

# CALL FOR WORKSHOP PRESENTERS



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The Washington State Chapter of URISA (WAURISA) invites you to submit a proposal to conduct a workshop for WAURISA members and the Washington GIS community at large in 2011.

We are seeking instructors to give educational presentations and workshops on a wide range of GIS topics. Presentations can range in duration from 2 to 7 hours. All submissions are welcome and will be evaluated as a potential workshop focus. Our goal is to present workshops in both the eastern and western portions of Washington State. Suggested workshop topics include Transportation, Asset Management, ArcGIS Server application development, Programming, Emergency Services, GIS & Land Surveying, Mobile GIS, Metadata, Desktop GIS Apps, and Mobile GIS Apps.

Presentations are being sought to fill:

- 2 hour, half-day, or full-day workshops for the 2011 Washington GIS Conference pre-conference series to be held on May 9, 2011, in Lynnwood, WA. Attendance at these pre-conference workshops average 30-100 per workshop.
- Outside of the conference, WAURISA is interested in full day workshops featuring content relevant to WAURISA members and the Washington GIS community. The time and location of these workshops are negotiable. Attendance at workshops held outside the annual conference average 15 - 50 people.

DEADLINE:  
FEB. 4,  
2011

**Presenter benefits:** Annual Conference workshop presenters will receive **one complimentary registration** to attend the full conference. Honorariums are available to non-conference presenters whose content is 6 hours or more. Some travel reimbursement is available to conference presenters whose content is 4 hours or more.

More details are on the following page.





**When submitting an abstract for workshops, please keep the following guidelines in mind:**

- Subject matter is relevant to the WAURISA membership and the Washington GIS community.
- Learning objectives are clearly outlined.
- Workshop will be presented in a way that it is educational in nature, and will not promote your company or services.
- Instructor has prior teaching/speaking experience.
- Workshops are intended as lecture only with no computer lab available. If student access to computers is necessary they must be provided by the workshop instructor.
- Presentation materials will be provided at no or low cost (WAURISA will reimburse up to \$100 for production of instructional materials.)

Please submit an abstract of the presentation, presenter name(s), anticipated presentation duration, intended audience and any other supplemental documentation to illustrate how your presentation meets the criteria listed above to [president@waurisa.org](mailto:president@waurisa.org).

**Deadlines:** If you are interested in having your workshop considered for the 2011 Washington GIS conference the deadline is February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Submissions will be evaluated continuously for workshops intended to be held outside of the annual conference, though presenters are encouraged to submit early. Please address questions to [president@waurisa.org](mailto:president@waurisa.org)