



The Industry Conference Resource

February 2017

CRITICAL DATES

- **Minnesota Transportation Conference** - The early registration deadline is February 20. Register today and save \$50.00 [HERE](#).
- **98th Annual AGC Convention** - The hotel block closes on February 9th. In order to secure a room and receive the special group block click [HERE](#).
- **AASHTO NTPEP Conference** - The early registration fee ends on February 10. The hotel block deadline is February 17. To register or make a hotel reservation click [HERE](#).
- **IBTTA Communication and Administration Workshop** - The hotel reservation deadline is February 17. To make your hotel reservation before the deadline click [HERE](#).
- **AASHTO re:source Technical Exchange** - The hotel reservation deadline is March 6. Click [HERE](#) to make your hotel reservation.

NEW MEETINGS

- **AASHTO SCOBS** - sponsorship opportunities for the Standing Committee on Bridge and Structures is now available. Sponsorship options are limited and on a first come, first-served basis. Click [HERE](#) to secure your sponsorship today!
- **Mileage-Based User Fee Alliance (MBUFA) 4th Annual National Conference** - to learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).
- **LCPtracker Ignite Annual User Conference** - to learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).
- **55th Annual CESASC Conference (Chinese-American Engineers and Scientists Association of Southern California)** - to learn more about this conference and non-profit organization dedicated to excellence in science and engineering click [HERE](#).
- **ASQ World Conference on Quality and Improvement** - to learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).
- **Partners in Emergency Preparedness Conference (PIEPC)** - the Northwest's premier emergency preparedness conference with more than 700 attendees. To register, sponsor, speak/demo or exhibit click [HERE](#).

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CESASC Convention to Bring Top Scientists and Engineers Together



The [CESASC](#) 55th Annual Convention will bring award-winning engineers and scientists together to share ground-breaking information and highlight some of the greatest accomplishments in engineering and science over the past year. The program will include a Luncheon, Technical Symposium, Evening Gala and Award Reception. Previous award recipients included Nobel Laureates, members of US National Academy of Sciences, National Academy of Engineering and Institute of Medicine, Corporate and University executives, members of Committee 100, as well as public officials.

Confirmed speakers to date include:

- Phil Washington, CEO, Los Angeles Metro
- Dr. Yinuo Li, Young Achievement Award
- Dr. Wilson Ho, Achievement Award
- Dr. Lee-Lueng Fu, Achievement Award

The convention will be held at the Sheraton Universal Hotel on April 15, 2017 and feature STEM, student scholarship, and business innovation competitions for students from high school, college and graduate school. CESASC is the Chinese-American Engineers and Scientists Association of Southern California and is dedicated to showcasing accomplishments within the industry. Take advantage of this unique opportunity to network with some of the top engineers and scientists from throughout the world.

Check out the event details above in the "New Meetings" section or down below in the April listing.

2017 Conference List

February 2017

- **12th Annual Texas Transportation Forum**

February 5 - 7 | Austin, TX
JW Marriott

The mission of the Texas Transportation Forum is to annually bring together transportation leaders and advocates, industry innovators, local, state and national policy makers to discuss the "State of Transportation" and how to take "beyond the box" ideas and turn them into reality. To register for this conference click [HERE](#).

- **18th Annual Association of Modified Asphalt Producers Conference and Workshop**

February 7 - 9 | St. Petersburg, FL
Hilton Bayfront

If you are associated with the asphalt industry in any way-buyer, owner, DOT or municipality official, contractor, producer, refiner, terminal operator or consulting engineer-you can't afford to miss this meeting. February 7 is the workshop and February 8-9 is the conference. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **Alabama Transportation Conference**

Auburn's Civil Engineering Department and the Program Committee have designed the Annual Transportation Conference for federal and state highway personnel, road building contractors, general contractors, heavy construction contractors, utility contractors, county engineers, consulting engineers, construction material vendors, researchers, professional society representatives, and university faculty members. It provides an opportunity for these individuals to share innovative advances in transportation planning, engineering design, and construction. To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

- **ATSSA 47th Annual Convention & Traffic Expo**

February 10 - 14 | Phoenix, AZ
Hyatt Regency Phoenix

ATSSA's 47th Annual Convention & Traffic Expo is the premier event for more than 3,000 roadway safety professionals and transportation officials from across the USA and around the globe. The convention brings together business leaders, government officials, manufacturers, corporate roadway department personnel and all manner of people involved in nearly every aspect of roadway safety. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **Illinois Transportation Highway Engineering Conference (T.H.E)**

February 28 - March 1 | Chicago, IL
Illini Union Hotel

Each year, hundreds of transportation engineers, officials, technicians, faculty and students gather to discuss issues critical to the safe and economical movement of people and goods across Illinois, the U.S.A., and beyond. To register, sponsor and/or exhibit click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Leadership Academy**

February 12 - 17 | Washington, DC
Washington Marriott Georgetown

The Leadership Academy is an executive development program tailored specifically for senior-level managers in public and private sector organizations that serve the toll industry. This intense week-long course is taught by internationally recognized toll industry leaders, business partners, educators and public officials. The curriculum includes all facets of toll agency operations, administration, finance, marketing, business development, board relations, public affairs and related topics. The Executive Development Program is directed by Barbara K. Gannon, Psy.D., who has designed and delivered education and training programs in the transportation sector for over 20 years. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **WASHTO Civil Rights Training & Symposium**

February 20 - 23 | San Diego, CA
Wyndham San Diego Bayside

We invite you to join us in San Diego February 20th -23rd, 2017 to partner with USDOT professionals, DOT staff, Contractors, and other important stakeholders to go beyond business as usual. We are focused on educating the attendees and providing a collaborative atmosphere for both the public and private sector to network and build relationships. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Washington Briefing**

February 28 - March 2 | Washington, DC
Washington Court Hotel

The Washington Briefing is an excellent opportunity to collaborate with State Departments of Transportation leaders and industry executives on pressing policy matters. Highlighting legislative developments in all modes of transportation, the 2017 edition of this longstanding forum will focus on

the new Presidential administration and Congress, infrastructure investments opportunities, continued implementation of the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act, and discussion of pending and proposed regulatory activities. Given the close partnerships necessary to best serve the traveling public and businesses around the country, the conference will feature key stakeholder groups including Congressional members and staff, federal executive branch leaders, trade associations, and media. To register for this conference and/or sponsor click [HERE](#).

March 2017

- **Minnesota's Transportation Conference**

March 1 - 2 | St. Paul, MN
St. Paul Rivercenter

Minnesota's Transportation Conference, the largest transportation event in the state, explores the latest transportation innovations and provides attendees with the chance to network with other professionals. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **98th Annual AGC Convention**

March 7 - 9 | Las Vegas, NV
Bellagio Hotel

The 2017 Convention features a packed program focused on sharing solutions from experienced contractors and industry experts on key construction issues, networking events structured so you can make valuable new connections, and opportunities to shape the future of the construction industry and the association. To learn more, register, sponsor and/or exhibit click [HERE](#).

- **CONEXPO-CON/AGG**

March 7 - 11 | Las Vegas, NV
Multiple Hotels

Where every major construction industry is represented amongst 2,500+ exhibitors over 2,500,000 square feet and more than 150 education sessions including asphalt, aggregates, concrete, earthmoving, lifting, mining, utilities and more. To register, sponsor and/or exhibit click [HERE](#).

- **National League of Cities Congressional City Conference**

March 11 - 15 | Washington, DC
Marriott Wardman Park Hotel

Join city leaders from across the country as we advocate together for the priorities of cities in Washington. With new players on the Hill and in the White House, this year it's more important than ever to make your voice heard on behalf of your community. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO NTPEP Conference**

March 12 - 16 | Boston, MA
Seaport Hotel

The National Transportation Product Evaluation Program (NTPEP) was established in 1994 as a Technical Services Program which reports to Standing Committee on Highways (SCOH). The program combines the professional and physical resources of the AASHTO member departments in order to evaluate materials, products and devices of common interest for use in highway and bridge construction. The primary goals of the program are to provide cost-effective evaluations for the state DOTs by eliminating duplication of testing and auditing by the states and duplication of effort by the manufactures that provide products for evaluation. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Communication and Administration Workshop**

March 12 - 14 | Tampa, FL
Grand Hyatt Tampa Bay

This Workshop will focus on both the communications and administrative aspects of businesses in our industry. Communication is key to every element of our operations. Therefore, content will focus on developing the impact that communications has on our strategies and goals, evaluating social media outreach, human resources and our procurement processes. Roundtable discussions and interactive exercises will enable attendees to develop plans and outcomes. Plan to participate whether you are the CEO managing the big picture, communications staff creating social media or crisis communications plans, working in human resources or responsible for creating or responding to procurement proposals. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO re:source Technical Exchange**

March 27 - 29 | Annapolis, MD
The Westin Annapolis

The 2017 AASHTO re:source Technical Exchange is a one-of-a-kind event. It is an excellent opportunity for laboratory managers, quality managers, supervisors, and technicians to learn about pertinent industry topics presented by AASHTO re:source staff and other subject matter experts. You will also have a chance to provide input into AASHTO re:source's programs and interact with your peers through a roundtable session. The tentative agenda also includes calibration, quality management system, and technical tracks. To learn more click [HERE](#).

April 2017

- **Innovative & Effective Partnering Conference**

April 4 - 6 | Reno, NV
Sparks - Reno Convention Center

The national conference will emphasize the need for partnering; highlight the top two or three state of the art partnering practices; and, showcase how these recognized leaders are supporting and advancing the use of partnering on highway construction projects. The sessions will provide a forum for participants to share their experiences "lessons learned" and identify opportunities for advancement. To learn more or register click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Transportation Curriculum Coordination Council Annual Mtg**

April 9 - 12 | Annapolis, MD
Doubletree by Hilton Annapolis

To learn more about the conference click [HERE](#).

- **CESASC 55th Annual Convention**

April 15 | Universal City, CA
Sheraton Universal Hotel

The 55th Annual CESASC Convention will bring leaders and top science and engineering professionals together for the annual luncheon, technical symposium and evening gala and award reception on April 15, 2017 at the Sheraton Universal Hotel. This year's theme is "Building for the Future". Click [HERE](#) to register today.

- **Geotechnical & Materials Engineers Council (GMEC) Meeting**

April 20 - 21 | Orlando, FL
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Orlando East

To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Spring Board of Directors & Committees Meeting**

April 21 - 22 | Jersey City, NJ
Hyatt Regency Jersey City on the Hudson

To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Summit on Finance, Policy, VMT**

April 23 - 25 | Jersey City, NJ
Hyatt Regency Jersey City on the Hudson

This Summit will bring together individuals interested in transportation funding, finance, road using charging and policy to address the most effective ways to improve mobility in a constrained resource environment. The program will include U.S. and international viewpoints. Sessions will address changes in P3 financing, encouraging cooperation with Disadvantaged Business Enterprises and new aspects of violation enforcement. Subject-matter experts will provide data, experiences and perspectives to stimulate discussion on innovative financing solutions from around the world. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **APWA - North American Snow Conference**

April 23 - 25 | Des Moines, IA
Iowa Event Center HY-VEE Hall

Information is now available and can be found [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Right of Way, Utilities, and Outdoor Advertising Control (ROWUOAC)**

April 30 - May 4 | Indianapolis, IN
Crowne Plaza

The conference information can now be found [HERE](#).

May 2017

- **ASQ World Conference on Quality and Improvement**

May 1 - 3 | Charlotte, NC
Charlotte Convention Center

With more than 100 sessions and workshops along with 2,500 attendees from around the world this is the premier conference that shares ideas, connects business professionals and fosters business relationship in quality. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **ATSSA's Legislative Briefing and Fly-In**

May 3 - 4 | Washington, DC
Hotel Info Coming Soon

This conference is a unique opportunity for ATSSA members to meet high-level decision makers from Congress, as well as network with fellow industry leaders. More information coming soon.

- **FICE Transportation Conference**

May 10 - 11 | Orlando, FL
Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport

To learn about the latest news and trends in Florida Transportation and network with over 350 attendees that include FDOT and decision makers then register today by clicking [HERE](#).

- **California Transit Authority Legislative Conference**

May 17 | Sacramento, CA
Tsakopoulos Library Galleria

the Spring Legislative Conference provides an ideal opportunity to meet face-to-face with other transit advocates, network with colleagues, and make an impact by bringing public transit to the forefront with state and federal policy makers. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **WTS International Annual Conference**

May 17 - 19 | New York, NY

During this interactive, three-day session, transportation leaders will exchange ideas and learn about the latest developments in transportation. More than 700 corporate and governmental industry leaders worldwide will be in attendance at the conference. A multitude of thoughtful and engaging topics will be covered, including autonomous technologies, transportation funding, shared mobility solutions, innovative data collection methods, professional development, and more! Registration opens in January.

- **IBTTA Maintenance & Roadway Operations Workshop**

May 21 - 23 | New Orleans, LA
Royal Sonesta New Orleans

This meeting will continue to be an opportunity to share innovative ideas and best practices from around the world to improve our roadway systems. We'll explore topics such as the relationship between MAP-21 and asset management, including its effect on life-cycle assessment, trust indenture, dynamically priced lanes and more. Other sessions will address the legal issues associated with drones, bridge and tunnel maintenance, security and threat assessment and active traffic management. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Spring Meeting**

May 22 - 25 | Portland, ME
Holiday Inn Portland - By the Bay

The AASHTO Spring Meeting is an excellent opportunity to collaborate with your colleagues in the transportation industry. The meeting offers state transportation executives the opportunity to network and share the latest in industry policies and innovations. More information will be available soon.

June 2017

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Bridge and Structures**

June 11 - 15 | Spokane, WA
Washington Court Hotel

To view the sponsorship information and secure a sponsorship click [HERE](#).

- **Community Transportation Association of America (CTAA)**

June 15 - 17 | Detroit, MI
Hotel info coming soon.

The annual Community Transportation EXPO is your chance to collaborate with colleagues from

around the nation and across the full spectrum of transportation service providers in a setting dedicated to fresh ideas, innovative products and services, networking and learning. From traditional transit systems to NEMT providers, mobility managers to volunteer operators, EXPO is the confluence of the community transportation field. In addition to important legislative discussions, there will be dozens of training sessions, workshops and networking events that will allow you to advance your understanding of issues, and develop fresh solutions and new approaches. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **Oklahoma Society of Professional Engineers - Oklahoma Engineering Conference**

June 15 - 16 | Oklahoma, OK
Moore Norman Technology Center

The Annual Oklahoma Engineering Conference consists of training session and workshops, general interest sessions, social events, and networking opportunities for members and nonmembers of OSPE, a state society of the National Society of Professional Engineers. The Conference attendees will include professional engineers from all cities and counties in Oklahoma as well as engineers with diverse background and work environments, including industry, government, education, construction, and private practice. To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Traffic Engineering & NCUTCD Joint Meeting**

June 24 - 26 | Pittsburgh, PA
Sheraton Pittsburgh Hotel at Station Square

The meeting information and website will be available soon.

- **WASHTO Annual Meeting**

June 25 - 28 | Juneau, AK
Centennial Hall Convention Center

WASHTO 2017 ALASKA will be attended by State Department of Transportation CEOs, Chief Engineers, and executive leadership from the 18 westernmost states in the country, as well as executives from the US Department of Transportation and Federal Highways Administration. Other notable attendees are national transportation leaders from the private sector and academia. To learn more click [HERE](#).

July 2017

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Internal & External Audit**

July 8 - 13 | Missoula, MT
Holiday Inn Downtown Missoula

The meeting information and website will be available soon.

- **NASTO Annual Conference**

July 10 - 12 | Philadelphia, PA
Hilton Penn's Landing

The Northeast Association of State Transportation Officials (NASTO) brings together representatives from state transportation departments of the Northeastern United States and the Canadian provinces of Ontario and Quebec. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **COMTO 46th Annual & Training Conference**

July 14 - 18 | Detroit, MI
Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center

More information to come soon and can be found [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Conference Planning**

July 15 | Dallas, TX
Hilton Anatole

All IBTTA members are welcome and encouraged to attend. Working with a facilitator and your industry colleagues, we will brainstorm ideas, topics and learning formats to be included in our 2018 educational workshops. This roundtable session is free and open to all IBTTA members. If you're looking for a simple and effective way to get plugged into IBTTA, this is a great way to do it. We need your expertise, input and creativity. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA & TRB Joint Symposium on AET & Managed Lanes**

July 16 - 18 | Dallas, TX
Hilton Anatole

For the first time, IBTTA is joining forces with the Transportation Research Board (TRB) to explore how our organizations can work together to forecast what innovations can support the ever-growing need for managed lanes and all-electronic tolling. Considering the existing methods, one goal of the conference is to identify future technologies that can interconnect our roadways while making it easy for customers to understand and use the roads. Managed lanes are key to these solutions and are essential test beds for the revelatory technology headed our way. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Joint Subcommittee on Design and Standing Committee on Environment**

July 16 - 20 | Des Moines, IA
Des Moines Marriott

Registration, sponsorship and exhibit information coming soon.

- **AASHTO National RAC and TRB State Reps Meeting**

July 24 - 27 | Louisville, KY
Brown Hotel

More information to come soon.

- **MAASTO Annual Meeting**

July 25 - 27 | Cleveland, OH
Cleveland Renaissance Hotel

The Ohio Department of Transportation will host the 108th Annual Meeting of the Mid-America Association of State Transportation Officials in 2017. More details will be coming soon!

- **AASHTO Maintenance Conference**

July 29 - August 3 | Providence, RI
Omni Hotel

The meeting information and website will be available soon.

- **Joint AASHTO SCOP/SCOPM/TAM Meeting**

July 30 - August 4 | Cincinnati, OH
Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza

August 2017

- **AASHTO Materials Meeting**

August 7 - 10 | Phoenix, AZ
Sheraton Grand Phoenix

The subcommittee shall prepare, publish and keep current: (1) specifications for materials used in the construction and maintenance of all transportation facilities including highways, bridges and structures; (2) specifications for standard methods of sampling and testing such materials and other items incidents to construction, maintenance and operation of such facilities; and (3) information on the performance of special products evaluated by Member Departments. Conference website, sponsorship and exhibit information will be available soon.

- **SASHTO Annual Meeting**

August 13 - 15 | Norfolk, VA
Hilton Norfolk The Main

The meeting information and website will be available soon.

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Construction**

August 13 - 18 | Cincinnati, OH
Hyatt Regency Cincinnati

The meeting information, sponsorship and exhibit opportunities will be available soon.

- **Midwest Rail Conference**

August 15 - 17 | Kalamazoo, MI
Western Michigan University - Fetzer Center

More information coming soon.

- **Florida Transportation Data Symposium**

August 22 - 24 | Orlando, FL
Hyatt Regency Orlando International Airport

To learn more about this meeting click [HERE](#).

- **ATSSA Midyear Meeting**

August 23 - 25 | Louisville, KY
Louisville Kentucky Downtown

To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **APWA - Public Works Expo (PWX)**

August 27 - 30 | Orlando, FL
Hotel info coming soon

More information about this conference coming soon.

September 2017

- **IBTTA Fall Board of Directors & Committees Meeting**

September 7 - 9 | Atlanta, GA
Atlanta Marriott Marquis

To learn more about this meeting click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA 85th Annual Meeting & Exhibition**

September 10 - 13 | Atlanta, GA
Atlanta Marriott Marquis

The Most Significant Gathering of Toll Professionals in the World! Each year, IBTTA develops rich content around the most important topics in our industry and then brings together the top influencers and leaders to talk about them. Reaching every discipline and role, we assure you that over these four days you will explore creative solutions and exchange ideas from new colleagues and old friends and return home ready to apply what you've learned to your organization's success. Atlanta is sure to be a memorable IBTTA Annual Meeting so be sure to save the date! Visit this page frequently for updated information on the program details and agenda, exhibit and sponsorship opportunities and technical and social tours. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **ARTBA National Convention**

September 17 - 20 | Fernandina Beach, FL
Omni Amelia Island Hotel

More information to come soon.

- **AASHTO Annual Meeting**

September 25 - 28 | Phoenix, AZ
Sheraton Grand Phoenix

The meeting information and website will be available soon.

October 2017

November 2017

- **California Transit Association 53rd Annual Fall Conference and Expo**

November 8 - 10 | Riverside, CA
Hotel info coming soon

Registration and website link coming soon.

- **National League of Cities City Summit**

November 15 - 18 | Charlotte, NC
Hotel info coming soon.

More information to come.

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