

# **GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES AND SPATIAL ANALYSIS**

Code 587

# TIGAT

#### **RESEARCH AREA**

Technological sciences, Social sciences

COORDINATOR

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### **KEYW ORDS**

Assets location, Modeling, Land use changes, Urban growth simulation, Geographic information systems

#### AIM

- Public sector: Administration in the field of land planning
- Private sector: consultancy on land, environment, health, archaeology and land planning related issues.

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# **ABOUT US**

The term "Geographical Information Technologies" (TIG) encompasses a wide range of spatial analysis tools (GIS, cartography, remote sensing ...) used to collect and to analyze digital information on the territory, which constitute crucial tasks in economic and social development, in environmental management, in good governance and in public participation initiatives.

The group leads research on the application of GIT to these areas since the early times of GIS in the 1990's. Our main objective is to apply research on GIT to various territorial issues, to contribute to enhance land planning and to offer products and services based on geolocated information to the public sector, to the citizens, and to the industry.

# **RESEARCH LINES**

- Application of GITs to socio-territorial issues (land use changes, location of assets and facilities, risk mapping, simulation of urban growth, etc.)
- Geography of plants and vegetation
- GIS and health
- Thematic mapping
- GIT in Geography education

# **OFFERED SERVICES**

- Consulting on diagnosis and optimal location of assets and facilities for public and private use, risk mapping, land use change modeling.
- Land planning: analysis and simulation of urban growth and its sustainability.
- Scientific production of thematic cartography, design and production of thematic atlases, mapping of landscapes, tourist resources, etc.
- Geographical analysis and mapping of flora and vegetation
- Advice, training, professional development in GIT

# **MARKETABLE RESULTS**

