Web Mapping with CartoDB



Alison Blaine - Jennifer Garrett



Data Visualization Services

lib.ncsu.edu/do/visualization



FIND

GET HELP

SERVICES

LIBRARIES

ABOUT

Search books, articles, journals, website

ASK US | MY ACCOUNT | HOURS | FAQ | LOG OUT | CHAT NOW 🗫

NEED HELP?

> Ask a question or request a consultation





Alison Blaine

Visualization

A good data visualization can expose new patterns and relationships in your data and help you communicate about it more clearly. We can help you:

- > use visualization spaces and technologies
- > use GIS and online mapping software
- > learn how to create more effective data visualizations
- > visualize research impact

Visualization Spaces

The Libraries provides spaces and technologies for highresolution, immersive, 3D, and interactive displays of research data. We provide boilerplate facilities descriptions for inclusion in grant proposals. Contact us for more information and assistance.

WORKSHOPS

JAN

Getting Started with Data Visualization: Tools for Research!

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

JAN

Creative Coding Group 12:15 PM to 1:15 PM

15

Visualize Your Data with Tableau

3:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Data Cleaning and Analysis Tips and Tools:

Excel and Open Refine 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

View all workshops >

CartoDB Use Cases

- Make a map for a website, large-scale display or mobile application (responsive)
- Make a static image of a map to include in a report
- Make an interactive map that supports investigation, drilling-down/filtering data
- Make a map with little to no experience.

Developer features



Carto DB. is

Our JavaScript library is the main tool to extend your existing visualizations or create new ones from within your website.

Learn More



Maps API

Create maps based on your data and display them on Leaflet/Google Maps or any other client. Or use the Static Maps to generate images.

Learn More



Data API

Perform queries and retrieve your data, in addition to account authentication - you can write, update, delete, and import data programmatically.

Learn More



Import API

Asynchronously upload files and import data to your CartoDB account through the command line or any language of your choice.

Learn More

Strengths and weaknesses

- Does not support robust features like raster calculation that you would find in ArcGIS
- Does not allow you to make your maps or data private unless you upgrade.
- Allows you to write SQL statements and customize the map with CSS
- Interfaces with QGIS and ArcGIS

Today's workshop materials

go.ncsu.edu/cartodb