4. Fundraising: sources, deadlines, strategies

### 5. Matters arising

Geoscience Seminars

Department’s Day

Money from the Dean

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