

ICA COMMISSIONS JOINT WORKSHOP

FIRST CALL

ATLASES COGNITION USABILITY



International Cartographic Association
Association Cartographique Internationale

ICA Commission on Atlases in co-operation with
the ICA Commission on Cognitive Issues in Geographic Information Visualization
and the ICA Commission on Use, User and Usability Issues

do cordially invite **Papers and Attendance for the Joint Workshop**

in Olomouc, Czech Republic on April 27–30, 2018

Although every atlas is intended for its users, cartographers should pay attention to the fundamental cognitive and usability issues of the product. The joint workshop addresses strengthening existing research on topics related to atlases, cognitive and usability issues and provides a platform for joint cooperation between cartographers dealing with atlases, cognitive, and user issues that will lead to new collaborations, new ideas and new friendships.

The workshop sessions will be managed as either oral presentation of research contribution or open mind discussion above presenters' motions where cartographer from each commission can present their ideas to the members of all three commissions and others. Participants may also choose from some practical workshops. Optional guided tours to the romantic water cruise on underground River Punkva and visit of the Macocha Abyss, the largest gorge in the Central Europe and Moravian Cartographic Center.



ORAL PRESENTATION



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CALL FOR PAPERS

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CALL FOR PAPERS is now open and submissions of abstracts on any topic of merit addressing at least one of the subjects of

Atlases & Cognition & Usability

 are invited

Deadline for submissions: **February 10, 2018**

Submissions:

- ✓ research contributions (15–20 min) – presentation of research achievements
- ✓ discussion motions (5–10 min) – talks about topics to be discussed
- ✓ practical workshop (90–120 min) – guided practical exercises to obtain new skills

Guidance on Abstracts:

- ✓ 300–500 words
- ✓ English language
- ✓ a brief biographic note

Fee: 50 Euro (reduced fee for students 30 Euro)

Preliminary program:

Friday Apr 27 – arrivals, commission meetings, ice breaker drinks

Saturday Apr 28 – workshop presentations and discussions, city walk and evening social event

Sunday Apr 29 – workshop presentations and discussions, evening cultural event

Monday Apr 30 – workshop presentations and discussions, afternoon guided trip, departures

Publishing:

- ✓ proceedings of abstracts
- ✓ unpublished original contributions will be recommended for IJC

Accommodation: individual by participants, possibly from a list on the workshop website

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Olomouc is a beautiful baroque university city, one of the best secret locations in Europe by Lonely Planet. Only two hours by fast train from the Czech capital Prague and 2.5 hours driving from Vienna.



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