

Transportation Research Board

International Trade and Transportation (AT020)

Mid-Year Meeting

July 13, 2021



Meeting Agenda

Tuesday July 13, 2021, 12:30 – 2:00 PM Central Time

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- Welcome (Juan - 5 min)
- Committee Business (all – 25 min)
 - Annual Meeting Minutes – Elisa
 - Research Needs Statements -- Daniel Hackett
 - Paper Review – Isabel Victoria-Jaramillo
 - 2022 Annual Meeting Planning - All
- **Post COVID19 Impacts on International Trade and Transportation** Presentations and discussion (60 mins)
 - Scudder Smith, WSP USA
 - Paul Bingham, IHS Markit
 - Jagoda Egeland, International Transport Forum at the OECD

Annual Meeting Minutes

Elisa Arias.

International Trade and Transportation Committee (AT020) Meeting Minutes

Date and Time: January 7, 2021, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Virtual

Research Needs Statements

Daniel Hackett

- Developing new RNSs
- AASHTO Special Committee on Freight, Council on Water Transportation and Council on Rail Transportation in cooperation with the TRB Freight and Marine committees will host a virtual freight research symposium on Thursday July 22, 2021.

TRB Paper Review 2021

Isabel Victoria-Jaramillo

Important Dates

- **June 1:** Paper submission site opens
- **August 1:** Paper submission site closes
- **August 15 - October 15:** Paper Review Period
- **October 15-30:** Paper decisions sent
- **December 1:** Revised paper due

TRB Paper Review 2021

TRB Committee Reviewers – What to Expect

- Read the Abstract before making your decision to accept or decline. Please accept or decline within 5 days.
- If you don't have the time or knowledge to complete the review, or you have a bias or conflicts of interest that would prevent you from giving a fair review, please decline the invitation.
- If you simply ignore the email, you will be sent automatic follow-ups and it will delay the paper's review process.
- If your paper is outside of your expertise, you may need to update your keywords.
 - ✓ Make sure the keywords in your account are as full and accurate as possible to ensure only suitable papers are sent to you to review.

TRB Paper Review 2021

TRB Committee Reviewers – Remember

- If you are unable to review the paper, you can suggest alternative reviewers.
- Your review is due by September 15.
- Paper Reviewers are the quality controllers of the research world. **They make sure the research being published is good quality.**
- Peer review is a largely reciprocal endeavor and you will benefit at some stage from the work of peer reviewers on your own paper.
- Number of papers reviewed by our Committee in the past 4 years:
 - ✓ 10 (2017), 6 (2018), 6 (2019), 7 (2020)

2022 Annual Meeting Planning

101st Annual Meeting -- January 9–13, 2022 in Washington, D.C.

- Paper submission by August 1, 2021
- Freight Group has 2 day workshop slots-- July 15, 2021 deadline
- Each committee has one podium session opportunity

Discussion

- ✓ Are you planning to present papers?
- ✓ Workshop Idea: *Post COVID-19 Impacts on Global Supply Chains and International Transportation*
 - Add “freight planning” to co-sponsor with AT015
 - Potential speakers?
- ✓ Podium session: papers or topic of interest? Ideas
- ✓ Committee informal dinner?

Presentations and Discussion

Post COVID19 Impacts on International Trade and Transportation

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Discussion

- ✓ Potential ideas for research statements
- ✓ Follow up during the Annual meeting
- ✓ Webinars

Thanks for Volunteering!

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