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### 1. China Data Update:

The China Data Center is pleased to release the following new data products and service:

"**The 2015 Administrative Boundary Maps**". It includes 2015 administrative boundary maps at province, prefecture city and county levels. All maps are in GIS shape files with both English and Chinese. More details can be found at <http://chinadatacenter.org/DataCategory/DataCategoryContent.aspx?type=1&id=2637>.

"**US Map Library Online**". This is one of the largest collections of statistical maps with more than 100 million maps for the demographic and business data of US. Those maps provide comprehensive information of US at state, metropolitan, county, county division, place, tract, and block levels. Users can save the original data in Excel files or export the maps to PDF or PNG graphic files. More information can be found at <http://chinadatacenter.org/Announcement/AnnouncementContent.aspx?id=1484>.

### 2. China Data Center Events

#### Recent Recorded Webinars on YouTube:

##### An Introduction to China and US Map Library Online

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bxHxQftFZXA&feature=youtu.be>

##### Spatial Study of Health with China and US Data

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6UAgE8p6O2A>

##### Introduction to Administrative Boundary Maps of China: 1949-2014

<https://youtu.be/lj9qFio-gV4>

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### **Spatial Data Analysis with China Geo-Explorer**

<https://youtu.be/WjFGaHJQMdM>

### **An Introduction to the Population Census Data of China**

<https://youtu.be/e16iEBNgVzo>

### **An Introduction to the Economic Census Data of China**

<https://goo.gl/xnTnC2>

### **Free Mapping Online for the US and China**

<https://goo.gl/NH3vw2>

### **Incoming Events:**

#### **The Training Workshop on Spatial Analysis with China and US Data**

Speaker: Shuming Bao, Director of China Data Center

Date: 12:00pm to 3:00pm, March 2, 2017

Place: MSEL Electronic Resource Center, John Hopkins University

#### **The Training Workshop on Spatial Study of Economy with China and US Data**

Speaker: Shuming Bao, Director of China Data Center

Date: 2:00pm to 5:00pm, March 9, 2017

Place: Hotel Capstone, 320 Paul Bryant, Tuscaloosa, AL

#### **The New Development of the China Data Center**

Speaker: Shuming Bao, Director of China Data Center

Date: 1:00pm – 5:00pm, Wednesday, March 15, 2017

Place: Chestnut West, Sheraton Centre Toronto Hotel

#### **The Training Workshop on Data Management and Analytics**

***Survey Data, Census Data, Spatial Data, Big Data***

Date: April 17-22, 2017

Place: University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA

This workshop is designed to help experienced information professionals develop their capacity of data management and analytics. The workshop will cover data management, data infrastructure, data analysis, policies and security. The workshop will discuss the methodology, functions, and data available for survey data, spatial data and big data analysis. It will introduce some new tools for survey data, spatial data and big data integration and online data sharing. The workshop will offer an excellent opportunity for participants to network, collaborate, and further develop their leadership knowledge and skills. For more details, visit

<http://chinadatecenter.org/Announcement/AnnouncementContent.aspx?id=1481>.

### **3. Upcoming Conference Shows of China Data Center**

**Please visit our booth and meet the center staffs at the following event:**

Mar 16-19, 2017, Association for Asian Studies (AAS), Toronto, Canada

Mar 22-25, 2017, Association of College & Research Libraries (ACRL), Baltimore, MD

April 5-9, Association of American Geographers (AAG), Boston, MA

April 27-29, Population Association of America (PAA), Chicago, IL

June 18-20, Special Library Association (SLA), Phoenix, AZ

### **4. Postdoctoral Positions**

The China Data Center is offering partner training program for postdoctoral researchers and PhD students jointly with the University of Chicago, Wuhan University, Henan University, and several other universities with focuses on spatial social sciences, spatial data sciences and ecological system theory and applications.

Qualifications: Ph.D. or Ph.D. candidate in Economics, Statistics, Sociology, Computer, Geography, GIS, Environment, Ecology, Health or other related disciplines.

Desired Skills: Solid background in programming and statistics. Good verbal/written communication in English. Strong research interests in spatial social sciences, spatial data sciences and ecological system theories and applications.

To apply, please send the following documents to [chinadatatcenter@umich.edu](mailto:chinadatatcenter@umich.edu): 1. Cover letter stating the applicant's career goals and interests in the position; 2. Application form; 3. CV with a recent photo; 4. Sample papers; 5. Research plan; 6. Contact information for three references.

For more information about open positions and partner opportunities, please visit <http://chinadatatcenter.org> for details and contact China Data Center at (734)647-9610 or [chinadatatcenter@umich.edu](mailto:chinadatatcenter@umich.edu).