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# TRB Webinar: TRID—Your Lifelong Learning Tool for Transportation Research

*August 22, 2023*

*2:00 – 3:00 PM*



# Purpose Statement

This webinar will help users understand what is in TRID and how to use its search functions. Learn ways to find the most relevant publications and other products from transportation research projects.

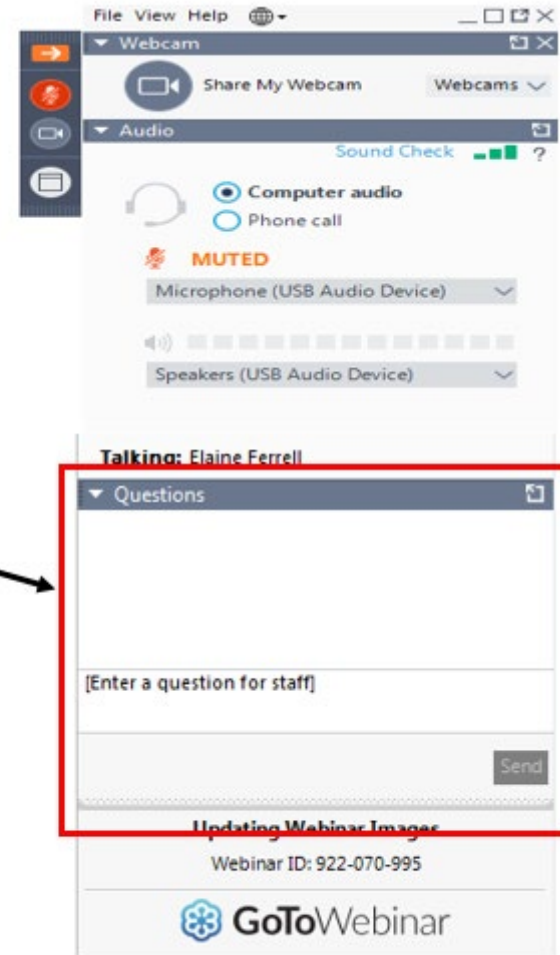
# Learning Objectives

At the end of this webinar, you will be able to:

- Start transportation research with TRID.
- Run basic and advanced searches to locate the most relevant information for your project.
- Save, email, and/or export results.

# Questions and Answers

- Please type your questions into your webinar control panel
- We will read your questions out loud, and answer as many as time allows

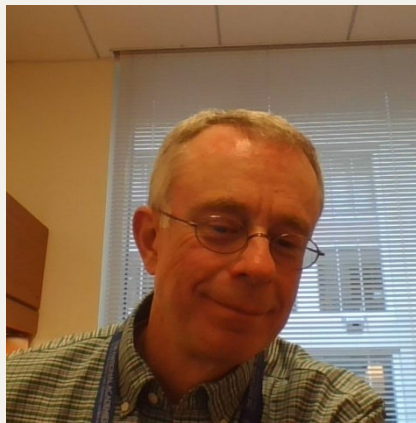


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# TRB's Transportation Research Information Services

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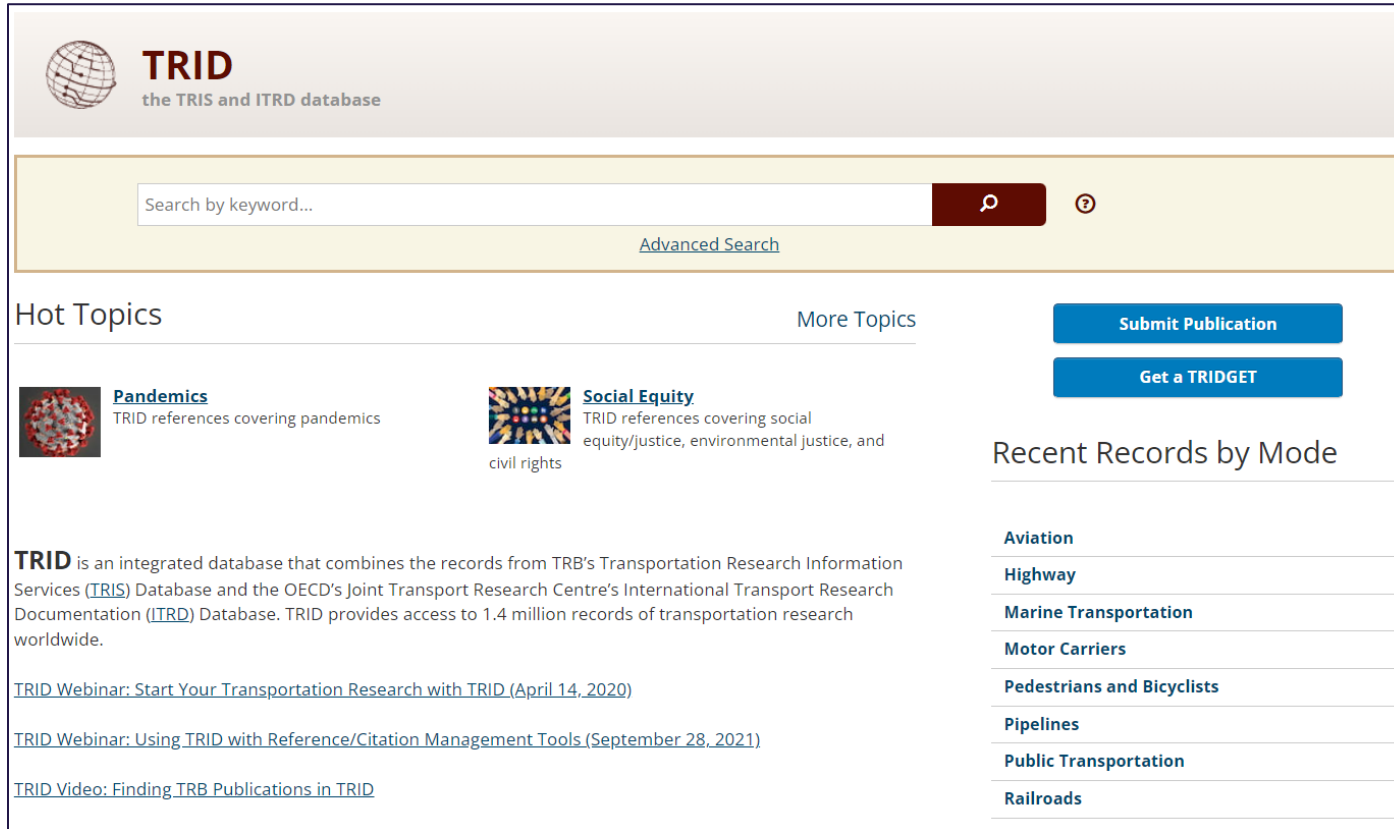
- TRIS Databases:
  - TRID <https://trid.trb.org>
  - Research in Progress (RIP) <https://rip.trb.org>
  - PubsIndex <http://pubsindex.trb.org>
  - Transportation Research Thesaurus <https://trt.trb.org>
- [TRB Library](#):
  - Snap Searches: <http://www.trb.org/InformationServices/Snap.aspx>

# Goals

By the end of this webinar, users will know:

- Why TRID is the best place to start your transportation research
- How to search and navigate TRID
- How to save, email or export results
- How to submit publications to TRID for indexing

# Why Start with TRID?



The screenshot displays the TRID website interface. At the top left is the TRID logo with the text "the TRIS and ITRD database". Below it is a search bar with the placeholder text "Search by keyword..." and a search button. A link for "Advanced Search" is also visible. The "Hot Topics" section features two categories: "Pandemics" (TRID references covering pandemics) and "Social Equity" (TRID references covering social equity/justice, environmental justice, and civil rights). To the right of these topics are two buttons: "Submit Publication" and "Get a TRIDGET". Below the hot topics is a section titled "Recent Records by Mode" with a list of transportation modes: Aviation, Highway, Marine Transportation, Motor Carriers, Pedestrians and Bicyclists, Pipelines, Public Transportation, and Railroads. At the bottom left, there is a paragraph describing TRID as an integrated database combining TRIS and ITRD, providing access to 1.4 million records. Below this are three links: "TRID Webinar: Start Your Transportation Research with TRID (April 14, 2020)", "TRID Webinar: Using TRID with Reference/Citation Management Tools (September 28, 2021)", and "TRID Video: Finding TRB Publications in TRID".

1. Free on TRB's web site at:  
**trid.trb.org**

Free to access/search  
Free to export records

2. The world's largest, most comprehensive transportation research database with more than 1.4 million records

3. Authoritative: all content is curated for its relevance to transportation

4. Maintained by the Transportation Research Board (TRB)



# TRID Gives You a Head Start

Quality in, quality out




- **TRB/HRB publications back to 1922**
- **AASHTO publications**
- **Federal and State DOT reports**
- **University Transportation Center (UTC) reports**
- **Research in Progress (RIP) project records**
- **Datasets from federally funded projects**
- **International coverage: ITRD (Europe, Canada, Mexico), ATRI (Australia), J-STAGE (Japan)**
  - Records in German, French and Spanish
- **Commercial journal literature: Sage, SAE, ASCE, IEEE, Elsevier, Nature-Springer, Taylor & Francis, just to name a few**
- **Conference proceedings**

**Solely focused on transportation, it is the only resource that brings ongoing and published research together in one search tool.**

# Many Ways to Start Searches

- Keyword searches
- Preconfigured searches: [Hot Topics](#); Recent Records by Mode on TRID home page; [Snap Searches](#)
  - Can be further modified
- [Advanced Search](#): Title; Serial; Subject Areas; Index Terms; Partial Index Term

# New and Enhanced Fields for More Efficient Searching


**Source** 

<input type="checkbox"/> TRIS	<input type="checkbox"/> ITRD
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TRB	<input type="checkbox"/> RIP
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UTC	<input type="checkbox"/> ATRI
<input type="checkbox"/> USDOT	<input type="checkbox"/> STATEDOT

**Select all**

- Checkboxes now provided for each **Source** in *Advanced Search*
- Limit to two or more Sources without having to run multiple searches
- All Sources are searched by default when no selection is made
- ‘OR’ is the default operator for multiple selections
- Use **TRB** to limit to all TRB/HRB publications and/or projects

# New and Enhanced Fields for More Precise Searching

**Result Type** 

Articles and papers

Datasets

Reports, books, and collections

Projects

[Select all](#)

- **Result Type** now provides checkboxes as well
- Two or more can be selected in a single search
- All Result Types are searched when no selection is made
- Default operator is 'OR'

# Sharing TRID Results Is Easy!

The screenshot shows a search results page for the Transportation Research Board. The search bar at the top contains the query: "transportation network compan\*" OR ridehail\* OR "ride hail\*" OR ridesourc\*. Below the search bar, there are options for "History", "RSS", "Share", and "Help". A red box highlights the "RSS" icon. Below the search bar, there are options for "Mark: Page | All | None" and "25 Marked Records | Print | Email | Save | Clear". A red box highlights the "25 Marked Records" button. Below this, it says "Showing 1 - 25 of 25 records" and "1 of 1 pages". A list of records is shown, with a red box highlighting the first record: "1. PROJECT: Impacts of Connected Vehicles and Automated Vehicles on State and Local Transportation Research Board, \$300000, 2018, Proposed". The list includes titles, descriptions, and dates.

Mark records for printing, emailing or saving to your favorite reference management tool. Or set up an RSS feed to get new results based on any search.

For more on exporting to reference management tools see: [TRID Webinar: Using TRID with Reference/Citation Management Tools \(September 28, 2021\)](#) and [Fact Sheet: Exporting Marked Records to Reference Management Applications](#)

# Printing, Emailing or Saving Marked Records

Select a record sort

**Date published / start of project**  Newest first  Oldest first

Date record created

Title

1 2

Cancel Next

Results can now be sorted by date or title before sharing or exporting.

# TRID Convenience

## Search History

The table below shows your search history. You can click **View** to revisit results or **Modify** to create a new search using the saved search as a starting point. Use either of two methods below to combine existing result sets into a new result set.

Combine previous searches using Boolean operators (AND, OR, NOT) and Set numbers, then click the Create button.

Example format: `1 OR 2 AND 3`, `(1 OR 2) NOT 3`

Combine search results by selecting checkboxes next to the Set number

Combine Using  And  Or

TRID's Search History will remember up to 50 of your most recent searches. You can go here to resume or modify search strategies you started earlier, even several days ago. Re-run frequently executed searches or combine multiple searches using BOOLEAN logic (AND/OR/NOT) to create a new result set.

Combine	Set #	Results	Query	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	#1175	1 on 2018-2-9	You searched with report/paper number containing <b>SPR-3861</b>	<a href="#">View</a>   <a href="#">Modify</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	#1174	5 on 2018-2-8	You searched with source: <b>TRB</b> with subject: <b>Aviation</b> with keywords containing "go-around**"	<a href="#">View</a>   <a href="#">Modify</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	#1173	1 on 2018-2-12	You searched with subject: <b>Aviation</b> with keywords containing "go-around**" AND cost*	<a href="#">View</a>   <a href="#">Modify</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	#1172	68 on 2018-2-12	You searched with subject: <b>Aviation</b> with keywords containing "go-around**"	<a href="#">View</a>   <a href="#">Modify</a>
<input type="checkbox"/>	#1171	175 on 2018-2-8	You searched with keywords containing "go-around**"	<a href="#">View</a>   <a href="#">Modify</a>

# Project Records Are Easier to See

1.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Commuting During and after COVID-19: The Impact of COVID-19 on Shared Mobility and Extreme Commuting in the Bay Area - Central Valley</b>	68p	2022-12-31
2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Measuring Equity in Public Transit Service: La Metro and the Post-decree Era</b>	45p	2022-12-28
3.	<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Environmental Stewardship and Compliance Training for Airport Employees</b>	PROJECT Transportation Research Board, \$399265, Active	2022-12-21
4.	<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Transportation Research Related to COVID-19. Assessing the Equity and Workforce Mobility Implications of the Expansion of E-Commerce and Direct-to-Consumer Delivery Services</b>	PROJECT Transportation Research Board, \$250000, Active	2022-12-20
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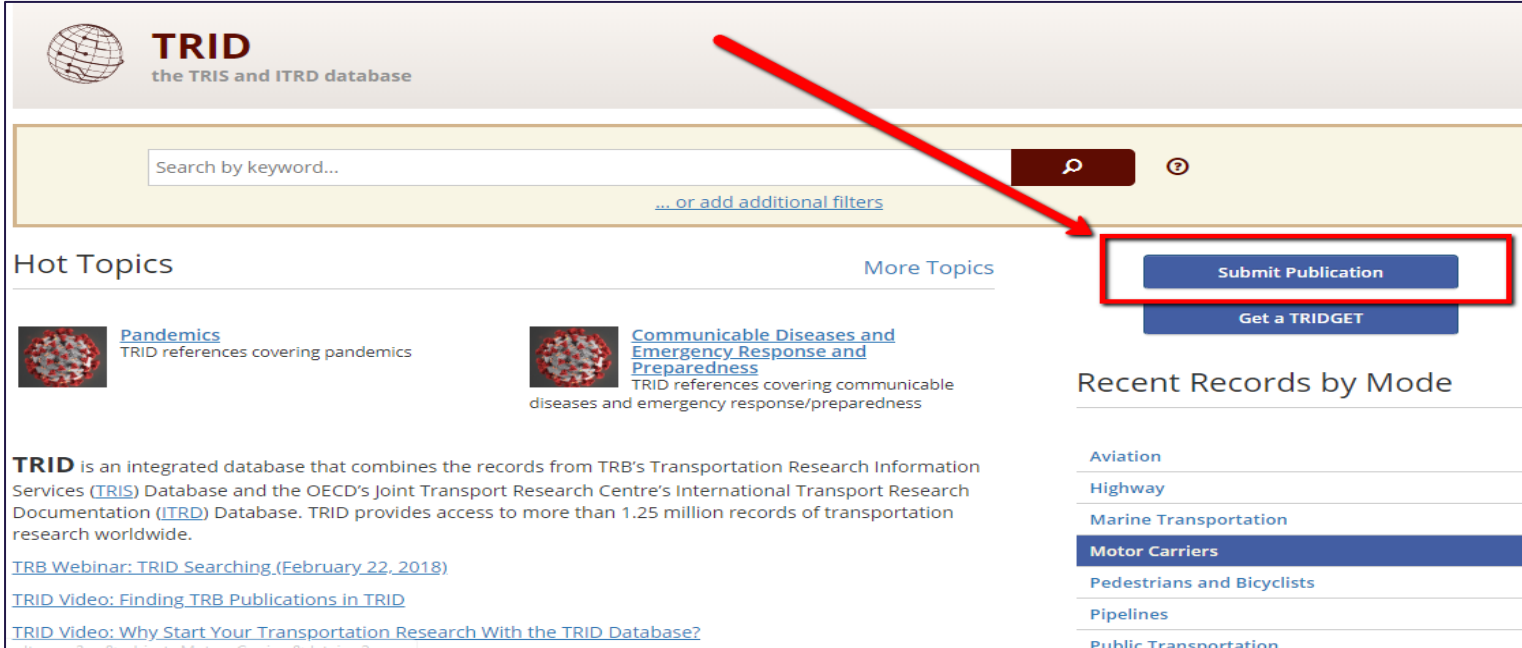
- **Project** records are now accompanied by a project icon in TRID result lists
- Easier to distinguish between records describing publications or datasets.



# Submitting Publications for Indexing in TRID

Please use our 'Submit a Publication' form:

<https://trid.trb.org/submit>, or include [tris-trb@nas.edu](mailto:tris-trb@nas.edu) on your distro.



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# Other Benefits of Using TRID?

- Locate solutions to problems
- Avoid duplication of work and save resources: what are other agencies/institutions researching?
- Identify practitioners in specific research areas
- Long-term access to publication records: what goes in TRID, stays in TRID

# TRID for Life

- Free: [trid.trb.org](http://trid.trb.org)
  - Wherever you go, TRID will be there
- Authoritative, curated resource devoted entirely to all modes of Transportation Research
- Robust, easy-to-find search tools for rapid fine-tuning of results and precise searches

# TRB Library Snap Searches

<http://www.trb.org/InformationServices/Snap.aspx>

Collate information from all over TRB and NASEM:

- TRID and RIP for projects and publications
- [TRB Online Directory](#) for committees, panels
- [TRB Events calendar](#) for webinars, conferences, workshops etc.
- [National Academies Press \(NAP\)](#) website for relevant reports from other NASEM divisions

Questions? Requests? Contact [trblibrary@nas.edu](mailto:trblibrary@nas.edu)

# TRID Help

- Online search help: <https://trid.trb.org/Help>
- TRID, RIP, TRT videos, fact sheets, recorded webinars:  
<https://www.trb.org/InformationServices/ResourcesfortheTRISDatabases.aspx>
- FAQ: <https://trid.trb.org/faq>
- List of Serials indexed in TRID with preconfigured journal title searches:  
<https://www.trb.org/InformationServices/TRISSerials.aspx>

Coming Soon!

Summer - RIP Expired projects notices



September 19 – Webinar on RIP



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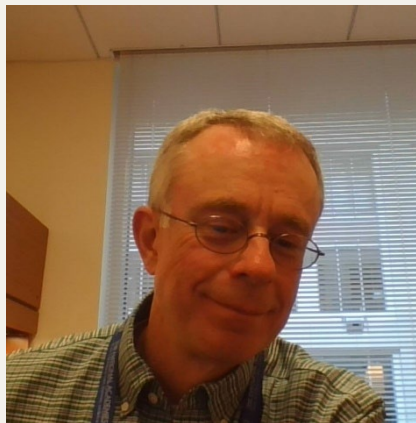
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# Upcoming events for you

**September 7, 2023**

TRB Webinar: Context-Based  
Classification in Roadway Planning  
and Design

**November 13-15, 2023**

TRB's Transportation Resilience 2023

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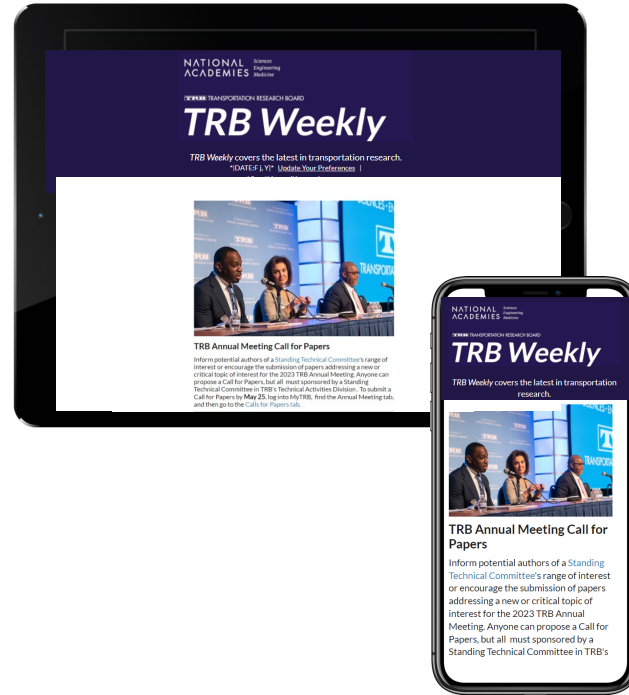


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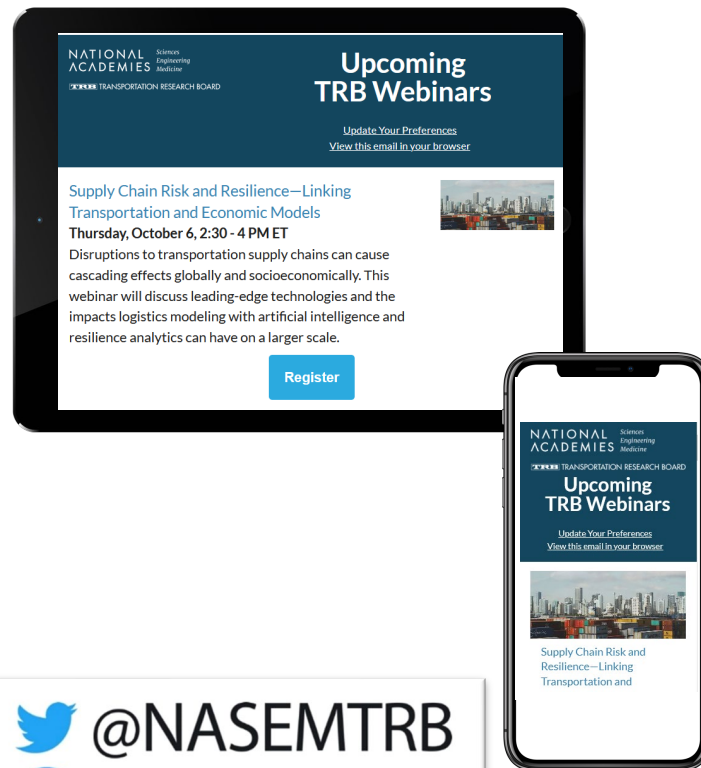
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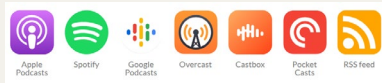
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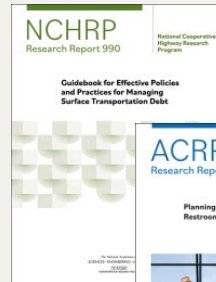
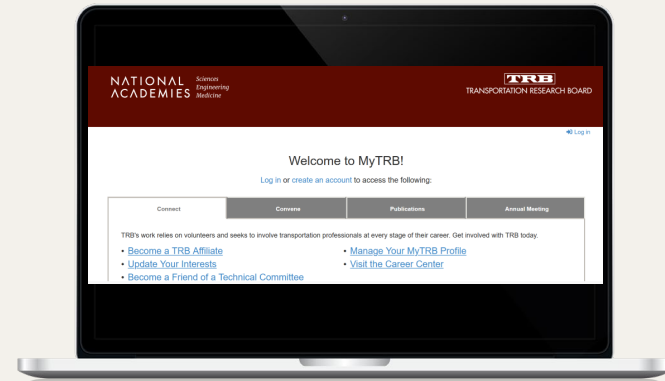
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