

National mapping – shaping the future

Welcome to 2003 and our Newsletter No 2.

'Looking forward to 2003 and beyond' is the main objective of this conference – be part of 'shaping the future'.

Background

The previous conferences have been well attended, valued by the participants and, uniquely for this type of conference, the discussions were recorded.

There are many unique features to the Cambridge Conference that you may have overlooked. This is your opportunity to:

- meet those who influence not only their own organisations but also policy makers within governments;
- be part of shaping the future of geographical information;
- take the time allowed in the programme for informal discussions;
- enjoy the unique historic setting of St John's College – accommodation, lecture theatre, discussion rooms and dining halls are all on the same campus; and
- network with delegates from all over the world.

Register today!

For further information about the conference, or for details on how to register, please visit the conference web site at: www.cambridgeconference2003.com

Papers

No conference can exist without papers. We are now calling for abstracts, which should be returned to us by 28 February. It is **your** conference – if you have something to help us shape our future then tell us – write an abstract and send it to Clare Hadley at: chadley@ordsvy.gov.uk

Abstracts should be written in English in the following form:

Name; affiliation; country; 300 words (or thereabouts).

If there is insufficient room for all abstracts to lead to presented papers, selected abstracts will be developed into short papers and published on our web site as an e-poster session.

Exhibition

Finally, we would like to invite the GI industry to exhibit at the conference exhibition. Take this opportunity to develop business relationships and meet friends, old and new.

For more details on exhibiting at the conference, please contact Ian Nicolls at:

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Conference Team

The 2003 conference will be chaired by Vanessa Lawrence, the Director General and Chief Executive of Ordnance Survey.

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