## New GIS Master's Degree Track

In fall 2019, a new track for the Geographic Information System (GIS) Master's degree will be available. Here's what you need to know:

- The degree is completely online to make it more available to anyone interested.
- The new track is targeted towards those who have 2-3 years of work experience in the GIS field.
- No GRE is required.
- Students admitted into the new track will be required to complete 36 credit hours.
- The degree can be completed in 24 months with only 2 classes per semester, including Fall, Spring, and Summer.
- Completing this Master's degree can significantly improve a student's career prospects.
- This track consists of new and exciting classes, such as Ethics in GIS Management, GIS Model Builder, GIS Programing, GIS Web Applications, and GIS for Professionals.
- Even if you have taken a break from a GIS career, but have the relevant experience, you are eligible to enroll.
- The instructors for these classes include Dr. Samuel Adu-Prah, Dr. Mark Leipnik, Dr. Falguni Mukherjee, and Dr. Gang Gong.
- For further information, contact Dr. Falguni Mukherjee, she is always available to answer any questions or concerns you may have. You can contact her at <u>fsm002@shsu.edu</u> or visit the department website at <u>https://www.shsu.edu/academics/geography-geology/gis/index.html</u>