

Geological Excursion :TopoEurope 18.10.09 Geology and Wine of the Upper Rhine Graben Trough

Crosssection from Heidelberg (eastern graben shoulder) through the graben to Waldhambach (western graben shoulder)

Start: 9 am

1.Location: Quarry Waldhambach : Gnitoid,Permian volcanics covered by Bunter Sandstone, position directly west of the western graben fault.

2.Location:Madenburg on top of the Bunter Sandstone north of Waldhambach.

Nice overview morphologically over the whole graben structure; if it is nice weather visibility of the eastern graben shoulder around Heidelberg.

Afterwards invitation by the well known Weingut Dr.Wehrheim at Birkweiler for lunch and wine tasting around 2-2.30 pm.

In the late afternoon travelling back to Heidelberg station.

The excursion is offered for 20-25 persons as a whole and it is for free.

Therefore, we recommend to book the excursion till September 1 st for planning purposes. According to the booking we prepare a small guide book.