

BOARD MEMBERSHIP.

Cast members serve on numerous national, state, and local boards. Jack Cothren serves on the Editorial Board of Earth Imaging Journal and the Board of the American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing. Fred Limp serves on the Boards of the Open Geospatial Interoperability Institute, the Oracle North America Spatial Interest Group, the EAST Board, the Arkansas State Land Board Information Board, and the UA Information Technology Research Institute.

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LOCAL SERVICE.

Cristina Scarlat, Jack Cothren, and Brian Culpepper provided an extensive amount of technical assistance to many groups in Northwest Arkansas, particularly to the Northwest Arkansas Planning Commission and to the Northwest Arkansas Image Acquisition Task Force in their very successful region-wide image and LIDAR data acquisition effort. As part of that effort, Culpepper also completed a horizontal accuracy assessment of the 2004 Washington County orthoimagery. Scarlat also aided the Planning Commission in their regional transportation planning efforts. Cothren served as a Northwest Arkansas Science Fair Judge.

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CAMPUS SERVICE.

The Center has active service efforts with a wide range of campus units. John Wilson provides dozens of units on the campus with ESRI software technical support. The Center works closely with the UA Center for Economic Development, Facilities Management, UA Extension, and many other departments.

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STATE SERVICE.

The Center provides a range of public service throughout the state. In the last fiscal years, an important arena of assistance was to support the legislature in a variety of initiatives. Special demonstration efforts were offered to legislators such as Shane Broadway, Jim Argue, Sue Madison, and Jan Judy, to the Legislative Research Bureau as well as help provided to the Arkansas Geographic Information Office in a number of areas. CAST staff are actively supporting Arkansas' (and other state's) schools and communities through the EAST Project and AmericaView programs, described in detail in the Research section. Among the Arkansas schools visited by EAST were: Little Rock, Fayetteville, Farmington, Gravette, Lincoln, Perryville, Clinton, Southside, Dumas, Cave, Henderson, Morrilton, Camden, Lake Village, McGehee, Smackover, Augusta, Brinkley, Vilonia, and Greenbrier. Outside the state, schools were visited or school workshops were offered in Chicago IL, Eureka CA, Berkeley CA, and Sacramento CA. Gorham provided a wide range of assistance to groups around the state in the selection of image product and data, as well as in acquiring and using GPS data.

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