



Dear Cartographers and Map Enthusiasts!

As you might know, the next International Cartographic Conference (ICC 2025) will be hosted in Vancouver, B.C. in the summer of 2025. As the coordinator of the Canadian submissions to the International Map Exhibition and Competition, I invite you to submit the best map products you or your organization have created since August 2023 (the last ICC in Cape Town, South Africa). The organizers of ICC 2025 have decided to hold the International Map Exhibition entirely as an in-person display of maps and products. (A true map lover's dream!) Digital products can also be part of the exhibition but must be displayed as posters, including a QR code to allow conference attendees access to the product on their individual devices.

The categories eligible for submission of cartographic products are the following:

- 1) Maps digital and non-digital
- 2) Charts digital and non-digital, including navigational accessories
- 3) Atlases digital and non-digital
- 4) Educational cartographic products digital and non-digital
- 5) Physical cartographic products tactile maps, globes, 3D reliefs, etc.
- 6) Digital cartographic products and services online (web-based) digital products and services, geoportals, etc.

To be considered for Canada's submission your work must be submitted by April 1, 2025. Please get in touch with me by email about submission details at julia.siemer@uregina.ca

Did you know that the ICA hands out two awards for cartographic products in the exhibition at the conference? A jury of the ICA will award a prize for the best submission in each category (excluding category 6), and a second award will be based on the vote of conference attendees.

Let's celebrate Canada's cartography with lots of submissions to the International Map Exhibition in 2025. For more information, don't hesitate to get in touch with me directly or check out the conference website at www.icc2025.com.

Please share this invitation with your colleagues!

Happy mapping, Julia Siemer

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