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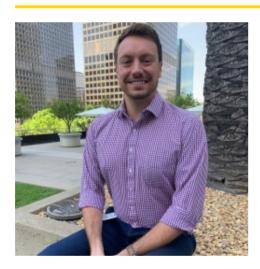
# METRANS on the Move: our weekly newsletter by students

Even with the California stay-at-home order being lifted, please remember to limit contact with others and only perform essential activities.



#### In the News

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## **PSR UTC Recognizes Students of the Year for 2020**

The Pacific Southwest Region (PSR) University
Transportation Center (UTC) starts the new year by honoring
exceptional students from member institutions for their
promise in the transportation field.

Read more here.



### Buttigieg Sees 'Generational Opportunity' to Transform the Nation's Infrastructure

Pete Buttigieg, a former mayor of South Bend, Ind., was received favorably by lawmakers from both parties on Thursday as he outlined his vision for ambitious infrastructure reform if confirmed as transportation secretary.

Read the New York Times feature <u>here</u>.



## The pandemic could devastate mass transit in the U.S. — and not for the reason you think

Covid-19 is speeding up shifts in where Americans live and work, posing a long-term challenge to transit systems built around getting people to downtown workplaces.

Read the Politico feature <u>here</u>.

#### Webinars & Online Events

# Eno Webinar: Introducing Platform-Based Approaches to Public Transit Thursday, January 28th at 11:00 am PST

In this webinar, you will learn how public transit agencies large and small have addressed challenges and prepared their organizations for the future with platform technology. We will also explore topics such as the potential benefits and challenges. . . The APA Central Section & FCOG present

More Info

#### **ITE USC Chapter First General Meeting**

Wednesday, February 3rd at 6:00 pm PST

Whether you notice or not everyday you use transportation to get from one place to the next. Interested in cars, trains, buses? climate change? cities? racial and socio-economic inequality? social and behavioral sciences? policy? politics? Transportation incorporates all of these elements, and more! At the USC ITE chapter, we work on interdisciplinary design projects that reimagine how people travel. We also host guest speakers and networking events with industry professionals. Check us out at our first general meeting on February 3rd!

More Info

#### Virtual Trojan Talk with Mott MacDonald

Thursday, February 4th at 1:00 pm PST

Come learn about our summer internship opportunities in transportation planning and structural, tunneling, rail, and transit engineering.

More Info

Sustainable Freight Foundations Certificate for Middle Managers: Overview, Freight Systems & Management, Legal Issues for Sustainable Freight Operations

Thursday, February 4th at 1:00 pm PST

Join CITT as they present a brief overview of how this first-of-its-kind workforce education program was developed in partnership with the California Energy Commission (CEC) and the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development.

**More Info** 

#### **ICTPA-SCC 2021 Lunar New Year Celebration**

Saturday, February 20th at 2:00 pm PST

ICTPA-SCC is pleased to announce its Lunar New Year Celebration! This year's keynote speaker, Ms. Shirley Lau, will show us the vision of Improving Urban Mobility in Today's Transportation Infrastructure.

More Info

#### 2021 Transportation Technology Tournament

Submission Deadline: Friday, February 26th

Hosted by the U.S. DOT Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Joint Program Office (JPO), the National Operations Center of Excellence (NOCoE), and the U.S. DOT ITS JPO PCB program are hosting a competition for students to work directly with public agencies to solve real-world transportation problems utilizing ITS and TSMO solutions.

More Info

### Pathways to Opportunity

The Railway & Locomotive

San Francisco Planning

# Historical Society Scholarships The Railway & Locomotive Historical Society

Crystal Lake, IL
Apply by 03/31/2021
See more info

# Department Internships San Francisco Planning Department

San Francisco, CA
Apply by 02/26/2021
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# **Director of Economic and Urban Development**

City of Las Vegas Las Vegas, NV Apply by ASAP See more info

# **Principal Transportation Planner ODOT**

Portland, Oregon Apply by ASAP See more info

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