

Introduction and GIS review

Syllabus

- Available on Learning Studio, let's take a look...

Semester project

- Your chance to show the world what you can do with GIS!
- You will use GIS to independently address a research topic of your choice (in consultation with me)
- This is a **semester** project, not a **final project** - meaning you can't put it off until the last minute!

Semester project: key dates

- January 23 (next week!): A one-paragraph description of your proposed project
- Mid-March: Submission deadline for AddRan Festival of Undergraduate Research
- Mid-April: AddRan Festival of Undergraduate Research
- April 24: Posters due
- April 27, 29: Poster presentations
- May 4: Final report due

Project proposal

- Short (~250 words) description of your proposed research project
- Should be on a topic of keen interest to you, or relevant to something you'd like to pursue after graduation
- Short meetings with me the week of January 26
- Tutorial points for Week 2

Poster presentation

- We'll be holding two poster "sessions" during class time on April 27 and 29
- Examples: Stephen Lopez and Morgan Klaas

Final report

- ~8 page report that presents the results of your research project
- Should include an introduction, literature review, methodology section, results section, and conclusion, as well as maps!

AddRan Festival

- Submission deadline usually in mid-March; festival to take place in mid-April

GIS review

- Let's see what you remember! Complete the review quiz on Learning Studio for this week's tutorial points.