2017 Surveying and Geomatics Educators Society (SaGES) Call for Papers

The Surveying and Geomatics Educators Society (SAGES) is pleased to issue a call for papers for presentation at the upcoming 26th Biennial Conference to be held at Oregon State University in Corvallis OR, July 31-August 4, 2017. SAGES promotes the effective teaching and learning of surveying, mapping, geomatics, and other spatially-related education. SAGES is a forum where academia, industry and government work together to exchange ideas, promote common causes, and provide opportunities to improve the teaching and learning of geomatics: http://www.geosages.org/

Abstracts and papers

Abstracts and papers related to surveying and geomatics education are of interest for this event. Potential session topics include, but are not limited to:

- Cutting-edge geomatics research (*e.g.*, GNSS, lidar, sfm, geodesy, uncertainty analysis)
- Recruiting and retaining top students into the field geomatics
- Activities of professional organizations related to geomatics education
- Appropriate integration of advanced technology into coursework
- Industry\government partnerships or efforts to support education
- Novel instruction methodologies or education materials
- Innovative geomatics curricula
- Internship and service learning programs
- Young surveyor programs - Helping recent graduates transition into professionals
- ABET accreditation

The event will also include a special student poster session. (Please submit an abstract if interested).

Important Deadlines:

Abstract Submission for Full Consideration: **May 15, 2017**
Notification of Abstract Acceptance: **May 31, 2017**
Full paper deadline: **July 15, 2017**

Submit your 300 word abstract through the conference website today! http://2017sages.org The proceedings of the conference will be sent for peer review and possible publication in a special issue of the prestigious Journal Surveying and Land Information Systems (SALIS). Please review the paper preparation guidelines prior to submission: http://www.g-lis.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/SaLISinstructionsGhilani.pdf

SALIS is a scientific journal devoted to reporting research and new work conducted to advance geodetic surveying, land surveying, large-scale mapping, and geographic information systems designed to advance the development and management of the cadastral parcel data layer and other land information applications. Information about the Surveying and Land Information Science (SALIS) can be found at http://www.salis-journal.org/. The journal can be found at http://ingentaconnect.com/content/nsps/salis.

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