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of Geographical Names

**GEOGRAPHICAL
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UN-GGIM

**4th Session of the UN Committee of
Experts on GGIM**

**UNGEGN Learning Centre
The Importance of Geographical Names**

Wednesday 6 August, 2014, 13:00-14:00, Conf. Room S-1523FC

This session will be led by the Chair of the UN Group of Experts on
Geographical Names (UNGEGN) – William Watt, Australia

He will speak on the importance of geographical/place names. The session will begin with an interactive exercise followed by the importance and benefits of place names in the spatial environment, followed by the topics that UNGEGN are addressing, ending with a questions and discussion session.

“This is an open workshop and all Session Attendees are invited”

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