



Youth Forum

A Youth Forum will be organized on 5 July 2008, comprising four sessions for oral presentations, one poster session and one Youth Forum Panel session.

The themes of oral sessions:

- **Multi-Source and Multi-Scale Data Acquisition:**
Data acquisition techniques (such as photogrammetry, satellite imagery, LiDAR, radar, sonar, etc.) for local, regional and global coverages
- **From Image to Information:** Innovative information extraction techniques for image interpretation
- **Spatio-Temporal Modeling and Representation:**
Modeling the dynamics and spatial distribution of Earth phenomena; 2.5D mapping and 3D modeling techniques for topographical and non-topographical object representation;
Characterization of land, ocean and atmospheric changes
- **Geo-Spatial Information Service and Applications:**
Innovative applications of geo-spatial information in various fields for sustainable development

The theme of the Youth Forum Panel:

- **Value-Added Service of Geo-Spatial Information**
Young researchers (under 30 years on 1 July 2008) are encouraged to attend the sessions of their interests. Papers submitted to the Youth Forum sessions should be clearly indicated on the ABSTRACT SUBMISSION FORM. Authors are requested to consult the ISPRS OrangeBook (<http://www.isprs.org/documents/orangebook.html>) for instructions on paper preparation. Papers accepted as oral and poster presentations of the Youth Forum sessions will be published in a Special Volume of the Congress Proceedings.

Youth Forum Best Paper and Best Poster Awards

Two Youth Forum Best Paper Awards and three Youth Forum Best Poster Awards will be granted for the best papers and posters presented at the ISPRS Youth Forum Sessions. The first author (who must be under 30 years on 1 July 2008) of a multi-author paper is qualified to apply for such awards. The deadline for submission of full papers is 30 April 2008.

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