

Thursday, April 27, 2017

**SOLAR SYSTEM SITES: EARTH IN TIME/DEEP BIOSPHERE:  
SUSTAINED HABITABILITY, LIFE, AND THE BIOSIGNATURES OF A DYNAMIC EARLY EARTH I  
10:15 a.m. Arizona Ballroom D**

**Chairs: Betul Kacar  
Timothy Lyons**

- 10:15 a.m. Olson S. L. \* Droser M. L. Gehling J. G. Lyons T. W.  
[Ediacaran Trace Fossil Distributions Map Benthic Oxygen Oases](#) [#3497]  
We examine burrowing behavior in Ediacaran sediments and present a model for the benthic redox landscape of shallow marine environments in the Ediacaran.
- 10:30 a.m. Ostrander C. M. \* Kendall B. Gordon G. W. Romaniello S. J. Anbar A. D.  
[The “Whiff” of Oxygen 2.5 Billion Years Ago: Global or Local?](#) [#3709]  
High-resolution molybdenum concentration and isotopic analysis of the 2.5 billion year old Mt. McRae Shale reveals evidence for a global “whiff” of oxygen.
- 10:45 a.m. Cui H. \* Kitajima K. Farquhar J. Śliwiński M. G. Spicuzza M. J. Fournelle J. H. Ishida A. Brown P. E. Valley J. W.  
[A Younger Great Oxidation Event in the Huronian Supergroup of North America](#) [#3452]  
In this study, we propose that the GOE in the Paleoproterozoic Huronian Supergroup is younger (higher in stratigraphy) than previously thought.
- 11:00 a.m. Izon G. \* Ono S. Beukes N. Summons R. E.  
[New Quadruple Sulphur Isotope Records from the Duitschland/Rooihooft Formation\(s\): \(Re\)defining the Structure of the Great Oxidation Event](#) [#3181]  
New quadruple sulphur isotope records from the Duitschland/Rooihooft Formation(s) will be presented to (re)define the structure of the Great Oxidation Event.
- 11:15 a.m. Caron A. M. \* Fournier G. P.  
[Phylogenetic Proxies for the Rise of Atmospheric Oxygen](#) [#3431]  
The rise of oxygen on Earth is not fully resolved; we look at the history of oxygen-related gene loss and transfer events to add support to oxygen hypotheses.
- 11:30 a.m. Kacar B. \* Guy L. Smith E. Baross J.  
[Paleophenotype Reconstruction of Carbon Fixation Proteins as a Window into Historic Biological States](#) [#3250]  
Here we present ancient Rubisco and Carbonic anhydrase proteins and ask how paleophenotype reconstruction help address questions related to biology in deep time.
- 11:45 a.m. Anderson R. E. \* Reddington E. R. Reveillaud J. Eren A. M. Seewald J. McDermott J. Stepanauskas R. Huber J. A.  
[Genomic Variation and Evolution of Natural Microbial Populations Inhabiting Deep-Sea Hydrothermal Vent Habitats](#) [#3119]  
We investigate evolutionary dynamics in hydrothermal vents, which are thought to have been inhabited throughout most of Earth’s dynamic history.
- 12:00 p.m. Reinhard C. T. \* Olson S. L. Schwieterman E. W. Lyons T. W.  
[False Negatives for Remote Life Detection on Ocean-Bearing Planets: Lessons from the Early Earth](#) [#3451]  
We summarize the potential for remote detectability of oxygen- and methane-based biosignatures throughout Earth’s history.
- 12:15 p.m. *Lunch*