



## METRANS on the Move: our weekly newsletter by students

Happy Thanksgiving! *From Danielle:* As a new Trojan alum, I am stepping down from my role. It has been a pleasure serving you all. Now, please join me in welcoming the wonderful Issy Serna, our new Publisher!



## In the News

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### USC Civil Engineering Alum Thomas Check Fuels Transportation Engineering in the City of Santa Monica

"I always had a desire to work in the public sector because it was where I felt I could have the greatest impact on improving communities."

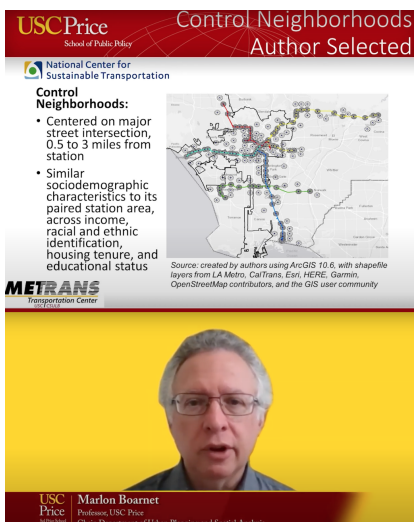
Read more [here](#).



### Congratulations to Jessica Brown, 2020 WTS-LA ESA Undergraduate Scholarship Winner!

Indomitable spirits are rare, but they're also unmistakable. And when it comes to being an indomitable spirit, no one has anything on Jessica Brown.

Read the WTS-LA feature [here](#).



### Sustainable Transportation Concepts: A Mini-Lecture Series

The National Center for Sustainable Transportation (NCST) proudly presents "Gentrification and Displacement Near Los Angeles Rail Transit Stations" with USC Price Professor Marlon Boarnet.

Watch the Mini-Lecture [here](#) and find more lectures [here](#).

## Webinars & Online Events

**UF x Caltrans x T-Score: Interstate Transit Research Symposium**  
Wednesday, December 2nd at 9am PST through Friday, December 4th (Multiple Sessions)

This free virtual event will feature talks and panels about important transit-related topics such as transit finance, racial justice, mobility and modality, technology and zero-emission vehicles in transit, and . . .

[More Info](#)

**APA Latinos and Planning Division Inaugural Division Conference: LUGARES**  
Thursday, December 3rd at 11 am PST

LAP is excited to present a multi-part conference event entitled, "L.U.G.A.R.E.S.: Latinidad, Unity, Gente, Advocacy, Resiliencia, Equity, Spaces". The event consists of two panel sessions and an open forum . . .

[More Info](#)

**How to be a Housing Element Hero!**  
Thursday, December 3rd at 5:30 pm PST

Join YIMBY Action, Abundant Housing LA, and People for Housing OC for an introduction to cities and their housing planning processes. What is a Housing Element? How can you make sure your city is . . .

[More Info](#)

**Policy Teach-in: Cancel Rent! Cancel Mortgages!**  
Thursday, December 3rd at 5:30 pm PST

Join the Healthy LA Coalition, tenants, homeowners, advocates, and elected officials (including Mike Bonin and Nithya Raman) as they discuss the need to #CancelRent and #CancelMortgages . . .

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## Pathways to Opportunity

### Real Estate Intern

Amtrak  
Philadelphia, PA  
Apply ASAP  
[See more info](#)

### Transportation Engineering Intern

DKS  
Various for Summer 2021  
Apply ASAP  
[See more info](#)

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### Assistant or Associate Planner

City of Chico  
Chico, CA  
Apply ASAP  
[See more info](#)

### Aviation Planning Analyst

Kimley-Horn  
Salt Lake City, UT  
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