

Conference Schedule

Wednesday, August 25th

- 7:30 am – 4:00 pm **WEDNESDAY SEMINARS (Separate registration-NOT included in conference package)**
- #1 **Minimum Technical Standards (MTS)** – 6 hours MTS/L&R
Instructors: Pablo Ferrari and Russell Hyatt
 - #2 **“INC., LTD., LLC, LLP – What’s It All Mean?” Selecting the Right Entity for Surveying Business Operations** – 3 hours General
Instructor: Claire Duchemin
 - Mobile LiDAR: An Overview of Surveying’s New Tool** – 3 hours General
Instructor: Stephen Clancy
- 7:30 am – 8:00 am Registration
8:00 am – 11:15 am Seminar
11:15 am – 12:45 pm Lunch (*on your own*)
12:45 pm – 4:00 pm Seminar
- 11:00 am – 5:00 pm Conference Registration Desk
11:00 am – 5:00 pm Spouse Hospitality Suite
2:30 pm – 4:00 pm GIS Users Group Meeting
2:30 pm – 4:00 pm Surveying and Mapping Council
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Surveyors in Government Meeting
6:00 pm Sunset Welcome Function - Fish Fry (*ticket required*)

Thursday, August 26th -

- 6:15 am – 11:30 am Fishing Tournament (*registration required*) (**New day**)
(Buses load at 6:15 am, leave dock at 7:00 am, return at 11:00 am)
- 7:15 am – 1:30 pm Golf Tournament (*registration required*)
(Buses load at 7:15 am, Breakfast 8:00 am, Tee time 9:00 am)
- 7:30 am – 4:00 pm **THURSDAY SEMINARS (Separate registration-NOT included in conference package)**
- #1 **Strategies for a Successful Surveying Business** – 6 hours General
Instructor: John Matonich
 - #2 **Florida’s Offshore Boundary** – 3 hours General
Instructor: W. Lamar Evers
 - Mean High Water** – 3 hours General
Instructor: Mark Stokes
- 7:30 am – 8:00 am Registration
8:00 am – 11:15 am Seminar
11:15 am – 12:45 pm Lunch (*on your own*)
12:45 pm – 4:00 pm Seminar
- 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Spouse Hospitality Suite
9:00 am – 5:00 pm Conference Registration Desk
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm Women in Surveying Luncheon
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm GPS Users Group Meeting
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm Board of Directors’ Meeting
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Past State Presidents’ Dinner (*ticket required*)
9:00 pm – Game Night (*registration required; must be 21 years or older*)

Friday, August 27th

- 7:30 am – 7:55 am General Business Session Breakfast
8:00 am – 12:00 pm General Business Session
9:00 am – 5:00 pm Conference Registration Desk
8:00 am – 4:30 pm Spouse Hospitality Suite
10:00 am – 6:00 pm Exhibit Hall Open
10:00 am – 10:30 am General Business Session Break & Exhibit Hall Grand Opening & Door prize drawings
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm FSM PAC Meeting
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm Chapter Presidents’ Workshop

3:00 pm – 6:00 pm Exhibitors' Reception Kick Off, Golf & Fishing Awards and Door Prize Drawings (*ticket required*)
7:00 pm – FSM PAC Fundraising Dinner (*ticket required*)

Saturday, August 28th

7:00 am – 8:15 am Fellowship of Christian Surveyors' Breakfast (*ticket required*)
7:30 am – 12:00 pm Conference Registration Desk
8:00 am – 4:30 pm Spouse Hospitality Suite
8:00 am – 5:00 pm **Certified Survey Technician (CST) Exams**
8:00 am – 8:30 am Registration
8:30 am CST Exams Begin
7:30 am – 8:00 am Saturday Seminars Registration
8:00 am – 10:00 am **Saturday Seminars Tier I** (*registration required*)
Track I **Transitioning from Land Desktop to Civil 3D** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Brian Morse
Track II **Surveying the Future: GIS, Lasers, LiDAR & More** – 2 hours General
Instructors: Allen Nobles and Rick Pryce
Track III **GIS for Surveyors (Must attend Tiers I, II & III to receive credit)** - 6 hours General
Instructors: Brent Jones and Donny Sosa
Track IV **History of Florida Surveying** – 2 hours General
Instructors: Mike Garcia and Tom Snow
10:30 am – 12:30 pm **Saturday Seminars Tier II** (*registration required*)
Track I **New Field Codes & Techniques in Civil 3D** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Brian Morse
Track II **The Surveyor's Role in Machine Control** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Scott Masciantoni
Track III **GIS for Surveyors (Must attend Tiers I, II & III to receive credit)** - 6 hours General
Instructors: Brent Jones and Donny Sosa
Track IV **Photogrammetry and the Mapping of the Space Shuttle** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Mike Kitaif
12:30 pm – 2:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm **Saturday Seminars Tier III** (*registration required*)
Track I **Understanding Land Descriptions, Surveys & Boundary Evidence** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Mike Whitting
Track II **3D Laser Scanning** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Frank Hahnel
Track III **GIS for Surveyors (Must attend Tiers I, II & III to receive credit)** - 6 hours General
Instructors: Brent Jones and Donny Sosa
Track IV **LEED for Surveyors** – 2 hours General
Instructor: Scott Ward
6:00 pm – 6:30 pm Reception – Cash Bar
6:30 pm Annual Installation Banquet (*ticket required*)

Sunday, August 29th

8:00 am Board of Directors Breakfast
8:30 am Board of Directors Meeting