

It's just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you attend, have attended or have interest in transportation conferences, classes or seminars. This newsletter is ONLY sent out once a month and is to be used as a platform for locating national and local educational transportation conferences, classes, trade shows, and seminars.

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The Industry Conference Resource

July 2016

CRITICAL DATES

- **MAASTO 2016 Conference** - To save \$100 register before July 16.
Click [HERE](#) to register before the deadline.
- **AASHTO Construction** - Register before July 15 to save \$50!
Click [HERE](#) to register.
- **Ohio Conference on Freight** - Early registration ends July 29.
Click [HERE](#) to register before the deadline.
- **APWA's Public Works Expo (PWX)** - The biggest show in Public Works! Save \$100 by registering before July 8.
Click [HERE](#) to register.
- **IHEEP 2016** - Exhibit space is almost sold out and sponsorship opportunities are depleting. In order to secure an exhibit booth or sponsorship register today!
Click [HERE](#) to view the options.

NEW RELEASES

- **AMOTIA 8th Annual Conference** - registration and sponsorship options are now available and can be found [HERE](#).
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2016 TRAC Bridge Build Challenge

AASHTO Spring Meeting

Des Moines, Iowa- On May 24, students from across the country descended on Des Moines, Iowa to participate in the TRAC National Transportation and Civil Engineering Bridge Building Challenge at the American Association of State Highway Transportation Officials (AASHTO) Spring Meeting. The AASHTO Bridge Challenge is a national competition designed to promote an interest in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). The program enhances STEM instruction and introduces students to engineering through hands-on, real-world applications. The competition is open to students in grades seven through twelve within the participating TRAC states.

"Bentley Systems is a proud supporter as a corporate sponsor and content creator of AASHTO's TRAC program, and what it is doing for STEM education across the country," said Bentley Systems Vice President of Transportation Solutions Tom Clemens. "The students who participate in this program learn skills that will encourage them to pursue degrees in STEM related fields, particularly civil engineering, and propel them forward when they enter the workforce."

Nine teams, in three different categories, 7th-8th grade, 9th-10th grade and 11th-12th grade, were selected for the finals by judges, who rated the team's design and portfolio. During the finals, the teams participated in a presentation and their bridges were tested for strength-to-weight ratio. The team from each category receiving the most points from judges was selected as the national winner.

"I was struck by the student's enthusiasm and depth of knowledge and understanding of bridge design and building. Once again, I was assured that 'this is simply the right thing to do' by sponsoring the National TRAC Bridge Building Challenge," said Michael Baker International Executive Vice President Jim Twomey. "I'm confident that through TRAC we will attract more students to the field of Civil Engineering."

Initially, each team was provided a TRAC Challenge Entry Kit, materials and guidelines to construct a bridge. Each participating team then submitted a portfolio with their bridge design. During the finals, students presented their PowerPoint presentation and tested the strength-to-weight ratio of the bridge. To learn more on how your company can be more involved in the program click [HERE](#). For sponsorship options, contact [Ernie Cochran](#).



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2016 Conference List

JULY 2016

- **11th National Conference on Transportation Asset Management**

July 10 - 12 | Minneapolis, MN
Minneapolis Marriott City Center

This meeting will serve as the forum for moving MAP-21 asset management initiatives into practice and will be the venue for a wide range of federal, state, MPO/local, and transit agencies, as well as private sector practitioners and university researchers to share knowledge, sponsor peer to peer learning and work together. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Internal/External Audit Subcommittee Annual Meeting**

July 16 - 20 | Washington, DC
JW Marriott Hotel

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

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Maintenance Meeting**

July 17 - 21 | Las Vegas, NV
Renaissance Hotel - (registration available early April)

The premier conference on maintenance and asset management with more than 220 attendees and 30 exhibits. This is the conference to grow ones business through relationship building. Come join us in Las Vegas with an agenda full of educational information. Registration is now live and can be accessed [HERE](#).

- **Automated Vehicle Symposium 2016 (Co-Sponsored by TRB and AUVSI)**

July 19 - 21 | San Francisco, CA
Hilton San Francisco Union Square

Mark your calendar as this dynamic event will feature interactive breakout sessions, forums for networking and leading speakers discussing and debating these and other key questions facing the future of this industry. Website and registration are now live and can be found [HERE](#).

- **NACo Annual Conference and Exhibition**

July 22 - 25 | Long Beach, CA
Hotel Info coming soon

The Annual Conference provides county officials with a great opportunity to vote on NACo's policies related to federal legislation and regulation; elect officers; network with colleagues; learn about innovative county programs; find out about issues impacting counties across the country; and view products and services from participating companies and exhibitors. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Summit on AET, Managed Lanes & Interoperability**

July 24 - 26 | Boston, MA
Boston Marriott Copley Palace

This summit will hold three tracks on technology, business, and communications. To learn more about this Summit click [HERE](#)

- **Ohio DOT Planning Conference**

July 26 - 27 | Columbus, OH
Hyatt Regency Columbus

The conference joins transportation planners from across Ohio to discuss emerging trends and new tools for effective transportation planning. It is an important event for promoting professional

development, interagency partnerships, and ultimately an improved quality of life for all Ohioans. The conference theme, "Transport Ohio's Future," is intended to convey the critical role that Ohio's transportation system plays in Ohio's future. For more information click [HERE](#).

- **Transportation Research Board Committees on Resource Conservation & Recovery (TRB ADC60) and Geo-Environmental Processes (AFP40) 2016 Summer Workshop**

July 26 - 29 | Asheville, NC
Renaissance Asheville Downtown

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

AUGUST 2016

- **AASHTO Subcommittee on Materials Meeting**

July 31 - August 5 | Greenville, SC
Hyatt Regency Greenville

The AASHTO Subcommittee on Materials meeting will be held in Greenville, SC. This Subcommittee is responsible for the development of materials and test standards utilized by all of the AASHTO member departments. Materials engineers and technical experts from member departments work for consensus on these important documents. Industry and academia participation is also encouraged so that technical issues are resolved quickly and appropriately, as well as introduce innovative ideas for the transportation industry. To register, exhibit and/or sponsor click [HERE](#).

- **MAASTO 2016 Conference**

August 8 - 11 | Minneapolis, MN
Radisson BLU Minneapolis

Mid-America's premier transportation conference with 10 key states in attendance, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio and Wisconsin. More than 300 transportation officials and professionals attend the conference every year. Registration is now open as is exhibit space along with sponsorship opportunities. Sponsorship and exhibit space tend to fill up so act quickly and reserve your sponsorship/exhibit spot today. Click [HERE](#) to register, sponsor and/or exhibit.

- **TRB Conference: Use of Scenario Planning in Transportation Planning**

August 14 - 17 | Portland, OR
DoubleTree by Hilton

TRB is convening a conference focused on practical applications of scenario planning for transportation. This event will bring together state DOT, MPO, and local agency staff, consultants, and researchers to share knowledge, experiences and the latest research on using scenario planning approaches. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.

- **AASHTO Construction Conference**

August 14 - 19 | Big Sky, MT

- **Ohio Conference on Freight**

August 22 - 24 | Cleveland, OH
Hilton Cleveland Downtown

Freight forecasters are predicting dramatic growth in freight volumes. Yet, our current freight network struggles to meet today's demand, and at severe bottlenecks it fails. This conference addresses the reality that economic growth will increasingly depend upon or be at the mercy of our freight infrastructure. For more information click [HERE](#)

- **1st PWX (APWA)**

August 28 - 31 | Minneapolis, MN
Hilton Minneapolis

Welcome to the first ever PWX, APWA's newly revised and newly branded annual conference! Although the APWA annual conference has been around for more than 120 years, PWX will be a different experience for all! With new education formats, new innovations and technologies, and more networking opportunities than ever before, PWX will be a fantastic new learning experience for all generations and all levels of public works professionals. Be there for the very first PWX - join more than 5,000 public works colleagues from North America and beyond in Minneapolis for this exciting event. To learn more click [HERE](#).

SEPTEMBER 2016

- **Transportation and Communities Summit**

September 8 - 9 | Portland, OR
University Place Hotel

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

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

September 8 - 10 | Denver, CO
Hyatt Regency Denver at Convention Center

Click [HERE](#) to learn more about this conference.

- **84th IBTTA Annual Meeting and Exhibition**

September 11 - 14 | Denver, CO
Hyatt Regency Denver at Convention Center

Having the top leaders and decision makers in the industry on hand, makes this the most significant gathering of toll professionals in the world. To be apart of the experience and gain valuable information the tolling industry click [HERE](#).

- **International Highway Engineering Exchange Program**

September 11-15 | Helena, MT
Helena Colonial Hotel - Red Lion, 2301 Colonial Dr., Helena, MT 59601

The premier IT transportation conference covering topics of Advances with 3D -4D-5D Highway Construction Modeling, Advances in E-Construction Practices, Highway Engineering Technology Improvements, Data/Document Management and Joint IT/Engineering Success Stories. To learn more about this conference, sponsorship options and/or exhibiting click [HERE](#).

- **2016 FTR Transportation Conference**

**September 13 - 15 | Indianapolis, IN
Union Station**

Meeting website is under construction and will be available soon. Click [HERE](#) to learn about what took place at the 2015 conference.

- **TCCE/TEA/PUG Conference**

**September 14 - 22 | Grand Rapids, MI
The Amway Grand Plaza Hotel**

The TEA-PUG is the annual meeting for the Technical Committee on Cost Estimating (TCCE), Transportation Estimator Association (TEA), and Project Users Group (PUG). It brings transportation professionals together for several days of idea-sharing and professional development. Approximately 125 attendees are expected to attend the workshop from DOTs across the U.S. Staff from various national transportation organizations are expected to attend as well. Click [HERE](#) to register.

- **2016 TPTA Conference & Expo**

**October 25 - 28 | Memphis, TN
Cook County Convention Center**

Mark your calendars for the 2016 Tennessee Public Transportation Association Conference and Expo. Meeting website is under construction and will be available soon.

OCTOBER 2016

- **23rd ITS World Congress**

**October 10 - 14 | Melbourne, Australia
Multiple Hotel Listings**

ITS technologies include communication, data processing and electronic technologies for in-vehicle, vehicle-to-vehicle, vehicle-to-infrastructure and mode-to-mode systems that increase transport safety and mobility, improve the sustainability of travel, reduce congestion, and improve the performance and competitiveness of all modes of transport. Registration is now open, click [HERE](#) to register today!

- **20th Construction Financial Management Association (CFMA) Conference**

**October 19 - 21 | Las Vegas, NV
Caesar's Palace**

Financial professionals in the construction industry come together to discuss latest industry issues and their financial implications. Registration will be available soon.

- **Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations Annual Conference**

**October 25 - 28 | Seattle, WA
Hotel info to come**

The AMPO Annual Conference brings together MPO staff, Policy Board members, federal and state employees, and consultants to share information on a variety of MPO issues. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.

NOVEMBER 2016

- **The Colorado Transportation Matters Summit**

November 1 | Denver, CO
Grand Hyatt Downtown

The focus of the meeting will be the user experience and we will take a closer look at how we all experience our transportation systems and the effects that experience has on our daily lives and our ability to conduct business to keep our state moving forward in a highly competitive world. The meeting will be a half day format with a lunch keynote followed by 2 rounds of break-out sessions. CDOT anticipates to have 500+ attendees. More information on this conference can be found [HERE](#).

- **51st California Transit Association Annual Fall Conference and Expo**

November 16 - 18 | Oakland, CA
Oakland Marriott City Center

This is the signature event of the year for the California Transit Association. There are over 700 transit professionals of all levels along with over 100 suppliers that attend. Registration, sponsorship and exhibit information can be found [HERE](#).

- **4th Annual Florida Automated Vehicles Summit**

November 29-30 | Tampa, FL
Tampa Marriott Waterside Hotel

The 4th Annual Florida Automated Vehicles Summit is an event dedicated to showcasing Florida's progress in preparing for automated vehicles. With an organized agenda full of industry experts, keynote speakers, and ongoing live demonstrations, attendees will have the opportunity to gain insight into what Florida is doing to create the ideal climate for the implementation and deployment of autonomous and connected vehicle technologies. To learn more click [HERE](#).

DECEMBER 2016

- **Self Help Counties Coalition Focus on the Future Conference**

December 4 - 6 | Hollywood, CA
Loews Hollywood Hotel

Over 800 transportation professionals attend this Premier Transportation Conference. Registration, exhibitor and sponsorship information are coming soon and can be found [HERE](#).

- **Georgia Transit Association Annual Conference**

December 7 - 9 | Athens, GA
Hotel information coming soon

The GTA Conference provides a unique opportunity for transit leaders across the state to come together to share best practices, find solutions, and improve services throughout communities in Georgia. This year's conference will once again have high caliber speakers, innovative exhibitors and high quality networking opportunities such as our ever-popular casino night.

The Georgia Transit Association continues to advance the policies and priorities of our rural and urban transit entities. This year's conference will be hosted in coordination with the Southeast Chapter of the Association for Commuter Transportation (SEACT), a leading advocate for commuter transportation and transportation demand management. This partnership will provide a state-wide forum to exchange valuable information, ideas and experiences. Our collective work facilitates adequate and stable funds for public transit while crafting a positive image for transit and alternative transportation across Georgia and the Southeast. To learn more click [HERE](#).

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