

# Meeting Critical Data Needs for Decision Making in State and Metropolitan Transportation Agencies

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**T**his conference will explore systematic approaches to providing data that are needed to support critical decisions facing state, regional, and local transportation agencies in the next 5 to 10 years. The conference will convene policy makers, program managers, and data experts from states, metropolitan planning organizations,

academia, and the private sector to discuss the issues and examine potential approaches to meeting critical data needs in several important areas.

A focus of the meeting will be emerging data needs related to issues such as climate change, livability, freight flow, and intercity passenger rail.

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General	\$395	\$445	\$495
Speaker and TRB Sponsor	\$295	\$345	\$395
Student	\$125	\$175	\$225

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Newport Beach, CA 92660  
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direct: 949-729-1234  
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