



WELCOME

Welcome to the Summer 2004 TexITE meeting, celebrating TexITE's 50th Anniversary! On behalf of the Local Arrangements Committee and TexITE, we welcome TexITE to the Austin area. If you need any assistance, please contact a member of the local arrangements committee.



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SUMMER MEETING

**HYATT HOTEL
208 BARTON SPRINGS ROAD**

**AUSTIN, TEXAS
JUNE 17 - 19, 2004**

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Thursday, June 17, 2004

8:00 to 6:00 PM	Registration
9:00 to 1:00 PM	Technical Tours A. Multi Modal Facilities B. Austin TMC and CTEC
<i>Tour Information is available at the registration desk</i>	
10:00 to 2:00 PM	Golf Tournament
1:00 to 5:00 PM	Spouse/Children's Event Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum
3:00 to 5:00 PM	District 9 Executive Board Meeting Foothills I
3:00 to 5:00 PM	Committee Meetings Foothills II
6:00 to 8:00 PM	Highway Products Group Exhibits Texas 4 - 7

Friday, June 18, 2004

8:00 to 5:00 PM	Registration
8:30 to 12:00 PM	ITE International Executive Board Meeting, Foothills I
8:30 to 12:00 PM	Spouse/Children's Event Tour of the Texas State Capital
8:30 to 9:45 AM	Session 1 - History of Signal Equipment Technology and Timing, Texas 1 - 3
Moderator:	Lee Jane Ream, P.E., P.T.O.E., City of Pasadena
	➤ Bill Hensch, P.E., - Gunda Corp.
	➤ Gerry de Camp, P.E.
	➤ Stewart Fisher, P.E.
	➤ Carol Messer, Ph.D., P.E., Texas Transportation Institute, College Station
9:30 to 10:30 AM	Traffic Jeopardy Preliminary Rounds, Foothills II

9:45 to 10:15 AM	BREAK
10:00 to 11:30 AM	Session 2 - The Future - Technology and Research Texas 1 - 3
Moderator:	Dan Lynch, P.E., P.T.O.E., Traffic Engineers, Inc.
	➤ Future Trends in Transportation Shelley Row, P.E., P.T.O.E., Chief Technical Officer, ITE
	➤ Integrating Priority Based Control with Intelligent Vehicles - Larry Head, Ph.D., University of Arizona
	➤ Synopsis of National Weather RD&T & Traffic Operations - Raj Ghaman, P.E., FHWA
12:00 to 2:00 PM	KICKOFF LUNCH Texas 1 - 3
1:00 to 4:00 PM	Spouse/Children's Event Children's Museum
2:30 to 4:00 PM	Session 3 - 50 Years of Traffic Engineering Problem Solving, Texas 1
Moderator:	Jim Williams, Ph.D., P.E., University of Texas at Arlington
	➤ History of the MUTCD - H. Gene Hawkins, Jr., Ph.D., P.E., Texas Transportation Institute
	➤ Warrants Curves, Lane Control Signs, Ramp Metering - Herman Haenel, P.E., Advanced Traffic Engineering
	➤ Drivers and Signing - Don Woods, Ph.D., P.E., Texas A&M University
	➤ Design and Operations - Neil Rowan, Ph.D., P.E., Texas A&M University (Ret.)

2:30 to 4:00 PM	Session 4 - New Challenges in Traffic Engineering, Texas 2 - 3
Moderator:	Robert Benz, P.E., Texas Transportation Institute, Houston
	➤ Sustainable Transportation and Other Trends - Joe Zietsman, Ph.D., P.E., Texas Transportation Institute, College Station
	➤ Aspects of the Bicycle Transportation Alternatives - Linda DuPriest, Austin
	➤ Traffic Engineering Challenges Presented by Introduction of LRT At-Grade - Ramesh Gunda, P.E., P.T.O.E., Gunda Corporation, Inc.
5:00 to 6:30 PM	Highway Products Social and Traffic Jeopardy Finals, Texas 4 - 7
6:30 to 10:30 PM	50 th Anniversary Banquet Texas 1 - 3 Coat and Tie/Cocktail Attire

Saturday, June 19, 2004

8:00 to 12:00 PM	Registration
8:00 to 10:00 AM	Student Paper Presentations Texas 1 - 3
9:00 to 12:00 PM	Spouse/Children's Event Bike Tour of Town Lake
10:00 to 11:00 AM	Student Chapter Meetings Foothills I
10:30 to 12:00 PM	Session 5 - TexITE Saturday Morning Talk Show - Exploring the Past, Present, and Future Texas 1 - 3
Moderator:	Robert Wunderlich - City of Garland
	➤ Marshal Elizer
	➤ Joe Ternus
	➤ Shelly Row
	➤ Dennis Christian
12:30 to 2:30 PM	Business Luncheon, Texas 1 - 3