UN-GGIM Academic Network

2021 Update to the UN-GGIM 11th Session
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UN-GGIM Academic Network

• Academic Network is a Strategic Knowledge, Research and Training Arm of UN-GGIM.
• The Network is a coalition of recognized universities, research and education centers or equivalent involved in the research, development and training on geospatial and land information and related matters.
• Promote and foster collaboration between universities and research groups; and
• Encouraging members to undertake work that is able to contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals of the UN.
2021 Highlights

- New Executive Team:

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2021 Highlights

• New Executive Team – term 2021-2022:
  – Vision: increase coordination of the network;
  – Define sustainable governance practice to ease take-over between Executive Teams;
  – Actively increase membership in underrepresented regions;
  – Establish a pathway towards UN-GGIM Educational Repository;
2021 Highlights

• New Executive Team – term 2021-2022

• Revised of Terms of Reference:
  – Members & Associate Members;
  – Membership based on Expression of Interest and Letter of Commitment;
  – Voting by all members;
2021 Highlights

• New Executive Team – term 2021-2022
• Revision of ToR
• Update of the website (http://unggim.academicnetwork.org/):
2021 Highlights

• New Executive Team – term 2021-2022
• Revision of ToR
• Update of the website
• First discussions towards developing UN-GGIM Educational Repository

What is your idea about a UN-GGIM Educational Repository?