

SCAUG AND YOU

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HISTORY

(according to ChatGPT)

The South Central Arc User Group (SCAUG) was founded in 1992 as a non-profit organization to promote the use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in the South Central region of the United States. The group's primary goal was to provide a platform for GIS professionals and enthusiasts to share knowledge, ideas, and experiences related to GIS technology and its applications.

The first SCAUG conference was held in Austin, Texas, in 1993, with around 75 attendees. Since then, the organization has grown significantly, with membership now exceeding 2,000 individuals from across Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

SCAUG hosts an annual conference and various training workshops, providing opportunities for members to learn new GIS skills, network with industry professionals, and showcase their work. The organization also sponsors scholarships and grants to support GIS education and research.

Over the years, SCAUG has been recognized for its contribution to the GIS community, receiving several awards, including the URISA's Exemplary Systems in Government Award and ESRI's Special Achievement in GIS Award.

SCAUG remains an active and thriving organization, dedicated to promoting the use of GIS and advancing the knowledge and skills of its members.

MEET OUR TEAM

As a language model, I do not have access to real-time information, and my knowledge cutoff is as of September 2021. However, based on the last available information, the current officers of the South Central Arc User Group (SCAUG) are as follows:

- President: Rhonda Glaze, GIS Manager at the City of Nacogdoches, Texas
- Vice President: Stephanie Rosenthal, GIS Analyst at the City of McKinney, Texas
- Secretary: Janie Craig, GIS Analyst at the City of Corpus Christi, Texas
- Treasurer: Jonathan Sweeney, GIS Manager at the City of Round Rock, Texas
- Past President: Coby Culbertson, GIS Director at the City of Plano, Texas



Rhonda Glaze

President



Stephanie Rosenthal

Vice President



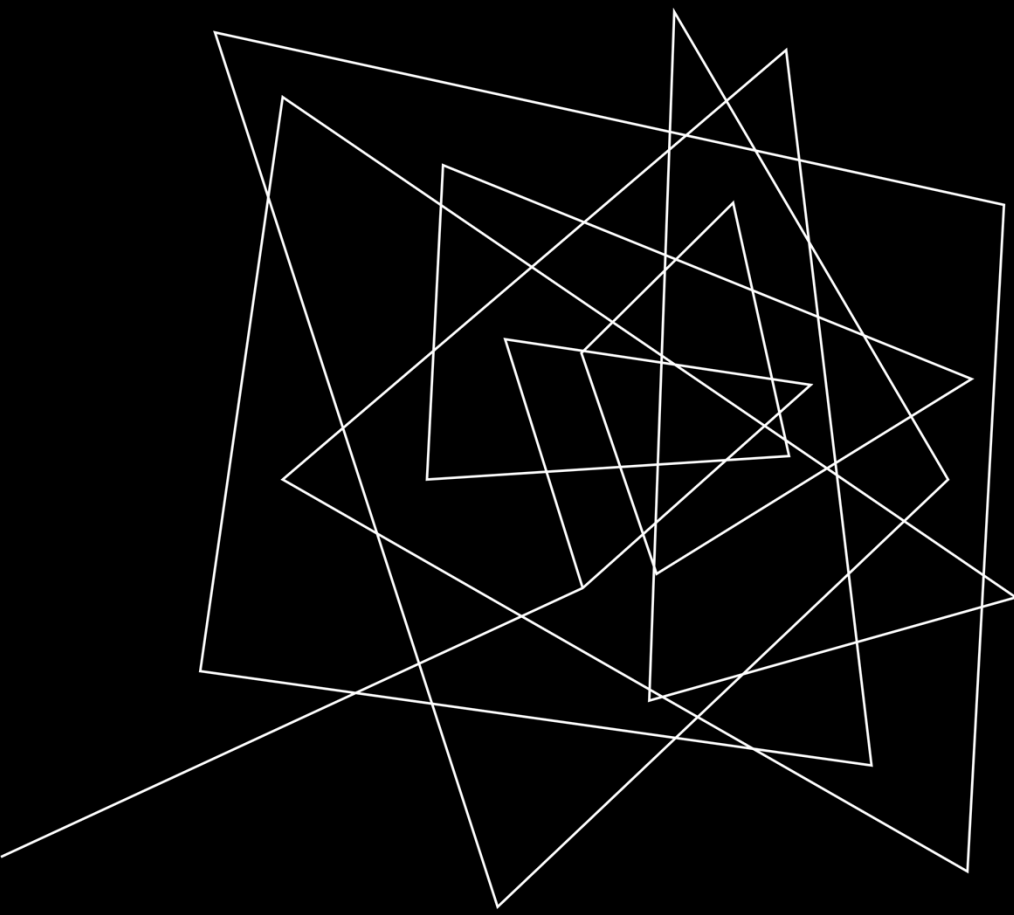
Janie Craig

Secretary



Johathan Sweeney

VP Marketing



STATISTICS: MEMBERS

OK: 1353

NTEX: 769

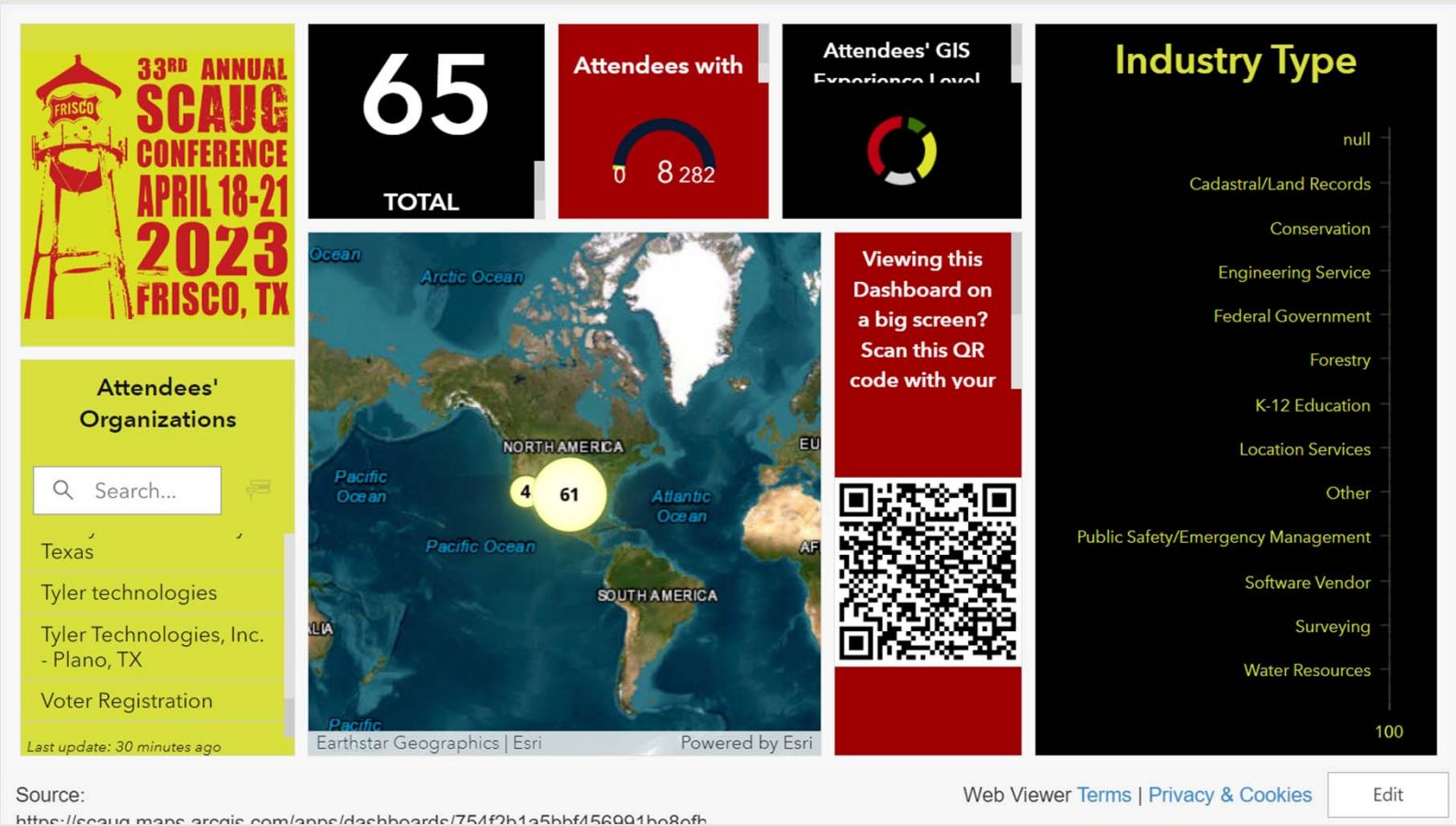
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LA: 179

MS: 42

OTHER: 720

Attendee Dashboard 2023 Regional (arcgis.com)





WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?

Knowledge/Ideas

Training/Workshops

Networking/Jobs/Interns

Street Cred

HOW CAN I HELP?

Become an LGA – Local GIS Advocate

- Host
- Meet
- Coordinate

Junior Officer (Pending)

- Valuable Professional Experience
- Become the Bleeding Edge
- Take My Duties, Please



SUMMARY

Tiny armadillo Tug
SCAUG's mascot so proud
GIS is his world.



THANK YOU

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