

Comité national des Géoparcs de France, FRANCE

Annual Report, 2022

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**Members :**

2 representatives of Luberon UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Monts d'Ardèche UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Massif des Bauges UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Causses du Quercy UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Chablais UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Haute-Provence UNESCO Geopark

2 representatives of Beaujolais UNESCO Geopark.

1 representative of the French National Commission for UNESCO

1 representative of the Ministry for Environment

1 representative of the Ministry or the national organization responsible for tourism

1 representative of the BRGM (Bureau of Geological and Mining Research)

1 representative of the dissemination section of the French Geological Society

**Active Applications in your country (name, year of application submission):**

Normandie-Maine Aspiring Geopark, 2019

Armorique Aspiring Geopark 2019

**Interested territories that you are advising:**

Massif des Maures

La Hague-Cotentin

Centre Hérault

Cap et marais d'Opale

Alpes Azur

**Committee/ Forum Activities (bullet points your activities for the last 6 months):**

Annual General Assembly of the Committee on 2022 December 16<sup>st</sup>. Renewal of some members of the Bureau.

Technical meeting between Committee members on 2022 January 21<sup>st</sup> and others meeting between members to create two working groups: one on geopartners, the other to share pictures and videos.

Organization of a common stand for the French Geoparks on Geofair during EGN Conference in Verbania (Sesia Val Grande UGGp) in September.

Participation in the EGN meeting in De Honsrug UGGp and in the the National For a meeting.

Participation in the EGN Conference and meeting in Verbania with several keynotes by French UGGps.

Participation to the GGN Advisory Committee meetings.

Participation in the “Journées nationales du patrimoine géologique” Geological heritage National Meeting) in Morrocco (October).

Participation in “6es Journées économiques de la Montagne” (6<sup>th</sup> Mountain Economic forum).