

T.E.A. Conference 2024 - Technical Sessions

Day 1 - Tentative Agenda



TUESDAY, AUG 6TH.

8:00 AM	--	9:00 AM	Registration (<i>Lobby</i>) / Breakfast (TBD)
9:00 AM	--	9:30 AM	T.E.A. Welcome - Roll Call of States - T.E.A. Update - <i>Stephen Bokros, PE - Colorado DOT - TEA 2024 Chair</i>
9:30 AM	--	10:00 AM	Review of DOT Asphalt Cost Trends Survey - <i>Facilitator TBD - Participating State DOTs</i>
10:00 AM	--	10:20 AM	BREAK / NETWORKING
10:20 AM	--	11:00 AM	Economic Update - AGC Economists - <i>Macrina Wilkins - Association of General Contractors (AGC)</i>
11:00 AM	--	12:00AM	Contractor Estimator Panel Discussion - <i>Bechtel</i> - <i>Flat Iron</i> - <i>Shirley Contracting</i> - <i>Cianbro</i> Moderator: - <i>Mitch Ball - Virginia DOT - TEA Vice Chair</i>
12:00 PM	--	1:00 PM	LUNCH / NETWORKING
1:00 PM	--	1:45 PM	FHWA Construction Cost Index (C.C.I.) - <i>Thor Dodson, PDH - Economist, Federal Highway Administration</i>
1:45 PM		2:30PM	AI in Construction Cost Estimating: Lessons from Machine Learning (ML) across Transportation Bid Tabs - <i>Valerie Seidel and Dan Dourte, PhD - The Balmoral Group</i>
2:30 PM	--	3:00 PM	Similar Project Estimate by Cost Category (SPECC) - <i>Harold Caples, P.E., CCM – VDOT Cost Estimation Office</i>
3:00 PM	--	3:20 PM	BREAK/NETWORKING
3:20 PM	--	4:00 PM	Estimating Software Developed by Engineers for Engineers - <i>Keith Weakly - Volkert, Inc.</i>
4:00 PM	--	4:30 PM	Review of Day 1, Preview of Day 2, Invitation to TEA Reception - <i>Mitch Ball - VDOT - TEA 2024 Vice Chair</i>

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Day 2 - Tentative Agenda



WEDNESDAY, AUG 7TH

8:30 AM	--	8:50 AM	Oman Systems - Overview / Update
			- David Thomas - VP Sales & Marketing, Oman Systems
8:50 AM	--	9:10 AM	InfoTech AASHTOWare Vendor - Overview / Update
			- TBD
9:10 AM	--	9:45 AM	Open TBD
			- TBD
9:45 AM	--	10:00 AM	BREAK/NETWORKING
10:00 AM	--	10:30 AM	- TDOT Research on Risk Analysis
			- K. Joseph Shrestha, PhD - East Tennessee State University
10:30 AM	--	11:00 AM	Open TBD
			- TBD
11:00 AM	--	11:50 AM	- TEA Open Business Meeting - Election of 2024 / 2025 Officers
			- TEA Board & TEA Members
11:50 PM	--	12:00 PM	Closing Comments - Adjournment of 2024 T.E.A. Annual Conference
12:00 PM	--	1:00 PM	LUNCH / NETWORKING
1:00 PM	--	3:00 PM	State DOT & Owners Executive Session
			- Facilitated by T.E.A. Board