

ILGISA SPRING 2010

Call for Workshops, Paper and Poster Submissions

April 14-15, 2010
I-Hotel & Conference Center,
Champaign, Illinois



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The Illinois GIS Association invites you to participate in its Annual Spring Conference. Goals of the conference program are to bring together researchers, developers, users and practitioners to identify common issues, solve shared problems, foster interdisciplinary discussions and research in all aspects of geographic information systems and inform Illinois GIS practitioners of significant GIS activity. The conference provides a forum for original research contributions covering all conceptual, design, and implementation aspects of GIS ranging from applications, user interface considerations, and visualization down to storage management and indexing issues. **Researchers, students, faculty and practitioners are invited to submit their contributions to this year's Spring Conference. All submissions will be grouped under the following categories::**

- **Business Geographic's**
(Location Analysis, Risk Management, Marketing and Real Estate, Parcels)
- **Elevation**
- **Economic Use of GIS**
- **Geodetic Control**
- **Governmental Units**
(Criminal Justice, Demographics, Emergency Response, Housing, Parcel Mapping, Public Works, Social Services)
- **Hydrography**
- **Imagery**
- **Locations**
(Addresses, points of interest, USGS Geographic Names Information System points)
- **Management**
- **Natural Resources and Environment**
(Natural Resources Management, Land Use, Soils, Water Resources)
- **Public Safety**
- **Structures**
- **Technology**
(GIS Management Strategies, GIS Software, Remote Sensing, Emerging Trends)
- **Transportation**
(Routing, Transportation Modeling, Transit)
- **Utilities**
(Corridor/ROW Management, Route Planning, Outage & Trouble Call Management)

WORKSHOPS on Wednesday, April 14, 2010

Each year the conference offers a selection of half-day and full-day workshops. ILGISA is always seeking to improve our conference, and as such we solicit information from members regarding workshop topics and instructors. Workshops are not to be utilized as a promotion of one vendor's product over another and are subject to review by the committee for compatibility. Workshops may be presented in a half-day or full-day format. The Conference Committee will review all received suggestions and select the palette of workshops and instructors based on needs of members.

Because of the new venue, this is an ideal time to submit a hands-on workshop for individuals with personal laptops (free WIFI). GISP credit (4 hours) is given for participation.

PRESENTATIONS on Thursday, April 15, 2010

Authors are invited to submit full, original, unpublished research papers that are not being considered for publication in any other forum. All submitted papers will be refereed for quality, originality, and relevance by the Conference Committee. The acceptance/rejection of papers will be based on review results. All questions should be addressed to the Conference Committee Chairs. Remember, a clear, concise abstract is your best ticket to a logical track placement and a well-attended session.

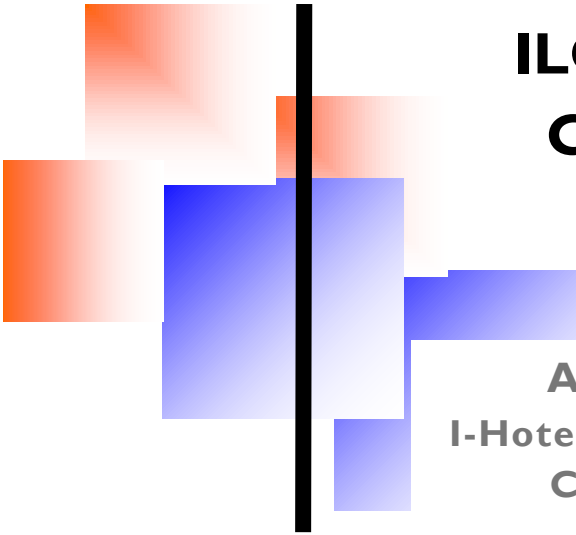
Three types of presentations will be considered:

- Individual presentation, allotted 30, 60 or 90 minutes
- Student presentation, allotted 20 minutes
- Panel discussion, allotted 60-90 minutes

POSTER CONTEST—Professional & Student Categories

ILGISA sponsors a poster contest for students and professionals. Voting is done by ballot by attendees at the conference and a small prize is awarded to each winner. GISP credit is given for poster submissions. All poster presenters need to be available the evening of April 14, 2010 during the Exhibitor reception for questions or discussion of their poster entry.

Workshop Submissions need to be received by February 5, 2010
Poster & Presentation submissions will be accepted until March
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Registration Form

I am submitting for a (circle choice):

Workshop (Wednesday, April 14)	Morning Half Day	Afternoon Half Day	Full Day
Paper Presentation (Thursday, April 15)	Student	Faculty	Professional
Poster Presentation	Student	Professional	
Panel Discussion (Thursday, April 15)			

Title: _____

Abstract (300 words or less): _____

Please describe your presentation by circling below:

Skill Level of Audience:	Beginner (New to GIS/Introductory)	Intermediate	Advanced
Presentation:	Informative	Technical	Hands On

Name: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Company/Educational Institution _____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____

Additional Presenters:

Name: _____ **Email Address** _____

Company/Educational Institution _____

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