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1. Activities of the Network

 <u>Ottawa, Ontario, OSGeo Meetup</u> <u>Group</u> meets on the third Thursday of each month. If you are located in the area, go to the link to sign up to the group and get updates about future events. (<u>http://www.meetup.com/Ottaw</u> <u>aOSGeo/</u>)

3. Events

 Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between The Open Source Geospatial Foundation and YouthMappers

On July 25, 2018, the Open Source Geospatial Foundation and YouthMappers signed an MoU at Politecniko di Milano in Milan, Italy. The MoU was signed by Patricia Solís, PhD, CoFounder and Director of YouthMappers, and Prof. Dr. Maria Antonia Brovelli, Director of Open Source Geospatial Foundation (OSGeo), with the goal of helping share global geo-information and geoeducation opportunities with all academic communities.

Among others, MoU states that:

- GeoForAll will encourage labs to establish YouthMappers chapters to expand students' links with the Open Source geospatial community;
- GeoForAll will proactively work to identify ways for student travel support for FOSS4G events and promote such funding in the future for students to explore creative ways to have local or nearby chapters participate without registration costs (as conference assistants, etc.);
- GeoForAll will help YputhMappers to identify any competitions or internship opportunities for YouthMappers within the OSGeo ecosystem; and

YouthMappers will include GeoForAll resources on their wiki for their chapters and promote use of them by participating universities.

More details at

https://wiki.osgeo.org/wiki/MOU_Yo uthMappers and

https://www.osgeo.org/foundationnews/the-open-source-geospatialfoundation-signs-mou-withyouthmappers/









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4. Conferences

Europe

September 2018

12-14 September: <u>EuroGEOSS Workshop 2018</u>
 Venue: the University of Geneva and the Museum of Ethnography,

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Geneve, Switzerland

2. 12-14 September: 6th Conference on the <u>Use of</u> <u>R in Official Statistics</u>

Venue: Dutch Office for National Statistics (CBS), Hague, The Netherlands.

3. 18-21 September: <u>INSPIRE Conference</u> "Make it work together" and INSPIRE Hackathon Venue: Antwerp, Belgium

October 2018

4. 1-5 October: ISPRS Com IV Symposium Venue: Delft, The Netherlands

5. 9-11 October: <u>5th Open Source Geospatial</u> <u>Research and Education Symposium</u>

Venue: University of Applied Sciences and Arts of Southern Switzerland (SUPSI)

North and Central America and the Caribbean

<u>August 2018</u>

6. 13 August: Tennessee FOSS4G Meeting. Second annual meeting.Venue: Knoxville, Tennessee, USA.

November 2018

7. 6-9 November: XVIII International Symposium of the Latin American Society of Remote Perception and Systems of Space Information.

Venue: Havana, Cuba

Contact: MSc. Ing. Pedro Luis García Pérez Presidente del Comité Organizador. (537) 836 34 47 <u>pedroluis1664@gmail.com</u> <u>lgarcia@ch.unaicc.cu</u>

8. 9-10 November: <u>Seattle GNU/Linux Conference</u> Venue: Seattle, Washington, USA.

April 2019

9. 2-4 April: <u>RDA 13th (P13) Plenary Meeting</u> Venue: Loews Hotel - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA

South America

September 2018

10. 26-28 September: <u>SciElo</u> ((Scientific Electronic Library Online in full alignment with the advances of open science).

Venue: Tivoli Mofarrej São Paulo Hotel, São Paulo, Brazil.

October 2018

11. 18-19 October: <u>5th gvSIG Uruguay Conference:</u> <u>Geographic Information in an open field</u>Venue: Montevideo, Uruguay

<u>July 2019</u>

12. 1-5 July: XVII Biennial <u>The International</u> <u>Association for the Study of the Commons</u> (IASC) Conference Venue: Lima, Peru.

<u>Africa</u>

<u>August 2018</u>

13. 27-28 August: FOSS4G 2018 Workshop
28-31 August: FOSS4G 2018: Main Conference
Venue: Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

September 2018

14. 1-2 September: FOSS4G 2018: Code Sprints and Community EventsVenue: Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

November 2018

15. 5-8 November: <u>SciData Con-IDW 2018</u> International Data Week Session Title: Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Data at the Subnational Level Venue: Gaborone, Botswana

<u>Asia</u>

December 2018

16. 2-5 December: <u>FOSS4G: ASIA</u> "Open Source for Sustainable Development" Venue: University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka.





<u>Oceania</u>

November 2018

17. 20-23 November: <u>FOSS4G – SotM Oceania</u> Venue: University of Melbourne, in the Old Arts Building, Melbourne, Australia

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6. Courses

 Free gvSIG course applied to the Environment: Certification and link to the complete course. The platform and the open enrollment option can be found at <u>www.geoalternativa.com/gvsigtraining</u>. For more information, please go to the website (in Spanish).

7. Training programs

- GeoForAll educational materials have been transferred to our new web site. <u>GeoForAll</u> <u>educational inventory system, a place to search</u> <u>and share educational materials</u>
- EO4GEO Project

EO4GEO is an Erasmus+ Sector Skills Alliance gathering 26 partners from 13 EU countries, most of which are part of the Copernicus Academy Network. Be they from academia, public, or private sector, they are all active in the education and training fields of the space/geospatial sectors. Technological progress and globalisation offer tremendous opportunities for innovation, job creation, and growth. This also requires people to acquire new skills in order to drive and support change.

But which skills are they, and how can we build and shape the workforce of the future? This is where EO4GEO steps in.

- EO4GEO aims to bridge the skills gap between the supply and demand of education and training in the space/geospatial sectors, fostering the uptake and integration of space/geospatial data and services in a broad range of application domains.
- EO4GEO will work in a multi- and interdisciplinary way and apply innovative

solutions for its education and training actions: case-based and collaborative learning scenarios; learning-while-doing in a living lab environment; on-the-job training; and cocreation of knowledge, skills, and competencies.

The project started on January 1st, 2018; it will run for 4 years, closely collaborating with DG GROW (Copernicus) and DG EMPLOYMENT to reach its strategic objectives.

EO4GEO expected outcomes are:

- A long-term and sustainable strategy to fill the gap between the supply of and demand for space/geospatial education and training
- An ontology-based Body of Knowledge for the space/geospatial sector based on previous experiences
- A series of curricula and a rich portfolio of training modules relying on Copernicus and shaping the workforce of the future
- A dynamic, collaborative platform with associated open training tools
- A series of training actions for a selected set of scenarios in 3 sub-sectors – integrated applications, smart cities, and climate change – to test and validate the approach

EO4GEO is a project co-funded by the Eramus+ Programme of the European Union.

More information at: <u>www.eo4geo.eu</u>





9. Funding opportunities, bids, etc.

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Call for Proposals

ISPRS Scientific Initiatives 2019

In accordance with the statutory mission and activities of ISPRS, the Society shall provide funds to support scientific and other initiatives, which will further improve its international status in the field of the photogrammetry, remote sensing, and spatial information sciences, and will therefore benefit all ISPRS members. For 2019, the ISPRS Council is making up to SFr. 60,000 available to support new scientific initiatives. The maximum funding assigned to any one scientific project shall be SFr. 10,000 per annum. Projects should commence on January 1, 2019, and typically last up to 12 months. In exceptional cases, applications for projects lasting up to 24 months will be considered. Projects of greater than one-year duration will be subject to annual review before subsequent funding will be released.

ISPRS Working Group Officers are invited to submit applications to their respective Technical Commission President by the deadline below, using the template provided (download the template here as MS-Word / PDF). The submission must be compiled in one PDF document. Further details, including information on the topics and the application process, are available in Appendix 9 of the Orange Book at:

http://www.isprs.org/documents/orangebook/app9.a spx

All applications will be reviewed based on the following criteria:

- Topic and objectives
- Scientific method and/or contribution
- Value to ISPRS (e.g., enhancing ISPRS reputation or promoting ISPRS)
- Quality of proposal
- Budget

Any queries should be addressed to the ISPRS Treasurer, Songnian Li, at <u>isprs-tr@isprs.org</u>.

Timescale

Announcement of Scientific Initiatives: June 18, 2018.

Deadline for submission of proposals from WG Officers to TCPs: November 1, 2018.

Deadline for submission of recommendation from TCPs to ISPRS Treasurer: November 19, 2018.

Announcement of successful awards by Council: December 15, 2018.

Funding available from: January 1, 2019.

11. Free books, educational materials, etc.

 The State of the World's Forests 2018 full report can be downloaded at <u>http://www.fao.org/stateof-forests/en/</u>

12. Articles

Abbreviations

by Nikos Lambrinos, Chief Editor, and Michael Finn.

For those who would like to support this effort, please send any abbreviations to the Chief Editor (<u>labrinos@eled.auth.gr</u>).

3DEP: 3-D Elevation Program

AAG: Association of American Geographers

AGS: American Geographical Society

AM/FM: Automated Mapping/Facilities Management

ASPRS: American Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing

AURIN: Australian Urban Research Infrastructure Network

BBSRC: Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council

BIM: Building Information Modelling

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CAADP: Comprehensive African Agricultural **Development Programme** CAD: Computer Aided Design CaGIS: Cartograhy and Geographic Information Society CEGIS: Center of Excellence for Geospatial Information Science **CEOS:** Committee on Earth Observation Satellites CI: CyberInfrastructure CLGE: The Council of European Geodetic Surveyors CODATA: Committee on Data for Science and Technology COGO: Coordinate geometry **CRS: Coordinate Reference System** CSA: Canadian Space Agency **CUDA: Compute Unified Device Architecture** DAAC: Distributed Active Archive Center (of NASA) **DEM:** Digital Elevation Model **DSM: Digital Surface Models** DWG: Design file format DXF: Drawing Interchange File ECMWF: European Center for Medium range Weather Forecasting EOS: Earth Observation Science EOSDIS: Earth Observing System and Data Information System **EPA: Environmental Protection Agency** EPSG: European Petrol Survey Group (used in projection IDs) ESA: European Space Agency ESERO: European Space Education Resource Office EUROGI: European Umbrella Organisation for **Geographic Information** EuroSDR: European Spatial Data Research FOSS: Free and Open Source Software

FOSS4G: Free and Open Source Software For Geospatial **GCP: Ground Control Point GloFAS: Global Flood Awareness System GNSS: Global Navigational Satellite System GPS: Global Positioning System GPX: GPS Exchange Format** GRASPgfs: Geospatial Resource for Agricultural Species and Pests and Pathogens with workflow integrated modeling to support **Global Food Security** HOT: Humanitarian OpenStreetMap Team HPC: high-performance computing ICA: International Cartographic Association ICSU-WDS: International Council for Science -World Data System **INSPIRE:** Infrastructure for Spatial Information in Europe **ISPRS:** International Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing JAXA: Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency KML: Keyhole Markup Language LiDAR: Light Detection and Ranging LOC: Local Organizing Committee LOD: Level Of Detail MIL: Media and Information Literacy MoU: Memorandum of Understanding NAD: North American Datum NCSA: National Center for Supercomputing Applications NED: National Elevation Dataset NEPAD: NEw Partnership for African Development NGA: National Geospatial Intelligence Agency NHD: National Hydrologic Dataset NLCD: National Land Cover Dataset NSDI: National Spatial Data Infrastructure NSF: National Science Foundation

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OER: Open Educational Resources OGC: Open Geospatial Consortium **OSGeo: Open Source Geospatial Foundation** OSM: OpenStreetMap **OTB: Orfeo Tool Box** RCMRD: Regional Centre for Mapping of **Resources for Development RDA: Research Data Alliance** ROSHYDROMET: Russian Federal Service for Hydrometeorologyand Enviromental Monitoring RUFORUM: Regional Universities Forum for capacity building in agriculture SaaS: Software as a Service SAR: Synthetic Aperture Radar SDI: Spatial Data Infrastructure SIGTE: The GIS and Remote Sensing Service of the University of Girona, Spain SQL: Structured Query Language STISA 2024: Science Technology Innovation Strategy for Africa STSM: Short Term Scientific Missions **TIN: Triangulated Irregular Network UAV: Unmanned Aerial Vehicle** UN-GGIM: United Nations Global Geospatial Information Management USGS: U.S. Geological Survey USGIF: United States Geospatial Intelligence Foundation VGI: Volunteered Geographic Information XSEDE: Extreme Science and Engineering **Discovery Environment** WCS: Web Coverage Service WFS: Web Feature Service WGCapD: Working Group on Capacity Building and Data Democracy WGS: World Geodetic System WISERD: Wales Institute of Social & Economic Research, Data & Methods

WMO: World Meteorological Organization
WMS: Web Map Service
WMTS: Web Map Tiles Services
WOIS: Water Observation Information System
WPS: Web Processing Service

16. Websites

https://www.gbif.es/sobre-gbif/

GBIF (Global Biodiversity Information Facility) is an open data science infrastructure funded by the world's governments and intended to provide anyone from anywhere in the world with access to information about the living beings that inhabit the Earth. Coordinated through an International Secretariat located in Copenhagen, GBIF is structured as a network of countries and international organizations. The GBIF network provides data providers around the world with common standards and open source tools that allow them to share information about where and when a particular species has been found. Currently, the GBIF network consists of 54 countries, 40 organizations, and 1,426 data providers (https://www.gbif.org/the-gbifnetwork).

http://gsi.cigi.illinois.edu/

The Geospatial Software Institute (GSI) seeks to conceptualize GSI as a long-term hub of excellence in geospatial software to serve diverse research and education communities.

17. Ideas / Information

1. To post your FOSS4G educational information go to <u>http://www.osgeo.org/education</u>.

There you can find more educational activities posted by members of our community.FOSS4G is the annual global event of the Open Source Geospatial Foundation. It is the largest technical geospatial Open Source conference in the world. The FOSS4G conference focuses on Free and Open Source





Software for Geospatial applications. In addition to high level technical talks four key domain are discussed every year to showcase the connection between free and open source software and communities from neighbouring domains. In 2018, the conference will take place in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, on 29-30-31 August. The four thematic domains selected for this edition are: Urban; Coastal, Marine and the Environment; Widening Access and Humanitarian Mapping; Drones.

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2. GeoForAll Iberoamerica Award - 2018 edition

GENERAL RULES - PURPOSE

GeoForAll Iberoamerica is pleased to announce the Contest of Use of Free Geographic Information Technologies 2018. The purpose of the contest is to reward the free/open geospatial technological skills of University students of the Ibero-American region. Students who compete will present a project using free geospatial technology to address a real-world problem.

The project and results will be presented on a poster that should highlight the use of geospatial technology and show the communication and presentation skills of the candidate.

GeoForAll Iberoamerica announces this contest in order to encourage the use of free geospatial technologies and to encourage all students who use these free technologies to share and give visibility to their work.

PARTICIPANTS

The awards are for undergraduate and postgraduate university students from all countries of the Ibero-American region (South America, Central America, Mexico and the Caribbean, Spain and Portugal). Participants must be over 18 years of age by October 18, 2018.

TYPE OF WORK

The submitted works must have used any Free Geographic Information Technology (alone or in

combination with each other) in any area of knowledge. The works must be originals of the participants. The software developed in the submitted works must be subject to a NU / GPL v3 or AGPL v3 license. They can be final degree's and postgraduate's projects presented throughout 2017 and until June 2018, or other works carried out during 2018.

PRESENTATION

The works must be presented:

- individually.
- in Spanish, Portuguese or English.
- in a compressed file that includes:
- PDF with the poster, with the title of the work and the name of the author.
- PDF with an article that complements the poster, with the title of the work and the name of the author.
- a form (provided by the organization) that must be completed with the following information:
- title of the work.
- summary of the work of 100 words max.
- to which degree and level corresponds the work.
- author's data:
- name
- contact phone
- physical address
- email address
- optionally (what will be positively evaluated) may be delivered:
 - o a webpage about the work (in html)
 - a video of 2 to 3 minutes where the work is exposed (in mp4, AVI or other format of current use)

DEADLINE

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EVALUATION CRITERIA

The evaluation of works will be based on the following criteria:

- project: originality of the proposal,
- methodology followed,
- quality of the presented,
- presentation: presentation of the report and the poster,
- quality and clarity of the writing,
- impact,
- applicability of work in real environments

AWARDS - AMOUNTS

Selected works will be shared in the GeoForAll repository.

The following prizes will be awarded:

- a first prize of US \$ 250,
- a second prize of US \$ 150 and
- a third prize of US \$ 100.

All the awarded students will receive a diploma granted by GeoForAll Iberoamérica that certifies the decision of the jury. The awarded works will be announced in the next Free and Open Source Geographic Information Technologies Conference to be held in Montevideo, Uruguay, on October 18, 2018.

ACCEPTANCE OF RULES AND INCIDENTS

Participation in this call implies acceptance of all of these rules. The incidents that may arise and the assumptions not foreseen in these bases will be resolved by the jury of the call. All works submitted to the contest will respect the industrial and / or intellectual property rights of third parties. Likewise, by submitting the works to this call, the authors assign GeoForAll Iberoamérica on a non-exclusive basis, and until the work becomes public domain, the rights of reproduction, transformation and public communication on the work. In any case, the moral right of the authors to be appointed will be respected.

3. Open Geospatial Data, Software and Standards (ISSN: 2363-7501)

Special Issue: Open Source Geospatial Software

Special Issue of the Journal of Open Geospatial Data, Software and Standards invites original research contributions and/or software implementations on all aspects of open source geospatial software and its applications, and particularly encourages submissions on the following themes:

- Open source/open data policies for SDI development and implementation
- Reproducibility of analyses and results in research and science
- Quality of open geospatial data
- Volunteered Geographic Information (VGI), Crowdsourcing and OpenStreetMap (OSM)
- Sensor Web and Internet of Things (IoT)
- Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing
- Standardization and interoperability of open geo-data and services
- Big geo-data storage, visualization and processing
- Open source geospatial software in scientific research
- Open source geospatial software in education and business
- Management and sustainability of open source geospatial projects

Deadline for submission of articles: November 15th, 2018

The Journal of Open Geospatial Data, Software and Standards welcomes submissions of various types, including "Original article," "Review" as well as "Database article." Apart from these article types, the Journal has a special type of article called "Software article," where you can publish a short article about services/software of broad utility that have been developed within your project/institute. For more





information about the article types, please access the Journal's online menu <u>Submission Guidelines</u> and <u>Preparing your manuscript</u>.

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Submission Instructions: Authors interested in submitting a paper to this issue should carefully read the Open Geospatial Data, Software and Standards submission guidelines and submit their article to the Journal's submission system. Submissions of articles are open from now until November 15, 2018. The first round review process will take approximately three weeks and the articles will be published online as open access after receiving the final acceptance. During the submission of the manuscript, please upload a cover letter indicating that you are interested to publish your work in this Special Issue. Furthermore, in case you have any questions, feel free to contact the Guest Editors. Please note that Springer applies Article Processing Charges for publishing articles. In case authors need funding support, please read the information provided here.

Please have in mind that the Guest Editors are able to provide some fee waivers to cover the Article Processing Charge of the journal. Since the journal also welcomes technical papers which describe open source software technology, they would like to extend this invitation to all the OSGeo projects.

If you need more information please contact one of the Guest Editors.

 4. An announcement from GeoForAll IberoAmerica

 (from
 SERGIO
 ACOSTAYLARA

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GeoForAll Iberoamérica (G4A-Ib) continues to grow:

- we have 15 members from 8 different countries right now in the wiki (<u>https://wiki.osgeo.org/wiki/GeoForAll_Iberoam</u> <u>%C3%A9rica</u>) and others to be added shortly (still information missing)
- we are arranging future collaborations with other initiatives (GBIF, EO4GEO)
- we welcome collaboration with other Regional/Thematic groups from GeoForAll
- we are organizing our first students' competition with OSGeo's support (see, in Spanish, <u>https://siglibreuruguay.wordpress.com/2018/06</u> /14/premio-geoforall-iberoamerica-y-osgeo/)
- we have done a series of webinars (for example: <u>https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLtoCaX</u> <u>OXUK-7VmHiaVkBri480immm5jBS</u>) and we plan to do more in the future
- we are part of the Editorial Board of the GeoForAll newsletter making possible to have it translated to Spanish

If you want to join, you can do it through the mailing list:

https://lists.osgeo.org/cgi-

bin/mailman/listinfo/geoforall-iberoamerica, or writing to us in this global one. We encourage you to share your ideas and opinions. We accept non-Spanish speaking members, but it will be good if they are from Iberoamérica (South America, Central America, Mexico and the Caribbean, Spain and Portugal).

