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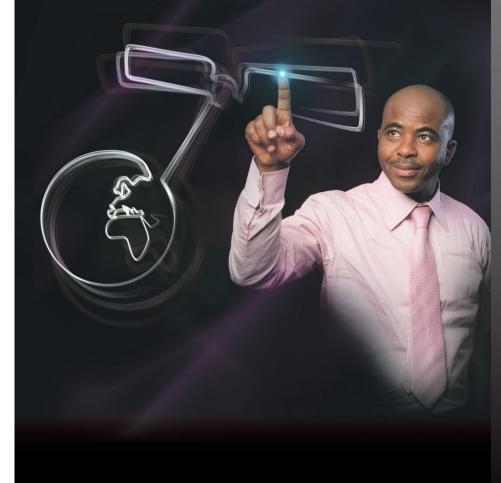


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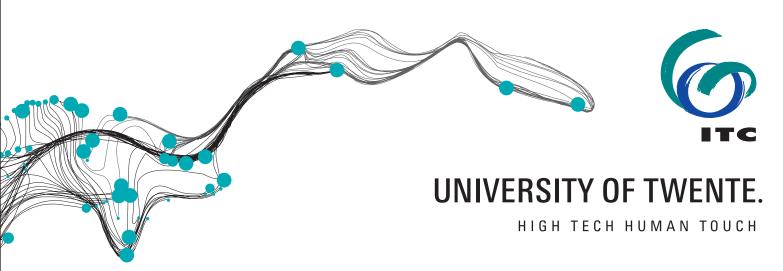
As Peter Fosudo has discovered, the faculty of Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (ITC) of the University of Twente in Enschede, the Netherlands, is one of the world's foremost education and research establishments in the field of geo-information science and earth observation. We offer a wide range of the world's best degree courses in the following fields:

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### Welcome

Dear delegates, colleagues and friends,

10 years have passed since the first GEOBIA in Salzburg, and since then the community has met in Calgary, Ghent, Rio de Janeiro and Thessaloniki. It is now our pleasure, on behalf of ITC/ the University of Twente, to welcome you to the 6th GEOBIA conference, themed (*Solutions & Synergies*).

As a research domain GEOBIA has undergone a tremendous development. What started out as a workshop of a relatively small group of researchers, has been drawing from the sustained enthusiasm of a growing community, resulting in a distinct sub-discipline of the Glsciences. At the same time object-based analysis approaches have become common in many fields, such as computer vision and machine learning. To connect more with colleagues from those domains, with this conference we focus on how the different fields that use GEOBIA can better learn from each other.

Given ITCs mandate of technological capacity development, especially in economically less developed countries, we also wanted to use the conference to address the limited operational use of GEOBIA solutions, in governments, industry, NGOs etc. For that reason we included a benchmarking effort aimed at stimulating the development of

optimized, generic and transferable methods for standard GEOBIA problems, and arranged a plenary discussion with experts from different regions, to identify challenges in operationalization.

We are now looking forward to 3 days of exciting and stimulating presentations and posters, insightful keynotes and discussions, after already having had several days of advanced software training and a colloquium for young researchers. We have also scheduled a range of social events we hope you will enjoy.

Many people contributed to the planning of this event, and we especially acknowledge the input of the local and the international scientific organization committees, the support by the ITC local organization committee, the volunteers, as well as the sponsors of this conference.

We wish you an interesting and memorable time in Enschede.

On behalf of the organizing committee,

Norman Kerle, Markus Gerke and Sébastien Lefèvre, chairs GEOBIA 2016



# **Program at Glance**

#### Day 01 Monday, 12 September 2016, ITC Building

13:30 - 17:00 PhD Colloquium

#### Day 02 Tuesday, 13 September 2016, ITC Building

09:00 - 17:00 Trimble eCognition Training

09:00 - 17:00 PhD Colloquium

17:30 - 19:00 | Icebreaker

#### Day 03 Wednesday, 14 September 2016, Waaier Building Campus UT

09:00 - 10:45 Opening and Keynote Ed Parsons (Waaier 2)

10:45 - 11:15 Coffee

11:15 - 13:00 Trimble Session (Waaier 2)

13:00 - 14:15 Lunch

14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Segmentation (Carre 2M)

14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Solutions & Operationalization (Carre 2K)

14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Vegetation (Carre 2L)

16:00 - 16:30 Coffee

16:30 - 18:00 Poster Session: Classification & Change Detection (Poster Area 1)

16:30 - 18:00 Poster Session: Segmentation (Poster Area 2)

16:30 - 18:00 Poster Session: Solutions & Operationalisation (Poster Area 3)

19:00 - 21:00 Reception (Design Lab)



#### Day 04 Thursday, 15 September 2016, Waaier Building Campus UT

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09:00 - 10:45 Keynotes Wolfgang Förstner and Lorenzo Bruzzone (Waaier 2) 10:45 - 11:15 Coffee
11:15 - 13:00 Technical Session: Classification (Carre 2M)
11:15 - 13:00 Technical Session: Machine Learning & Automation (Carre 2K) 11:15 - 13:00 Technical Session: Urban (Carre 2L)
13:00 - 14:15 Lunch
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Accuracy & Time Series (Carre 2M)
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Semantics (Carre 2K)
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: UAV Data & Point Clouds (Carre 2L)
16:00 - 16:30 Coffee
16:30 - 18:00 Poster Session: Novel OBIA applications (Poster Area 1)
16:30 - 18:00 Poster Session: UAV and Lidar Point Clouds (Poster Area 2)
16:30 - 18:00 Conference Dinner (Faculty Club)
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#### Day 05 Friday, 16 September 2016, Waaier Building Campus UT

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09:00 - 09:45 Keynote Giles Foody (Waaier 2)
09:45 - 10:45 Plenary session Solutions & Synergies (Waaier 2)
10:45 - 11:15 Coffee
11:15 - 13:00 Poster Session: Machine Learning & Automation (Poster Area 1)
11:15 - 13:00 Poster Session: Vegetation (Poster Area 2)
11:15 - 13:00 Poster Session: Water (Poster Area 3)
13:00 - 14:15 Lunch
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Machine Learning & Automation (Carre 2M)
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Multi-Scale Analysis (Carre 2K)
14:15 - 16:00 Technical Session: Vegetation (Carre 2L)
16:00 - 16:30 Coffee
16:30 - 18:00 Closing session (Waaier 2)
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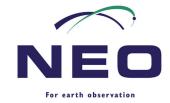
#### **Trimble eCognition – From Geospatial Data to Information**

The Trimble eCognition software suite is the original and most complete object-based image analysis package in the market. Trimble is happy to support the 6th GEOBIA conference as Gold sponsor, and the eCognition team is looking forward to demonstrate the latest eCognition features to improve, accelerate and automate the interpretation of geospatial data. By participating the conference and the pre-event training attendees will bring the latest OBIA techniques back to their organizations to solve even the most challenging image analysis tasks.

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# **Key Note Speakers**

#### Ed Parsons, Geospatial Technologist, Google

Wednesday, 14.9.2016, 9:30-10:30

Ed Parsons is the Geospatial Technologist of Google, with responsibility for evangelising Google's mission to organise the world's information using geography. In this role he maintains links with Universities, Research and Standards Organisations which are involved in the development of Geospatial Technology. He is currently cochair of the W3C/OGC Spatial Data on the Web Working Group.

Ed was the first Chief Technology Officer in the 200-year-old history of Ordnance Survey, and was instrumental in moving the focus of the organisation from mapping to Geographical Information. He came to the Ordnance Survey from Autodesk, where he was EMEA Applications Manager for the Geographical Information Systems (GIS) Division. He earned a Masters degree in Applied Remote Sensing from Cranfield Institute of Technology and holds a Honorary Doctorate in Science from Kingston University, London and is a fellow of the Royal Geographical Society.

The focus of his presentation will be the Terra Bella project (https://terrabella.google.com/).



### **Prof. Wolfgang Förstner**, University of Bonn (Germany)

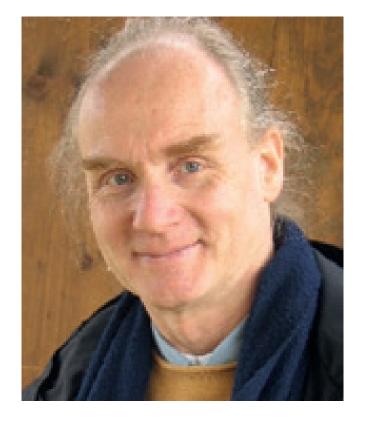
Thursday, 15.9.2016, 9:00-9:45

Wolfgang Förstner is Professor for Photogrammetry at the University of Bonn. His main research interests are statistical methods for image analysis, semantic modeling, and machine learning. He published around 200 scientific papers and supervised more than 30 PhD students. Wolfgang has been co-editor of the Zeitschrift für Photogrammetrie, Fernerkundung und Geoinformation (1990-1996) and associated editor of the IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (2006-2010). He chaired several ISPRS Working Groups and was President of the ISPRS Commission III (2004-2008). In 2016 he received the Brock Gold Medal Award for his outstanding contribution to the development in the fields of photogrammetry, remote sensing and spatial information sciences.

#### **On Semantic Segmentation for Image Interpretation**

Automatic interpretation of intensity or range images aims at deriving a rich semantic description of the scene

solving a user specified task. The gap between the gridded or irregular structure of the measured data and the user's semantic model is classically bridged by supervised classification applied to the original data or to adequately aggregated data. Segmentation has played a key role for finding such aggregates and often can be interpreted as unsupervised clustering in some feature space. In order to overcome the disadvantages this two-step strategy, where the classification has no influence onto the segmentation, the concept of semantic segmentation has been propagated, which is kind of supervised clustering. In the talk we will discuss the progress in semantic segmentation and discuss its role for the interpretation of complex images.



# **Key Note Speakers**

### **Prof. Lorenzo Bruzzone**, University of Trento (Italy),

Thursday, 15.9.2016, 9:45-10:30

Lorenzo Bruzzone received the Laurea (M.S.) degree in electronic engineering (summa cum laude) and the Ph.D. degree in telecommunications from the University of Genoa, Italy, in 1993 and 1998, respectively. He is currently a Full Professor of telecommunications at the University of Trento, Italy, where he teaches remote sensing, radar, pattern recognition, and electrical communications.

Dr. Bruzzone is the founder and the director of the Remote Sensing Laboratory in the Department of Information Engineering and Computer Science, University of Trento. His current research interests are in the areas of remote sensing, radar and SAR, signal processing, and pattern recognition. He promotes and supervises research on these topics within the frameworks of many national and international projects. He is the author (or coauthor) of 161 papers in referred international journals (111 in IEEE journals), more than 220 papers in

He is editor/co-editor of 16 books/conference proceedings.

conference proceedings, and 17 book chapters.

His keynote presentation is entitled "Current scenario and challenges in classification of remote sensing images"



### **Prof. Giles Foody,**University of Nottingham (UK)

Friday, 16.9.2016, 9:00-9:45

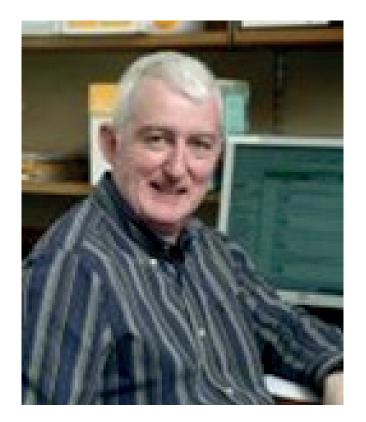
Giles M. Foody is Professor of Geographical Information Science at the University of Nottingham, UK. His main research interests focus on the interface between remote sensing, ecology, and informatics. Giles is founding editor-in-chief of Remote Sensing Letters and co-editor-in-chief of the International Journal of Remote Sensing, as well as a member of the editorial board of several other journals such as Remote Sensing of Environment, Landscape Ecology and Ecological Informatics. Topics of particular interest relate to image classification for land cover mapping and monitoring applications, addressing issues at scales ranging from the sub-pixel to global.

#### Observations on accuracy assessments of object-based image classifications

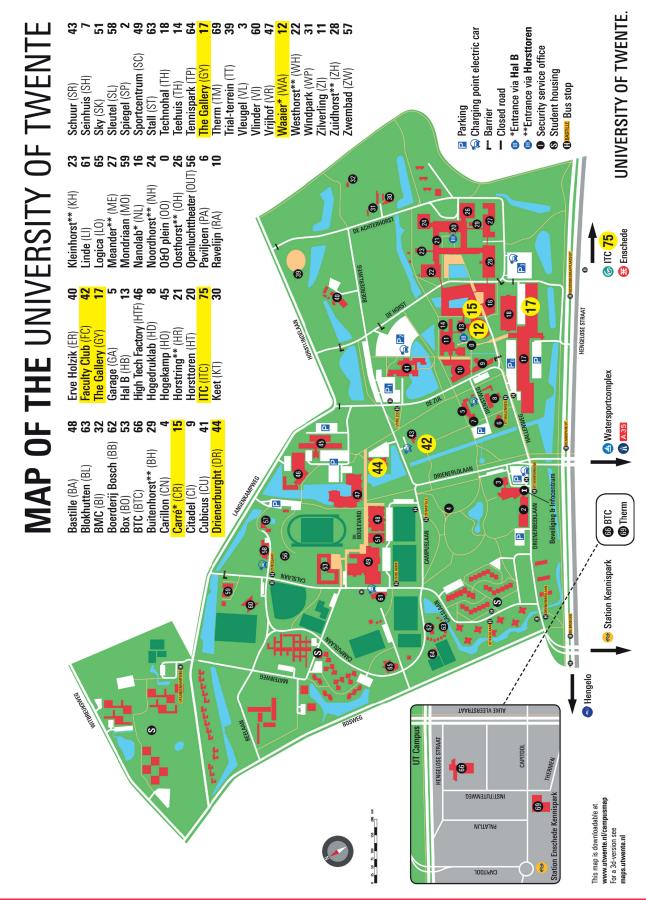
This presentation will focus on the assessment of the accuracy of object-based image classifications.

It will begin with an overview of the need for accuracy assessment. This will be followed by a summary of good practices for accuracy assessment, with particular regard to the three main stages encountered in traditional design-based assessments of accuracy: response design, sampling design and accuracy assessment.

Using an example from each stage some key issues in accuracy assessment of object-based classifications will be highlighted. The presentation will show that assessments of the accuracy of object-based classifications are often flawed but hopefully illustrate how they could be enhanced.



# **Location Map**



Destination



**Building number** 

# Route to the campus / University of Twente? BY CAR

From the A1 motorway, take the A35 motorway in the direction of Enschede Take exit 26: Enschede - West / Universiteit

BY TRAIN / BUS

Follow the signs 'Universiteit'

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Route to faculty ITC (3)

After 3 km, you will find the ITC building at your right-hand side After the roundabout, turn right (follow 'Centrum') Follow the route to the University

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### **General information**

#### **Registration desk**

The registration desk is located near the central reception of the Waaier building, and will open daily at 8:00. Those who have not yet paid the registration fee can do so (in cash Euro). Alternatively, credit card-based payments can still be done via the University of Twente InternetKassa. Those joining a social excursion on Saturday, 17 September, can also pay at the registration desk.

#### Conference secretariat

The conference secretariat is located in Carré room 2N, near the parallel session rooms. It will also open daily at 8:00. Here speakers can upload their presentations to a central server, and presentations can then be accessed later in the parallel session rooms.

#### Information on bus schedules

There are a number of bus lines that connect the University campus

From Enschede railway station take either bus 1 to Kennispark/UT, or bus 8 or 9 to Hengelo, which stops on the main road close to the main entrance to the campus (see map)

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For all public transport schedules, see http://9292.nl/en

#### **Emergency contact information**

If you need assistance or have an emergency, best refer to the main Waaier reception desk.

#### **Internet access information**

Participants with an Eduroam account have internet access throughout campus. Those without can obtain login credentials at the reservation desk.

#### **Printing facilities**

There is a print shop in the Carré building (near the parallel session rooms) where prints of any kind (including posters) can be arranged.

#### **Information for oral presentations**

Speakers need to upload presentations in the conference secretariat as early as possible.

Reminder: presentations will be videotaped and later on placed on the website –speakers that do not agree with this need to inform the organizers.

#### **Information for poster presentations**

Poster boards are of A0 format (119 cm x 84 cm). Posters should be put up between 8:00 and 9:00, and taken down after 18:00 on the day the poster is scheduled. Posters submitted for printing can be picked up at the registration desk (the printing fee of 20 Euro per poster should be paid in cash at the registration desk).

### Information about the reception by Enschede Municipality

The reception is co-hosted by Enschede Municipality, and will take place on Wednesday, 14 September, at 19:00, in the DesignLab (refer to map).

# Information about the conference dinner (Thursday, 15 September, 19:30 Faculty Club, refer to map)

The conference dinner is included in the registration cost (for registered conference participants). It will take place on Thursday, 15 September, at 19:30, in the Faculty Club on campus (refer to map).

#### **Social excursion**

Please note that due to the low number of interested people the excursions may need to be cancelled. At press time we are still exploring options to have a sign-up sheet for still interested delegates at the registration desk.

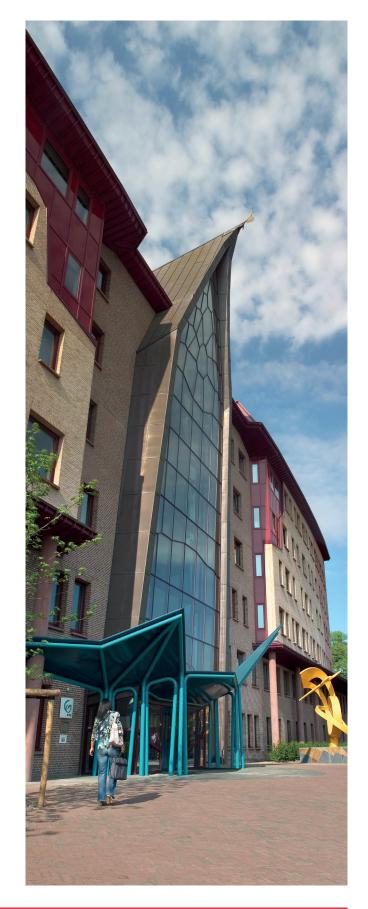
#### **Trip to Amsterdam**

- Departure from University of Twente campus at 8:00 (departure location to be announced later)
- Arrival back in Enschede at around 22:00

#### **Trip to Muenster**

- Departure from campus at 8:00
- Arrival back in Enschede at around 18:00

For more details about the trips and visit itinerary see the Geobia website.



# **Detailed Program**

#### Wednesday, 14 September 2016

9:00 - 10:45

Opening and Keynote Ed Parsons

Location: Waaier 2

11:15 - 13:00

**Trimble Session** 

Location: Waaier 2

14:15 - 16:00

Seg: Segmentation Location: Carre 2M Chair: Jagannath Aryal

#### InterSeg: A Distributed Image Segmentation Tool

Happ, Patrick Nigri; Ferreira, Rodrigo da Silva; Costa, Gilson Alexandre Ostwald Pedro da; Feitosa, Raul Queiroz; Bentes, Cristiana; Farias, Ricardo; Achanccaray, Pedro...

#### Segmentation Optimization In Object-Based Image Analysis Through Recognizing Patterns Between PSE-NSR-ED2 Discrepancy Measure And Scale Parameter

Liu, Yong; Zhang, Yindan; Huang, Zhe; Wang, Miaomiao; Yang, Dong; Ma, Hongmei; Zhang, Yongxu; Li, Yanfu; Li, Hongwei; Hu, Xiaogang

Automated Segmentation Parameter Selection And Classification Of Urban Scenes Using Open-Source Software Böck, Sebastian; Immitzer, Markus; Atzberger, Clement

Adaptive Morphological Segmentation - Concepts and Python Implementations

Herold, Hendrik; Meinel, Gotthard

Getting The Act Together:
Segmentation-Based Land Cover
Classification Using RapidEye
Imagery And Open Street Map
Ancillary Data
Valozic, Luka

**Sol: Solutions & Operationalization** 

**Location: Carre 2K** 

Chair: Cláudia Maria Almeida

### Agent Based Image Analysis (ABIA) – preliminary research results from an implemented framework

Peter Hofmann, Vera Andrejchenko, Paul Lettmayer, Manuel Schmitzberger, Michael Gruber, Izzet Ozan, Mariana Belgiu, Thomas Josef Lampoltshammer, Roland Graf, Stefan Wegenkittl, Thomas Blaschke

#### Enabling Reproducible OBIA with Open-Source Software in Docker Containers

Knoth, Christian; Nüst, Daniel

#### **Massive Dataset Processing**

O'Neil-Dunne, Jarlath; MacFaden, Sean; Ahles, Noah

# DLM-Update - Integration of earth observation technologies in IT structures of the national mapping authorities in an use case: Update of the ATKIS®-DLM of the State Bureau of Surveying and Geoinformation Schleswig-Holstein

Völker, Andreas; Gerschwitz, Andreas; Bicsan, Alexandra; Fischer, Michael; Klink, Adrian; Lucas, Christian; Müller, Sönke; Müterthies, Andreas; Schmidt, Carsten; Stock...

#### An Object-Based Image Interpretation Application on Cloud Computing Infrastructure

Antunes, Rodrigo R; Happ, Patrick N; Bias, Edilson S; Brites, Ricardo S; Costa, Gilson A O P; Feitosa, Raul Q

Veg-1: Vegetation I Location: Carre 2L Chair: Ioannis Gitas

Comparison of Individual Tree Delineation Using High Resolution Multispectral Image and Lidar Data

Xiao, Pengfeng; Kelly, Maggi; Guo, Qinghua; Ma, Qin

#### Three-year assessment of the spacetime dynamics of burned forest in the Brazilian Amazon, state of Mato Grosso

Souza, Eliana de; Beuchle, René; Grecchi, Rosana Cristina; Achard, Frédéric

Object-based burnt areas detection method based on Landsat images – step forward automatic global high resolution mapping

Aleksandrowicz, Sebastian; Woniak, Edyta

Agricultural Cropland Mapping Using Conventional Black-and-white Aerial Photography, Object-Based Image Analysis And Random Forests Vogels, M.F.A.; de Jong, S.M.; Sterk, G.; Addink, E.A.

Mapping Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Removals From The Land Use, Land Use Change, and Forestry Sector at the Local Level Mitri, George; Karam, Jessica

#### 16:30 - 18:00

Poster-1-Class: Poster Session I
Classification & change detection
Location: Poster Area 1

#### Quantifying Land Cover Change using an automated object-based workflow for the analysis of rainfall-induced shallow landslides

Kamps, Martijn; Zieher, Thomas; Seijmonsbergen, Arie Christoffel; Rutzinger, Martin

#### Susceptibility Mapping of Linear Erosion Processes Using Object-Based Analysis of VHR Images

Passo, Denilson P; Bias, Edilson S; Brites, Ricardo S; Costa, Gilson A O P; Antunes, Rodrigo R

#### Object-Based VHSR Image Classification Using Multiband Compact Texture Unit Descriptor

Djerriri, Khelifa; Safia, Abdelmounaime; Cheriguene, Rabia Sarah; Rahli, Hamida Samiha; Karoui, Moussa Sofiane

#### Aplication of object-based Accuracy Assessment for Land Cover Classification using RapidEye Images in the Southeastern Brazil

Prado, Daniel Fernando Costa; Carvalho, Luis Marcelo Tavares de Carvalho

#### Pairing Semantics and Object-based Image Analysis for National Terrain Mapping - A First-Case Scenario of Cirques Arundel, Samantha

#### Landcover extraction using Landsat time series 1972-2014: application to the Syr-Daria Region (Uzbekhistan) Akmalov, Shamshodbek; Masson, Eric; Blanpain, Olivier

Object-oriented Land cover mapping in national geographical conditions census Zhai, Liang; Sang, Huiyong; Qiao, Qinghua

#### Land Use/Cover Mapping By Hierarchical Object-Oriented Classification Of Hyperspectral And LiDAR Data fusion

Kiani, Kamel; Mojaradi, Barat; Esmaeily, Ali; Etesami, Nazanin

# Multivariate Analysis in the selection of descriptors for classification oriented to geographic object

Antunes, Dinameres Aparecida; Ribeiro, Selma Regina Aranha

#### Characterization of the Land-cover and Land-use by Shape Descritors in two areas in Ponta Grossa, PR, BR Aranha Ribeiro, Selma Regina; Hamulak, Thays Marcela

Land Cover And Land Use Characterization With Geobia In The Pitangui River Basin Area, Paraná-Brazil Prichoa, Carla Eva; Aranha Ribeiro, Selma Regina; Holgado, Pedro Molina

ArchaeOBIA: a quantitative image analysis of Palaeolithic artifacts Masson, Eric; Lamotte, Agnès

### Poster-1-Seg: Poster Session I Segmentation

**Location: Poster Area 2** 

#### Prediction of Optimal Segmentation Scale on a Per-Class Basis Using Combined Thematic and Spatial Metrics

Melville, Bethany; Lucieer, Arko; Aryal, Jagannath

#### Assessing Edge And Area Metrics For Image Segmentation Parameter Tuning And Evaluation

Meyer, Helgard; Van Niekerk, Adriaan

#### First experiments using the Image Foresting Transform (IFT) algorithm for segmentation of remote sensing imagery Soares, Anderson Reis; Körting, Thales Sehn; Fonseca, Leila Maria Garcia

# Multispectral Image Segmentation Based On Cartesian Complexes And Their Associated Oriented Matroids Valero Medina Losé Antonio: Lizarazo

Valero Medina, José Antonio; Lizarazo, Iván; Arbeláez, Pablo

#### Identifying Suitable Segmentation Parameters For An Object-based Image Classification

Atzberger, Clement; Immitzer, Markus; Böck, Sebastian; Schultz, Bruno; Vuolo, Francesco

#### Object-Based Image Analysis based on A Region-Line Primitive Association Framework

Wang, Min; Wang, Jie

Superpixels: The End of Pixels in OBIA. A Comparison of State-of-theart Superpixel Methods for Remote Sensing Data Csillik, Ovidiu

### Poster-1-Sol: Poster Session I Solutions & operationalisation

**Location: Poster Area 3** 

# Integration of Open-Source Tools for Object-Based Monitoring of Urban Targets Antunes, Rodrigo R; Bias, Edilson S; Brites, Ricardo S; Costa, Gilson A O P

# Supported mapping with multi sensor images through strategy focused on customization and integration of generalized classes by GEOBIA

Carla Bernadete Madureira Cruz, Paula Maria Moura de Almeida, Rafael Silva de Barros1, Raúl Sánchez Vicens, Elizabeth Maria Feitosa da Rocha de Souza, Elisa Araújo Penna Caris, Manoel do Couto Fernandes1, Paulo Márcio Leal de Menezes

#### An Object-Based Knowledge Model for a Distributed Image Interpretation Platform

Costa, Gilson A O P; Hofmann, Peter; Happ, Patrick N; Feitosa, Raul Q

#### How To Effectively Obtain Metadata From Remote Sensing Big Data?

Körting, Thales Sehn; Namikawa, Laercio; Fonseca, Leila; Felgueiras, Carlos

# RSOBIA - A new OBIA Toolbar and Toolbox in ArcMap 10.x for Segmentation and Classification. Le Bas, Tim

#### 19:00 - 20:30

#### Reception

Location: Campus - Design Lab

# **Detailed Program**

#### **Thursday 15 September 2016**

9:00 - 10:45

Keynotes Wolfgang Förstner and Lorenzo Bruzzone

Location: Waaier 2

11:15 - 13:00

Class: Classification Location: Carre 2M

**Chair: Martin Weinmann** 

Dynamic Objects: Unravelling Vegetation Patterns In A Highly Dynamic Fluvial Environment

Addink, Elisabeth A; Douma, Harke; Duindam, Yaël T; Kleinhans, Maarten G

Using Pure and Mixed Objects in the Training of Object-Based Image Classifications

Costa, Hugo; Foody, Giles; Boyd, Doreen

From Classification Results To Topographic Maps

Höhle, Joachim

Object-based Integrated Landscape Change Analysis: synergy of multitemporal LiDAR and very high resolution orthophotos

Kamps, Martijn; Seijmonsbergen, Arie Christoffel; Bouten, Willem

National Fuel Type Mapping methodology using Geographic Object

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