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0	Albrecht von Quadt	Opening	ETH Zurich	8.15 - 8.30			
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1	Stefan Schmid	Correlation of tectonic units from the Alps to	ETH Zurich	-			
2	Ioan Seghedi	Western Turkey Miocene-Quaternary basalts from East Carpathian volcanic chain, Romania: a mineral	Institute of Geodynamics of Romanian Academy,	8.30 - 9.00			
3	Sibila Borojevic Sostaric	chemistry and melt inclusion study Oligocene shoshonitic rocks of the Rogozna Mts. (Central Balkan Peninsula): evidence of	Bucharest Faculty of Mining Geology, Zagreb	9.00 - 9.30			
4	Kristina Saric	ore deposits New LA-ICP-MS U/Pb zircon data on various granitoids from the European side of the	Faculty of Mining and Geology, Belgrade	9.30 - 9.4			
	ional Matallagany	Tethyan Mesozoic suture		9.45 - 10.0			
reg		Major Alaina are districts at the territory of the	University "Good Deleov"	-			
Э	Todor Serailmovski	Republic of Macedonia	Stip	10.00 - 10.			
6	Daniela Gallhofer	Geodynamics, geochronology and Cu-Au hydrothermal ore provinces in the Banat	ETH Zurich, IGP	10 30 - 11			
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7	Alexsandar Pacevski	Skarn mineralizations in the Bor ore district: new evidence from study of bornite- chalcopyrite-hematite paragenesis	Faculty of Mining and Geology, Belgrade	11.30 - 11.			
nv	ironmental Geology						
8	Lazar Gjorgiev	Technogenous deposits and their environmental impact around the Buchim Mine	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	- 11.45 - 12.			
9	Aneta Donkova- Petrushova	Au-Ag tellurides and other mineral associations in the llovitza Cu-Au deposit	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	12.00 - 12.			
10	Dobriela Rogožareva	Some typical hydrothermal alterations in the	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	12 15 - 12			
	Lunch		r	12.30 - 14.			
000	osit Studios						
11	Elitsa Stefanova	llovitsa porphyry Cu-Au deposit: sequence of vein formation and sulfide deposition	BAS, Geological Institute, Sofia	14 00 -14			
12	Zlatko Peltekovski	Principle metallogenic features of the Sasa Pb-Zn deposit, Republic of Macedonia	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	14,15 - 14			
13	Goran Tasev	New data of fluid inclusions study of the Kadiica deposit, Republic of Macedonia	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	14.30 - 14			
14	Violeta Stefanova	Placer gold prospecting around the Tertiary occurrences in the Republic of Macedonia	University "Goce Delcev"- Stip	14.45 - 15			
15	Rossitza Vassileva	Compositional characteristics of sulphide mineralization from the hydrothermal Madan Pb-Zn deposits: a LA-ICP-MS study	BAS, Geological Institute, Sofia	15.00 - 15.			

16	Atanas Hikov	Rare earth element mobility during advanced argillic alteration in Assarel porphyry copper deposit, Central Srednogorie, Bulgaria	Elatsite Mine	
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16	Joshua Barcikowski	Magmatic evolution of the Buchim-Damjan-	ETH Zurich	-
		Borov Dol ore district - Petrology-geochemistry		15.30 - 15.45
	Stephan Lehmann	Magmatic evolution of the Buchim-Damjan-	ETH Zurich	
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	Milorad Antic	More than 500 Ma of magmatic and tectonic evolution of the Serbo-Macedonian Massif	University of Basel	10.00 - 10.30
18		Macedonia)		16.30 - 16.45
	Stela Atanasova	Magma Interaction Recorded in Amphiboles from Vitosha pluton, Western Srednogorie,	BAS, Geological Institute, Sofia	
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21		geochemistry constraints	DAO, Os els sis el la stitut	17.15 - 17.30
	Valentin Grozdev	U-Pb zircon dating and zircon population analyses of the Paleogene magmatic rocks in	BAS, Geological Institute, Sofia	
22		Kyustendil and Kratovo area.		17.30 - 17.45

### Types of hydrothermal alteration within the Ilovitza deposit, Republic of Macedonia

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As a result of the recent detailed explorations, made by the company *Phelps Dodge*, and today, extended from the company EurOmax, Ilovitza deposit is separated to the polymetallic Cu-Au-Mo porphyry deposit, located within Tertiary intrusive complex, whose mineralization is closely related to intensive hydrothermal alterations of surrounding rocks. It is located in southeastern part of Republic of Macedonia, more precisely on Ograzden mountain, at about 17 km at a distance from Strumica city, near Ilovitza village. In the Republic of Macedonia even and broader, "Ilovitza" deposit represents one of the more significant porphyry deposits of Cu-Au-Mo. This deposit represents a part of several porphyry systems in eastern Macedonia and northern Greece, which are in association with igneous complexes and is one of deposits of the type of the deposit Bucovik-Kadiica in Macedonia and Scurries in Greece. In view of the regional geotectonic position, "Ilovitza" deposit belongs to Serbian-Macedonian Massif (Zagorchev et al., 2008) and the Serbian-Macedonian Metallogenic Zone (Jankovic, 1977; Serafimovski, 1990), in belt, in whose geological construction participate late Proterozoic to Palaeozoic metasediments and granitoids. The processes that took place in the frame of the SMM have caused structure of the volcanic apparatus, domes and regional dislocations, as the Tupal dislocation and dislocation Besna Kobila-Osogovo (Serafimovski, 1990; Aleksandrov, 1992). Actually, creation and spatial distribution of the magmatism and the ore are in function of the structural factor of a control or disjunctive-depth structures that are present in the Ograzden granite massif and have direction along the borders of the basic geotectonic units: Serbian-Macedonian Massif and the Vardar Zone (Serafimovski, 1990). Hydrothermal alterations, as a special marc of the deposit, with our laboratory examinations, which consisted of X-ray and microscopic examinations of the samples, were determined as an alteration that characterizes porphyry systems (*Rogozareva*, 2010). They are allocated on the basis of the typemorphic and characteristic follow minerals. Between them can be separated the following types of hydrothermal alterations: supergene sulphide alteration, weak propylitic alteration, advanced argillic alteration, quartz-sericite-pyrite ("phyllic") alteration and potassium metasomatism with the presence of intermediate argillic alteration. In addition, in view of the mineralization especially are interesting deeper parts of the deposit, especially zones and their contact parts where the quartz-sericite-pyrite alteration is developed and potassium metasomatism with the presence of intermediate argillic alteration.

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