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# TNGIC EAST TENNESSEE REGIONAL GIS FORUM MAP GALLERY

**Thursday, September 13th 2018  
At the Eastman Lodge**

One winner will be selected from the following categories:

## *BEST CARTOGRAPHIC DESIGN*

Awarded to the physical map that artistically employs the elements of cartography without compromising use and functionality. Maps will be judged on color selection, label placement and priority, overall aesthetic appearance, etc.

## *BEST DATA INTEGRATION*

Awarded to the physical map that best incorporates data of different formats and/or creative collection/extraction methods. More than just overlay analysis, this award is for creating and combining layers that compliment each other in the map.

## *MOST UNIQUE*

Awarded to the physical map that best demonstrates the most original means to convey a cartographic concept using a map. Maps will be judged on unconventional and innovative ways of presenting the subject, uniqueness of presentation techniques, uniqueness of subject matter, and extraordinary or eye-catching impact that makes the map stand out from others.

## *VIEWER'S CHOICE*

Award voted on by the attendees for the best overall physical map (web maps not included in Viewer's Choice).

## *BEST WEB MAP*

Awarded to the web map that demonstrates the best use of a web map to convey a message or story in a dynamic, and user friendly fashion. A maximum of eight entries can be accepted (first come, first serve). Web map entries must be publically accessible (not password protected) via internet from a hyperlink. At least some of the map data being presented within the web map must have been collected, created, or digitized by the entrant (For example: not merely a collection of publically available datasets). The map must be accessible through a standard internet browser (such as Firefox or Internet Explorer) without the need to install additional software. Maps will be judged on their appearance, concept, content, and ease of use.

## *BEST STUDENT PRESENTATION*

Awarded to the best overall student project (Please note which School, Class and Instructor/Professor this map was designed for or Current School being attended and projected graduation year).

## *RULES & REGULATIONS*

Walk-In Maps that were not submitted prior to the deadline of the conference **WILL ONLY BE JUDGED FOR THE VIEWER'S CHOICE category.**

**Each entry must be a map.** This is not a poster gallery.

Maps presenter will **need to provide** an easel and all materials necessary to display the map. Failure to do so will remove the candidates map from all but the Viewer's Choice category.

Map sizes should not be larger than 36 X 60 in.

Maps are to be checked in at the conference registration table.

Award winners will be announced at the end of the conference.

Map Prizes to be determined.

Each entry must have a PDF copy of the map submitted to the coordinator(s) no later than 9/7/2018 no larger than 10 MB in size. Failure to submit the PDF copy **WILL** result in inclusion in only the Viewer's Choice Category.

If you have any additional questions please contact the Map Gallery Coordinator -

Mark Crow, PLS, GISP (423-930-6097)

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**At the Eastman Chemical Company**  
**Bays Mountain Lodge**

Map Gallery Application  
**Deadline: 9/06/2018**

Submit applications to Map Gallery Coordinator –  
Mark Crow, PLS, GISP – [mcrow@smeinc.com](mailto:mcrow@smeinc.com)

**Contact Information:**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Multiple Participants:**

Participant(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Organization(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**Map Information:**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
\* Must have title (100 character maximum length).

**Description:**

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\* Please be aware that if you cut and paste text from a word processing software, scientific symbols and special formatting characters such as bullets, will most likely not transfer correctly. Spell out character names or use spacing whenever possible. Please limit your description to 250 words or less