



Call for Presenters – IGA Fall Meeting

Fall 2010 Illinois Groundwater Association Meeting
Friday, September 24, 2010
NIU Hoffman Estates, IL

In conjunction with AIPG's Chicagoland Field Trip
"Geology and the Making of a Metropolis"
Saturday, September 25, 2010



The Illinois Groundwater Association is inviting speakers for the Fall 2010 Association meeting to be held on Friday, September 24th at NIU Hoffman Estates Conference Center. Directions can be found at <http://www.niu.edu/maps/ctrdir.shtml>

We're very excited to coordinate our Fall 2010 meeting with the AIPG fieldtrip the following day on Saturday, September 25th, featuring coastal geologist, Michael Chrzastowski, PhD, PG. Dr. Chrzastowski will be explaining how geology played a critical role in the building of Chicagoland. The focus will include aspects of glacial geology, coastal geology, geomorphology, hydrology and geologic engineering, with discussions involving the interplay of geology and the region's social and economic history. The full-day fieldtrip will depart from the NIU Hoffman Estates parking lot. A motor coach bus and lunch will be provided, with selected stops to include the headwaters of the Chicago River, Illinois Beach State Park, headland beach engineering at Lake Forest, Skokie Lagoons, Montrose Point, the original location of Chicago River mouth at Fort Dearborn in the Chicago Loop, the lakefront-made land used for the 1933-34 World's Fair and the Eastern Subcontinental Drainage Divide at Chicago Portage Historic Site.

If you would like to be a presenter or suggest a topic of interest, please e-mail IGA Vice-Chair Danielle Wallin at dwallin@f-w.com or IGA Chair Steve Kroll at skroll@patrickengineering.com for details.

Member News: Again, the IGA newsletter coordinator, Erik Spande, is inviting your input on groundwater news and items of interest for the Fall 2010 IGA Newsletter. Contact Erik Spande by email (erik.spande@ch2m.com) or fax (773) 693-3809 no later than July 15th to share your news or items of interest to the groundwater community.