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Call for Papers

The Austrian OpenStreetMap community is pleased to invite you to contribute to the 1st European State of the Map Conference (SotM-Europe), held July 15–17 in Vienna, Austria. After 4 successful and well-organised International State of the Map conferences, we are proud to offer an additional European edition of this well-received event.

Participants and focus.
The conference addresses OSM mappers and community activists, open source developers, researchers from universities and academic institutions, designers and cartographers, as well as GIS professionals from private and public institutions. The conference will offer a common ground to people from various backgrounds and disciplines where they can meet and exchange knowledge, experiences, plans and ideas on the development, use and improvements of OSM. In addition to former OSM-conferences we will establish a specific focus on research with a relation to OpenStreetMap.

Topics.
We invite you to contribute to the following topics:

- **Mapping:** Share your insights on mapping, data, tagging, the state of the map in your country, etc...
- **TechTalks:** Share your knowledge and ideas on development, rendering and infrastructure.
- **Powered by OpenStreetMap:** You developed an exciting project / business idea based on OpenStreetMap? Tell us about your experiences!
- **Convergence:** We especially invite speakers to explore the scope of the open geo data world vs. the world of proprietary and authoritive data and software.
- **Research:** You are a researcher working with OpenStreetMap data, investigating the societal impacts of OSM or studying motivational factors? Share your findings with the OSM community!
- **Other:** You have an exciting idea that doesn't fit any of the above themes? Tell us anyways :)

Session formats.

- **Talks:** 45 min / 20 min / 5 min (Lightning Talk)
- **Poster**
- **(Panel) Discussion**

Proceedings.
Presenters will have the option to submit a full paper for publication in electronic proceedings.

Important dates.

- Monday, 28 February 2011: End of Call for Papers
- April 2011: Info on Acceptance / Preliminary Conference Programme
- Monday, 13 June 2011: Deadline for full paper submission (optional)
- Friday, 15 July 2011, 1pm to Sunday, 17 July 2011, 1pm: Conference

The conference will be held at the Vienna University of Technology, Vienna, Austria. It is organized by OpenStreetMap Austria and the Research Group Cartography of the Vienna University of Technology. Conference language is English.

All submissions will be reviewed by the conference programme committee. The committee of the research stream will be advised and supported by Dr. Muki Haklay and Dr. Georg Gartner.

Please submit your paper on the conference website: www.sotm-eu.org/cfp

For questions please contact info@sotm-eu.org

For more information please consult the conference website:

http://www.sotm-eu.org

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