



**TUESDAY  
19 MAY 2015**

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14:00 – 15:30

Hall 7.1 / 7.2, NPC

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**Everybody is welcome!**

## **Session #2 - Mapping response - contributions for Nepal**

The FIG Young Surveyors Network wants to contribute and actively do something for our dear friends and colleagues in Nepal. There was originally another session scheduled but this has been **changed** to

'Mapping response - contributions for Nepal'

We invite all of you to join us and use the already established Open Street Map (OSM) initiative to map for Nepal. OpenStreet-Map (OSM) volunteers from around the world rapidly digitize satellite imagery to provide maps and data to support humanitarian organizations deployed to the affected countries.

There will be a short introduction on how to use OSM and then we will work together on a specific task defined by the OSM Tasking Manager.

Important Note: Please bring your **own** Laptop!!!

## **Dear FIG Young Surveyors from all over the world,**

The FIG Young Surveyors Network wants to contribute and do something for our dear friends and colleagues in Nepal during the FIG Working Week 2015 Sofia, Bulgaria.

We changed the program and use our Session #2 on Tuesday 19 May 2015; 14:00 - 15:30 UTC/GMT+3 for

### **Mapping response - contributions for Nepal**

We invite all of you to join us!!! Worldwide!!! YS participating at the FIG Working Week, YS at home, YS in their offices, YS all over the world. Mapping at the same day; at the same time - together.

We will use the already established Open Street Map (OSM) initiative to map for Nepal. OpenStreet - Map (OSM) volunteers from around the world rapidly digitise satellite imagery to provide maps and data to support humanitarian organisations deployed to the affected countries.

We, the FIG Young Surveyors, want to be one of them!

### **:: Which area in Nepal we are working on/task?**

At the Open Street Map Website we chose this project:

*#1047 - Nepal Earthquake, 2015, Palpa ( Additional effected district )*

*#Task 413 - 464*

Depending on the amount of Young Surveyors participating more surrounding tasks can be included and the area can be extended.

### **:: How can you join from the distance?**

Go to -> [openstreetmap.org](http://openstreetmap.org)

Create an account: you can use OpenID or Google to easily verify your account.

Go to -> [tasks.hotosm.org](http://tasks.hotosm.org)

Login with your openstreetmap account and search for the following project.

If you already would like to prepare yourself beforehand have a look at the youtube-video to get a short introduction: [y2u.be/73XCpTgyhSk](http://y2u.be/73XCpTgyhSk)

Be online on 19 May 2015 2pm - 3.30pm UTC/GMT+3 and work together with us on the task mentioned above.



## **:: How can you join if you are a participant of the FIG Working Week 2015 Sofia, Bulgaria?**

Come to our Session!!! #2 Mapping response - contributions for Nepal 19 May 2015; 14:00 - 15:30 UTC/GMT+3

Eva-Maria (Chair FIG YSN) and Paula Dijkstra (Vice-Chair YSN) will give a short introduction on why it is important to be active in those kind of initiatives as a Young Surveyor.

Mr. Sanjaya Manandhar and Mr. Ashokkumar Shrestha are our Nepalese representative who will give us a little insight on what has happen in Nepal, what is needed the most and why this initiatives are important.

Soeren and Steffen will give an introduction on how to use OSM and then we will - all together - get active and map for Nepal.

## **:: The idea behind it:**

**First** of all we want to contribute!

**Second** we want to take away the barrier. We want to share this initiative with you and we hope that through getting your hands on one time you will not hesitate to get involved and be active when it is needed again - somewhen somewhere.

## **:: What we hope**

Our hope is that if you return back home that you stay active and involved and we can again ad hoc start such an initiative when it is needed. And that through snowballing the community will increase and you will manage to also get others involved.

We are looking forward to see you - online - and in real time!!!

Thanks to all for their contribution

Eva-Maria Unger & Paula Dijkstra  
FIG Young Surveyors Network

