

E-Governance Conference
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The Ohio State University's
City and Regional Planning Program

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Creating On-line
Citizen
Participation
Tools



Blackwell Hotel and Conference Center
At The Ohio State University
March 3-5, 2004

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Ohio State University, and in part by a grant from the Battelle
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Wednesday March 3rd 2004

4:00 – 5:30 pm Registration and Check-in at the Blackwell Hotel and Conference Center.

5:30 pm "Using 3D Visualization Techniques to Encourage Citizen Participation" Paul Patnode with the Environmental Simulation Center

6:30 pm Reception

Thursday March 4th 2004

8:00 am – 3:30 pm Registration and Check-in

8:00 – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast and Discussion of Town Hall Meeting Tools

9:00 – 10:15 am Plenary Session "The State of Local E-Democracy" Charles Kaylor of the Public Sphere Information Group

10:30 - 11:45 am Breakout Sessions

- "Transparency, Trust, and Equity in E-government" Caroline Tolbert and Karen Mossberger with Kent State University Department of Political Science
- "Community Input through Internet Discussion Boards: Expectations and Reality. Arlington, Texas as a case study" Luis Tamayo with the City of Arlington, Texas
- "Creating On-line Tools that Meet the Americans With Disabilities Act Requirements" Joe Wheaton with the Ohio State University College of Education

12:00 – 1:15 pm Keynote Speaker "Technology Tools for On-line Citizen Participation" Chris Steins with Urban Insight

1:30 – 2:30 pm "Interactive GIS as a Tool for Citizen Participation" David Proserpi with Florida Atlantic University College of Architecture, Urban and Public Affairs

2:30 – 3:00 pm Refreshment Break

3:00 – 4:30 pm Panel Discussion on "How to Effectively Market Participation Opportunities to Citizens"

8:00 pm (Optional)** Batsheva Dance Company of Israel, *Deca Dance* Mershon Auditorium

Friday March 5th 2004

9:00 – 10:15 am "Innovative Tools for Encouraging Participation at All Ages: The Raleigh Experience" Daniel Howe with the City of Raleigh, North Carolina City Manager's Office

10:30 – 11:45 am Breakout Sessions

- "Visualization Tools and Citizen Participation" Kheir Al-Kodmany with the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs
- "Who Uses Which Tools and Why" Jennifer Evans-Cowley and Maria Manta Conroy with the Ohio State University City and Regional Planning Program
- "Communicating in More than One Language" Judy Pacifico with the City of Columbus, Ohio Department of Information Technology

12:00 – 1:15 pm "The City of Indianapolis' On-line Citizen Participation Tools" Bob Glenn with the City of Indianapolis, Indiana Department of Metropolitan Development

1:30 – 3:00 pm Panel Discussion on "How to Get an On-line Citizen Participation Program Off the Ground"

Conference Contact

For more information on the conference, contact Jennifer Evans-Cowley at (614) 247-7479 or by e-mail at Cowley.11@osu.edu. This conference is funded in part from a grant from the Battelle Endowment for Technology and Human Affairs.

Hotel Information

Conference parking is available in the Tuttle Park Parking garage located east of the Blackwell Hotel. Valet parking is also available for guests of the Blackwell. The Blackwell Hotel, located on the Ohio State University Campus at 2110 Tuttle Park Place, has rooms available for this conference at a special reduced rate of \$119 per night. If you would like to stay at the Blackwell during the conference, call the Blackwell directly (Toll Free) at 866-247-4003. For more information on the Blackwell visit: <http://www.theblackwell.com>. For specific directions to the hotel, visit <http://www.theblackwell.com/Directions/Map-directions.pdf>

Registration Form – Creating Online Citizen Participation Tools Wednesday March 3rd 2004 - Friday March 5th 2004 - Blackwell Hotel and Conference Center

Please print legibly

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Title: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Circle Preferences	up to Feb. 20	after Feb. 20
Regular Registration	\$175	\$200
Thursday OR Friday Only	\$100	\$125
Student Registration*	\$75	\$100
Batsheva Dance Company**	\$17 each ticket	

*Students may get free admission for working 4 hours during the conference. Call (614) 247-7479 for more details. **Optional

- **Hotel Reservations must be made directly with the Hotel**
- **Above registrations include breakfast, lunch, and beverage breaks. Please note any dietary requirements:**

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