ARIZONA GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COUNCIL

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- GIS Day was November 18. The AGIC Outreach Committee hosted a virtual GIS Scavenger Hunt! Participants who completed the hunt were entered into a drawing for AGIC swag. Congratulations to our winners: William Nye, Sarah Nye, and Maureen Yonovitz!

- The AGIC Natural Resources WG is hosting a virtual Presentation Series event focused on S. Arizona, on December 10th. Registration is complementary and required. Please join us!

- At the November AGIC Council Meeting, Eric Shreve was confirmed as the new Vice-Chair. Congratulations, Eric!

- The next AGIC Council meeting will be held in February. Check out the AGIC Calendar for details.

- 2020 Virtual AGIC Education & Training Symposium by the numbers:

  - ☑ Over 600 attendees registered from 26 states and 4 countries
  - ☑ 47 presentations
  - ☑ 10 technical sessions
  - ☑ 7 hands-on workshops
  - ☑ 20 sponsors and 6 sponsor breakout sessions
  - ☑ 6 group activities: chair yoga, virtual networking, trivia challenge, awards, and the hospitality suite (twice!)

  Thank you to our generous sponsors! You helped to make this year's event a success!

- A recap of the symposium, as well as the proceedings and recordings of the presentations are now available on the AGIC Symposium website.

UPCOMING COMMITTEE & WORK GROUP MEETINGS

Wednesday, Dec 2 **|** UAS Work Group **|**   10:00 am - 11:30 am

Monday, Dec 7 **|**   AZGeo Work Group **|**   10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Tuesday, Dec 8 **|**   Natural Resources Work Group **|**   10:00 am - 11:30 am

Wednesday, Dec 16 **|**   Outreach Committee   **|**   1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Thursday, Dec 17 **|**   Conference Committee   **|**   10:00 am - 11:30 am

Other groups that meet regularly include: Admin & Legal Committee, Data Committee, Lidar WG, Social Media WG and the Cadastral WG

For a complete list of AGIC Meetings and details visit the AGIC Calendar

AGIC NEWS

ASU and ASLD Group Wins NSGIC Award

ASLD and ASU were awarded the NSGIC Geospatial Excellence Catalyst Award for the AZGeo Geospatial Data Hub.

AGIC 2020 Symposium a Success

The AGIC 2020 Education and Training Symposium concluded their first virtual conference last week and it was a success!

A Conversation on the Topic of GIS Leadership in Arizona: Part 1, Part 2, Part 3

Several AGIC Council Members participated in a three-part UAGIST podcast on GIS leadership in Arizona.

A Conversation with Jami Dennis

Listen to this weeks UA GIST podcast as they interview Jami Dennis, owner of Geodetic Analysis.

GIS NEWS

Artificial Intelligence Is Used To Understand The Geospatial World To Improve Business And Governmental Performance

Capturing a global image base is now starting to help businesses and governments expand the use of AI to help with studying large scale issues.

Is Geospatial the next big opportunity for Private Equity and Venture Capital

Today the geospatial sector is exploding, currently valued at around $9 billion, and the investment community are paying attention.

Map helps identify the COVID19 risk level by crowd size and geography

An alarming visualization shows the odds that at least one Covid-positive person attends a given event. It should give us all pause about family plans.

ASU student creates machine learning model to identify neighborhoods most at risk for COVID19

Avipsa Roy with ASU is using machine learning to identify the most at-risk populations for COVID-19 down to the census block group level in Los Angeles.

Geospatial is Transforming Our World

A look at how geospatial technologies can be used by companies to derive real economic value.

For more AGIC & GIS news, visit the AGIC Website