March 2019

HIGHLIGHTS

Principles and Guidelines on the Use of Location-Based Data in Crisis Situations Join us on March 20 from 9:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. for a meeting dedicated to addressing the responsible use of geospatial data in response to human rights and humanitarian needs in crises. Register »

COALITION

Congressional Briefing: The Human Rights of Scientists, Scholars and Students On March 22, 2019 at 12:00 P.M. ET, SPSSI will host a Congressional Lunch Briefing on protecting and promoting the

QUICK LINKS

AAAS EVENTS
March 20, 2019
Washington, DC
AAAS Headquarters
Acutely Ethical: Principles and Guidelines on the Use of Location-Based Data in Crisis Situations
October 23-25, 2019
Washington, DC
AAAS Headquarters
Coalition 10th Anniversary Conference

OTHER EVENTS
March 22, 2019
Washington, DC
Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues
Protecting and Promoting the Human Rights of Scientists, Scholars, and Students Around the World
human rights of scientists, scholars and students around the world. The briefing is sponsored by Coalition members AAAS, ACS and the American Psychological Association. Learn more »

FABBS Honors Coalition Member Coalition affiliate member FABBS recently honored Paula Skedsvold for her contributions to the organization and to the field. Coalition members know Dr. Skedsvold as an active contributor to Coalition initiatives in her former role as the Executive Director of FABBS. Read »


Call for Proposals: Science and Human Rights Conference Share your innovative developments and applications of science and technology that support the efforts of human rights practitioners, as well as those that tackle human rights challenges associated with the conduct of science and

June 11-14, 2019 Tunis, Tunisia Access Now RightsCon 2019

OPPORTUNITIES Fellowship: Threatened Scholars (IIE Scholar Rescue Fund)

Fellowship: Medicines for All Institute Fellow (Virginia Commonwealth University)

Call for Nominations: Human Rights Innovators (AAAS Science and Human Rights Coalition)

Call for Proposals: Science and Human Rights Conference (AAAS Science and Human Rights Coalition)

Call for Papers: The Social Practice of Human Rights (Human Rights Center at the University of Dayton)

NEWS » Call to Ban Killer Robots in War (BBC News)

» China Bars Millions from Travel for ‘Social Credit’ Offenses (The Washington Post)

application of technology. Learn more »

**Call for Nominations: Human Rights Innovators** The Coalition will recognize outstanding examples of human rights projects that have effectively incorporated science and technology to achieve their goals. Learn more »

**ON-CALL SCIENTISTS**

**AAAS Member Spotlight: Brian Shmaefsky** Brian is a biology professor and Director of Service Learning at Lone Star College. From building safe-water systems in the Philippines to helping to remEDIATE polluting tanneries in Bangladesh as part of his work with On-call Scientists, he makes it a point to try to partner with the people who often are overlooked. Read »

**Welcome New Members** Three scientists whose mother tongue is Spanish joined the On-call Scientists roster in February, joining 60 others. If your human rights project would benefit from a volunteer scientist, engineer, or health professional fluent in Spanish, French, Arabic, Portuguese or other languages,

» Engaging Women and Girls in Science ‘Vital’ for Sustainable Development Goals (UN News)

» Google Joins Apple in Probing Saudi App that Lets Men Control Where Women Travel, as Pressure Piles on the Tech Giants to Kill the Service (Business Insider)

» Interview with Scholar and Indigenous Rights Activist Ryan Emanuel (Duke Today)

» ICE Halts Force-Feeding of Immigrant Detainees in Texas (AP News)

» IFAP Advocates for Protecting Linguistic Diversity at the Official Launch of the IYIL2019 (UNESCO)

» New Study Uses Big Data to Analyze the International Food Trade (Science Daily)

» Risks of Compulsory Genetic Data bases (Science)

**READING LIST**

Resources for 2019 International Year of Indigenous Languages (Linguistic Society of America)

**RESOURCES**

Human Rights Projects: Guidelines for Scientists and Human Rights Organizations