May GIS and GPS Workshops in Charlestown & Unity, NH

Pictures, Points and Places
May 1, 2007 - 9am to 4pm
Charlestown, NH
(1-day workshop)

- Topics covered:
  - basic GPS
  - basic GIS
  - digital photos

Skill level: The Basics
Learn how to link digital pictures with corresponding GPS points for use in GIS maps! This course is designed to be useful for people with no prior GIS experience, as well as, current GIS users interested in collecting georeferenced digital pictures. Hyperlinking pictures with GPS points will allow pictures to be viewed interactively in GIS programs. Basic GIS concepts will be covered, including obtaining NH GIS data and creating GIS maps. A free GIS program (AccuGlobe) is utilized for most of the GIS exercises, but instruction is provided for linking pictures in ESRI software.

Participants will learn to:
- collect data with Garmin GPS receivers; export GPS data to GIS shapefiles; link GPS points to corresponding digital pictures; map GIS and GPS data with AccuGlobe

Cost: $90

ArcGIS Driver’s Permit
May 4, 2007 - 9am to 4pm
Charlestown, NH
(1-day workshop)

- Topics covered:
  - GIS concepts
  - Exploring GIS maps
  - ArcGIS 9.1

Skill level: The Basics
Learn GIS basics and how to use ArcGIS 9 in a hands-on learning environment! This course is useful for people who have no prior GIS experience, but would like to become familiar with GIS concepts and basic techniques. The central goal of this workshop is to provide participants with the skills to manipulate GIS maps to answer commonly asked issues in community planning. Activities focus on the use of ArcGIS 9 to get information from GIS data layers, answer basic geospatial questions and manipulate attribute data. Each participant receives their own detailed step-by-step manual to use as a reference after the course is over.

Participants will learn to:
- query data; create buffers, use basic geoprocessing tools, manipulate attribute tables: add fields, calculate values; symbolize GIS data; import data into ArcGIS 9

Cost: $90

Introduction to ArcGIS 9.1
May 23-25, 2007 - 9am to 4pm
Unity, NH
(3-day workshop)

- Topics covered:
  - GIS concepts
  - GIS techniques
  - ArcGIS 9.1

Skill level: Fundamentals
Learn how to work with ArcGIS 9 in a hands-on learning environment! This course is useful for people who have no prior GIS experience, as well as those who have used ArcView 3, but are new to ArcGIS 9. Familiarity with Windows is highly recommended. With a focus on New Hampshire data and applications, participants learn how to use ArcGIS 9 to produce attractive, effective maps. In addition, each participant receives their own detailed step-by-step manual to use as a reference after the course is over.

Participants will learn to:
- symbolize GIS data; add labels and annotation; query data; use geoprocessing tools: merge, buffer, dissolve; manipulate attribute tables by adding fields, calculating values, and joining tables; import data into ArcGIS 9, design maps using layouts

Cost: reduced $275; standard $450

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Full payment is required to reserve a space.

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