



International Cartographic Association  
Association Cartographique Internationale

# ICA Commission on Topographic Mapping

- Established at the 16th General Assembly (ICC2015, Rio de Janeiro)
- Aims to promote research into the design, production and development of topographic mapping
- Publications include books and special issues of peer-reviewed journals
- Co-organizes conferences and workshops with other Commissions (Art & Cartography, History, Cognitive Issues in Geographic Information Visualization)
- Website is <http://topo.icaci.org/>



10th Workshop of the ICA Commission on Mountain Cartography, Berchtesgaden, 28th–30th April 2016

## Activities 2015-2016

- Strategic planning with other Commissions at Chairs' meeting (Vienna, Austria)
- Participation at 10th ICA Mountain Cartography Workshop (Berchtesgaden, Germany)
- Participation at 6th Symposium on the History of Cartography (Dubrovnik, Croatia)
- Participation at AGILE Workshop (Helsinki, Finland)
- Participation at British Cartographic Society-Society of Cartographers Conference (Cheltenham, UK)



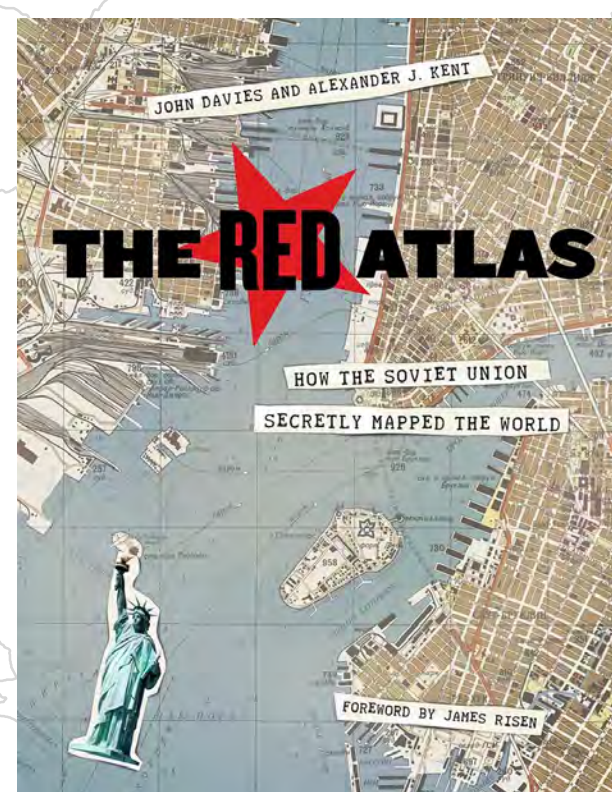
6th Workshop of the ICA Commission on the History of Cartography, Dubrovnik, 13th–15th October 2016

## Activities 2016-2017

- Strategic planning meetings at the Federal Office of Geodesy and Cartography, Frankfurt
- Joint organization of ICC2017 pre-conference workshop 'Maps and Emotions' with Commissions on Art & Cartography and on Cognitive Issues in Geographic Information Visualization (Washington, DC)
- Organization of three technical sessions during main programme and first business meeting held at ICC2017 (Washington, DC)
- Lectures on topographic mapping delivered to undergraduates at Adam Mickiewicz University (Poznan, Poland)

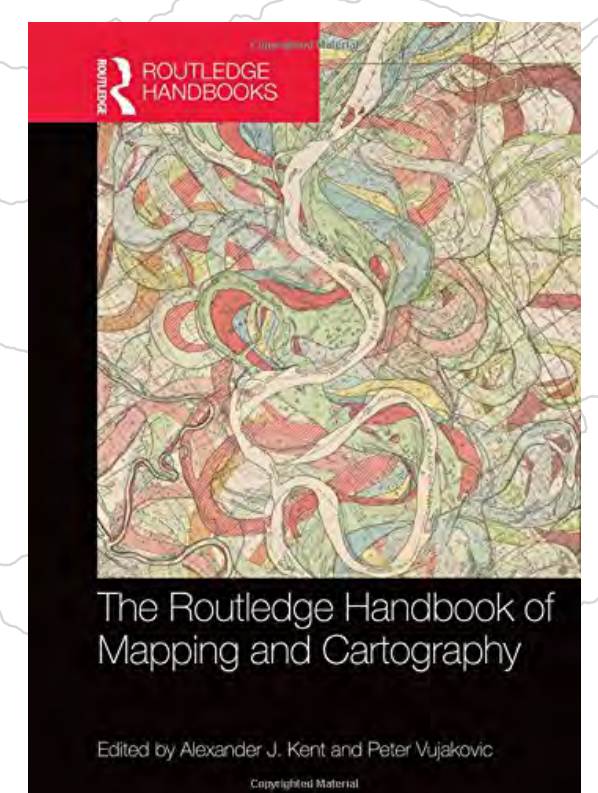


Participants of the Maps and Emotions Workshop (organized jointly by the ICA Commissions on Cognitive Issues in Geographic Information Visualization, Art & Cartography, and Topographic Mapping), that was held at The George Washington University, Washington, D.C., in July 2017



## Activities 2017-2018

- Publication of *The Red Atlas* (on Soviet topographic mapping) by the University of Chicago Press
- Publication of *The Routledge Handbook of Mapping and Cartography* (with aspects on the history and mathematical principles of topographic mapping) by Routledge
- Session devoted to topographic mapping organized at joint British Cartographic Society-Society of Cartographers conference (Durham, UK)



## Activities 2018-2019

- Joint organization of 7th Symposium on the History of Cartography 'Mapping Empires' with Commission on the History of Cartography (Oxford, UK)
- Publication of Special Issue of The Cartographic Journal entitled 'Topographic Mapping: Past, Present and Future'
- Joint organization (again with the Commission on the History of Cartography) of a pre-conference workshop 'Cartography as a Cultural Encounter'
- Organization of two technical sessions during main programme and second business meeting at ICC2019 (Tokyo, Japan)



Participants of Mapping Empires: Colonial Cartographies of Land and Sea (organized jointly by the ICA Commissions on History of Cartography and on Topographic Mapping), held in Oxford in September 2018