

## **GEOG205, Winter 2017: Map critique OR Website assignment**

Worth 10%, due: March 24 (email to [wheate@unbc.ca](mailto:wheate@unbc.ca))

**Select a website related to the course- Cartography + Geomatics, that :**

- a. Has not been referred to in the class
- b. You find helpful in enhancing the course understanding OR
- c. Covers mapping topics of high interest to you
- d. The website should concern mapping (e.g. not just a location map)
- e. The website could relate to a specific part of the course or as a whole
- f. Avoid extensive websites that are hard to review (check with RW)

**In your word document (~ 2-3 pages, 1.5 spacing), include the following:**

- Basic description: what the website is about - including URL
- Value: why you appreciate this website
- Evaluate its strengths (and possible weaknesses)
- Include 2-3 images from the website that best exemplify its qualities  
(capture by right-click and copy or hit Print Screen, paste into Windows Paint)
- Any additional links that extend understanding the topic(s) covered
- Total 500-1000 words

### **Past examples:**

Recreation mapping e.g. ski maps, trails, mountain biking (map my ride etc..)

Online mapping course websites, references and blogs

Specific areas and countries - e.g. national / regional mapping sites

'how to' websites - map design and technology

Special types of mapping: fantasy maps, phone apps