INTRODUCING THE MURRAY STATE ASPRS STUDENT CHAPTER!

Student chapters represent an important part of our ASPRS community. The Student Advisor Council uses this column to shine the light on these hard-working students to honor their work and to introduce them to our larger geospatial community! This month we are highlighting the Murray State student chapter, based in Murray State University, Kentucky. This chapter is in the ASPRS Mid-South region.

The Murray State chapter consists of members majoring in various backgrounds, but who all are working diligently to inspire students of how awe-inspiring and powerful the subject photogrammetry and remote sensing can be. As of right now, since the chapter is relatively new, there are roughly seven members including Pamela Rodriguez (President), Logan McGowan (Vice President), Haley Stiles (Secretary), Atherton Milford (Treasurer), Melanie Johnson (Public Relations), Marshall Thompson, and Steven Collett. Together, this chapter is collectively working towards planning educational events around campus about the everyday usage of remote sensors, promoting ASPRS through upcoming workshops that can be available to others to learn GIS software, and encouraging others to become ASPRS members to learn about career opportunities and connect with mentors in the workforce.

Although COVID has made it difficult for this chapter to plan events, the Murray State Chapter is optimistic about planning new events and activities in the future and is committed to sharing any opportunities to students in the meantime. To learn more, email Pamela Rodriguez prodriguez2@murraystate.edu.

If you are interested in participating in SAC activities:

- Join us every other Thursday from 10-11 am PST!
- Join us via this zoom link: https://tinyurl.com/SACASPRSSMeeting