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**Abstract:**

'Low-latitude and high-latitude climates and linkages in the Asia Oce sector in the late Quaternary' (Session OA18) We report rapid very hi resolution records of century to millennial scale records of monsoon variability in sediment cores raised from the Somali margin. These oscillations in this area are expressed as changes in organic carbon a aragonite contents, in the presence or absence of laminations, fluctua d15N values of sediments and dust inputs. Radiocarbon dates indicat these oscillations are co-eval with D/O cycles recorded by Greenland cores with in the dating accuracy of both records. Interglacial and wa interstadial (of GISP 2) periods are marked by high organic carbon cc and poorly-oxygenated/denitrifying upper-intermediate waters which attributed to the strong summer (southwest) monsoon winds and res high upwelling-induced primary production prevalent during these pe In this study, we will compare productivity and denitrification records the Somalian margin influenced mainly by the summer monsoon with from the Mexican margin where Pacific monsoon drives upwelling-ind productivity (Ganeshram et al., 2000). These records will be used to elucidate the role of low-latitudes in amplifying rapid climate oscillatic

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