

Crowdsourcing as a source of student mobility data

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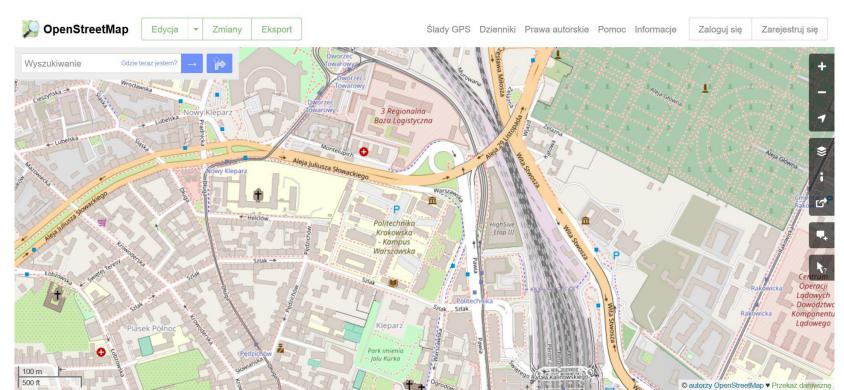
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Crowdsourcing – in geography also known as Volunteered Geographic Information (VGI)

Volunteered geographic information (VGI) is the harnessing of tools to create, assemble, and disseminate geographic data provided voluntarily by individuals

Goodchild, 2007



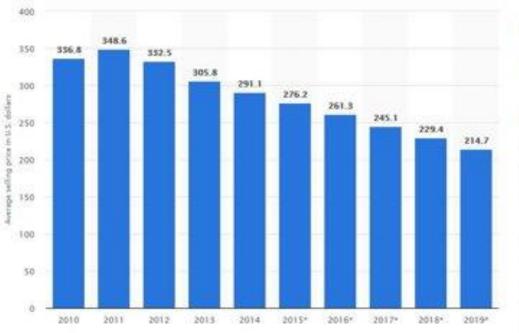


http://www.polakvanbekkum.com

Maps of Amsterdam 1866-2000



Global average selling price of smartphones from 2010 to 2019 (in U.S. dollars)





This graph shows the average selling price of smartphones worldwide from 2010 to 2019. In 2014, smartphones were sold at an average price of 291.1 U.S. dollars worldwide.

Smartphone average selling price - additional information

The global average selling price of smartphones reached the highest figure to date in 2011, when these devices were sold for an average of 348.6 U.S. dollars. Since then, the average selling price of

www.statista.com







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Global Heatmap

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Heatmap Color Hot

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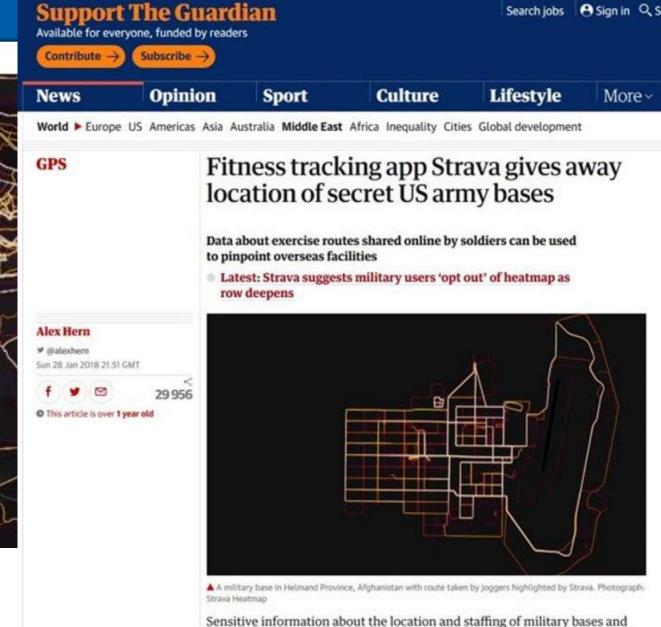
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Layers

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spy outposts around the world has been revealed by a fitness tracking



We wanted to create similar maps of student activity within typical week:

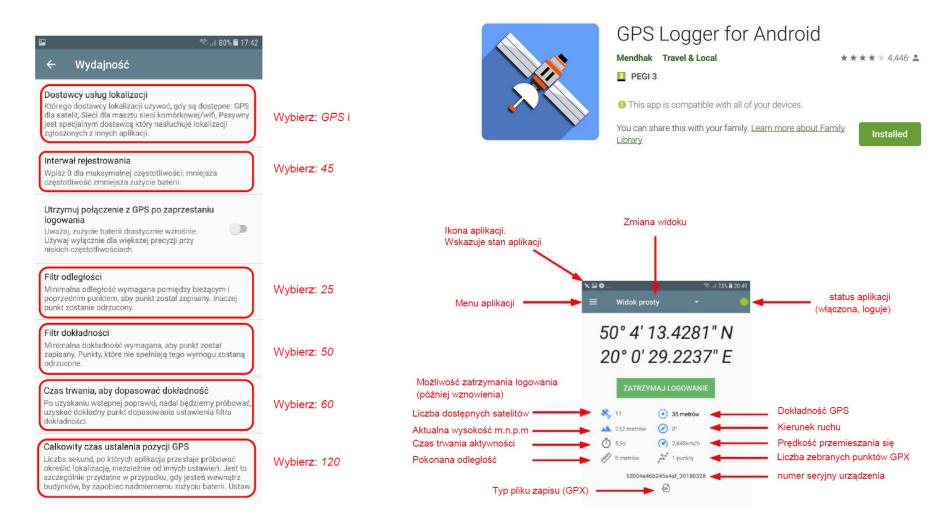
- By using smartphones
- Freely available app

We did it two times (year by year):

- In a small group to test the method
- In larger group to compare the activity among 5 Krakow Universities

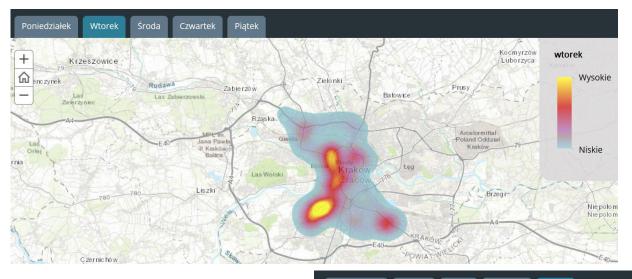


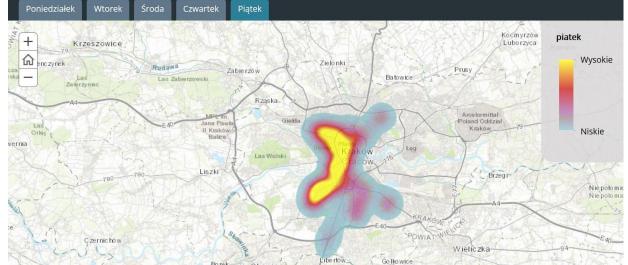
Manuals for participants





First edition – 2017 (9-11 geography students)



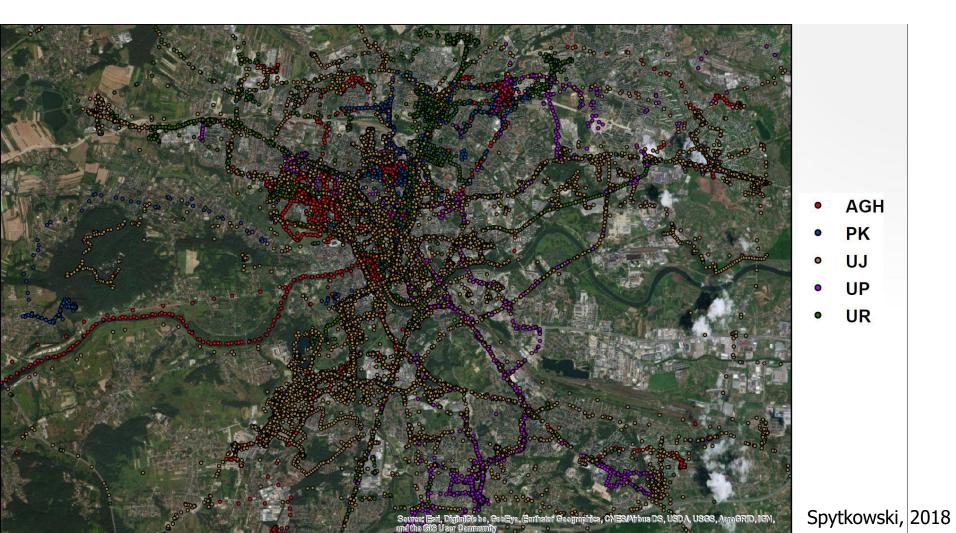


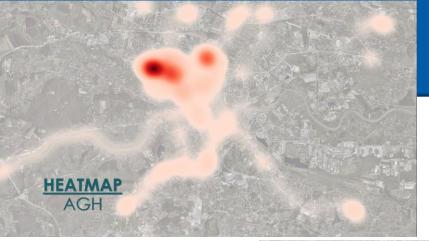
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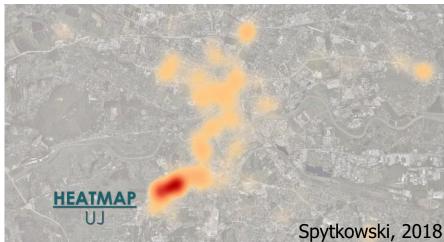


Second edition – 2018 (50-60 students from 5 Universities, 3 times x 1 week)

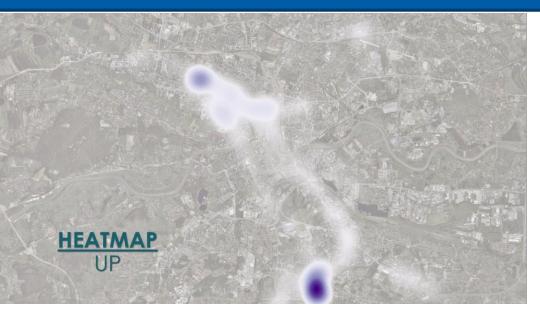


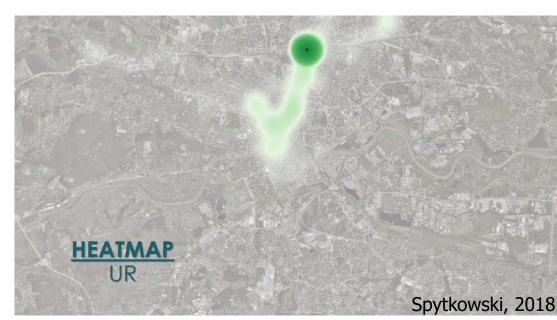


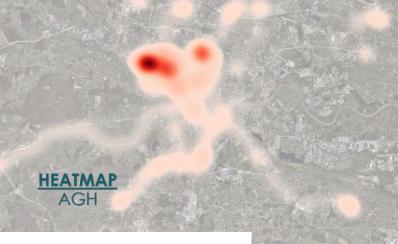


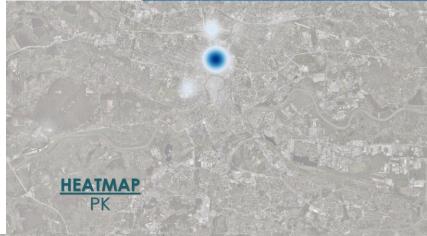


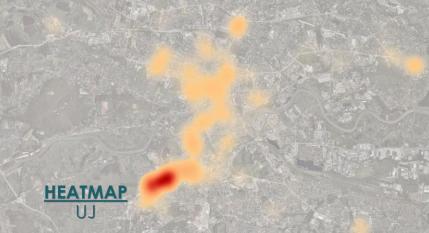








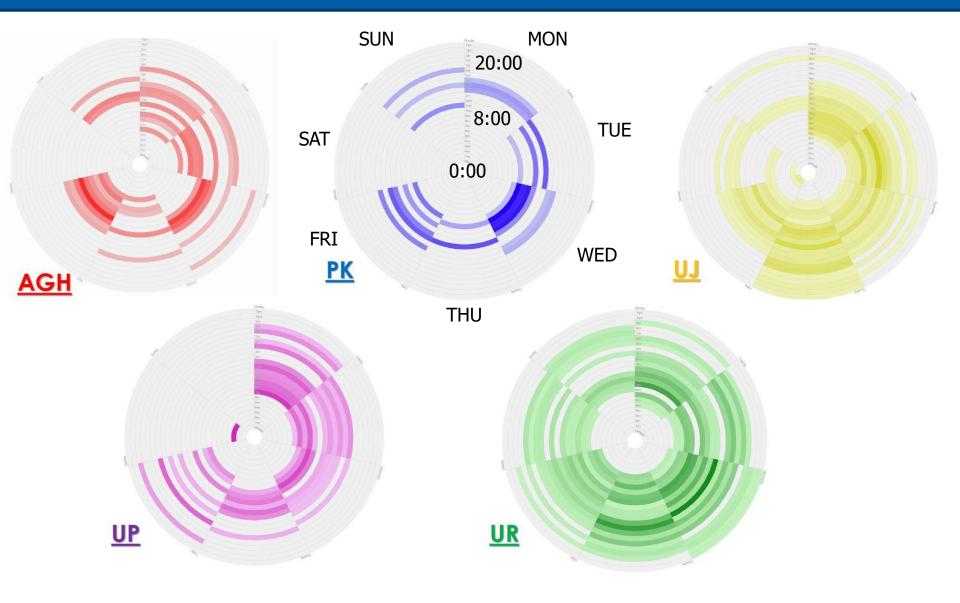






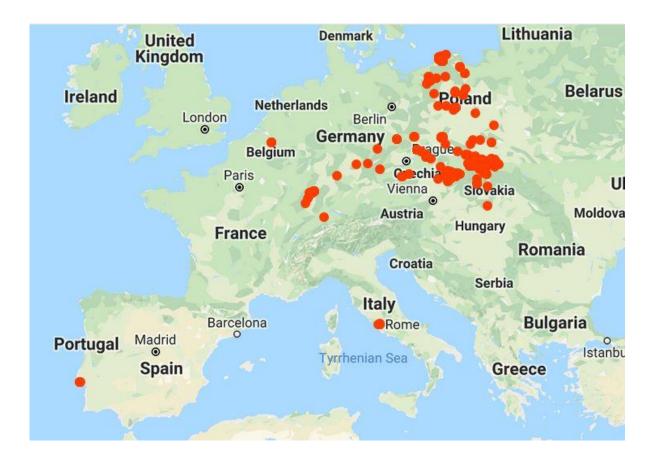






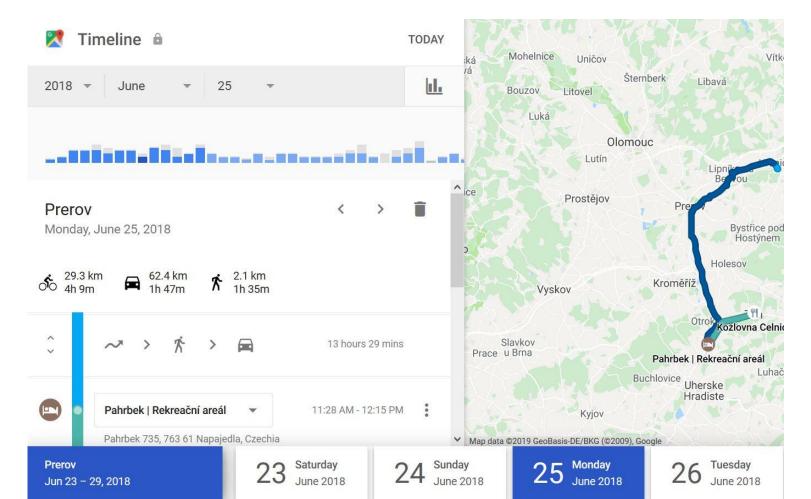


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Conclusions:

- Smartphones give us the possibility to collect the data on spatial and temporal activity of students
- Although student use many apps collecting their daily activity, they were afraid of taking part in the anonymous research
- It is hard to conclude from the data we collected, as it was not random and massive – lack of statistical significance
- It showed however, some spatial and temporal activity pattern of those, who took part in the research
- Massive data collection could help us in defining travel behavior, spatial activities and importance of the quality of the University spaces



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