



**TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ACADEMY**  
**Hilton Pasadena**  
**168 S. Los Robles Avenue**  
**San Gabriel Meeting Room – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**



**MONDAY, September 8**

<b><u>Time</u></b>	<b><u>Content</u></b>	<b><u>Instructor</u></b>
7:30-8:30	Breakfast Buffet – <i>1<sup>st</sup> floor Pasadena conference room all week</i>	
8:30 – 9:00	Opening Remarks/Class Overview	Chris Hatfield
9:00 – 9:20	Welcome from District 07	James McCarthy, Deputy District Director for Planning
9:20-10:00	Teams Meet with Facilitators	Teams
10:00-10:15	BREAK	
10:15-11:00	Team Introductions	Teams
11:00-12:15	Metro Rail System - Overview	Bruce Shelburne, Rail Division Transportation Manager, Metro
12:15-1:15	LUNCH	
1:15-2:00	Regional Comprehensive Plan (RCP) - Blueprint Plan (SCAG) <i>(PANEL) Marilee ??</i>	Mark Butala, Southern California Association of Governments- Act. Mgr. RCP
2:00-3:00	Regional Planning	David Sosa, Senior Transportation Planner
3:00-3:15	BREAK	
3:15-4:15	Title VI and Environmental Justice in Transportation Planning	Marlon Flournoy, Senior Transportation Planner (HQ)
5:00	Networking Reception	



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**TUESDAY, September 9**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Content</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
7:00 - 7:45	Breakfast Buffet	
7:45 - 8:15	Freeway Caps / Lids	Linda Taira, Senior Transportation Planner
8:15 – 8:45	I-5 Truck Tunnel – Newhall Pass	Fred Young, Senior Transportation Engineer
8:45 – 9:15	Goods Movement	Tom Messer, Senior Transportation Planner
9:15 –	<b>Board Tour Bus - To Begin Tours</b>	
9:15 –10:00	I-210 (Existing) Freeway Cap Park	Linda Taira, Senior Transportation Planner
10:00–11:30	I-5 Truck Tunnel Restoration	Fred Young, Senior Transportation Engineer
11:30–12:30	US 101 (Proposed) Freeway Cap – Downtown LA (Near Los Angeles St / Aliso @ the US 101 Freeway	Linda Taira, Senior Transportation Planner
12:30-1:30	Lunch (Caltrans Central Maintenance Station (Commerce)	
1:30 – 3:45	Tour / BNSF Intermodal Facility (Commerce)	LaDonna DeCamillo – BNSF Dir. of Pub. Affairs Lupe Valdez - UPRR Dir. of Pub. Affairs Patty Senecal, IWLA CA Government Affairs
3:45-4:30	I-110 Transitway Overview (On-Board Bus) - Drive 2.6 mile Elevated Transitway	<b>Speaker: TBD</b>
4:30-4:45 (Approx.)	Return to Downtown LA <b>(Mandatory Transit Element)</b>	Board Metro for Hotel or other points of interest  Access Metro: LAUS or Gold Line at Alameda St / College
4:45 – 6:00	<b>OPTIONAL:</b> Tour Caltrans District 07 Building	



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**WEDNESDAY, September 10**



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6:45-7:30	Breakfast Buffet	
7:30- 8:00	Teams Meet	Teams
8:00 – 8:30	Lessons Learned	Teams
8:30-9:30	Environmental & Community Issues	Peter Bond, Senior Environmental Planner (HQ)
9:30-10:15	Local Development & Intergovernmental Review (LD-IGR)	Elmer Alvarez – Acting Senior Transportation Planner
10:15-10:30	BREAK	
10:30 –11:45	PANEL – <i>Caltrans Does What</i>	Michael Klima, Associate Environmental Planner  Vincent Moreno, CT Maintenance Area Superintendent  Steve Mellinger, CT Maintenance Area Superintendent
11:45-12:30	LUNCH	
12:30-12:45	Community Planning Grants – D7 Perspective	Wilford Melton, Senior Transportation Planner
12:45 – 1:45	Community Planning	Terry Parker, Senior Transportation Planner (HQs)
1:45-2:45	Project Development Overview	William Mosby, Deputy District Director for Planning & Local Assistance (D–8)
2:45-3:00	BREAK	
3:00-4:30	Pasadena Walking Tour (Various Sites) Academy Photo will be taken at Pasadena City Hall  <b>PLEASE NOTE: Wear comfortable shoes during the walking tour.</b>	Ruth Martinez,-Baenen, Project Manager Economic Development Division  Eric Duyshart, Business Development Manager  Robert Montano, Project Planner



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**THURSDAY, September 11**



<u>Time</u>	<u>Content</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
7:00 -8:00	Breakfast Buffet	
8:00 -8:45	Seismic Impacts SHS - Overview	Li-Hong Sheng, Senior Transportation Engineer (HQs)
8:45 – 11:00	Travel to Caltech – Seismic Presentations Tour: Caltech Seismic Laboratory	Great So. CA ShakeOut Scenario Margaret Vinci, Office of Earthquake Program, Manager
11:00 – 12:15	On-Bus Tour - Arroyo Seco Parkway (Historic Pasadena 110 Freeway)	Nicole Possert, Principal, The Arroyo Guild
12:15-1:00	LUNCH	
1:00 -1:30	Local Assistance	Anthony Cole, Senior Transportation Planner
1:30-2:00	Traffic Operations – Congestion Relief	Afsaneh Razavi, Senior Transportation Engineer Traffic Operations Nabil Eskander, Transportation Engineer Traffic Operations
2:00-2:15	BREAK	
2:15-3:00	Congestion Pricing – Demo Project	Ashad Hamideh, Ph.D, Metro
3:00 –3:45	System Planning	Dan Kopulsky (D- 8) Senior Transportation Planner
3:45-4:45	Non-Motorized Transportation	Bob James, Associate Transportation Planner (D-11) Barbara Gossett, Associate Transportation Planner (D-12)



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**FRIDAY, September 12**

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7:00-8:00	Breakfast Buffet	
8:00-9:00	Arroyo Seco Parkway	Linda Taira, Senior Transportation Planner  Nicole Possert, Principal, The Arroyo Guild
9:00-10:00	Rail	Lam Nguyen, Chief, Office of Rail (HQ)
10:00-10:15	BREAK	
10:15-11:00	Corridor System Management Plan	Shefa Bhuiyan, Senior Transportation Planner  Mark Roberts, Senior Transportation Planner (D-8)
11:00-11:30	Teams Meet	Teams
11:30-12:00	Lessons Learned	Teams
12:00-12:15	Award Certificates & Adjournment	