

Land Administration Key Focus at Latin America Geospatial Forum 2012

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 21 June 2012: Understanding the need of Land administration system for effective land use and its importance in the Latin American region, Geospatial Media and Comunicação Ltda. will host a **Symposium on Land Administration** during Latin America Geospatial Forum 2012 to be held from 15 – 17 August, 2012 at Sul America Convention Centre in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

The symposium will focus on best practices in land administration systems; challenges faced in implementation, and will determine processes that can lead to improvements in land administration.

Some of the key speakers at the symposium include:

Ricardo Henriques

President, IPP

Municipality of Rio de Janeiro
Brazil

Estevan Toha Gonzalez

Executive Secretary - SNIT
Ministry of National Assets
Chile

Ivan Dario

Director, Geographic Institute
Agustín Codazzi
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Manager Geographic Information
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Director General
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Director General

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of the State of Sao Paulo
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Marco Pilla

Executive Director

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State of Sao Paulo
Brazil

George Porto

Ferreira

General Coordinator

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Ing. Rigoberto

Director, Institute of Geography &

National Register, National Registration Center

El Salvador

Sergio Rotenberg

Tax Inspector

Municipality of Rio de

Janeiro

Brazil

Col. Sady Mario

Comandant, Military Geographic

Institute

Bolivia

Felícia Reicher Madeira

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Richard Torsiano

Director

National Institute for Colonization and Agrarian

Reform

Brazil

Sergio Soler

Manager Spatial Data

Infrastructure Special Administrative Unit

Land Registry District of Bogota

Colombia

Highlighting the importance of the symposium, Natália M. Rodrigues, Assistant Regional Manager - Latin America said, “ Geospatial technologies, when applied in the domain of land administration fulfil the need for precise information, facilitate complex analysis and better decision making. Through this symposium we aim at connecting representatives from the government and the private sector within the Latin American region wherein they can share best practices, deliberate upon important issues and chart out a future roadmap.”

For more information on the symposium, please visit: <http://www.lagf.org/2012/land.htm>.

About Latin America Geospatial Forum

The Latin America Geospatial Forum is the Annual Latin American Conference and Exhibition on Geospatial Information, Technology and Applications. The conference would highlight the need for firmly placing ‘geospatial knowledge’ at the heart of economic and development agenda of the nation. Latin America Geospatial Forum is an initiative that would provide a well-needed regional forum in Latin America for geospatial cooperation within Latin America and beyond the region.

About Geospatial Media and Comunicação Ltda.

Geospatial Media and Comunicação Ltda. works towards raising the profile and expanding the horizons of the geospatial industry through creating awareness, connecting industry communities, policy advocacy, and business development initiatives.



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