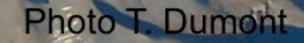
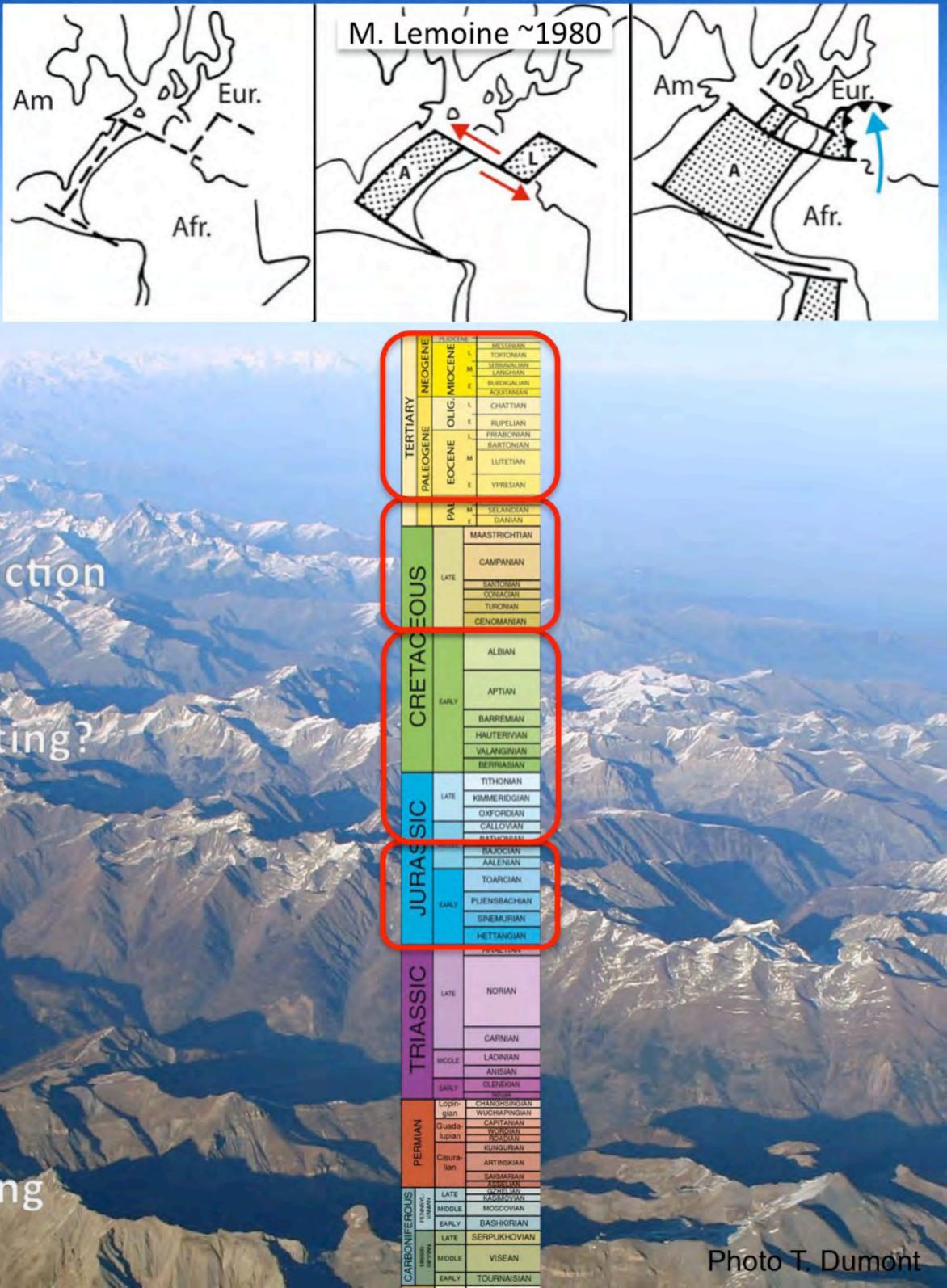
# The Briançonnais fossil "marginal plateau" in the Western Alps: tectono-sedimentary evolution, restoration

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# Geodynamic sketch



Alpine collision

Convergence, subduction

Passive margin, drifting

# Jurassic rifting

Triassic subsidence

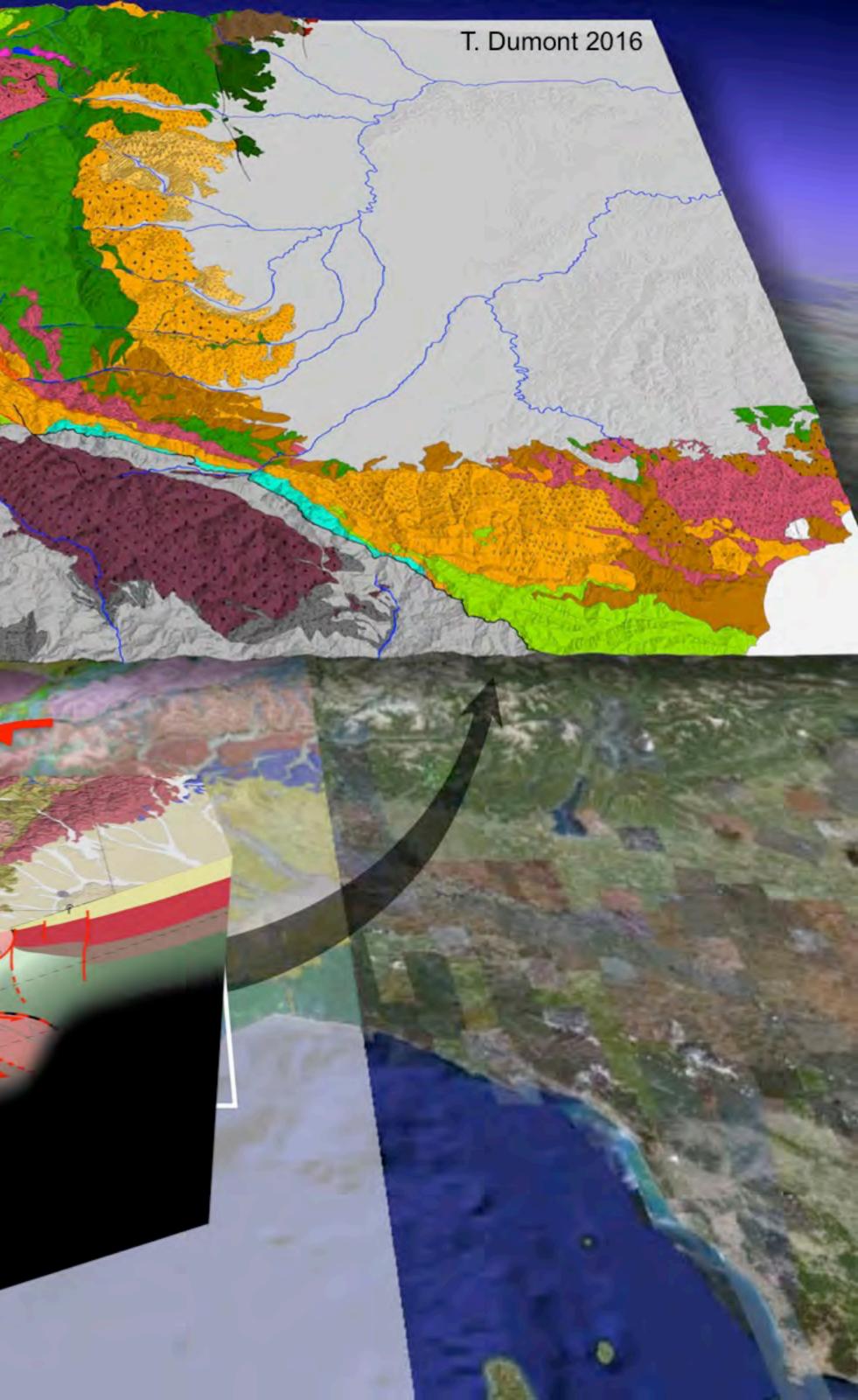
Late Hercynian setting

# Alpine setting

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Cifalps, Zhao et al., 2015

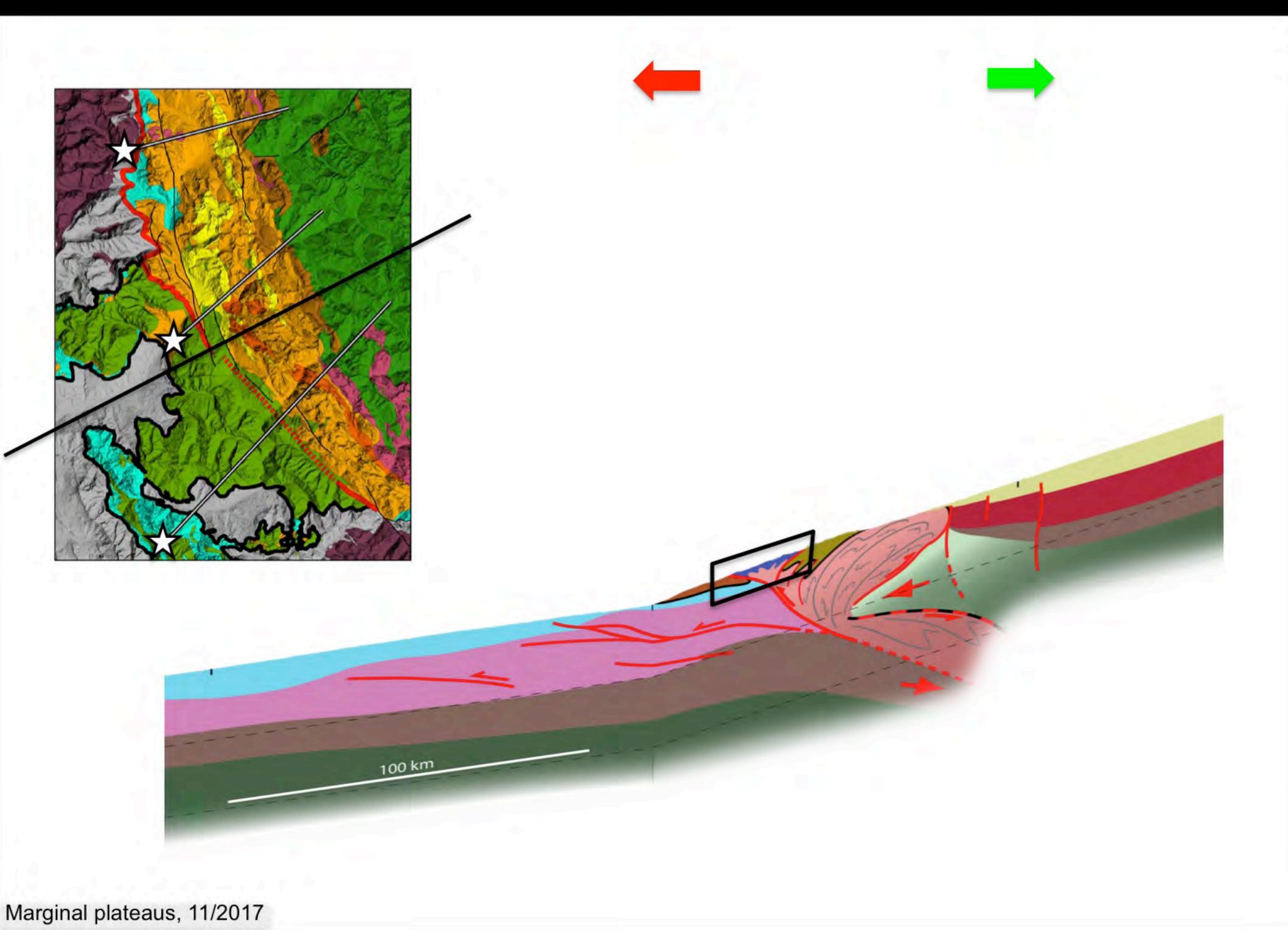
100 km



# Alpine deformation, restoration

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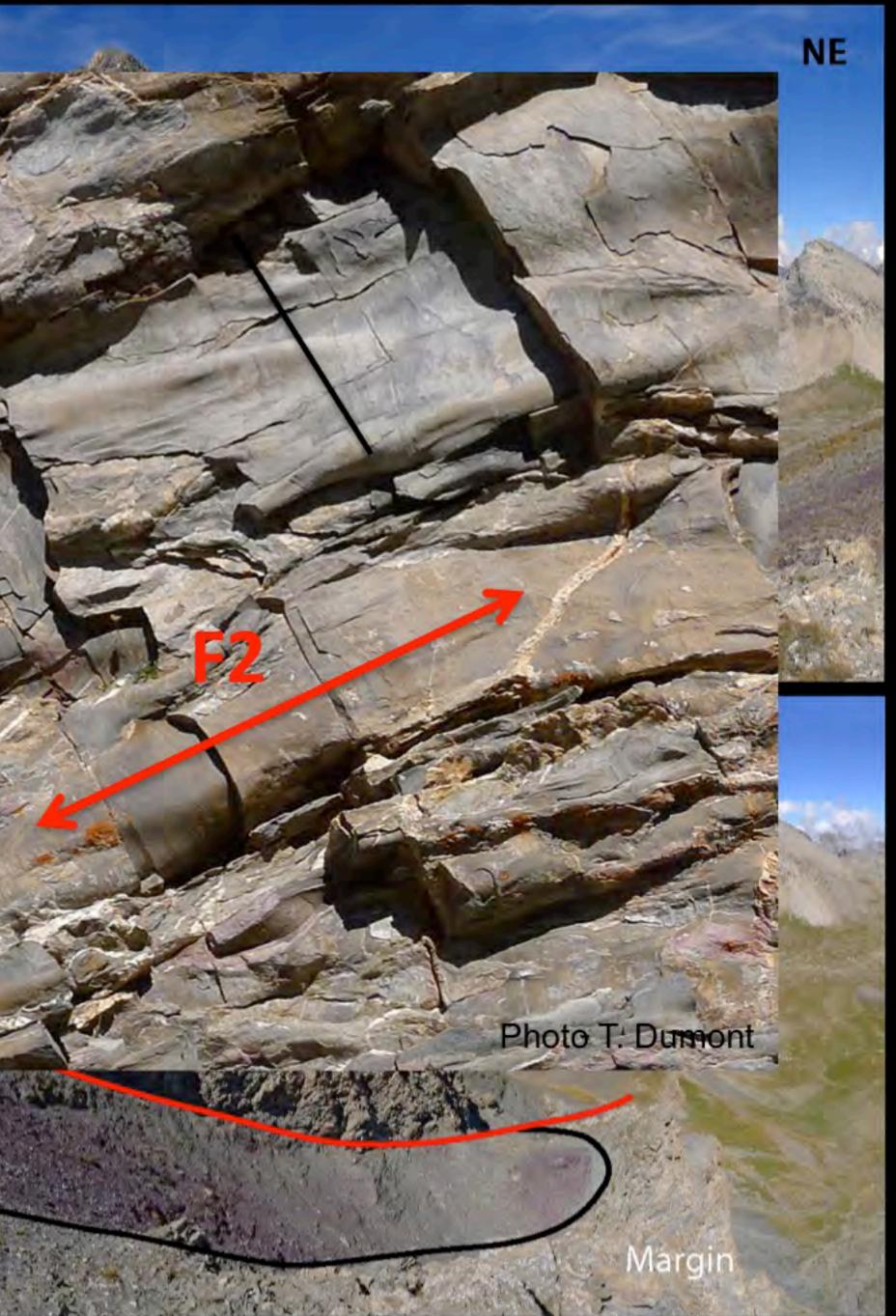


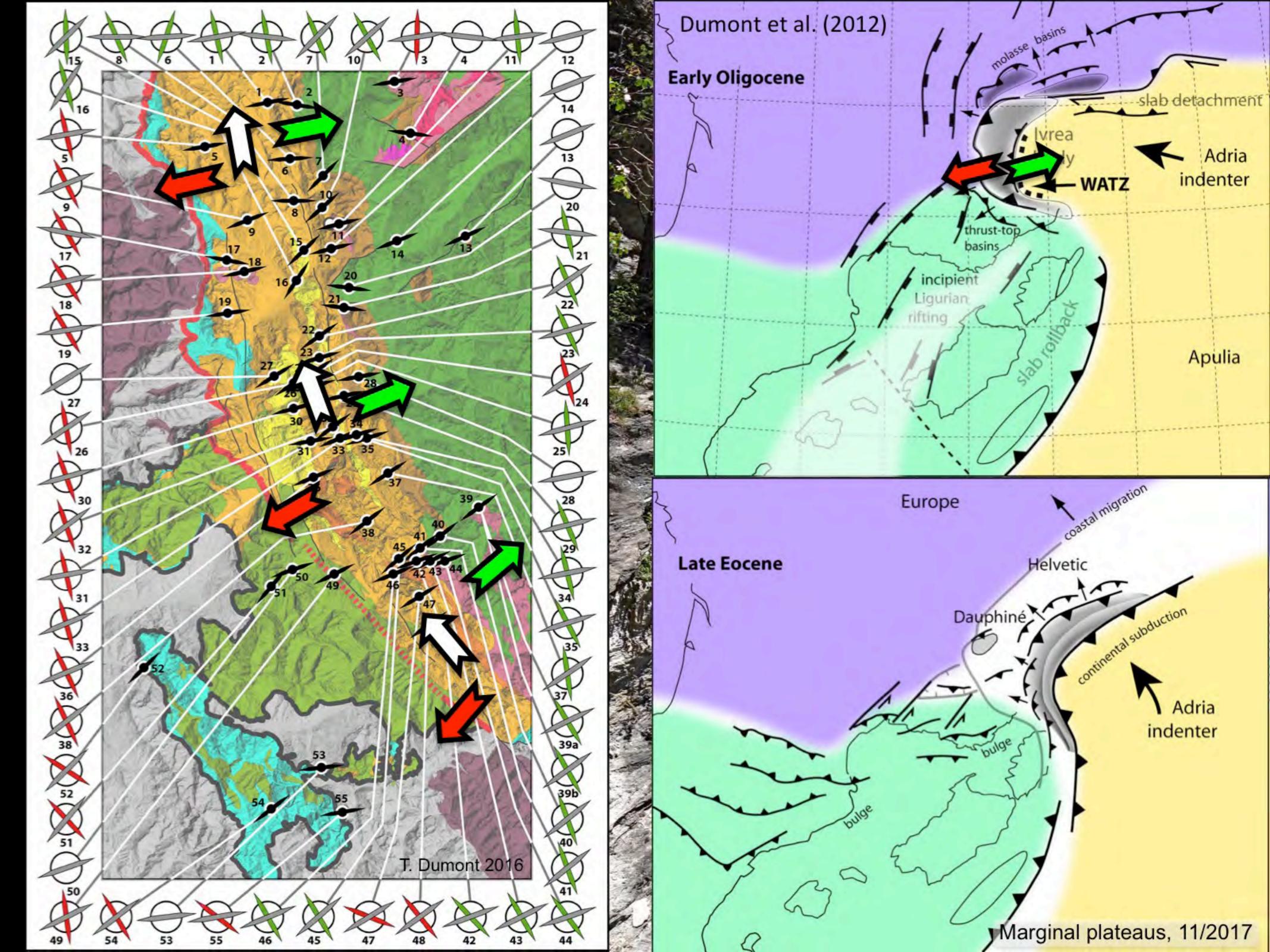


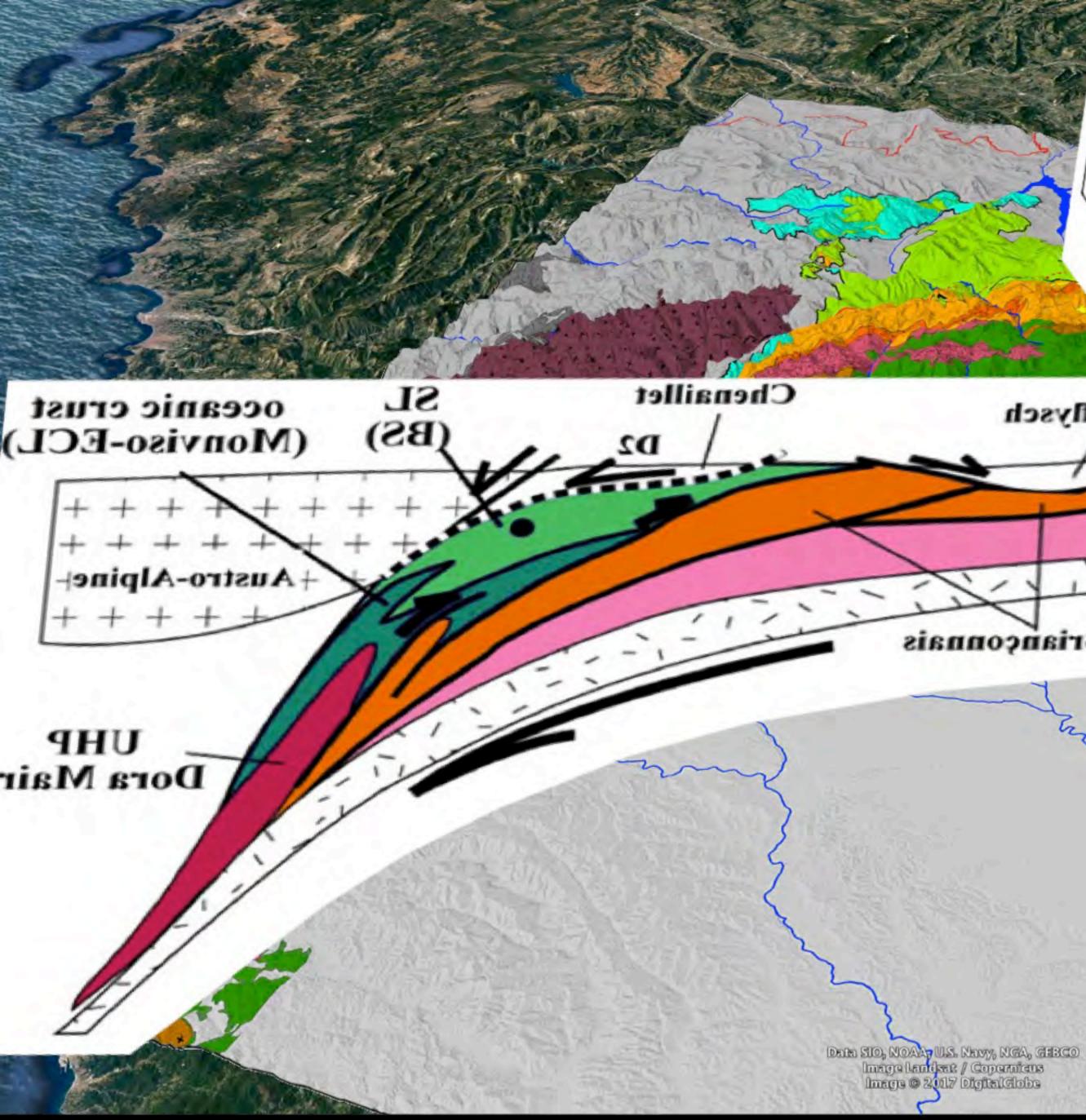
# Change in tectonic transport directions

# SW Ocean State

### Initial transport of oceanic units towards N-NW



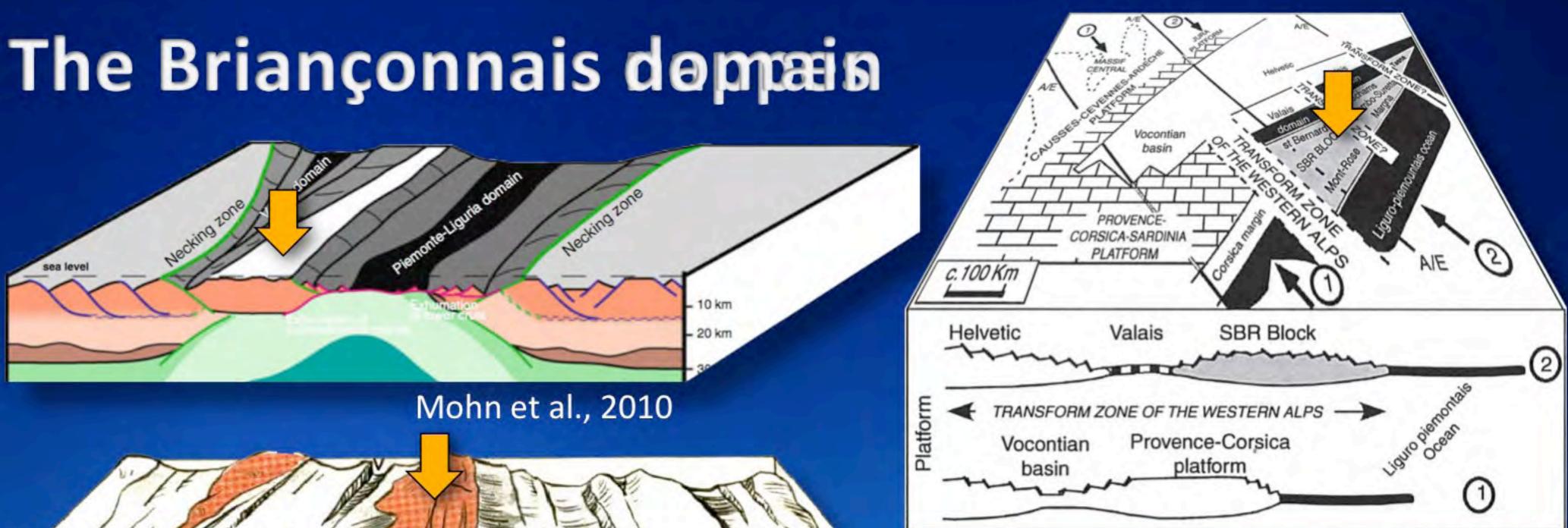


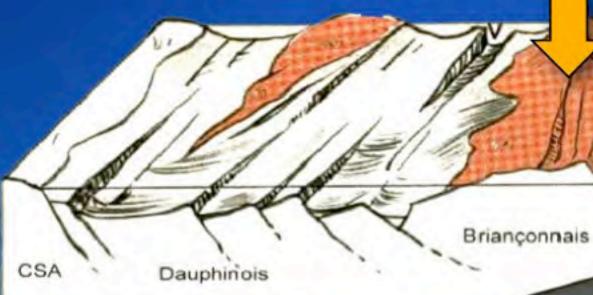


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Agard et al. (2007)





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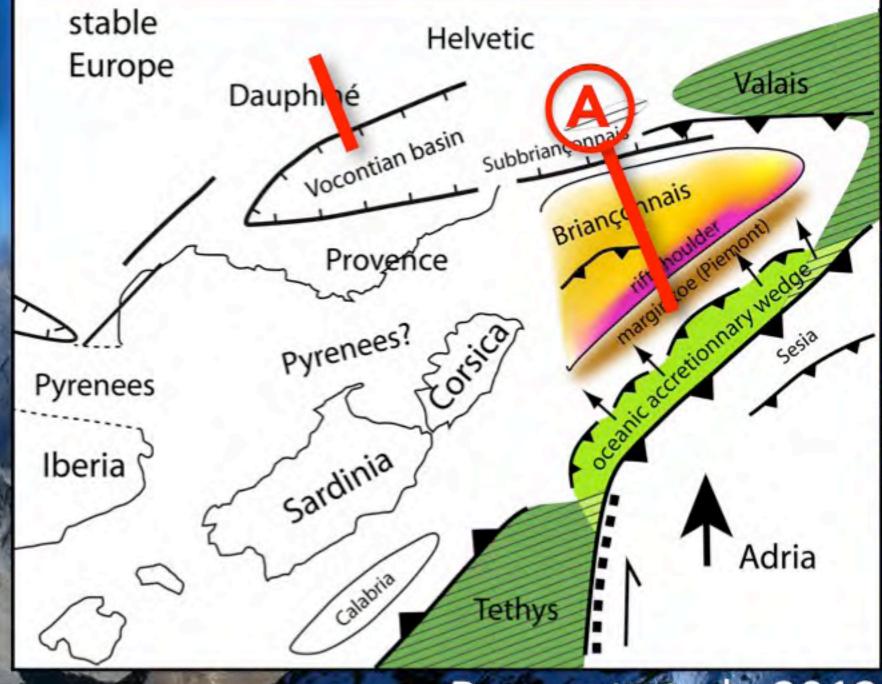
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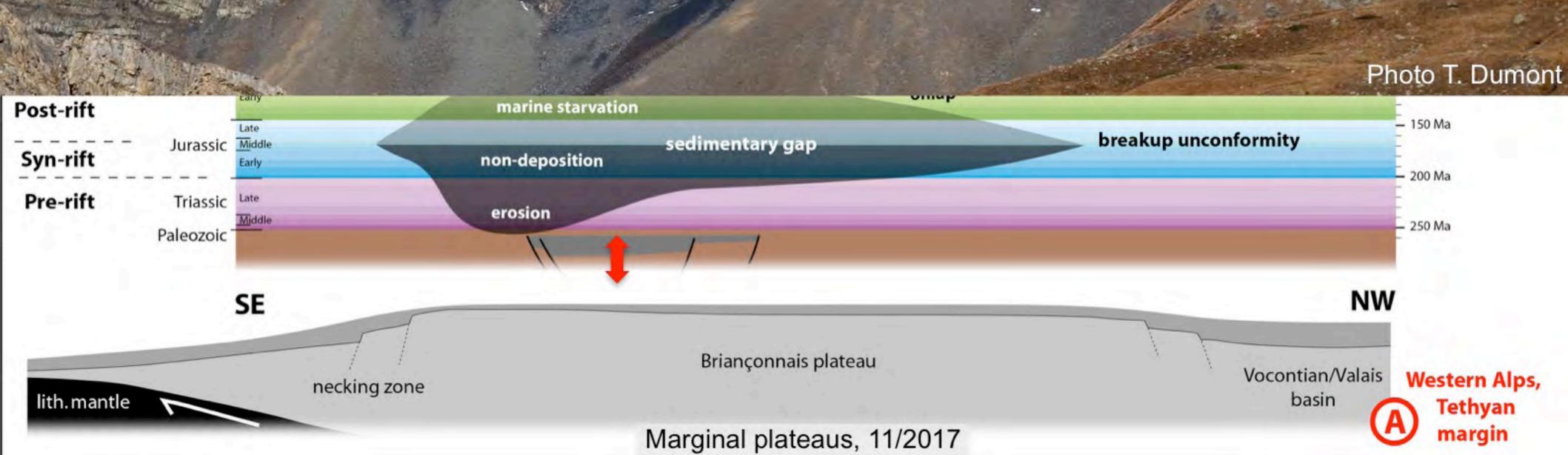
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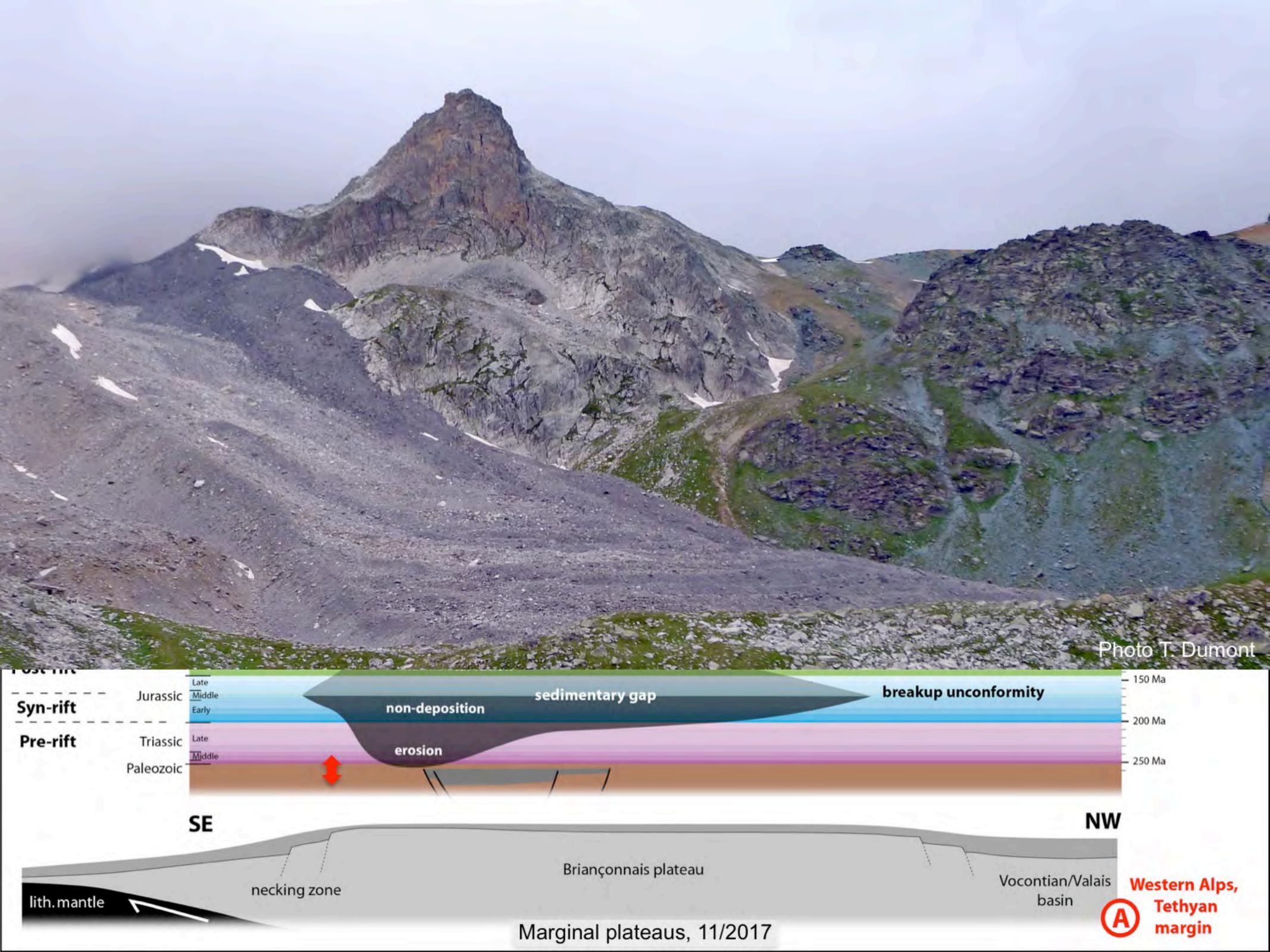
### Lemoine / de Graciansky et al., 2011



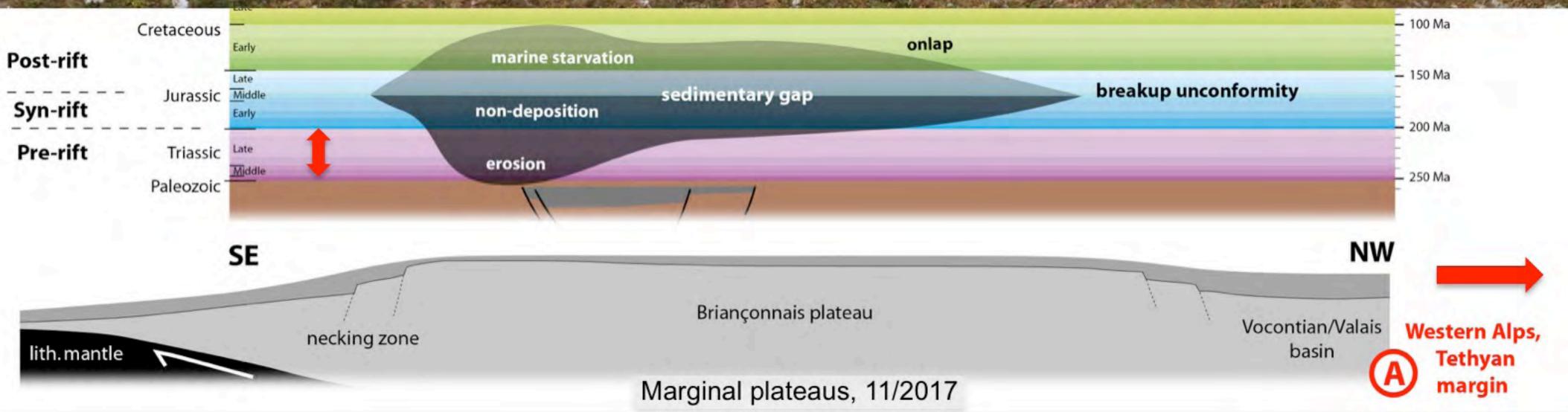
Dumont et al., 2012 unique rocks, landscapes, relief

# Stratigraphy: different from proximal margin



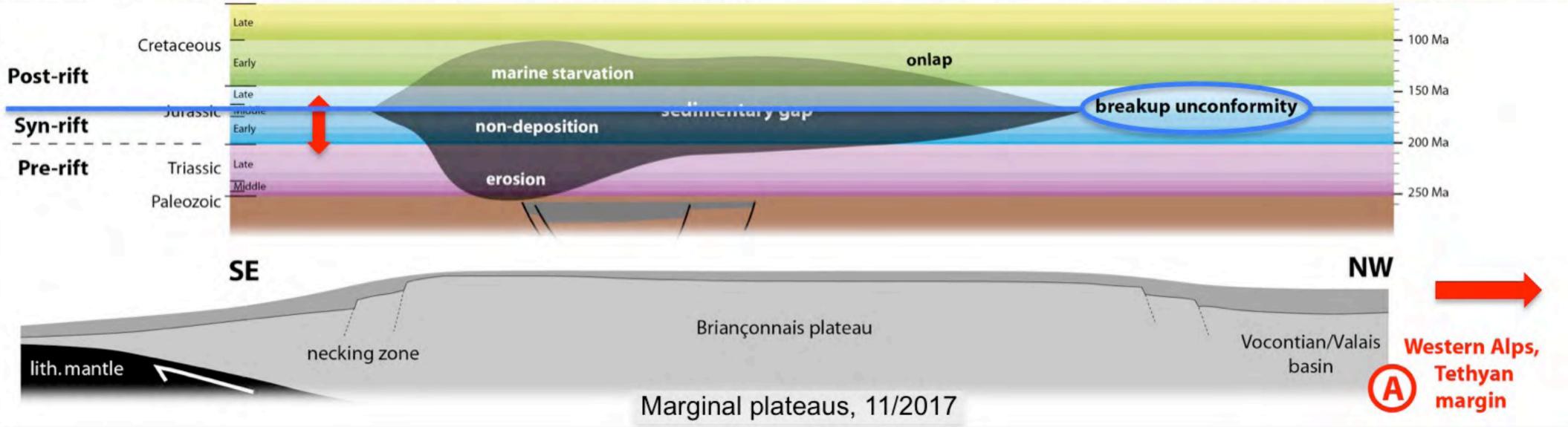




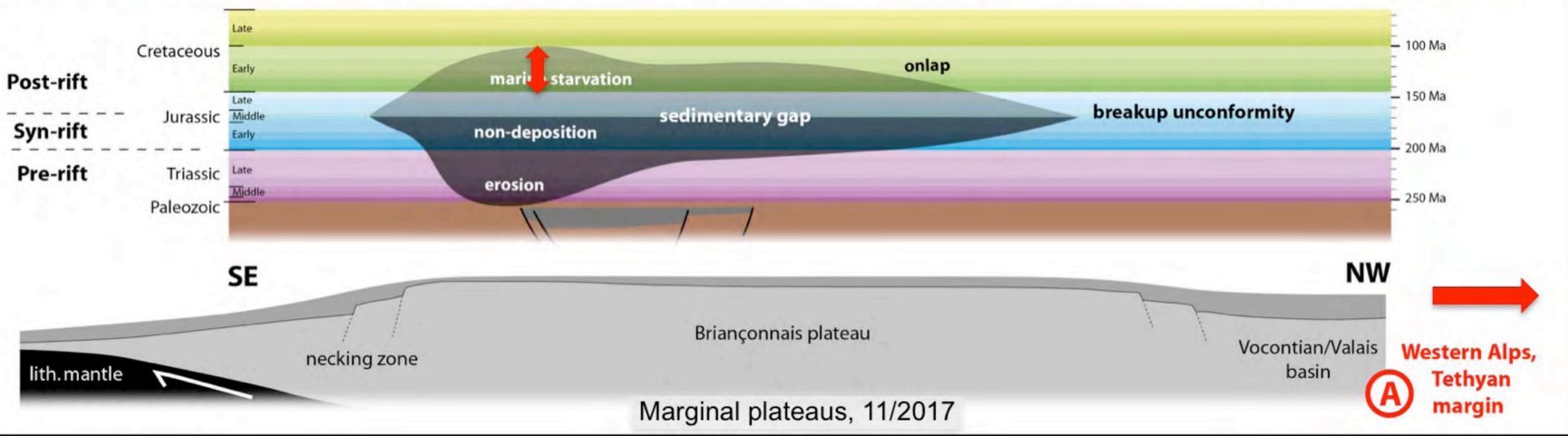


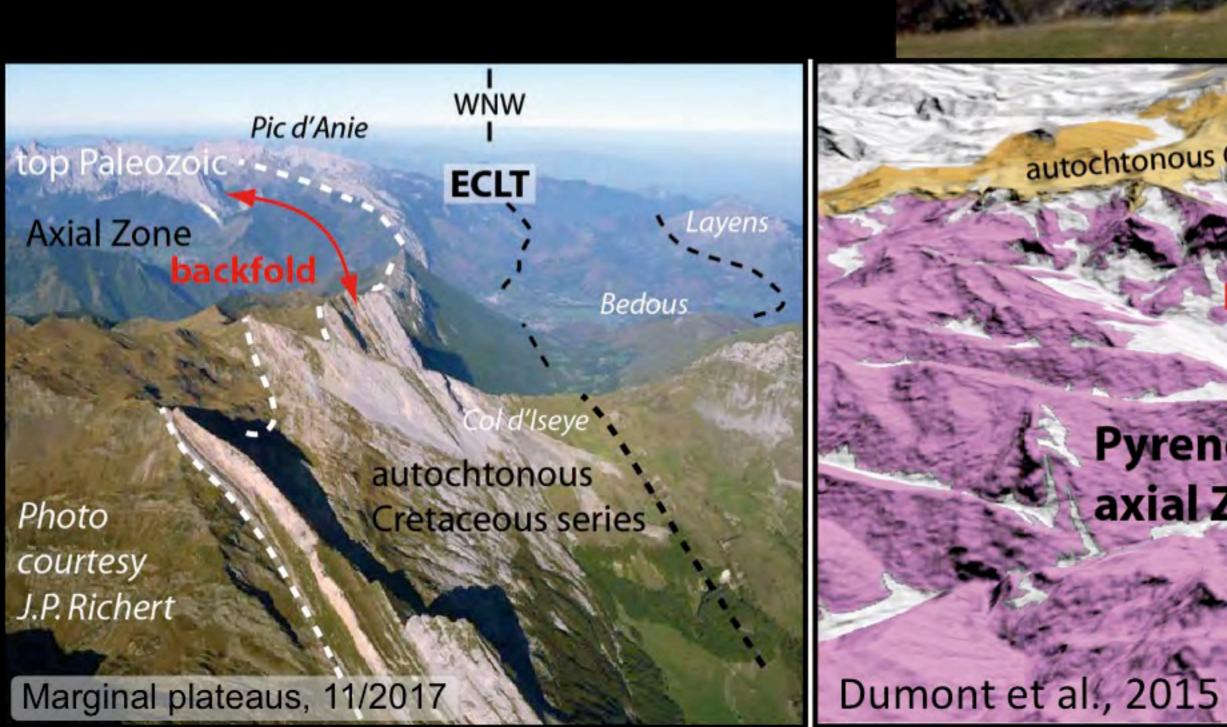




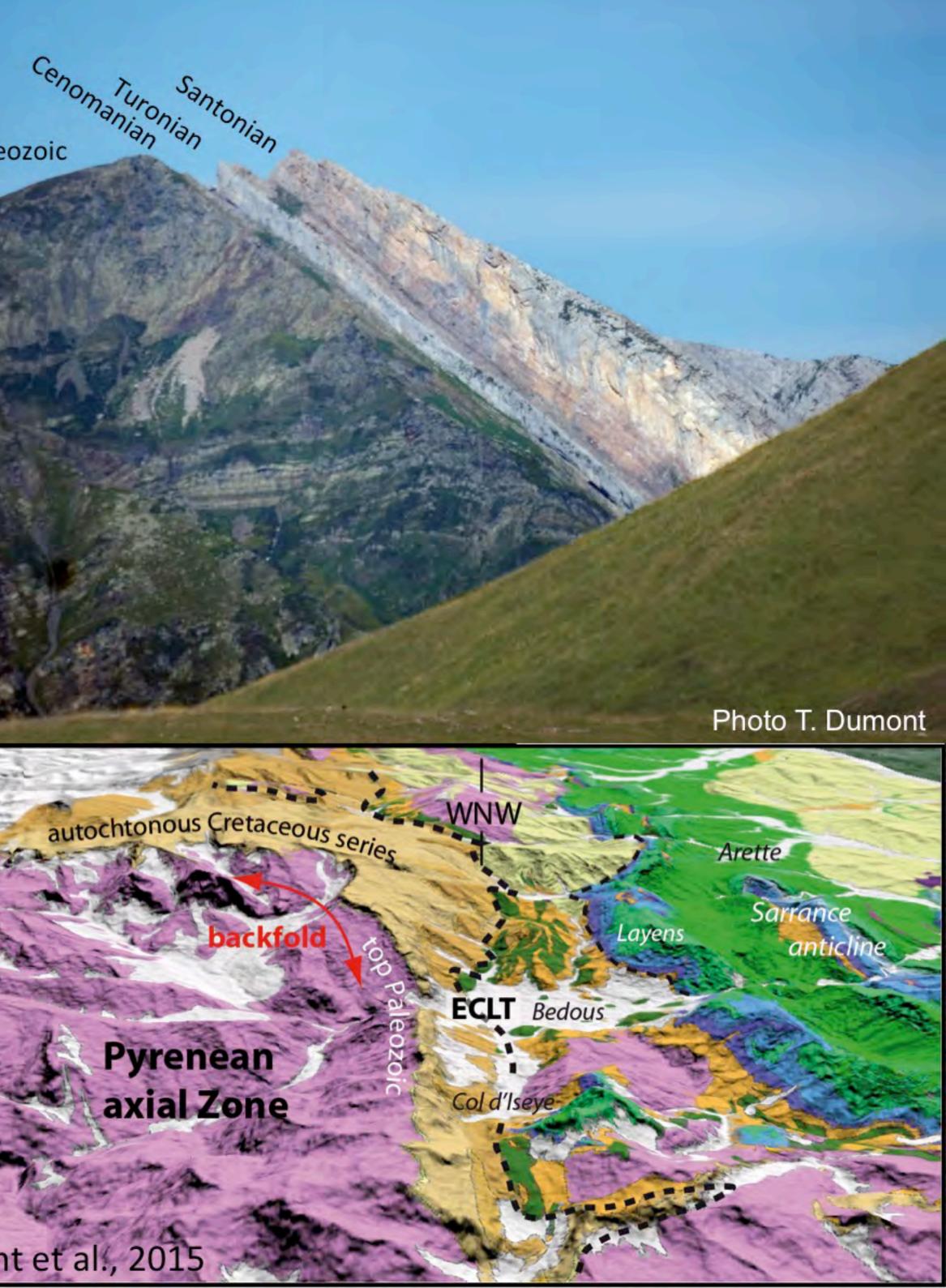




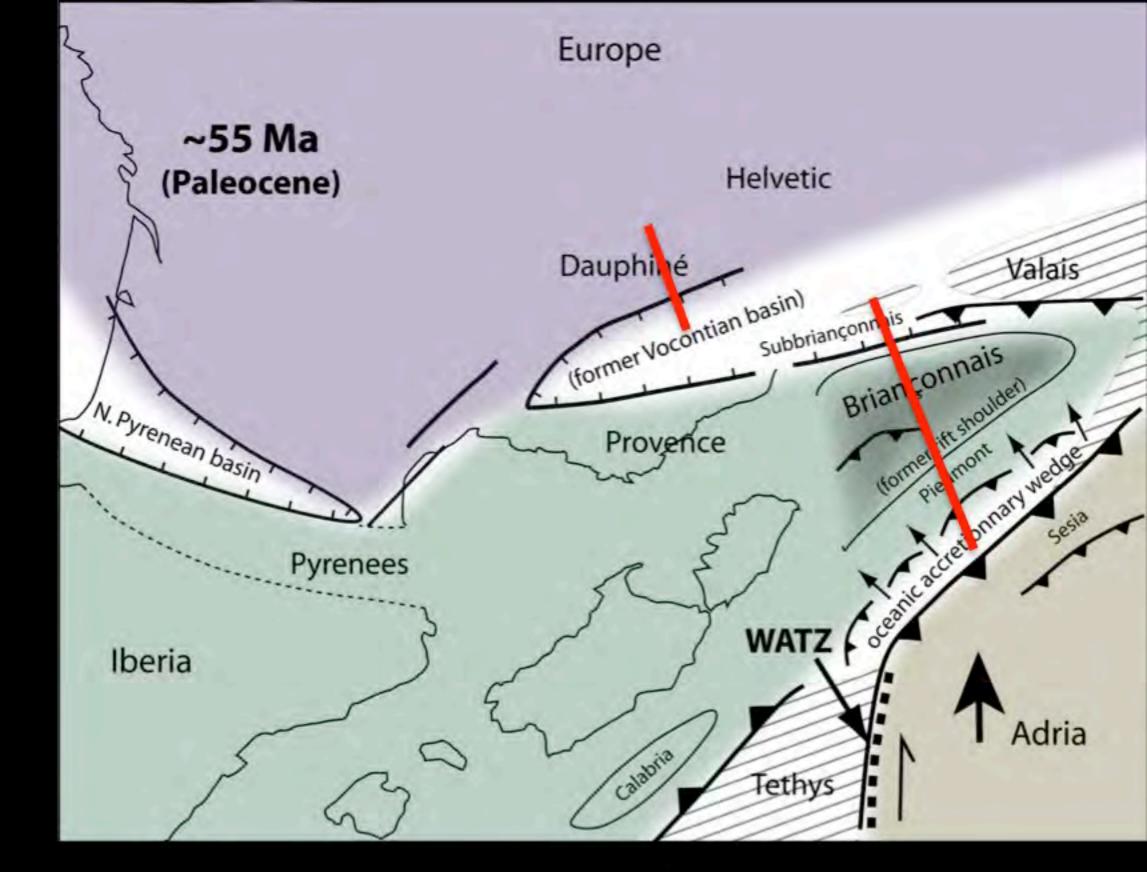




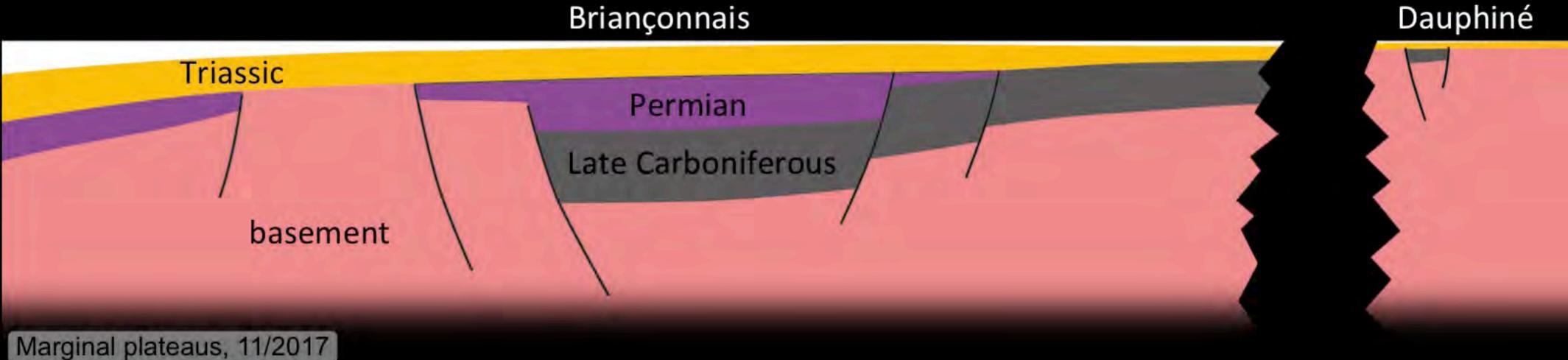
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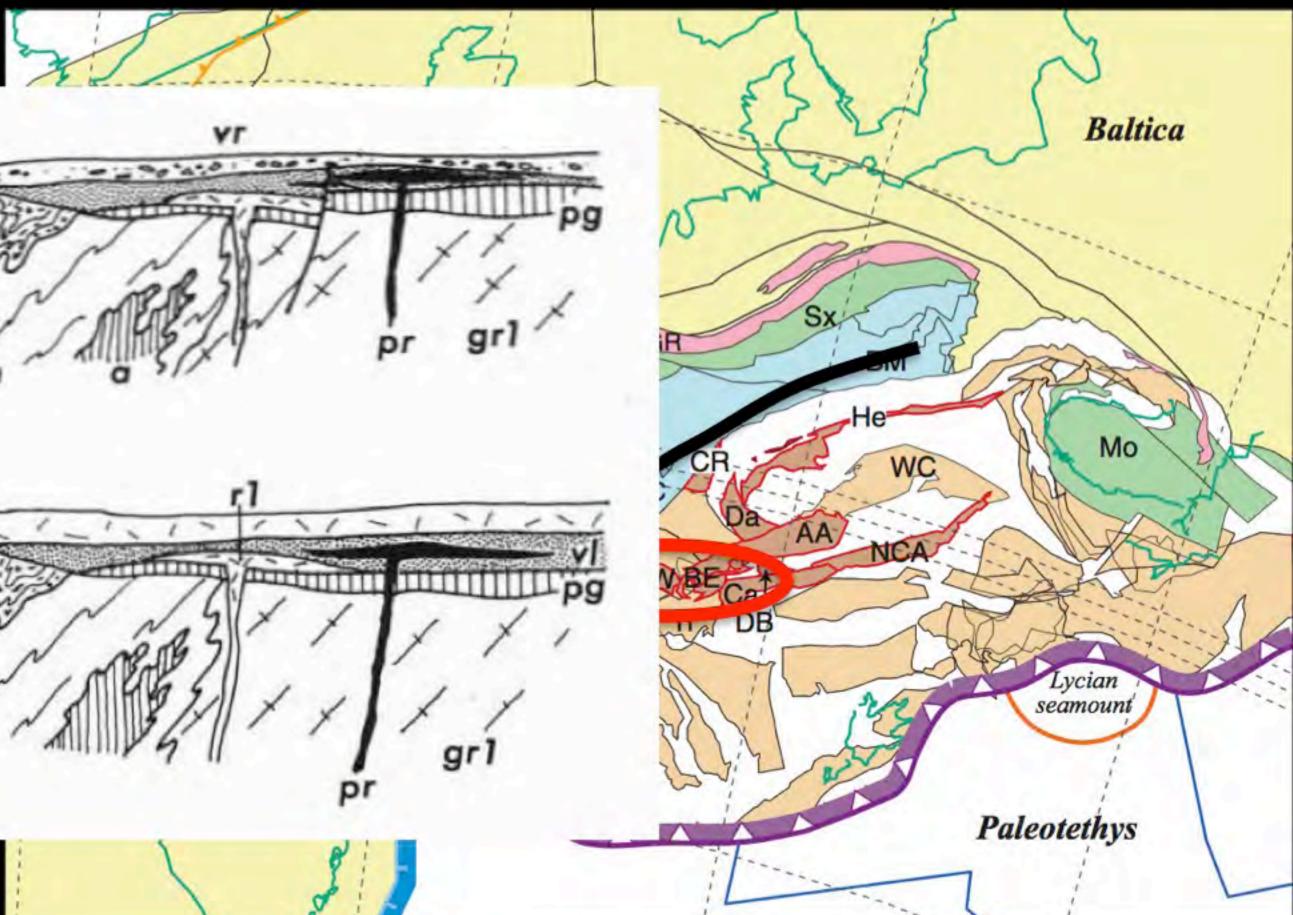


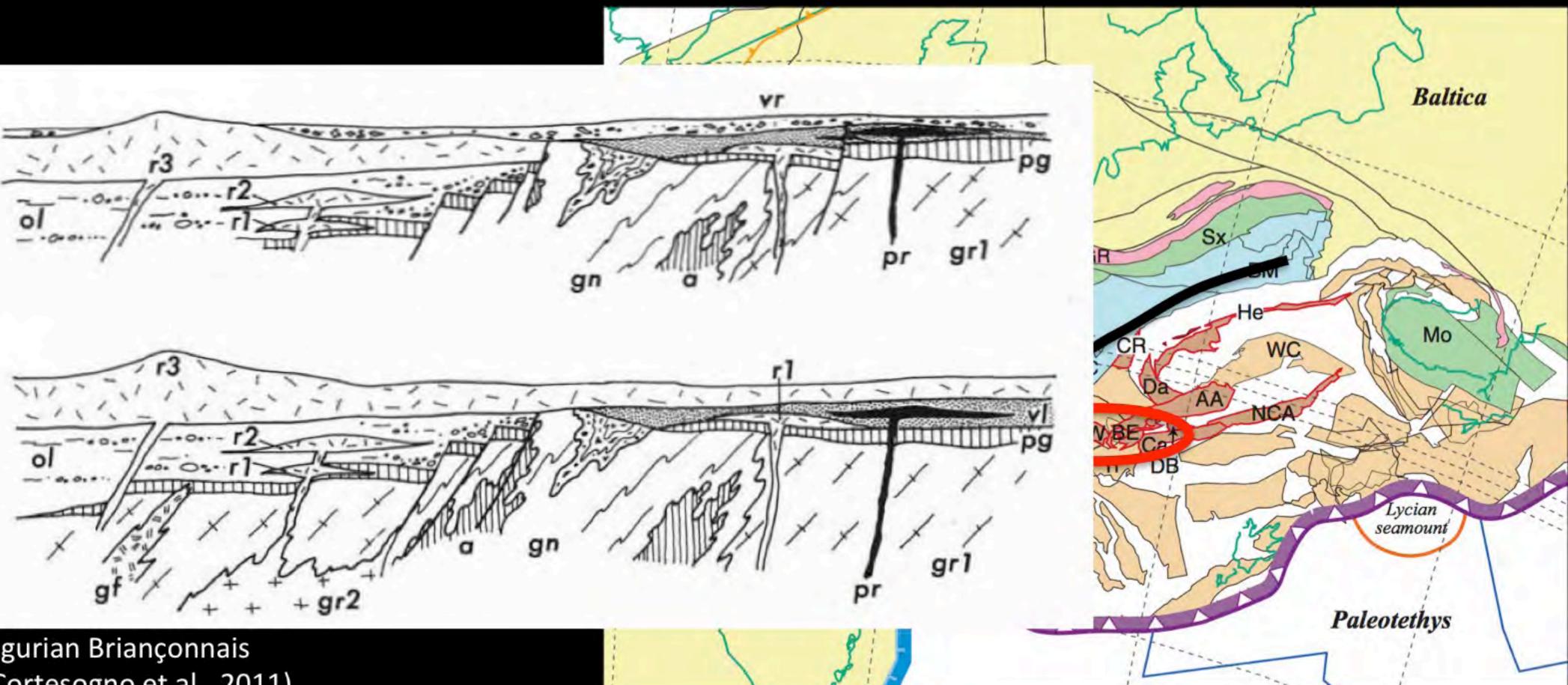
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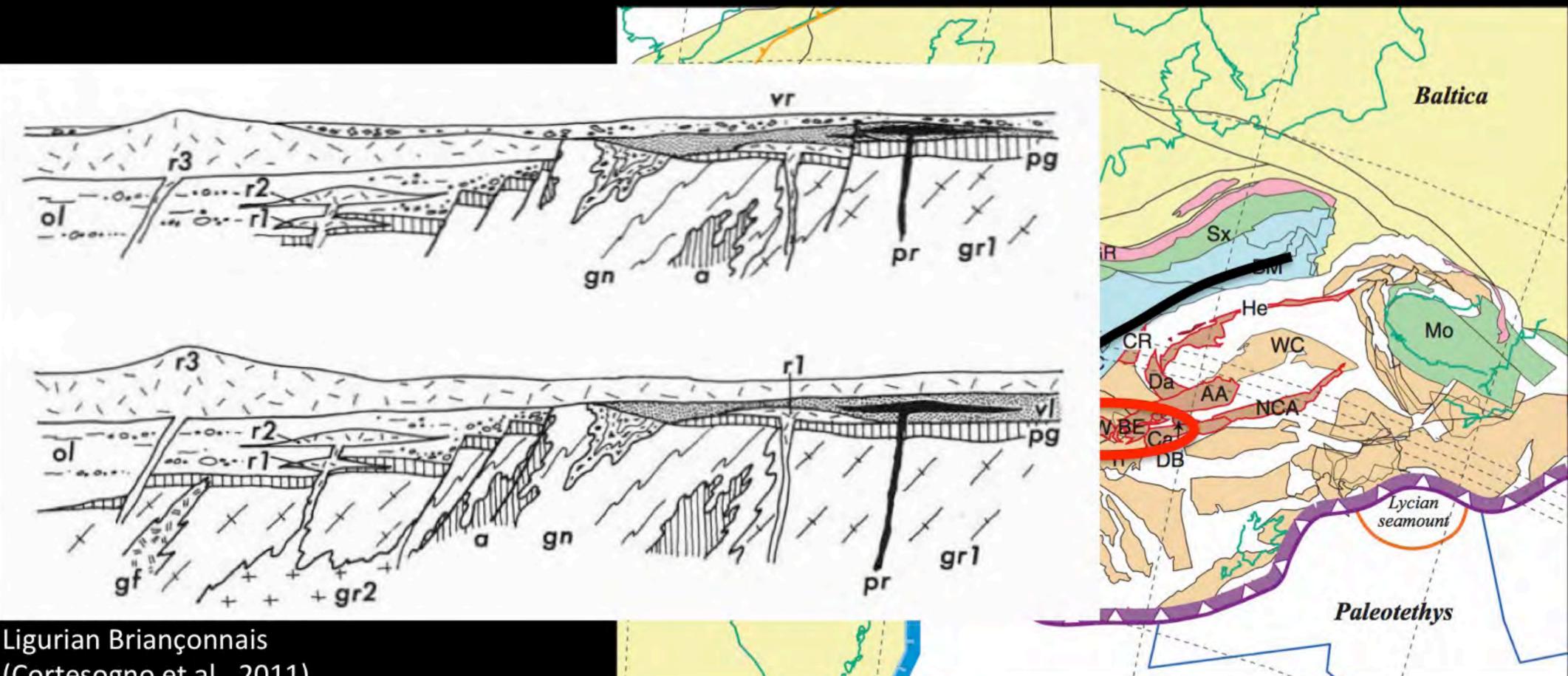


### Briançonnais



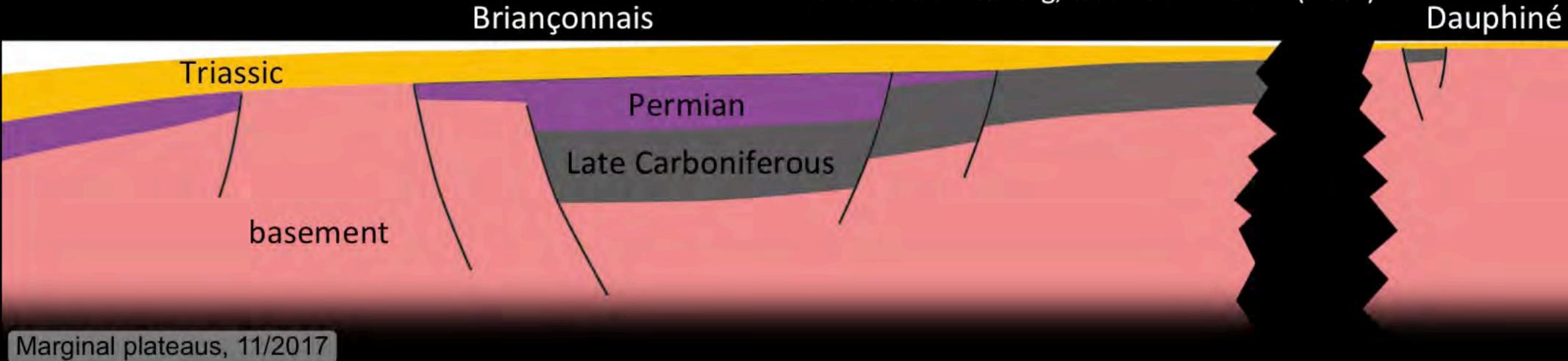






# (Cortesogno et al., 2011)



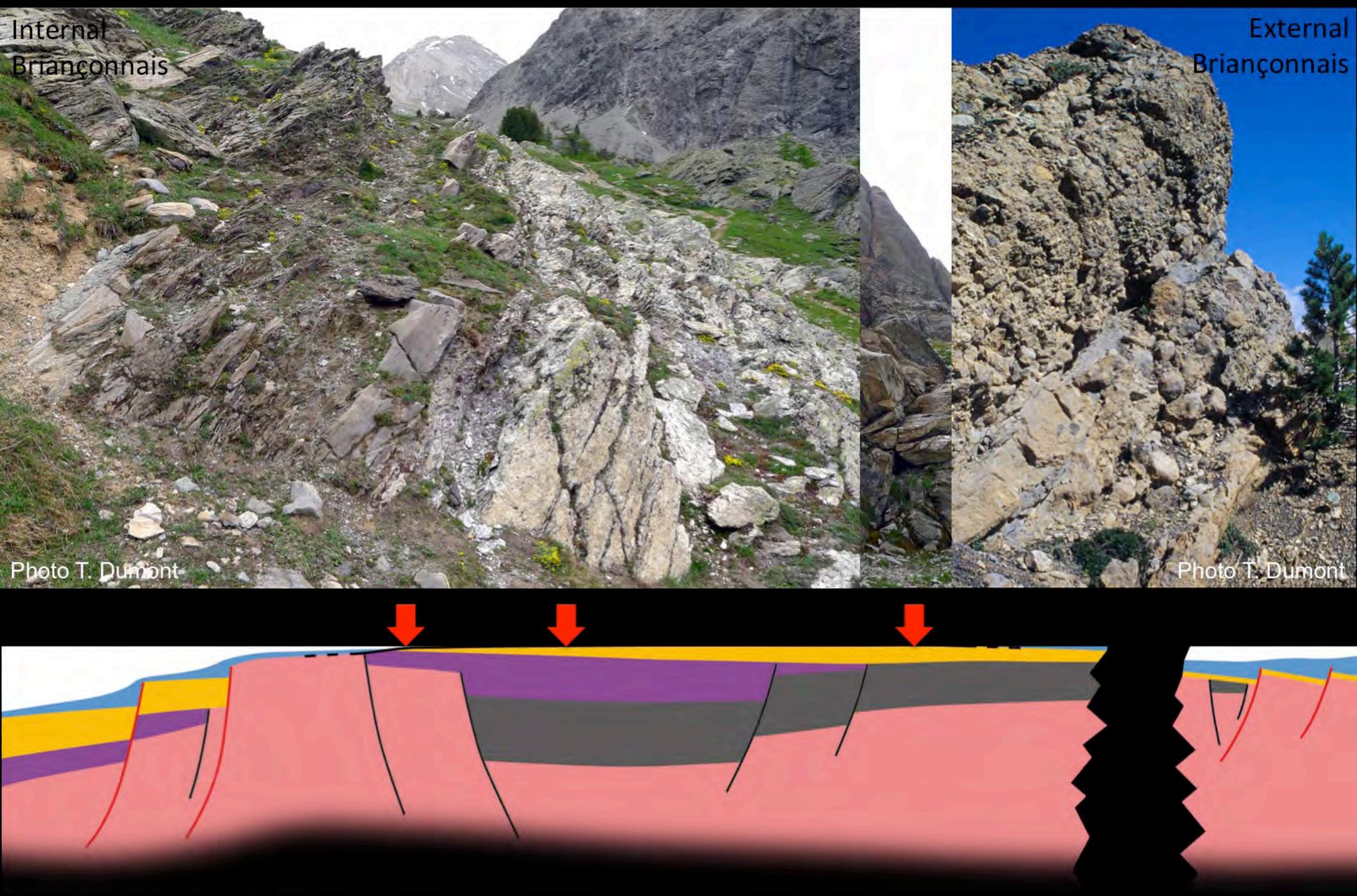


# pre-rift setting

### Late Paleozoic setting, von Raumer et al. (2012)



# enhanced erosion, rift shoulder uplift?



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### Syn-rift turbidites

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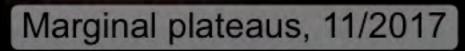
# rift center, necking zone?





# post-rift drowning, breakup unconformity

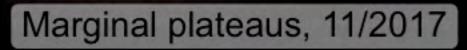




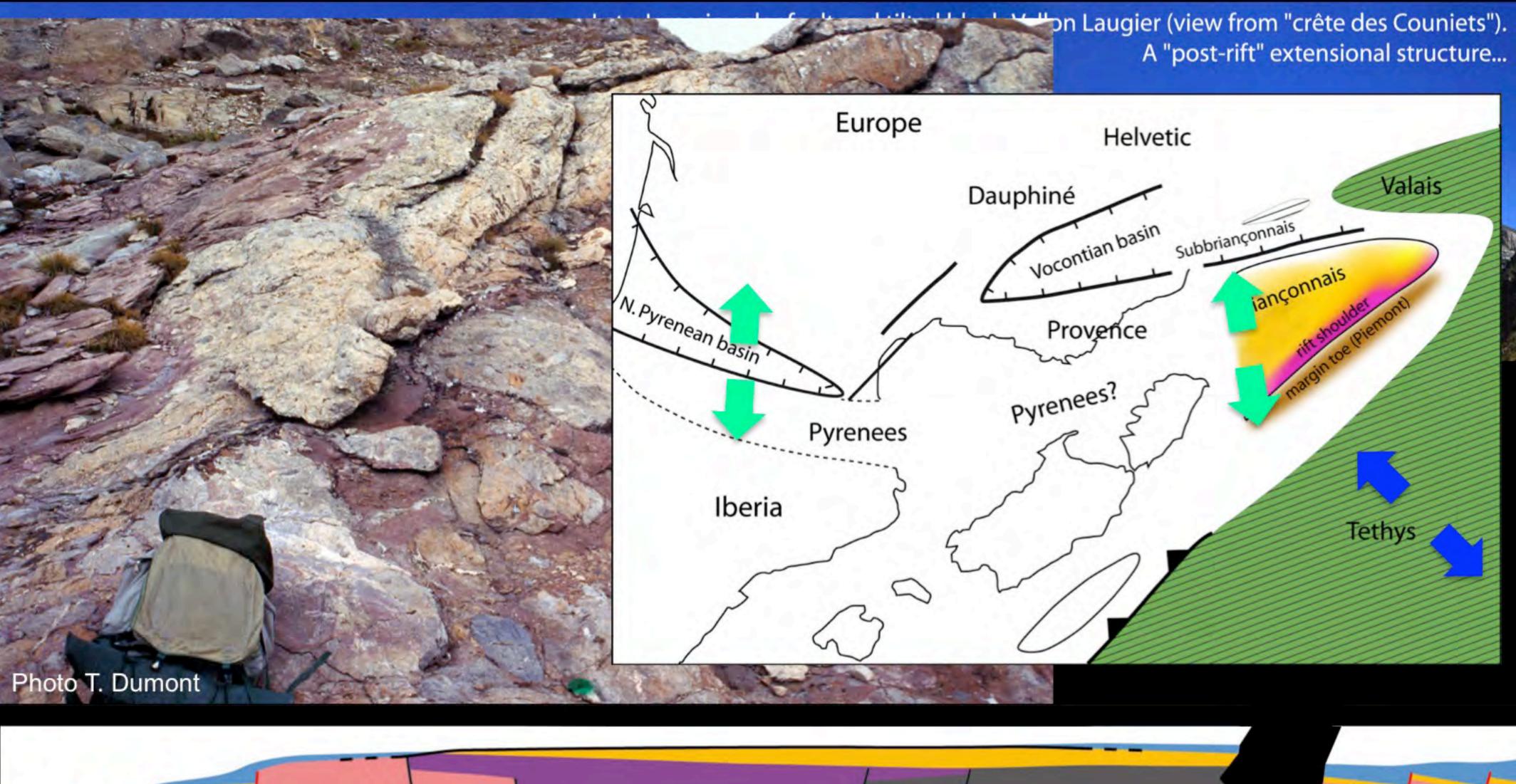


# rugged basin floor, starved sedimentation





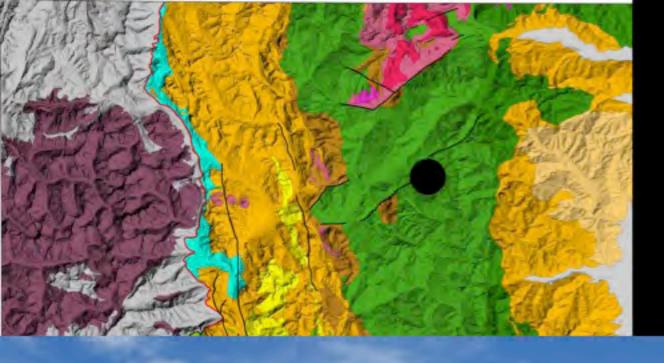






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# superposed rift events?

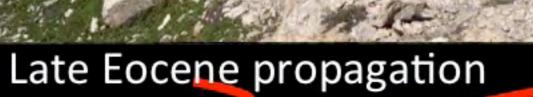


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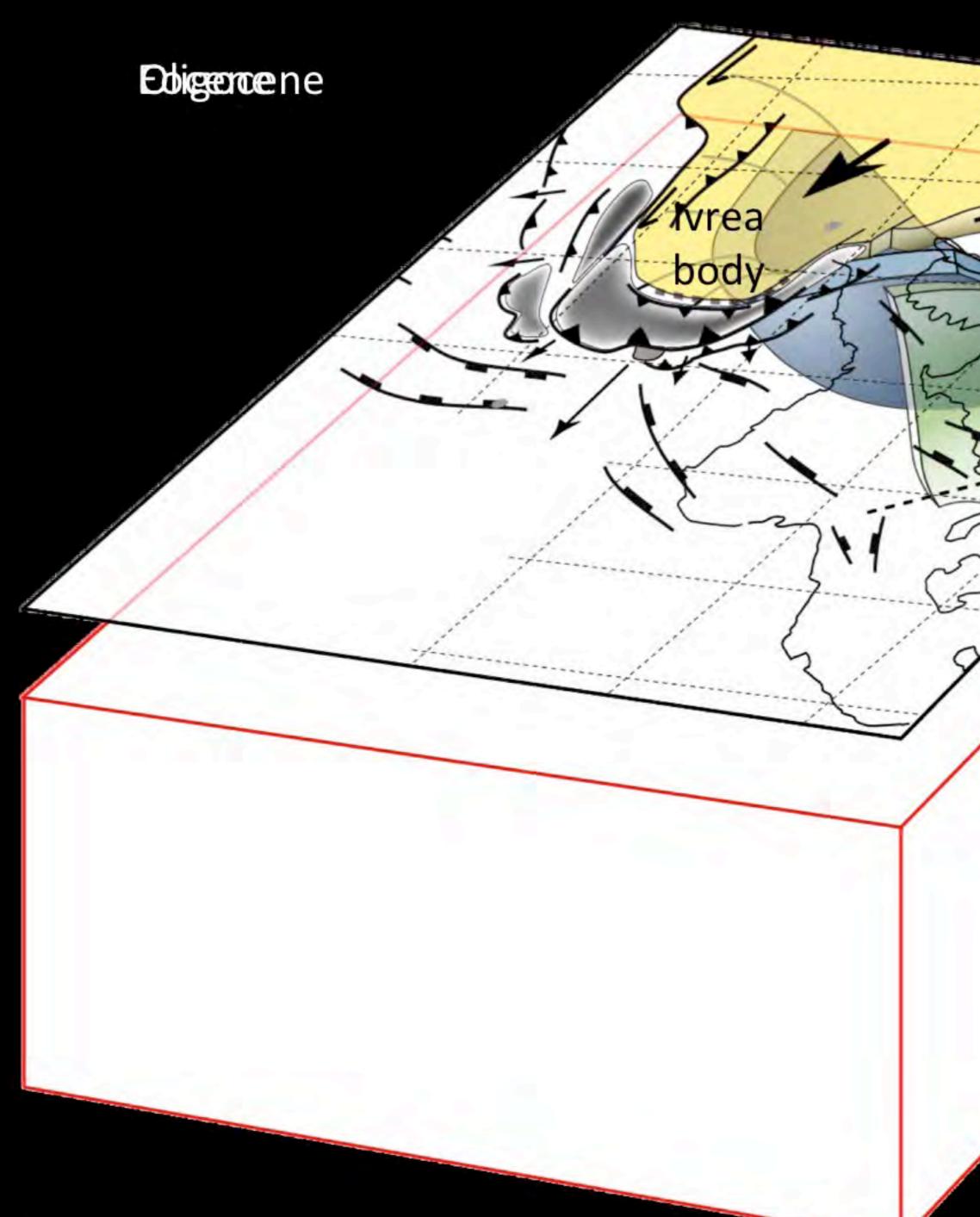




# **Alpine inversion**



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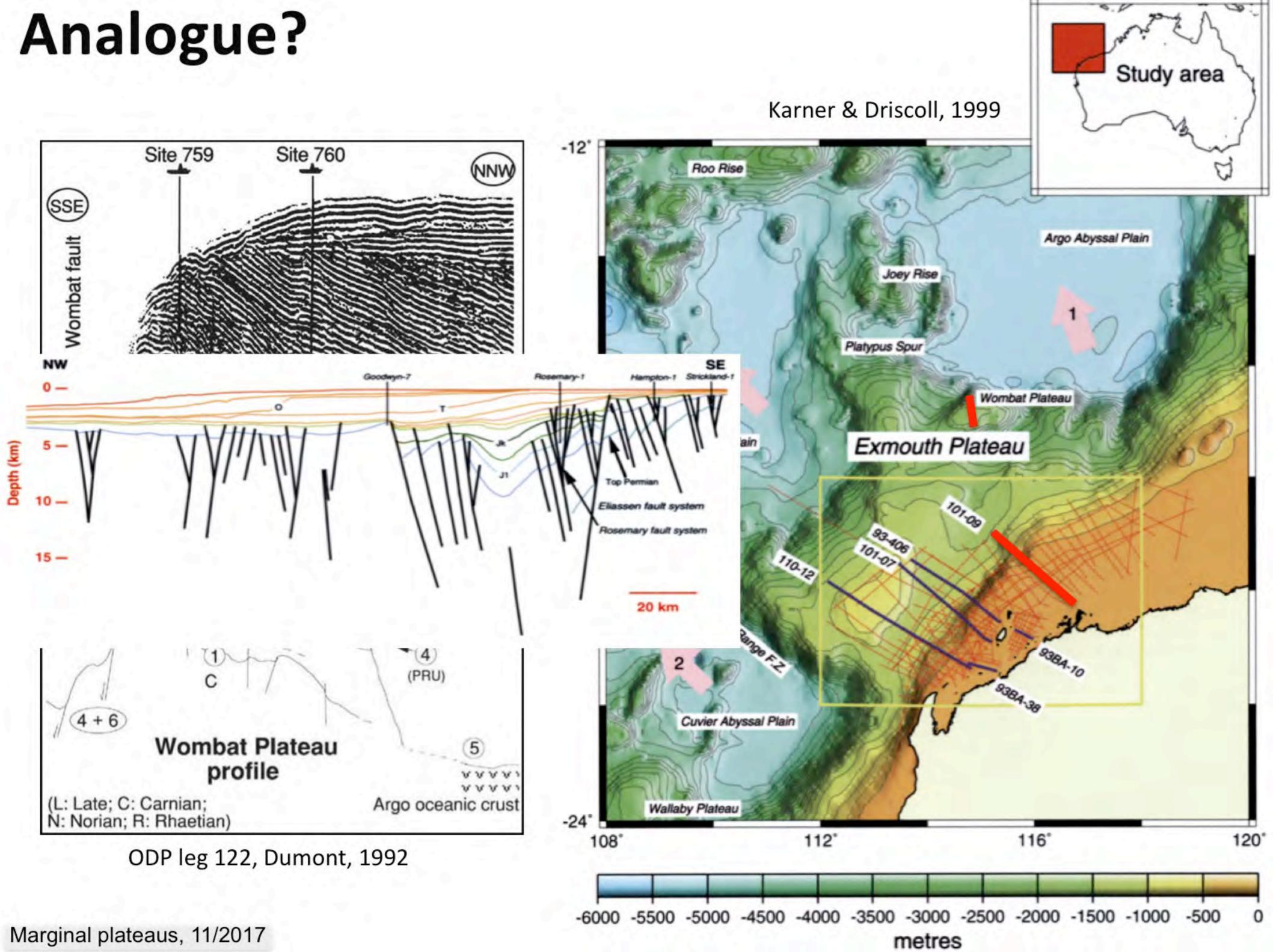
# Lithospheric structure

## Adria plate

Tethyan slab SE dip

Teptenyamistab NAbdip

Dumont et al., 2017



# **Concluding remarks, "marginal plateau" requirements?**

Continental crust, no chance for SDR Transform margin? 2 rifts? may be

Hyper-extension?

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# Syn-rift uplift, kilometric amplitude. Other exemples?

