GIS Workshops Offered This Fall!

Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
September 30th, 9:00 am – 10:00 am (Monday) - SW206A
Or October 2nd, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm (Wednesday) - SW206A

Introduction to ArcGIS Online and ESRI for Office
October 7th, 9:00 am – 10:00 am (Monday) - SW206A
Or October 9th, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm (Wednesday) - SW206A

Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
GIS is a system that integrates hardware, software, and data for capturing, managing, analyzing, and displaying all forms of geographically referenced information. GIS allows us to view, understand, interpret, and visualize data in many ways that reveal relationships, patterns, and trends in the form of maps, reports, and charts. Simply stated, GIS is the merging of cartography, statistical analysis, and computer science technology.

This workshop will provide an overview of what GIS can be used for and is meant for people who are curious about what GIS can do for them. A question and answer period will be provided as well as an access code for an introductory on-line course from ESRI.

Introduction to ArcGIS Online and ESRI for Office
This workshop will introduce new and existing GIS users to the future of ESRI’s GIS through ArcGIS Online and ESRI for Office. As you may know, GIS is moving more and more "into the cloud" and Binghamton University now has access this environment with an ArcGIS Online Organizational account. ArcGIS Online is a place online where users can create, host, and share mapping content including basic maps all the way to more advanced applications. No desktop GIS software is required for its use. This has potential to be very beneficial for personal and classroom use.

With an ArcGIS Online login, users have access to ESRI for Office. It is a free extension for Microsoft Excel and PowerPoint enabling map creation and analysis directly within these products. Maps can then be shared with ArcGIS Online.

To register call x7-3536 or send an email to giscore@binghamton.edu

Please include your name, department, email, phone number and the workshop(s) you would like to attend. Space is limited.

For further information and detailed course descriptions on current and future workshops/seminars check out our website at http://gis.binghamton.edu