

CaGIS Conference 2026 Sponsorship Prospectus

It is our great pleasure to invite you to the 2026 CaGIS Conference with a theme of *The Cartographer in the Loop: Balancing Technological Innovation with Human Expertise*. This year, our conference will be in St. Louis, Missouri September 8-11. Two days of invited speakers will present original research, one day will be devoted to technical workshops, and one day will provide registrants with the opportunity to attend the Geo-Resolution summit. Geo-Resolution brings together academic, government, and industry geospatial professionals for a one-day event chaired by the St. Louis University and the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency. These events offer an excellent opportunity to connect with hundreds of leaders, influencers, and students representing government, academia, and industry from the United States and abroad.

Sponsorship provides a cost-effective presence to enhance your organization's visibility and make a positive impression at the 2026 CaGIS Conference. The CaGIS organization welcomes your support and will work with you to customize a package to best suit your goals and budget or you can select one of the packages listed in the table below. Sponsorship packages grant your organization complimentary registrations or the opportunity to help students attend the conference by helping with travel expenses, plus branding and recognition at the event.

Each sponsorship level includes appropriate recognition throughout the conference:

- On the CaGIS organization and conference websites
- On signage at the conference
- On projector screens

Multiple levels of sponsorship also include an opportunity to set up a table in a common area to promote your organization. This option is available for both academic and non-academic sponsors.

CaGIS Conference sponsors will this year have the additional benefit of member rates for all organizational attendees beyond the complimentary full registrations included in the chosen level of sponsorship. Attendees will pay less when representing your organization at CaGIS 2026.

Also new this year for organizational and academic sponsors, CaGIS is offering discounted individual membership for one year to the CaGIS organization for attendees. This enables those attendees to enjoy the benefits of membership - including journal access, International Cartographic Association affiliation, newsletters and announcements, [and more](#) - at a discounted rate.

If you would like to be a sponsor, just contact either Kari Craun or me (information below) and let us know how you want to support the CaGIS Conference 2026.

SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION CONTACTS

Kari Craun (CaGIS Executive Director and conference co-chair) cagisexecdir@gmail.com

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Non-Academic Institutions and Organizations

	Platinum	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Contributor
Investment	\$5,000	\$3,000	\$1,500	\$500	\$250
Complimentary Full Registrations	6	4	2	1	---
Discounted Membership to CaGIS for One Year	6	4	2	1	---
Program Promotion Opportunities	Table in common area for promotion of company Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage	Table in common area for promotion of company Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage	Table in common area for promotion of company Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage	Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage	Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage
Exclusive signage of sponsorship	At the reception on Tuesday, Sept 8	At one breakfast or lunch	At one break	At one break (potentially not exclusive)	---
Logo size	Largest	Large	Medium	Small	Small
Social media links	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Attendees from all sponsoring organizations receive member rates for registration					

Academic Institutions

	Platinum	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Investment	\$3,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500
Complimentary Full Registrations	6	4	2	1
Discounted Membership to CaGIS for One Year, or Free Student Membership	6	4	2	1
Program Promotion Opportunities	Table in common area for promotion of program Recognized as sponsor on website and on conference signage	Table in common area for promotion of program Recognized as sponsor on website and during conference	Table in common area for promotion of program Recognized as sponsor on website and during conference	Recognized as sponsor on website and during conference
Exclusive signage of sponsorship	At Reception	At one breakfast or lunch	At one break	At one break (potentially not exclusive)
Logo size	Largest	Large	Medium	Small
Social media links	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
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