The GIS-T Symposium invites potential speakers to submit abstracts on subjects related to GIS use in transportation

Call for Presentations

The Geospatial Information Systems for Transportation Symposium

April 10-13, 2017

Workshops MONDAY, April 10th

For more information: www.gis-t.org

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"The Frontier of Excellence" is the theme of this year's 30th Annual GIS-T Symposium, which is being held in Phoenix, Arizona on April 10th – 13th, 2017. This Symposium is aimed at understanding the many uses of geospatial data and technologies as a key decision support and analysis tool. We invite presentations exploring all aspects of geo-spatial data, technologies, applications, and tools relating to the public and private transportation industry.

What is GIS-T about?
The GIS-T Symposium is organized by the AASHTO GIS-T Task Force and identifies the opportunities and issues of applying GIS technology to the business of transportation agencies.

The GIS-T Symposium provides a forum for transportation professionals from State, Federal, MPO, Municipal, Province, and private sector agencies to develop relationships with other GIS-T managers and practitioners. GIS issues facing transportation professionals which are identified during the course of the symposium are reported during the annual AASHTO Administrative Subcommittee on Information Systems meeting.

Who attends GIS-T?
- Transportation professionals who need to know how to better utilize GIS and related systems.
- Executives and managers concerned with management and institutional issues.
- Public and private Information Technology and GIS professionals responsible for implementing and maintaining GIS and related technologies for transportation.

Why you should present at GIS-T
As a transportation professional, you can share your expertise and experiences, present solutions to problems, collaborate with your peers, and show lessons you and your organization learned, in addition to learning what others are doing and what trends are happening in the industry. Not only can you share how you apply GIS technologies to solve your challenges, also you can discover the real-world experiences of others using these technologies. And you can explore the technologies, software, and services offered by private sector GIS-T firms in an informal environment.

GIS-T 2017 Hotel Information
Sheraton Grand Phoenix
(602) 262-2500

For essential details and links to the hotel registration web site, including the registration code, please see
GIS-T 2017 Web Site

Proposal Submission Guidelines

Deadline: ~~November 21th, 2016~~ December 2nd, 2016

Suggested Topics:

Enterprise Solutions	Data Management and Visualization
Asset Management	Applied Geospatial Science
Federal Programs	Photolog, Imagery, LiDAR
All Roads Network	Federal Initiatives
Multi-Level Linear Referencing Systems	Web Planning Tools
Web Portals	Performance Management
Traffic Safety and Crash Analysis	Mobile GIS
Mapping Solutions	SHRP2
Business Management	Open Data and Crowdsourcing
Technology Solutions	Developing a Comprehensive Network
Process Improvement	Data Integration
Integrating Data Supply Chains	Local Roads and HPMS
Multi-Level Road Networks	Transportation Dashboards/Visualization
Data Modelling	Traffic Data

Instructions

The symposium encourages proposals that deal with completed projects, including lessons learned. If your proposal is based on a planned or incomplete project, please state this clearly. Presenters will be given 30 minutes, including 5-10 minutes for questions.

List only those co-presenters who will be present during the conference. Please list credit for other contributors within the presentation itself.

Presentation Submittal

Complete the GIS-T Presentation Submittal Form on the GIS-T web site link. If you have any questions regarding a paper submission please contact Eric Green.

Workshop Submittal

To recommend a workshop at GIS-T 2017 send an email to Joe Hausman with the title, a description of the topic of your proposed workshop up to two hundred words in length, and the name(s) of the workshop instructor(s). Workshops are 4 hours in length.

Round Table Topic Submittal

You may submit suggestions for a round table topic. The round tables are facilitated discussions on timely topics relevant to the theme of the conference. They typically last 1.5 hours with 1-3 facilitators with strongly encouraged group participation. A round table topic should include a description of the proposed topic and likely facilitators. Submit proposals directly to Jim Mitchell or Shawn Blaesing-Thompson.

Acceptance

The Symposium will give preference to proposals that fit this year's theme *"The Frontier of Excellence"*.

Proposals accepted for the symposium must have a presenter. Co-presenters are welcome, and both presenter and co-presenter will need to pay the early registration fee.

We will provide notifications of acceptance and further instructions electronically.

Presentations that do not have a presenter or co-presenter registered by **March 1, 2017** will be canceled and replaced. No preference will be given to any presenters for particular conference days.

All presentations will be posted on the Conference Web Site (www.gis-t.org) following the conference. All presenters acknowledge the GIS-T Task Force's right to post their presentations. Presentations must be submitted in electronic format to the Symposium Moderator at the time of presentation. The presentation cannot be larger than 7MB.

Calendar for Presenters

December 2, 2016 Abstracts due
January 9, 2017 Abstract acceptance notification sent to presenters
March 1, 2017 Early registration deadline
April 9-14, 2017 Symposium

For the most up-to-date information or to join the GIS-T list service, see

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