



# The Industry Conference Resource

September 2017

## CRITICAL DATES

- **Texas Mobility Summit 2.0** - *Early Bird Registration deadline is September 22. The hotel discounted rate ends on September 29 or until the block is full so make your reservation [HERE](#).*
- **IHEEP 2017** - *The hotel reservation deadline is September 11. In order to be assured a room make your reservation today [HERE](#).*
- **AMOTIA's 9th Annual Conference** - *the hotel deadline is quickly approaching (September 7). In order to guarantee a room at the host hotel please reserve your room before the deadline. To learn more click [HERE](#).*
- **Focus on the Future 2017 Conference** - *The hotel cut-off date is October 6. The early registration deadline is September 29. To make your hotel reservation and/or register for the conference click [HERE](#).*

## NEW MEETINGS

- **Infrastructure Advancement Institute Summit (IAI)** - *Due to Hurricane Harvey this meeting was moved to October 29 - 31. Registration is still open and sponsorship opportunities are still available. To register click [HERE](#).*
- **AASHTO SCORT Conference** - *The registration, sponsorship and hotel information are available and can be found [HERE](#).*

## Article



## AASHTO SCORT 2017

Perhaps one of the biggest economic drivers we have is our ability to safely move people and goods. The American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials' (AASHTO) Standing Committee on Rail Transportation (SCORT) thrives on their role in addressing policy, regulations, operations and investments as it relates to helping its membership deliver on their promises to keep the economy moving.

The best place to engage in the dialogue within this critical transportation discussion is at the AASHTO SCORT Annual Conference scheduled for September 18-21 in Oakland, California. Interacting in a productive peer exchange and detailed technical sessions will be at the forefront when attendees are given the opportunity to hear from the country's top experts in freight and passenger rail. Highlighted by keynote addresses from Oakland Mayor Libby Schaaf and the Port of Oakland's Maritime Director John Driscoll, the program is packed with content and presenters representing USDOT, FRA, Amtrak, Class I and Shortline Railroads.

If your business is on track to be a positive influence on the nation's business of moving goods and people, then this conference is for you. For more information on how you can participate in this one-of-a-kind exchange of ideas, visit the conference registration page by clicking [here](#). Your ticket to success is just one click away; it's time to get on board.

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### 2017 Conference List

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#### 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](#).*

- **Railway Interchange 2017 AREMA Conference**

**September 17 - 20 | Indianapolis, IN**

*Railway Interchange is the largest combined railway exhibition and technical conference in North America. Attended by nearly 10,000 industry professionals from around the globe, this truly massive event showcases the latest technology, services, and research by members of the Railway Supply Institute*

(RSI), the Railway Engineering-Maintenance Suppliers Association (REMSA), and Railway Systems Suppliers, Inc. (RSSI). Railway Interchange also features technical presentations and discussions by the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association (AREMA) and the Coordinated Mechanical Associations (CMA). To learn more about this conference or become a sponsor click [HERE](#).

- **AMOTIA 9th Annual Conference**

**September 18 - 20 | Savannah, GA**  
**Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort and Spa**

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

- **ARTBA National Convention**

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

This year's meeting theme is "Artificial Intelligence & Technology Innovation: A New Era in Transportation Construction." Click [HERE](#) to register.

- **AASHTO SCORT Conference**

**September 18 - 21 | Oakland, CA**  
**Marriott Oakland City Center**

AASHTO's Standing Committee on Rail Transportation Annual meeting is an opportunity for members and delegates to engage in peer exchange and technical sessions relating to both freight and passenger rail. A focus on safety will be a top priority along with the advancement of new technologies. Members will also engage with federal leaders from the USDOT, FRA, Amtrak, Class I and Shortline Railroads, the Shipping and Research Communities. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **Policy and Advocacy Conference**

**September 22 - 26 | Washington, DC**  
**Loews Madison Hotel**

To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **IHEEP 2017**

**September 24 - 28 | Covington, KY**  
**Cincinnati Marriott at RiverCenter**

For more information on the conference click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Annual Meeting**

**September 25 - 28 | Phoenix, AZ**  
**Sheraton Grand Phoenix**

The meeting information and website are available and can be found [HERE](#).

## **October 2017**

- **Colorado Transportation Summit**

**October 23 | Denver, CO**  
**Hyatt Regency-Colorado Convention Center**

The Colorado Department of Transportation and Transit Alliance are joining forces to expand the conversation around transportation in 2017. This will be the 4th Annual Transportation Summit and the 7th Annual Event of Transit Alliance. The American Road and Transit Builders Association (ARTBA) Western Regional Meeting is also partnering with the Summit further expanding the breadth of expertise that will be present at this important meeting. This year's summit will combine the audiences of these major industry events and welcome almost 1,000 attendees to discuss the future of our transportation system. Join us this year to support this important summit and send a clear message that transportation is critical to Colorado's future. To learn more click [HERE](#)

## **28th Annual Focus on the Future Conference**

**October 29 - 31 | San Francisco, CA**

**Marriott Marquis**

*The Focus on the Future conference provides a forum for Self-Help Counties and other transportation agencies, elected officials, and the private sector to share experiences, highlight upcoming projects, and interact in a relaxed environment. The conference continues to be the premier transportation conference in California with over 800 people in attendance and growing! For more information click [HERE](#).*

- **ITS World Congress**

**October 29 - Nov 2 | Montreal**

**Multiple Hotels**

*To learn more about the conference, register, sponsor and/or exhibit click [HERE](#).*

## **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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