

# NEURISA DAY 2015 Program

7:30 - 8:30 Exhibitor Setup

7:45 - 8:45 Registration

8:45 - 9:00 Welcome - Chris Akin, NEURISA President

9:00 - 9:30 Exhibitor Shout Out

## 9:30 – 11:00 SESSION 1

**Room 1 – LiDAR** - Moderator: Jeff Olson, Unitol

- [Using LiDAR Data to Create 3D Building Footprints](#), David McKittrick, Blue Marble Geographics
- [NOAA's Topographic and Bathymetric LiDAR Products and Services](#), Jamie Carter, The Baldwin Group, NOAA
- [Maximizing the Use of Open Source Imagery and LiDAR Data](#), Claire Kiedrowski, Kappa Mapping

**Room 2 – Wetlands** - Moderator: Erin Jacque, Tighe & Bond

- [Bringing Source Water Protection into the Modern Era](#), Josh Coefer, Corona Environmental Consulting
- [Determine if Wetlands are Connected to Perennial Streams via Intermittent Streams](#), Geoff Tapalu, Graduate Student, URI
- [Mapping Flood Reduction Benefits of Potential Wetlands Restoration](#), Justin Bousquin, US EPA

11:00 – 11:15 Break

## 11:15 – 12:00 Keynote Speaker

**Phillip Granberry**, Senior Researcher Economic Demographer, Boston Redevelopment Authority



**Boston 2035: Master Planning for the New Millenia** - A discussion on the upcoming Boston Master Plan and using large data sets to make population projections for small geographic areas.

12:00 - 1:15 Exhibitor Visit / Lunch

## 1:15 - 2:45 SESSION 2

**Room 1 – State GIS Solutions** - Moderator: Jamie Carter, The Baldwin Group, NOAA Office for Coastal Management

- [Sharing Addressing Insights](#), Christian Jacqz, MassGIS
- [Rhode Island Statewide Planning](#), Shane White, RIGIS
- [Geospatial Evolution: Transformation of Vermont's GIS](#), Steve Sharp, VT Center for Geographic Information

**Room 2 – Let's Get Technical!** - Moderator: David McKittrick, Blue Marble Geographics

- [What's your Cloud Strategy?](#), Raj Singh, IBM
- [Python + Geospatial + SQL = More Awesome!!!](#), Guido Stein, AppGeo
- [D3.js and Web Mapping](#), Ben Krepp, Central Transportation Planning Staff, Boston Region MPO

2:45 - 3:15 Dessert Break - Sponsored by SeeClickFix

## 3:15 - 4:45 SESSION 3

**Room 1 – Grab Bag Potpourri** - Moderator: Raj Singh, IBM

- [Mass Wildcat – The Massachusetts Wildlife Climate Action Tool](#), Jonathan Brooks, MA Division of Fisheries & Wildlife
- [UAS for your GIS](#), Tayler Engel, University of Vermont Spatial Analysis Laboratory
- [8 Critical Skills You Need to be a Successful GIS Professional](#), Chris Akin, Independent

**Room 2 – Municipal Solutions** - Moderator: Liz Crutcher, Southeastern Connecticut Council of Governments

- [Commonwealth Connect – A Regional GIS Solution](#), Jeff Mooney, SeeClickFix
- [Modern Web Mapping for Local Governments](#), Kate Hickey, AppGeo
- [South Windsor Streetlight Audit and Installation](#), Tim McVey, Evari GIS Consulting, Inc.

4:45 Conference Adjourned

4:45 - ?? Networking and a cash bar in the Historic Barn - Sponsored By Terracon

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