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Geospatial skills are necessary for some of the most promising career paths in the 21st century. Learn more about Geospatial Information Sciences and Technologies (GIST) and their applications in many academic disciplines. All events are free and open to faculty, staff, students and the general public.

## **Program of Events:**

## 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## GIST POSTER DISPLAY, J. Wray and Joan Billingsley Pearce Grand Foyer (second floor)

View posters submitted by students that show how geospatial technology is used in various ways. From 12:30 to 1 p.m., attend a poster session where you can talk with the student authors about their posters. Winners of the campus-wide poster contest will be announced at the conclusion of the speaker presentations in Room 205 at 3:30 p.m.

## 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

## SOFTWARE DEMONSTRATIONS, Digital Humanities Center, Room 109A

Drop in for a few minutes or stay for the entire session to see GIS software in action: watch digital map-making demonstrations, view Map Books with digital maps created for various subjects, and learn about academic and career opportunities in geospatial sciences and technologies.

## 1 to 4 p.m.

#### **SPEAKER PRESENTATIONS, Room 205 (second floor)**

Geospatial scientists and practitioners will explain how they use GIS, Remote Sensing and other geospatial technologies in their work in the fields of disaster preparation and mitigation, engineering, geology, biological sciences, political science, geography and urban planning.

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