



Call 2017/2 for Geospatial Events Grants – GEG Now open for applications

September 2017 “UNIGIS Geospatial Events Grants”

The UNIGIS International Association is announcing the second call of the “Geospatial Events Grants” (GEG) funded by UNIGIS International Association and industry partners.

The objective of the GEG is to connect active UNIGIS students with the international geospatial community and to create added value within the UNIGIS network. Participating in a leading Geospatial event will enhance the learning experience beyond lessons and exercises and is of course an excellent opportunity to establish new contacts with GIS experts from all over the world.

The call considers the following list of events taking place between November 2017 and July 2018 eligible for grant sponsorship:

- a) [GeoDesign+BIM Europe](#), 22-24 November 2017 in Amsterdam
- b) [Geospatial World Forum](#), 16-19 January 2018 in Hyderabad (or any regional Geospatial Forum)
- c) [FIG Congress](#), 6-11 May 2018, Istanbul
- d) [AGILE 2018](#), 13-15 June 2018, Lund
- e) [GI Forum](#) , 3-6 July 2018, Salzburg
- f) [Esri UC](#), 9-13 July 2018, San Diego
- g) Other international geospatial events can be suggested for consideration

Funding

- The grant is a **lump sum of 500 Euro** per student towards the cost of attending
- Previous GEG grant recipients are not eligible
- The grant will be disbursed to the student after attending the event and submitting all information/documentation required (*refer to 4. Documentation after attendance of event*)



Application Procedure

1. Application criteria

- Active UNIGIS students;
Exception: presentation of recently accepted Master Thesis
- Application must be submitted before attending the event

2. How to apply?

- Please complete the application form (*application form GEG.docx*), CV and motivation letter
- Submit all documents compiled into ONE pdf (yourname_UNIGIS site.pdf) via e-mail to UIA Office office.uia@unigis.net

3. Selection process & time schedule:

September 2017 Call	Sep 1 – Oct 9, 2017
Last day of submission of applications/documents	Oct 9, 2017
Applications reviewed by Programme directors of the applicant's UNIGIS site	Oct 9 - 20, 2017
Selection and nomination by UNIGIS International Board	Oct 25, 2017
Notification on selection results by UNIGIS international office and information about further steps	Oct 25, 2017

4. Documentation after attendance of event:

- a) Proof of active attendance (paper, poster, panel, etc.) in the event is mandatory for the disbursement of the grant
- b) Draft text and picture(s) for UIA blog, website & general PR/communication purpose;
- c) Provide a reference to the program and the paper/abstract/poster and/or presentation slides as a proof of active participation