## **Great Plains R Users Group 2015 Conference Agenda**

## **Thursday Evening**

6:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Conference registration (SDSU Student Union Campanile Room)
6:30 PM - 7:00 PM	Kick-off dinner and welcome (Student Union Campanile Room)
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Keynote Speaker: Lisa Bramer (Tessera): Discussing data storage/division
	using the R package datadr
8:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Poster Session, Tour of new EMA Building

## Friday (all Friday presentations will be held in SDSU Student Union- 2<sup>nd</sup> level)

8:00 AM	- 8:30 AM	Breakfast & Friday-only Conference registration (Student Union Walder Room 269)
8:30 AM	- 9:30 AM*	Invited Speaker: Carson Sievert (Iowa State University): Web Scraping in R
9:30 AM	- 10:30 AM	Austin O'Brien (SDSU): Computational Complexity of Eigenvector
		Decompositions for Anomaly Detection.
9:30 AM	- 10:00 AM	Doug Armstrong (SDSU): Intro to Parallel Computing Using R
10:00 AM	- 10:30 AM	Chad Birger (Sanford Health): TBA
10:30 AM	- 11:00 AM	Thomas Brandenburger (SDSU): Creating Automated Reports in R
10:30 AM	- 11:00 AM	Gary Hatfield (SDSU): An Evaluation of Methods for Interaction between
		Excel and R-From Excel and Back
11:30 AM	- 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	- 2:00 PM	Keynote Speaker: Lisa Bramer (Tessera): Visualization and exploratory data analysis using the R package Trelliscope.
2:00 PM	- 3:00 PM	Jessica Derby (SDSU): Negative Binomial Regression Modeling with
		Overdispersed Trouble Ticket Count Data from the Software Development
		Lifecycle.
2:00 PM	- 3:00 PM	Toby Flint (SDSU): Introduction to ggplot2
3:00 PM	- 4:00 PM	Thomas Brandenburger (SDSU): Introduction to Dynamic Dashboards with
		Shiny and RStudio.
3:00 PM	- 4:00 PM	Jixiang Wu (SDSU): Using Parallel Computing to Reduce Computational Time
4:00 PM	- 4:30 PM	Concluding Remarks and Conference Wrap up.
5:00 PM	- 7:00 PM	Informal Social Hour: Downtown Brookings.

<sup>\*</sup>Note that all 1 hour talk times include 50 minute talks with a 10 minute break at the end. Half hour talk times include a 25 minute talk with a 5 minute break at the end.





