

**35th Annual Great Lakes Section - SEPM &
74th Annual Tri-State Field Conference**
*The Devonian-Carboniferous Boundary in
the Type Area of the Mississippian*

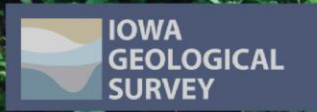
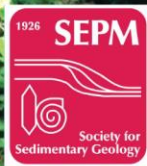
Quincy, Illinois
28th-29th September, 2019

A two-day field conference to the classical exposures of the Devonian-Carboniferous interval in the type area of the Mississippian Subsystem along the Mississippi River valley in Iowa, Illinois, and Missouri. Recent research on stratigraphy of the area provides new insight into the completeness of this interval and the potential significance of strata in the region to the global quest to understand the events surrounding this important boundary.

Conference Website

www.2019GLS-SEPM.weebly.com

Conveners: Bradley D. Cramer - University of Iowa
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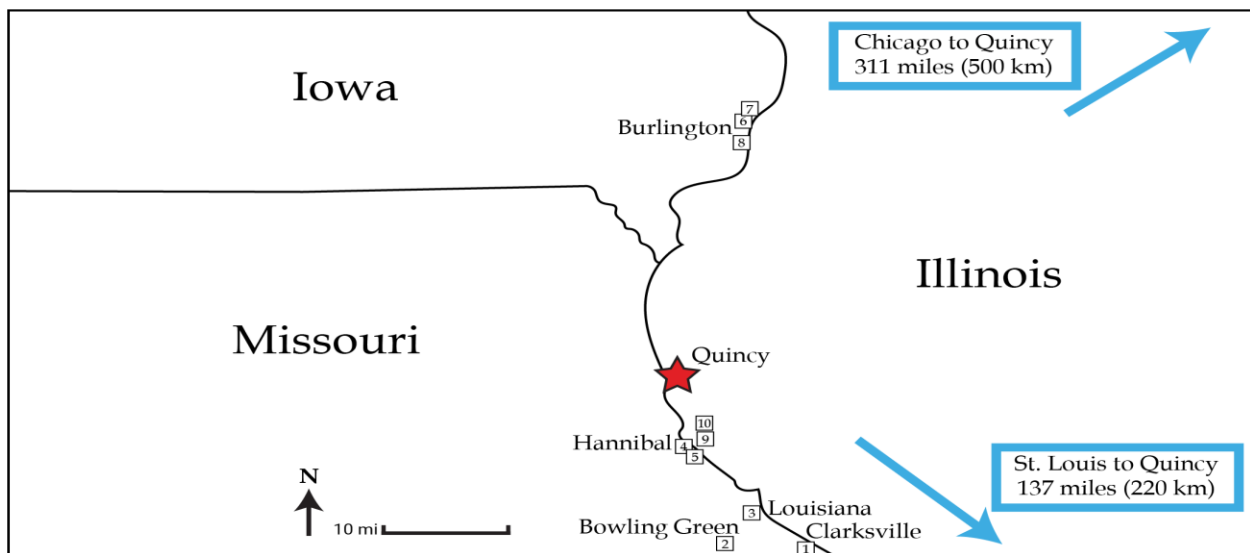


CONFERENCE ITINERARY

- **Friday, September 27th: Participants arrive in Quincy, Illinois**
- **Saturday, September 28th: Day 1, Stops 1-5, Missouri, Return to Quincy that night**
- **Sunday, September 29th: Day 2, Stops 6-10, Iowa & Illinois, Return to Quincy that night (END OF MEETING)**

Participants should arrange their own travel to and from Quincy, Illinois, as well as their own lodging within Quincy. Travel during the field trip will be provided. We will return to Quincy the evening of the 29th. If you are driving home, you can leave from there. If you are flying elsewhere, you will likely need to stay somewhere for the evening of the 29th and fly out the following morning (Monday, September 30th).

The closest major airport to Quincy, Illinois is St. Louis, Missouri (137 miles by car)



Field Stops (Formations Present)

Day 1, Saturday, September 28th, 2019

1. Clarksville Roadcut (Grassy Creek, Saverton, Louisiana)
2. Bowling Green Roadcut (Saverton, Louisiana)
3. Highway 79 Roadcut (Louisiana)
4. Hannibal Type Section (Louisiana, Hannibal, Burlington)
5. Hannibal Reference Section (Hannibal, Burlington)

Day 2, Sunday, September 29th, 2019

6. Starrs Cave Park (Eng. River, McCraney, Wassonville, Burl.)
7. Stoney Hollow (Eng. River, McCraney, Wassonville, Burling.)
8. Crapo Park (Eng. River, McCraney, Wassonville, Burling.)
9. Fall Creek State Park (Hannibal, Burlington)
10. I-172 Roadcut (Burlington, Keokuk)

REGISTRATION

Registration will begin June 15th, 2019. Information on how to register will be provided at the conference website:

www.2019GLS-SEPM.weebly.com

Registration will include travel to the field localities during each day of the field conference, lunches on both days, and field-trip guidebooks for each participant. Participants should **MAKE THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS** for lodging during the meeting as well as travel to and from Quincy, Illinois before and after the meeting.

COSTS

*Student Cost: \$50

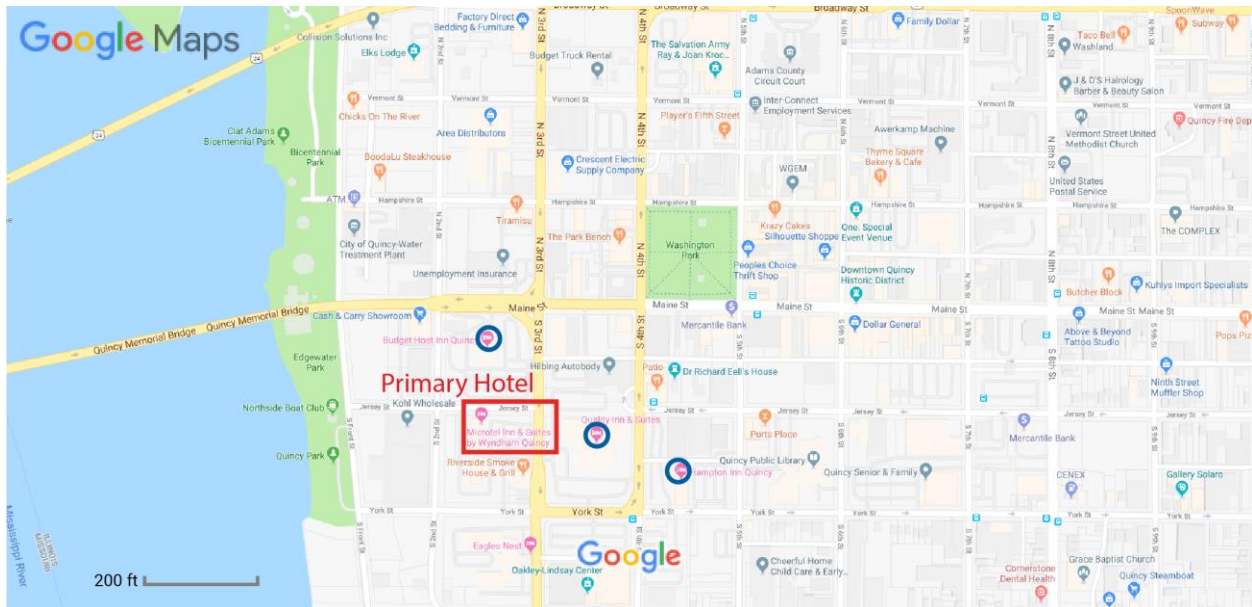
NAGT-Member Cost: \$50

Professional Cost: \$75

*Students include anyone currently enrolled in any accredited college or university.

LODGING

The Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham, Quincy, will be the primary host for participants. Information about rooms reserved for participants to book on their own will be available in the second circular when conference registration opens in June. There are a variety of hotel and motel options in the city of Quincy. A map is provided below as well as listing of other potential lodging options.



PRIMARY CONFERENCE HOTEL:

Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham, Quincy
200 South 3rd Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301
+1-217-222-5620

ALTERNATIVE LODGING:

Budget Host Inn, Quincy
200 Maine Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301
+1-217-223-6610

Quality Inn & Suites, Quincy
201 South N. 3rd Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301
+1-217-222-2666

Hampton Inn, Quincy
225 South 4th Street, Quincy, Illinois 62301
+1-217-224-8378

Lodging prices are expected to be \$80-\$100/night for a double room. We are working with the Microtel Inn & Suites to try to arrange conference prices for the event. We will post more information when it is available on the website.

We look forward to seeing you in Quincy in September!

Sincerely,

Brad, Ryan, and Jed