



METRANS on the Move: our weekly newsletter by students

We hope everyone is keeping indoors as much as possible, and that everyone is able to remain safe. Please check out our new feature below!



In the News

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Fynnwin Prager Pursues Transportation Research Guided By Quaker Values

We are excited to feature accomplished University of Southern California (USC) Price Alumnus, Associate Professor of Public Administration and Co-Director of the South Bay Economics Institute at California State University, Dominguez Hills (CSUDH), Fynnwin Prager.

Read more [here](#).



How Cities Can Reclaim Their Streets From SUVs

Pickup trucks and large sport-utility vehicles have flooded the streets of U.S. cities, a trend that's been lethal. Here's what urban leaders could do about it.

Read more from Bloomberg CityLab [here](#).

Are you a student or recent graduate?
Are you considering a career in transportation?

Join the METRANS Mentor Program!



The METRANS Mentor Program helps students and recent graduates discover careers in transportation through impactful mentoring partnerships. This program is meant for students who are driven, responsible, and eager to learn about the transportation industry.

Due to COVID-19, all mentoring partnerships and activities will be entirely virtual!

Deadline for Priority Consideration: September 21 at 11:59 PM (Pacific Time)

Required application materials:

- Completed Mentor Program Interest Form
- 2-page Personal Statement
- Current resume or CV

DOWNLOAD the Mentor Program Interest Form: <https://metrans.org/mentorprogram>

SUBMIT your application materials: <https://forms.gle/QwXUyctmGkUB3tn7>



From left to right:
Mentor Mengzhao Hu,
Mentee Chunfan (Natalie) Man

METRANS Mentor Program

The METRANS Mentor Program for students and recent graduates is live for Fall 2020! The priority deadline is Monday, *September 21st at 11:59 PM PDT*. Apps are accepted on a rolling basis. Please direct any questions to [Reaghan Murphy](#), Mentor Program Director.

View the interest form and additional information [here](#).

Webinars & Online Events

Last Chance: Identifying and Addressing Barriers to Physical Activity in the Black Community

Friday, September 18th at 1 pm PDT

Join us for a keynote presentation by Charles T. Brown and a panel discussion featuring Black thought leaders in community and transportation planning to explore limits placed on Black mobility in the US . . .

[More Info](#)

Art of City Building Conference: Under Water

Monday, September 21st at 9 am PDT (Multiple Sessions)

Organizers of Art of City Building (AoCB), are pleased to announce year four of the public and free conference, this year designed to inspire conversations around urgency in action and change as it . . .

[More Info](#)

METRANS x TRB Webinar: Gender and Travel Patterns

Thursday, September 24th at 12 pm PDT

Join Kosta Goulias, Professor of Transportation at UCSB, for a discussion on "Taxonomy of Daily Travel & Time Use Patterns Using Sequence Analysis to Explore Schedule Fragmentation and Gender Roles" . . .

[More Info](#)

Looking for more events occurring this week and next? Check out our "Additional Events" pilot section! We've chosen webinars hosted by ITE, APA, and more!

[Take Me to More Events](#)

Pathways to Opportunity

Transportation Planning

Caltrans

Oakland, CA/Remote

Apply by 10/19/2020

[See more info](#)

Westly Prize: Young Innovators

Westly Foundation

CA living or enrolled

Apply by 10/15/2020

[See more info](#)

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Associate Transportation Planner

Caltrans

San Bernardino County, CA

Apply by 09/24/2020

[See more info](#)

Transportation Planning Analyst

Kimley-Horn

Los Angeles, CA

Apply ASAP

[See more info](#)

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