ORURISA Annual Meeting

2019-04-23

Board members in attendance:

● Rich L’Esperance
● Molly Vogt
● Dean Anderson
● Theresa Burcsu
● Matt Freid
● David Percy
● Alexa Todd
● Cy Smith
● Robb Kirkman
● Mark Scott

Introductions:
What have you enjoyed best about the conference?

● Community & networking
● Learning what people are doing locally
● Workshops (more)
● Meeting the vendors
● Medium sized conference
● Student/EP engagement

Want would you like to see from ORURISA in the coming year?

● Workshops (x4)
  ○ GISP
  ○ For EP
  ○ Technical
● Students/Emerging Professionals (x9)
  ○ poster presentation at GIA
  ○ More job placement for EP
  ○ More outreach in schools to break into GIS field
  ○ Getting professionals involved with students more
  ○ Student support
  ○ Student bridging gap between education and career
  ○ Resume building/EP support
● GIS in Action (x5)
  ○ More open source at GIA
  ○ Research integrated GIS
  ○ More vendors & specializations
  ○ Better representation in program (Paul Cone will help recruit)
  ○ (More parking)
● Collaboration tools
● Engaging people in K-12 system with GIS (& related orgs)
● Expand beyond board members
- Communication between board and members
- HotApps
- Celebrate successes & learn from mistakes
- Bringing together technology organizations

Election
Seat 1:
Cy Smith (remove nomination)
Jennifer Zumbata Hannible (self-nomination) - 18
- From Florida to Louisiana to Oregon
- Love to mentor 1-to-1

Sean Carroll (self-nomination) - 12
- Work for federal government, Army Corps
- in Navy where gained interest in GIS
- Oregon State pursuing PhD

Seat 2:
Rich L'Esperance (remove nomination)
Sean Carroll - majority

Theresa Burcsu
- Thank you Molly & Dean!
- Increase presence & dialogue
- Tara, communications expert
- Workshops & events
- Experience of members, new and established, moving forward in their career