

# *Census Summer Camp*



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## **Data on a Deadline: Quick Data Tools & Interactive Maps**

- Thursday, June 9, 2016
- 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- Looking for statistics at your fingertips? Learn how to use a variety of data access tools available online at census.gov that can quickly provide a snapshot of your community. During this training you will learn about U.S. Census Bureau programs and products through live exercises and instruction using tools such as QuickFacts, Census Explorer, Easy Stats, American FactFinder, and more.

## **Your Neighborhood by the Numbers: Advanced American FactFinder (Tracts, Block Groups, & Blocks)**

- Friday, June 10, 2016
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- This workshop is designed for data users who are already familiar with ACS datasets and the American FactFinder tool. You will learn how to access key demographic, socioeconomic and housing indicators for non-traditional geographies such as tracts, block groups, and blocks. Users will be able to utilize these geographies to define neighborhoods and service areas and create community profiles and basic maps.

## **Migration: Where are We Moving?**

- Tuesday, June 14, 2016
- 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- Learn how to use the Census Flows Mapper, a web mapping application with county-to-county migration flows maps of the United States. The data are from the 2006-2010, 2007-2011, and 2008-2013 5 year estimates of the American Community Survey. Work force characteristics are also included.

## **The American Community Survey (ACS) & Your Community by the Numbers**

- Tuesday, June 21, 2016
- 8:30 am – 10:00 am
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- In this webinar you will learn the basics of the American Community Survey (ACS) and receive an illustration of various easy-to-use data tools to retrieve data on your community.

## **Where to Find Business & Economic Data on census.gov**

- Thursday, June 23, 2016
- 8:30 am – 10:00 am
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- In this webinar you will learn how to navigate census.gov in order to view business and economic data. We will view economic indicators and trends as well as learn to use various data tools. You will discover resources to help you make business decisions, plan and compare your business to others.

## **On The Map: Road To Employment Dynamics**

- Thursday, June 23, 2016
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- Workshop is designed for data users researching local workforce and employment trends. You will learn how to use the OnTheMap tool, which is a web-based mapping and reporting application that shows where workers are employed and where they live. It also provides companion reports on age, sex, earning, industry distribution, race, ethnicity, and educational attainment.

## **Idaho Communities by the Numbers: Race, Ethnicity, Foreign Born, and Ancestry**

- Friday, July 8, 2016
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- Learn about how to access Census and American Community Survey data about race, ethnicity, foreign born and ancestry groups using a variety of online tools available at census.gov. During this training you will learn about how the Census Bureau collects and publishes data on these topics, as well how to access and download tables, and creates maps.

## ***Just Added!* Creating Custom Tables and Colorful Maps Using American FactFinder**

- Thursday, July 14, 2016
- 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- Did you ever want to dabble in data visualizations but don't know how? If so, this introductory workshop to some of the most useful American FactFinder tools might be the best place to start! This brief (40 minute) hands-on demonstration will explain how users can easily modify default table and map views to customize their output. In this course, users should expect to be able to create custom tables and colorful maps while building upon existing knowledge of American FactFinder.

## ***Just Added!* Increasing Your Competitive Advantage - New Tools to Access Regional Economic Development Data from the US Census Bureau**

- Wednesday, July 20, 2016
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- COMPASS Large Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- This training includes an introduction to three tools. The Census Business Builder Regional Analyst Edition is the latest edition of the tool that presents data for all sectors of the economy by region in multiple counties. This regional approach enhances the ability of regional planning and economic development organizations to study their region by counties and compare it to neighboring region's counties. Census Business Builder is a suite of services that provides selected demographic and economic data from the Census Bureau tailored to specific types of users in a simple to access and use format. The Regional Analyst Edition features economic and demographic data viewable in a map, report, or table; and trend charts to identify changes over time for your industry or market. It provides the ability to compare data and downloadable and printable business reports with county level information dynamically generated from Census Bureau data.
- **Bring your own laptop to participate in hands-on exercises:** This is a hands-on training, which means participants will be on-line with the Instructors following along with their own computer/laptop to learn how to navigate the Business Builder tool.

***More sessions may be added – keep checking back!***