<u>Information for the Workshop on "Stable Isotope Analysis in Biogeochemistry"</u> <u>15-23 September 2010 at Stockholm University</u>

How to get to the City:

If you arrive by plane in Arlanda or Skavsta the easiest way to the City Center is the Airport-Coach. They all go to Stockholm Cityterminalen and there you can change to the subway (T-bana). Check the website (www.flygbussarna.se) for departure dates, fares and online-booking of tickets. You can buy tickets at the Airport as well.

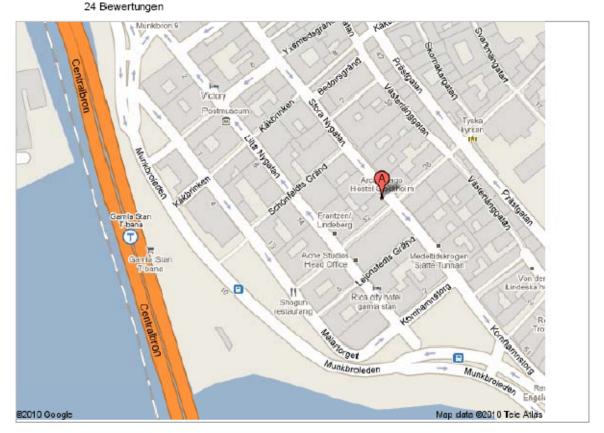
How to get to the Hostel:

The name of the hostel where we booked rooms for you is Archipelago Hostel, Old Town, Stockholm (Stora Nygatan 38, 111 27 Stockholm, Phone: +46 (0) 8 229940, www. archipelagohostel.se, info@archipelagohostel.se). Walking from Cityterminalen to the Hostel takes around 10 minutes, the closest subway station is "Gamla stan". The booking ref. for the hostel is 9740. The check-in time at the hostel is between 3-6 pm. If you need to check-in after 6 pm you should contact the hostel (via e-mail or phone) 2 days prior to your arrival to arrange that someone is there to give you the entry codes and sheets/towels. It's not necessary that you bring your own towels and sheets.

We booked a breakfast buffet for the first morning, the following days you must organize your breakfast individually.

A. Archipelago Hostel Old

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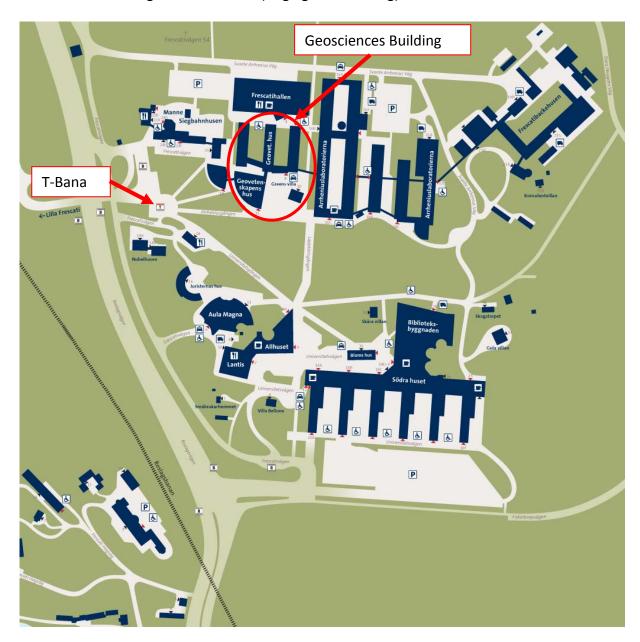
Way from Cityterminalen to Hostel

We booked 2- and 3-bed rooms for you and made a first rooming suggestion:

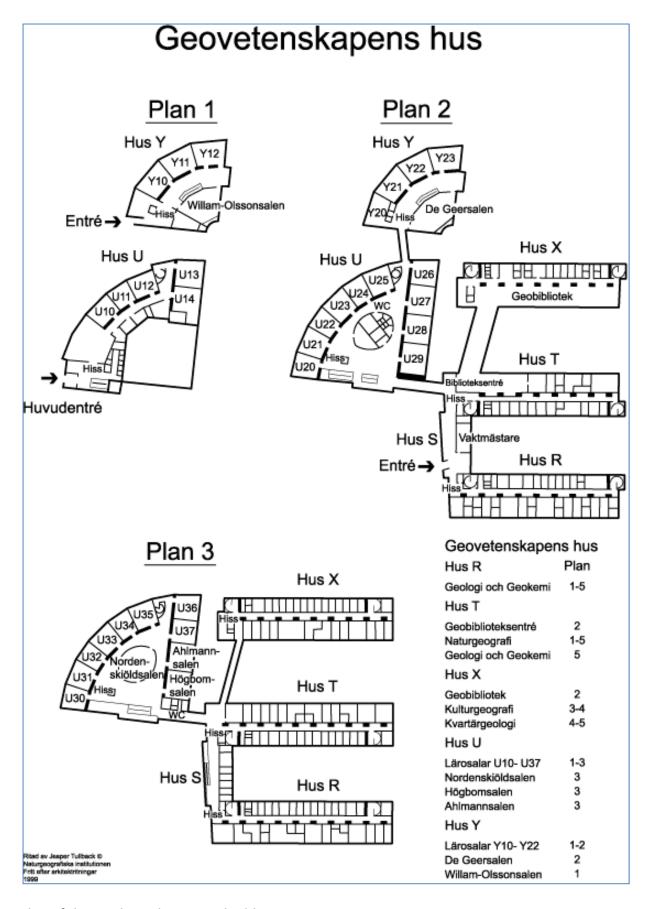
Name		arrival	departure	Roomates	Room Type
Asmala	Eero	14.09.	24.09.	Manh Nguyen Tang	3rd twin
Frey	Claudia	17.09.	23.09.	Frederike Korth	1st twin
Flury	Sabine	14.09.	22.09.	Anna Maciejewska	2nd twin
Holmroos	Heidi	15.09.	22.09.	Conny Lenz, Helena Jäntti	2nd triple
Jäntti	Helena	15.09.	22.09.	Conny Lenz, Heidi Holmroos	2nd triple
Korth	Frederike	14.09.	23.09.	Claudia Frey	1st twin
Lenz	Conny	14.09.	24.09.	Helena Jäntti, Heidi Holmroos	2nd triple
Maciejewska	Anna	14.09.	24.09.	Sabine Flury	2nd twin
Manh Nguyen	Thang	14.09.	22.09.	Eero Asmala	3rd twin
Szymczycha	Beata	14.09.	24.09.	Susann Vogler, Raza Uznyte	1st triple
Uznyte	Rasa	14.09.	24.09.	Susann Vogler, Beata Szymczycha	1st triple
Vogler	Susann	14.09.	23.09.	Beata Szymczycha, Raza Uznyte	1st triple

Stockholm University

The easiest way to go to Stockholm University is with the subway (orange line towards Mörby centrum, station "Universitetet"). When you leave the station you see the Geosciences building in the front left (large green building).



The department of Geological Sciences is located in building R, most of the lectures will be held in building U (see next map).



Plan of the Geological Sciences building

Ice Breaker on Tuesday evening (2010-09-14):

For those of you arriving on Tuesday we will organize a small Ice Breaker with cold drinks and snacks that will start at 4:30 pm on the fourth floor of the Geosciences building (Hus S). Due to security reasons all doors will be locked after 5 pm and a special key card is needed to enter the building. If someone arrives later, he/she should call Barbara. Someone will then come down and lets you in.

Public transport during the course:

We will provide you with multiple-ride-tickets on Tuesday evening during the Ice Breaker.

First Lecture:

The first lecture starts on Wednesday morning at 9:15 am in room U12.

Suggestions for your presentations:

We like you to present your current thesis work to give all other students (and teachers) an idea of your background and interest.

- 1. Please do not talk longer than 12-15 minutes (less is fine!).
- 2. Present the framework of your science i.e. why are you doing this, what is the overall questions. You may mention the project you work in, if it exists.
- 3. You may mention why stable isotopes are meaningful for your research.
- 4. Depending on the progress of your work you either present the classically introduction, methods, results and discussion OR you present your planned research, field sampling, experiments, modelling or whatever is relevant.
- 5. Most important is that you give us an impression of your scientific enthusiasm

Measuring your own samples:

At the moment these analyses are possible:

 δ^{13} C, δ^{15} N of organic material

 δ^{18} O, δ^{2} H of water

The δ^{34} S system is not running at the moment, but we hope that we can fix it until the course starts.

Definitely not possible is the analysis of δ^{13} C in DIC.

For those of you who plan to measure C/N samples: You can save time when your samples are dried or freeze-dried.

<u>Planned Mini-Project:</u>

We also plan a small food web project which will be carried out by the whole group. Further details about this will be presented during the introduction on Wednesday morning.

Problems?

In case any problems occur please contact Barbara via e-mail or phone.



T-Bana plan