



UCGIS 2015 Symposium

GIScience *Knowledge to Action*

Pre-Symposium Workshops: Wednesday May 27, 2015

Symposium Dates: May 28-30, 2015 in Alexandria, Virginia

Call for Workshop and Working Group Proposals

UCGIS invites proposals for pre-Symposium workshops, to take place on Wednesday, May 27, 2015, at the Hotel Monaco in Alexandria, Virginia. At our workshops, participants have the opportunity to address specific technical and/or thematic topics, with an emphasis on exchange of ideas and professional development. We particularly encourage proposals that focus on emerging topics and applications, on open challenges in GIScience research and education, and on interdisciplinary topics that highlight our Symposium's theme of GIScience Knowledge to Action. The workshops are intended to complement the regular Symposium programming and to facilitate more in-depth and engaged modes of interaction.

As compensation for workshop instructors, registration fees to the Symposium will be waived. Workshop attendance is free for individuals from UCGIS member institutions. Others are welcome to attend for a nominal fee (\$25 for half-day, \$50 for full).

UCGIS will review all proposals for quality and relevant content. Approved and scheduled workshops that receive very low registration numbers are subject to cancellation prior to the Symposium.

Proposals are due by Friday, January 16, 2015. Proposers will receive notification of decisions no later than Monday, February 2, 2015.

To submit a workshop proposal, please use this [online form](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Diana Sinton (dianasinton@ucgis.org).