

Field trip to the Geopark Harz . Braunschweiger Land . Ostfalen in Central Germany -

Geological diversity from paleozoic rocks to the ice age

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The Harz Mountains are composed of paleozoic sediments and magmatic rocks. They have been extensively documented over the past 1,000 years in historical accounts of mining and research in the area. The Braunschweiger-Land / Ostfalen area offers for its part fossil-rich sediments of the Mesozoic and Neozoic eras. A unique landscape with numerous deposits of iron ore, brown coal, salt and oil came about here as a result of the elevation of salt structures. The cultural history of the region with its renowned monuments is closely linked to the geological characteristics of the landscape.

On our field trip we will visit the following places:

- Geopark Information Center Koenigslutter
 - Emperor Cathedral Koenigslutter
 - National Geosite Stromatolites Heeseberg
 - World Heritage Goslar / Rammelsberg
 - Geopark Information Center St. Andreasberg - Samson Silver Mine and Canary Museum
 - Devil's Wall Weddersleben
 - Thale - Bode-Valley - Ropeway Travel to the Rosstrappe,
 - World Heritage Quedlinburg
 - Unicorn Cave Scharzfeld

Costs: ca. 250 € all inclusive

Participants: min: 20 / max: 40 Persons

