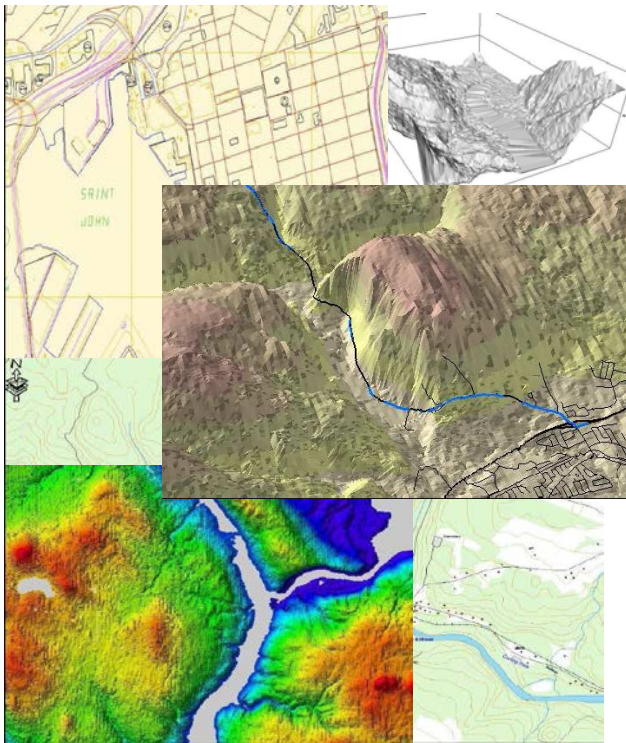


## ACMLA Student Paper Award

The Association of Canadian Map Libraries and Archives (ACMLA) announces its annual student paper contest. Essays may deal with access to and information about geospatial data, cartography, cartographic materials, map information, map data, GIS data and geo-referenced information.



### Eligibility

A student from Canada or studying in Canada currently enrolled in a post-secondary institution (college or university) is eligible to apply to enter the contest. All papers shall be prepared during the 2015-2016 school year.

### Essay

The essay shall be original and unpublished, and of no more than 3,000 words. Judging of the papers will give primary consideration to the essay's originality and its contribution to new knowledge and insights. Other considerations will be the author's demonstration of the relevance of the subject, the quality of presentation and documentation, and the literary merits of the essay.

### Award

\$250.00 and free membership in the Association for one year. The award includes an invitation to present the paper at the ACMLA annual conference, normally held at the end of May/early June. If the winner chooses to attend the conference, the Association will waive registration fees and provide a travel stipend up to \$250.00 with receipts.

**Deadline: 27 April 2016**

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