

Submission Form

for a proposal of a session during the Regional Conference of IGU, Kraków,
Poland, 18-22.08.2014

1. Title of the session: ... Research findings and challenges in Geography Education

2. Type of session (please choose one):

IGU Commission / Task Force session

3. Organizer(s) and chairperson(s) of the session:

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The chairperson(s) of a session is/are responsible for the evaluation of the abstracts and dividing the presentations into oral and poster form in the period **Jan. 15-Feb. 15, 2014**.

4. Please provide below 3-4 names and affiliations of the speakers who are expected to attend the conference and give oral presentations:

Sarah & Joe & Sibylle & Osvaldo

1.Sarah Bednarz, Texas A&M University

2.Joe Stoltman, Western Michigan University

3.Sibylle Reinfried, University of Teacher Education Central Switzerland, Lucerne

4.Osvaldo Muniz, Texas State University, San Marcos...

5. A short description of the session topic, aim, content etc. (max. 1 standard page):

The publication of the Road Map report on Geography Education Research (in the USA) raised many issues around the role and function of geography education research. The papers in this series provide an opportunity to discuss the key topics in geography education research: what has been learnt from research in this field, and what further research needs to be conducted? A key theme in this series of papers will be who undertakes research in the field, and whether there is space in such a small field for practitioner and large-scale research, and how different research approaches may complement each other.