

Vendor Invitation

10th Annual Fall Conference - GITA Pacific Northwest Chapter
October 5th and 6th, 2009
[Salishan Spa and Golf Resort](#)

The Pacific Northwest Chapter GITA Board of Directors welcomes you to exhibit in our annual two-day Fall conference. You can help us make it a success.

“Infrastructure Renewal - Secure and Manage Your Assets; Are You Ready for the Next Emergency?”

The Pacific Northwest has had its share of emergencies in the last 3 years. Starting with the 2007 winter storm that left a majority of the electric customers without power for over a week, to the flooding of 2009, disasters are a reality and we need to be prepared. From outage restoration, SmartGrid, transportation and emergency response, the challenges are huge and ready for technology innovation. Collaborate with us at Salishan.

Following in the theme of our national program, we will focus attention on the following categories:

Smart Grid	Conversion / data capture / sharing
CIP	Field and workforce automation
Mobile Computing	Enterprise data management
Distribution automation / SCADA	Engineering work order design
Data maintenance	LiDAR / GPS / inspection
Right of way management	Work management, CIS integration
Engineering analysis	Digital ortho/remote sensing
Exec info/support system access	Asset management

As vendors, you are an important component of making these conferences a true value proposition for our attendees. We would like for you to bring technology and consulting expertise to the meeting and to network with the conference attendees. You will have an opportunity to formally present your solution offering at the conference. After each paper, there will be a 10 minute vendor slot; your time to shine in front of the conference delegation.

We are anticipating 70-80 attendees and participation of 12 vendors.

We have room for about 12 vendors. First come, first served. We ask that you use the 8 ft draped tables as a display area and not bring complete booths, as we are limited on space. We have strategically placed the vendor tables in the common areas used for circulation and refreshment breaks. Since we want to provide an intimate collaborative environment, we will introduce the vendors at the conference and provide you an opportunity to address the group on the value your company provides to the industry.

Network and meet with representatives from (prospectively): *BC Hydro, BPA, PSE, PGE, Seattle City Light, City of Redmond, Tellus, PacifiCorp, City of Portland, Terasen Gas, City of Westminster, Franklin PUD, Franklin County, City of Vancouver, City of Kennewick, BC IT, PSU, WSU and many more.*

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Vendor Cost:

Display rights for 2 days **\$ 300.00 USD**

A list of all the sponsoring vendors will be displayed at the beverage table. In addition, vendors may volunteer a door prize to be given away on Tuesday during the final lunch. In addition to the display cost, we request the vendors register for the conference as well. Please indicate how many attendees from your firm will attend below.

Conference registration: \$ 129.00 USD * for GITA members and vendors, per person

This rate does not include lodging; lodging is available from \$ 99.00 up. Contact:
[Salishan Spa and Golf Resort](#) with registration code: **GITA**

To register as a vendor please fax or e-mail the registration information to Dwaine Froment at the address below:

Dwaine Froment
1130 West Pender St., Suite 610
Vancouver BC, Canada V6E 4A4
Phone: (604) 682-4652
Fax: (604) 682-5692

E-mail: dfroment@esricanada.com

Vendor Exhibit

Name:	Credit Card #:
Company Name:	Expiration:
Phone:	Type: Please Circle AMEX VISA MC
E-mail:	
Vendor Fee	\$ 300.00 US
Conference Registration – Attendee 1	\$ 129.00 US
Conference Registration – Attendee 2	\$ 129.00 US
Total	\$

Thank you in advance for your interest and participation. Please contact me if you have any questions.



Volker Elste, Program Chair, (206) 979-9067

Shipping instructions:

All brokerage and shipping costs will be the responsibility of the vendor.

Label all shipments to the Hotel as follows:

7760 Highway 101 North, Gleneden Beach, Oregon 97388
Phone: 541.764.2371, 800.452.2300; Fax: 541.764.3681

Attention: **Conference Services Manager or Hotel Guest Name**
Program: **2009 PNW GITA Chapter Annual Conference**
Program Date: **October 5th and 6th, 2009** Account Reference: **GITA**