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# Learning **Interactively** Outside the Norm



## Georgia GMIS Spring 2021 Conference

May 2-6, 2021  
Virtual Learning

## GEORGIA GMIS SPRING 2021

March 1, 2021

Dear Georgia GMIS Members,

The Georgia GMIS Board of Directors invites you to attend the 2021 Spring Conference being held virtually on May 2 – 6, 2021. Our theme is “Learning *Interactively* Outside the Norm”, in recognition on the perpetual changes in our world today.

The third cohort of the CGCIO™ (Certified Government Chief Information Officer™) program will be continuing their coursework. The LGCIO (Local Government Chief Information Officer) program’s leadership curriculum will cover Inspired Leadership and Resolving Conflict. The technical curriculum will include Building an Incident Response Plan and Strategic/Long-term Budgeting. We are planning several enrichment sessions such as Smart Cities and GIS 3D mapping. Back by popular demand, The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly will make its inevitable return. We have an exciting Geek Trak lined up as well with Dederick Scott leading training on Network Security Monitoring.

The GA GMIS Board will continue to work with the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, scheduled trainers and vendors to provide you more detailed information. Please be on the lookout for email announcements and monitor the website for updated information.

Sincerely,

**Larry J Hobbs Jr., CGCIO™, LGCIO**

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Each day of the conference will provide insight into aspects of the latest trends in information technology, brought to you by experts in the field. Most importantly, you will exchange knowledge and ideas about what works and what doesn't work with your IT peers who represent shops of all sizes from nearly every region of the state.

The Schedule for GA GMIS Spring Conference May 2 – 6:

**Sunday, May 2**

- Half-day sessions – CGCIO and Geek Trak. 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

**Monday, May 3**

**(LGCIO Management Education Sessions – Inspired Leadership & Resolving Conflict)**

- General Session – Welcome. 8:45 AM – 9:00 AM
- Full-day sessions – LGCIO/CGCIO and Geek Trak. 9:00 AM – 12 Noon, and 1:00 PM – 4:05 PM
- Exhibitor Hall. Time to be determined.
- Networking Suite. Time to be determined.

**Tuesday, May 4**

**(LGCIO Technical Education Sessions – Building an Incident Response Plan & Strategic/Long-term Budgeting)**

- Full-day sessions – LGCIO/CGCIO and Geek Trak. 8:55 AM – 12 Noon, and 1:00 PM – 4:05 PM
- Exhibitor Hall. Time to be determined.
- Networking Suite. Time to be determined.

**Wednesday, May 5**

**(Enrichment Sessions – Drone Mapping Capture and 3D Modeling, Smart Cities Technology, The Good, the Bad and the Ugly)**

- Half-day session – CGCIO. 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM
- Full-day session – Geek Trak. 9:00 AM – 12 Noon, and 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
- Full-day session – Enrichment. 9:00 AM – 12 Noon, and 1:15pm – 2:30 PM
- Exhibitor Hall. 2:30 PM – 5:00 PM

**Thursday, May 6**

- Annual Business Meeting. 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

**Regular Conference Fee Will Run From March 1 - April 19, 2021**

LGCIO Conference Online Training Registration Fee .....	<b>\$400.00</b>
Geek Trak Conference Online Training Registration Fee .....	<b>\$500.00</b>



The Institute of Government has transitioned to a new registration system which is being used for this training. Following are some steps to guide you through the process.

**To Register online and pay by credit card (preferred):**

- [Click here to register online](#)
- Step 1:
  - Create new user profile. *\*\*\*When creating a new user profile you may receive a message that a user name already exists in the new system which was migrated from the old system. If you receive this message you will have an opportunity to request a new password.\*\*\**
  - Important for creating a new user profile:
    - **Please DO NOT create a new user profile if you have previously attended CVIIOG or other UGA Public Service and Outreach events.**
    - Each registered participant must have a unique email address. The same email address cannot be used for multiple registrants.
    - In the Address and Telephone section, be sure to select the correct 'Type' (e.g. 'Office') from the drop down selections.
    - In the Employment Information section, enter at minimum your Employer and Job Title.
    - Optionally enter demographic information.
    - Select your preferred Marketing Opt in and Privacy options, and click the boxes to indicate that you have read and understand the privacy policies.
- Step 2:
  - Once you are logged in, select 'Geek Trak' or 'LGCIO'. You can preview the session schedule for each track by clicking 'Session selection information' under each option.
  - Let us know if you're a first-time attendee and fill in any specific accommodation requests.
  - Confirm cart and click 'Pay and Register'.
  - Enter credit card information.
  - Your conference sessions will be automatically selected based on the track you chose (either Geek Trak or LGCIO). *\*\*\*Your sessions are not confirmed until after you have entered your credit card information.\*\*\**

**To Register by mail and pay by check:**

Complete the mail-in registration form attached to the email announcement from CVIIOG, mail in the form with the check payment to the address listed on the form.

**After Registering:**

You will receive several emails which will be directed to the email address you provided when registering/setting up your user profile. The sender name on the emails will be **no-reply-outreach@uga.edu**.

1. **(Applicable to new users only) New Account notification; password action required** (*Subject line: Vice President for Public Service and Outreach New Account*) - This email is being sent because you set up a new user account in the registration system. The email will include a link that you must click on in order to choose a password for future access. Please take immediate action upon receipt of this notice.
2. **Enrollment confirmation** (*Subject line: Carl Vinson Institute of Government Enrollment Notification for 'Your Name'*) - This email provides verification that your enrollment has been received and processed.
3. **Confirmation** (*Subject line: Carl Vinson Institute of Government Confirmation*) - This email provides details of the course you enrolled in, including the cancellation policy.

