

Call for Papers – GI Forum 2013

Creating the GISociety

Salzburg, July 2 – 5, 2013

GI Forum 2013
SYMPOSIUM and EXHIBIT
GIScience & Technology
Learning with GI
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Audience

The interdisciplinary GI_Forum attracts an international GIScience audience with the goal of promoting interest in translating theory, methods and techniques into a broad range of GI application domains. Young researchers are especially invited to contribute and discuss their research. Together with recognized scientists they will find a vibrant community from academia, business, and education ready to embrace new ideas and explore new research directions. GI_Forum runs concurrently with the highly regarded German language conference on Applied Geoinformatics – AGIT (www.agit.at). The two symposia share some 1200 participants, the innovative AGIT EXPO exhibit and stimulating social events.

Themes & Application Fields

GI_Forum 2013 offers full-fledged, intertwined tracks on GIScience and Learning with GI with focus on hardware, software, orgware and brainware for the GISociety, and their inter-relationships. We expect researchers from these fields will interact closely and benefit from each other.

Keynotes by **Sarah Elwood**, **Josef Strobl**, **Geoff Zeiss** and **Francis Harvey** support the general topic. Keynote speakers will be available for additional discussion with young researchers.

We welcome theoretical, technical and empirical work. Topics within the special focus include, but are not limited to:

- Spatial Data Infrastructures
- GIScience & Target Group Specific Design
- Mobility and Safety
- Monitoring and Modelling of Global Change
- Spatial Information & Society
- Critical GIS / Cartography
- Education for Spatial Citizenship
- Spatial Thinking in Education
- Outreach Initiatives

The GI_Forum further solicits contributions on emerging topics and research outcomes related to GIScience and GI-based education. Geospatial data acquisition, advanced spatial analysis and knowledge extraction, distributed and mobile services, visualization and visual analytics, dynamic modelling and simulation, learning environments for secondary / postsecondary education, and research into learning outcomes, comprise by no means an exhaustive list of conference topics.

Submission: Types & Deadlines. GI_Forum 2013 gives authors choices about the type of submission they want to make in order to accommodate a variety of interdisciplinary contributions. Submissions must be in English language. The review is double-blind. Consult the formatting guidelines published at the conference website for further details.

February 1, 2013 deadline for submission of full papers / extended abstracts

March 16, 2013 notification of acceptance

April 20, 2013 final paper versions

June 6, 2013 late deadline for submission of extended abstracts for poster presentation

We will accept online submissions only, starting from December, 1st 2012 at <http://www.gi-forum.org>. Publication will be both hardcopy and online (see <http://gispoint.de/index.php?id=5>, choose year 2012 and English language for the most recent proceedings).

We are looking forward to your contribution!

Josef Strobl
Conference Chair

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Programme Chair

Thomas Jekel
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