

1982-2007 25 years of UNGEGN toponymy courses

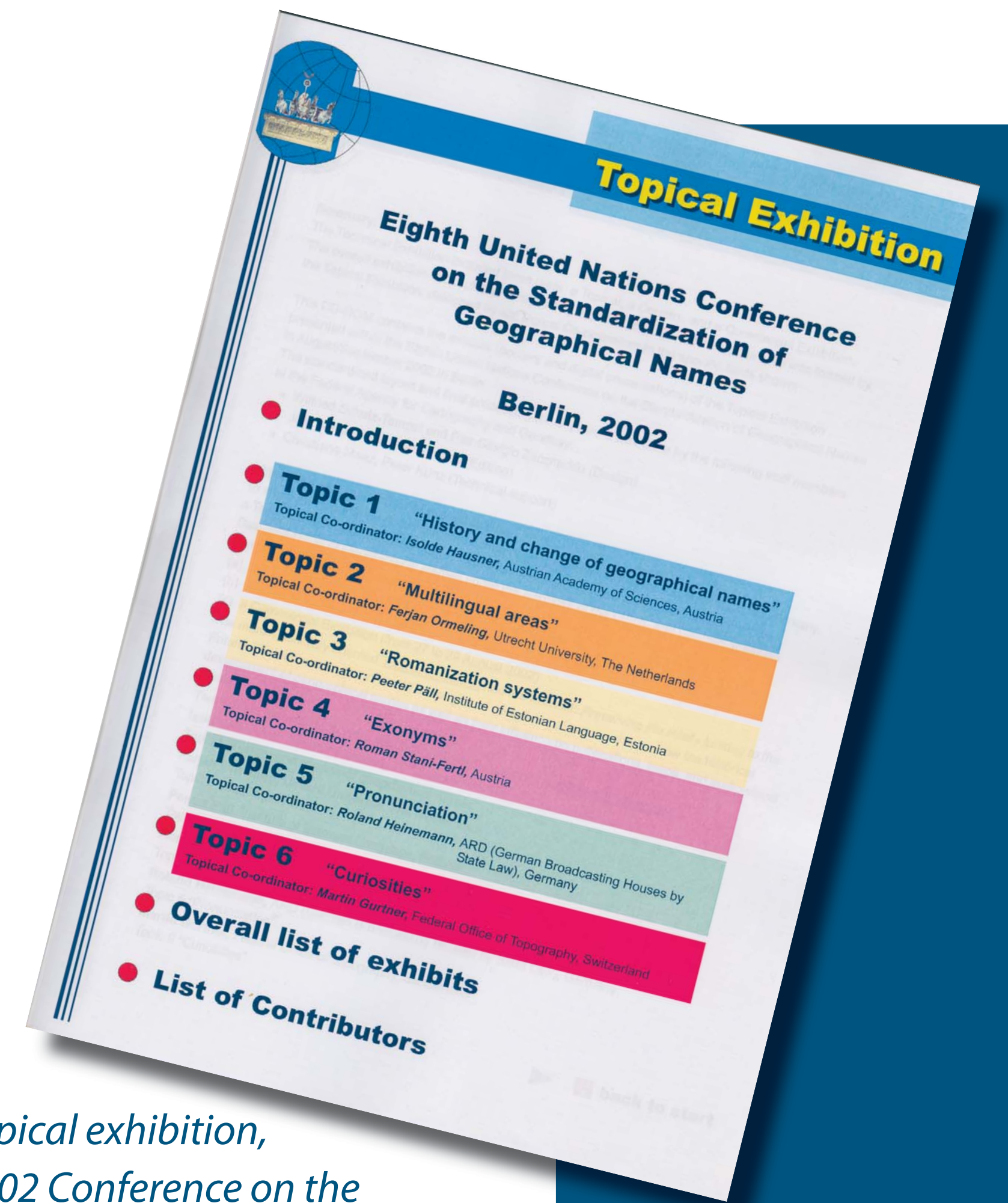
lectures and teaching material

Course model

10 days, with theoretical lectures, fieldwork and computer classes to produce gazetteers

lecture topics

- An introduction to toponymy
- Benefits of name standardization
- Functions of geographical names for cartographic and non- cartographic purposes
- The naming process
- The syntax and semantics of geographical names
- Languages and scripts of the world
- Exonyms in cartography
- Multilingual areas and Minority names
- Assistance program of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names
- UN resolutions on the standardization of geographical names
- Office processing of geographical names, the work of National names authorities
- The legal-administrative status of geographical names
- Fieldwork for collecting geographical names
- The definitions of location/georeferencing geographical names
- Names placement in maps
- Toponymic guidelines for map and other editors
- Introduction to geographical information systems
- Gazetteers and names lists
- Toponymic data fields and record keeping
- Dissemination of geographical names



Topical exhibition, 2002 Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names, Berlin (manual)



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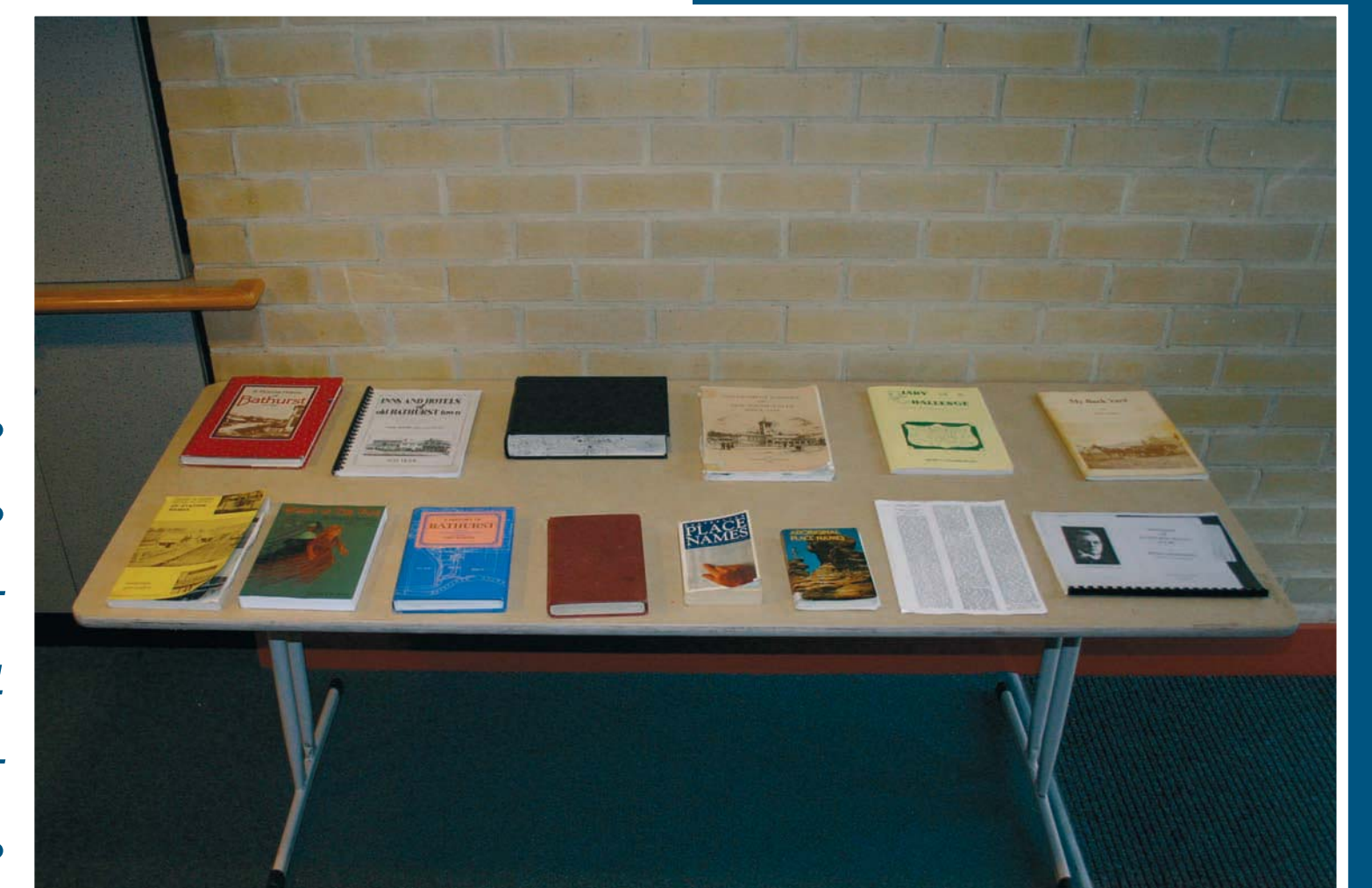
Lecture during 2004 Bathurst course



Lecture during 1992 Pretoria course



Lecture during 1982 Cisarua course



Reference literature laid out at 2004 Bathurst course



Computer class during 2005 Malang course



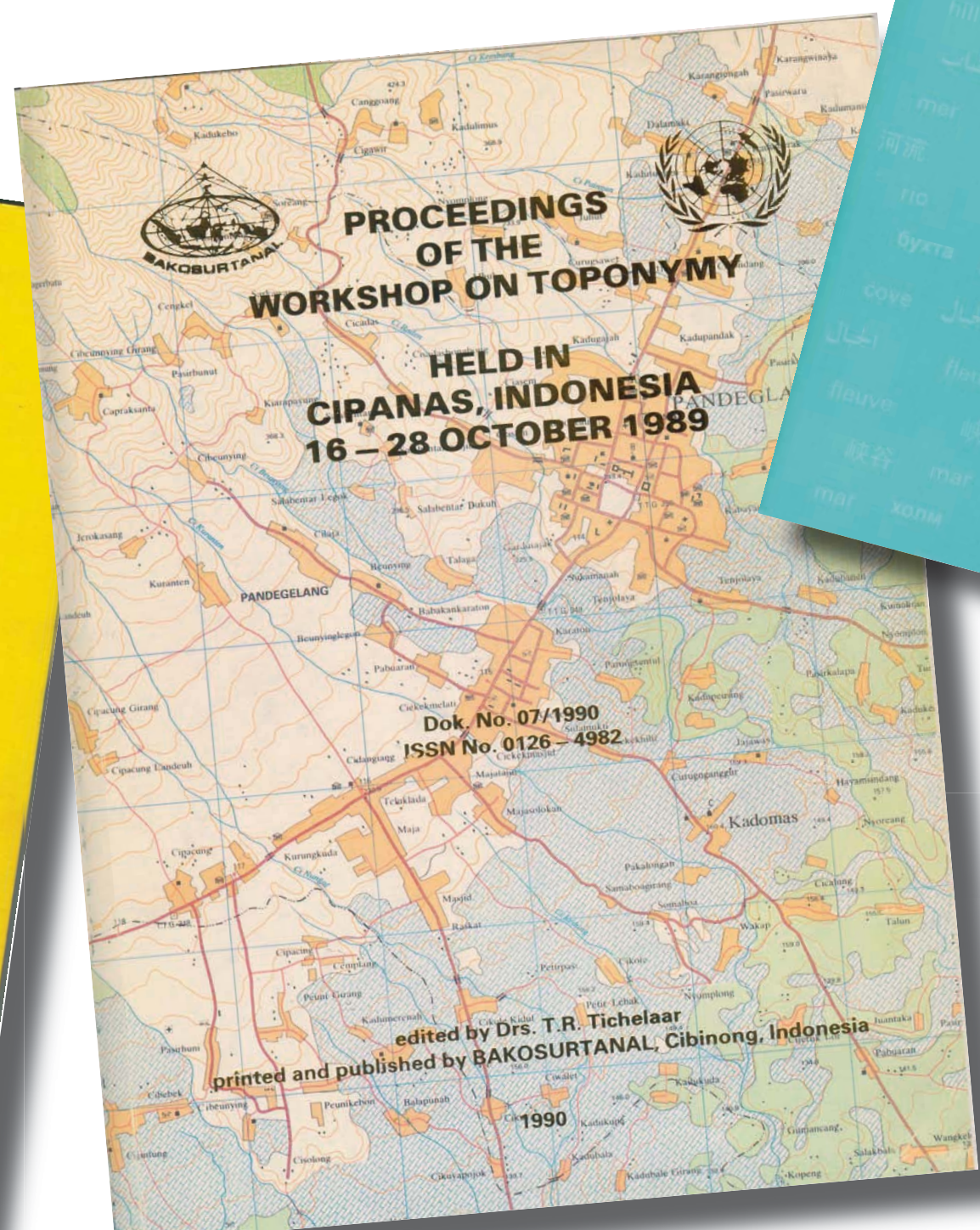
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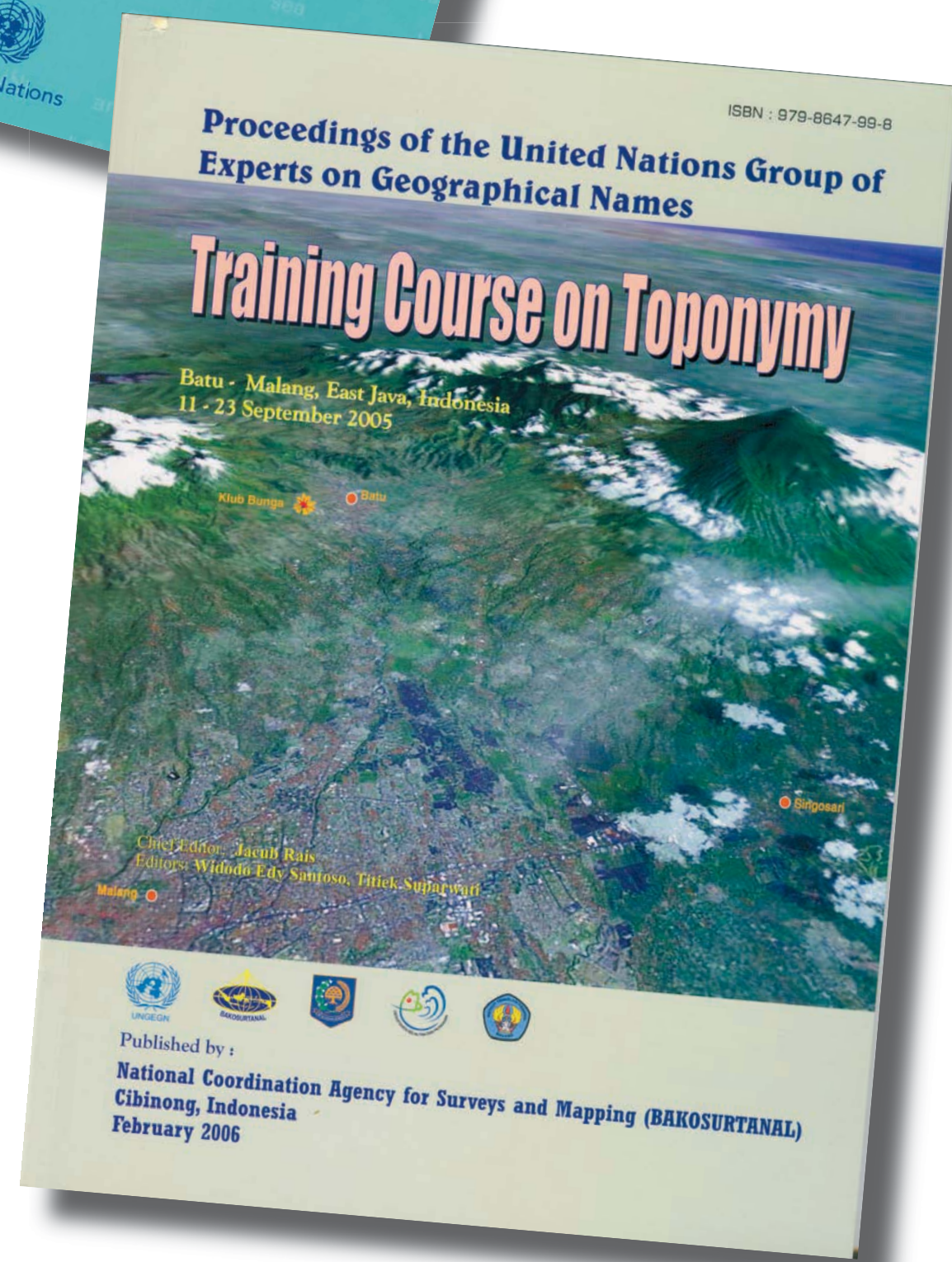
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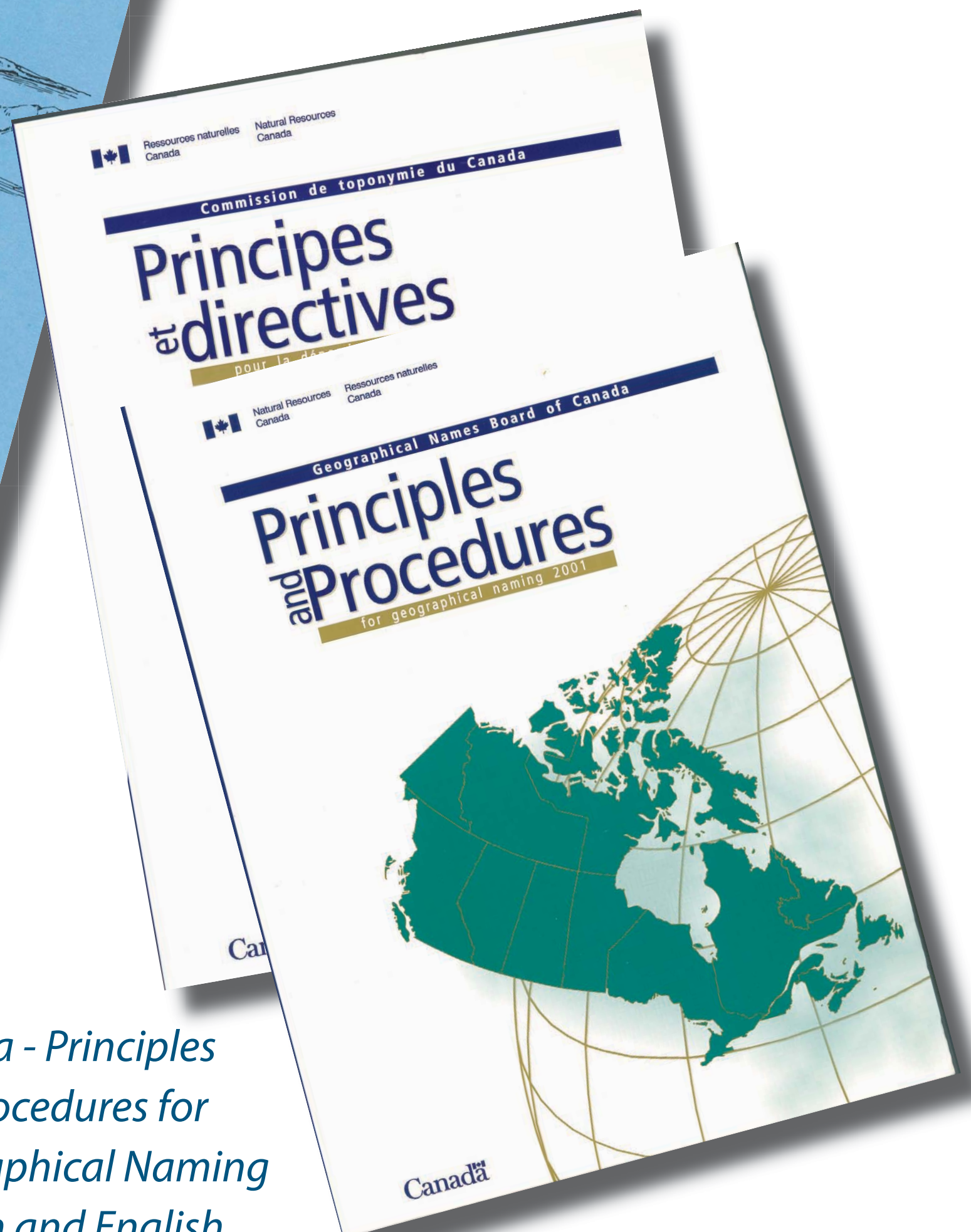
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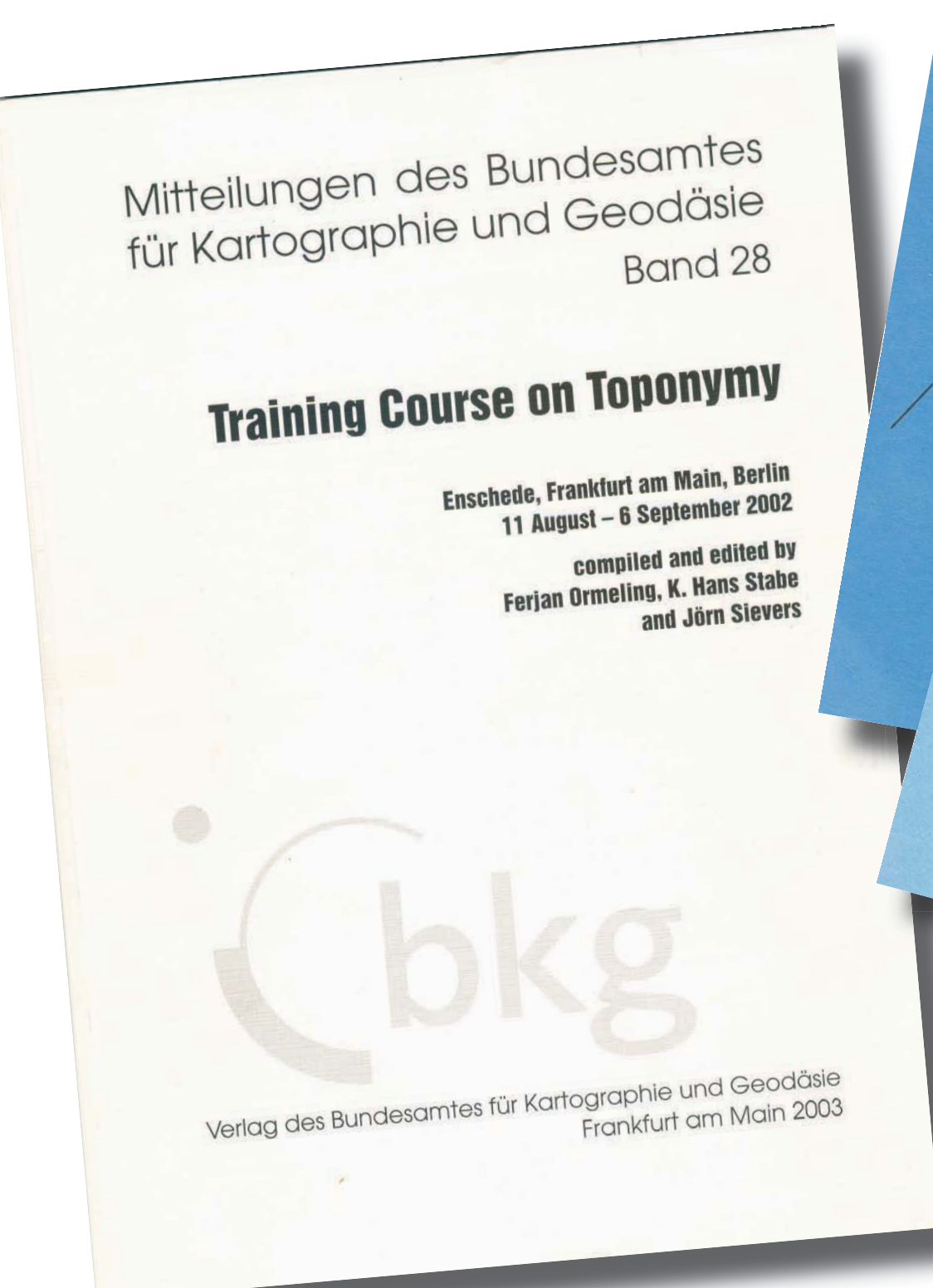
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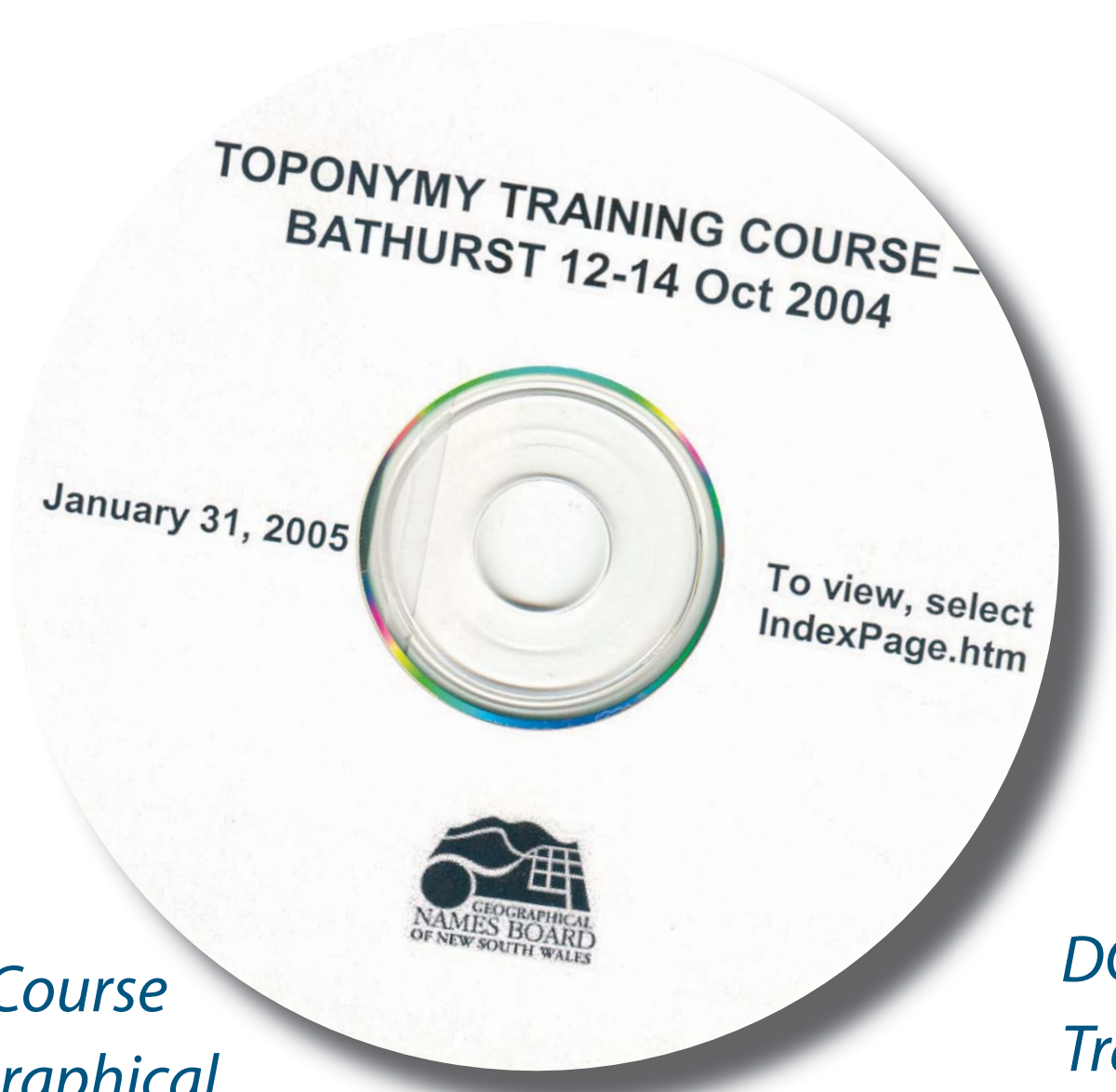
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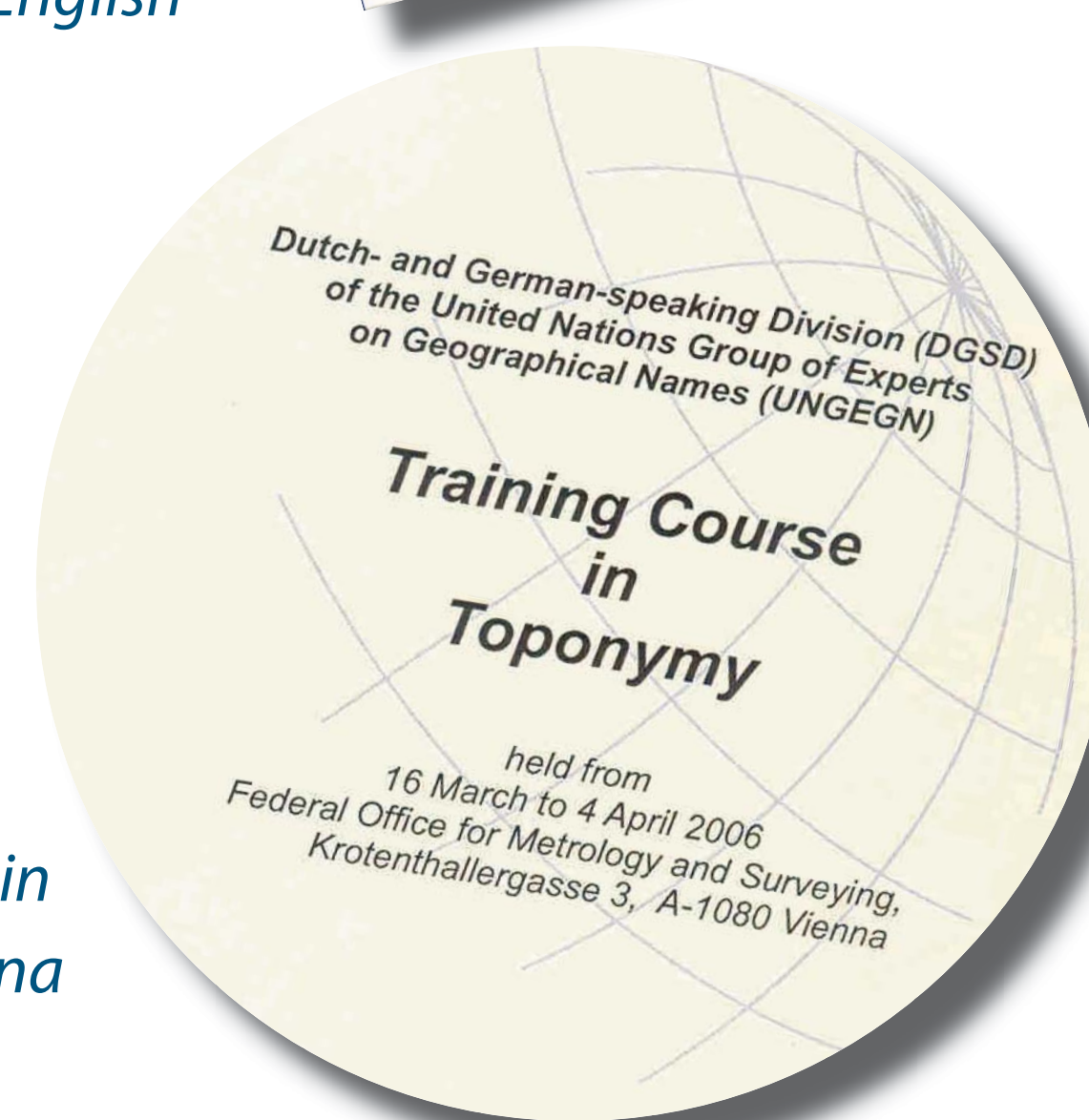
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Website of the UNGEGN working group on training courses in toponymy: <http://toponymycourses.geo.uu.nl> with information on past and future courses and venues, teaching material used for these courses and other relevant resources for teaching