

# 2020 STA ANNUAL CONFERENCE & INNOVATION AWARDS

A new era in transportation infrastructures: Lessons learned from the COVID-19 crisis

Final Programme

Online, 24 November 2020 (11:00 – 13:00 CET)



## An interactive, globally-focused exchange of ideas and best practices in current and future Smart Transportation Infrastructures

### The 2020 STA Annual Conference in a nutshell

This landmark event brings together key opinion leaders and business professionals to explore the current state and the future of **Smart Transportation Infrastructures** across modes and the Smart City following the COVID-19 crisis.

Its 5th edition takes place on **Tuesday** 24 November 2020 under a shortened online format due to travel restrictions. Once again it will provide a unique opportunity to learn, reflect and engage with decision-makers and practitioners leading and supporting activities improving the methods, technologies and standards associated to transportation infrastructures.

#### **Annual Innovation Awards**

The 2020 STA Annual Innovation Awards honour global innovators who are making decisive contributions to deploying Smart Transportation Infrastructures. Further these nominations highlight improving methods, technologies and standards associated with transportation infrastructures. Award categories include:

- Person of the Year highlighting the achievements of exceptional individual accomplishment
- Best Innovation Project/Solution underscoring teamwork that is breaking the paradigm for transportation infrastructures

# Programme at a Glance

Tuesday 24 November 2019 (11.00 – 13:00 CET)		
11:00 - 11:05	Welcome	
	<ul> <li>Mr José F. Papí, STA President, CEO at Etelätär Innovation</li> </ul>	
	SESSION 1: SMART TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURES UNDER A NEW MOBILITY PARADIGM	
	Keynote presentations	
	<ul> <li>The 2019 STRIA exercise: Implementation &amp; inclusion in future R&amp;I Programmes (Horizon Europe)</li> </ul>	
	Mr Rafal Stanecki, Policy Officer at DG MOVE, European Commission	
	<ul> <li>Safe, Green &amp; Connected Roads in a post-COVID mobility</li> </ul>	
11:05 – 12:00	Dr Elena de la Peña, STA Vice-President & Chair of STA Technical Committee on Smart Mobility, Deputy Director General for Technical Affairs at the Spanish Road Association	
	<ul> <li>Risk occurrence in transport infrastructure projects linked to big crises</li> </ul>	
	Drs Eleni Moschouli, Department of Transport and Regional Economics at the University of Antwerp	
	<ul> <li>Electrified L-Category Vehicles Integrated into Transport and Electricity Networks (ELVITEN): Lessons learned for a post-COVID mobility</li> </ul>	
	Mr José F. Papí, STA President, CEO at Etelätär Innovation	

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	SESSION 2: DISCUSSING THE SMART TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURES OF THE FUTURE
	Keynote presentations
	<ul> <li>SMARTI (Sustainable, Multi-Functional, Automated &amp; Resilient Transport Infrastructures) European Training Network: Lessons learned</li> </ul>
	Dr Davide Lo Presti, Principal Research Fellow at the University of Nottingham
12:00 - 12:30	<ul> <li>Sustainability Journal: Special Issue "Ensuring Sustainable Development at the light of New Mobility Trends and Challenges"</li> </ul>
	Prof José Manuel Vassallo, Chair of STA Technical Committee on Smart Financing, Head of Transportation & Land Use Department at the Technical University of Madrid
	<ul> <li>Road maintenance in Spain, United Kingdom, Germany, France and Italy: A comparative study</li> </ul>
	Mr Francisco Aletta, Innovation Manager at Etelätär Innovation
	SESSION 3: AWARD CEREMONY OF THE 2020 ANNUAL INNOVATION AWARDS
	Person of the Year
12:30 -12:55	<ul> <li>Ms Maria Cristina Marolda - Former Senior Policy Officer in charge of Research and Innovative Transport Systems at DG MOVE, European Commission</li> </ul>
	Best Innovation Solution
	<ul> <li>Big Data Mobility Platform, Aleatica - Award collected by Mr Ricardo Lobo, Head of R&amp;D Department at Aleatica</li> </ul>
12:55 – 13:00	Closure

#### **Conference guidelines**

- The event will be held online via the GoToMeeting platform.
- Instructions to connect will be circulated to the registered participants in anticipation.
- A written chat will be available to discuss and interact with the panellists.

**Registration** at info@smart-transportation.org up to 20 November 2020.



#### The Smart Transportation Alliance

Established in December 2014, the Smart Transportation Alliance (STA) is a not-for-profit **global collaborative platform** for transportation infrastructure innovation across modes and the Smart City.

In the context of safe, sustainable and multimodal transportation systems, STA's vision is the deployment of **Smart Transportation Infrastructures** connecting people and businesses.

A platform for knowledge management, STA's mission is to lead and support activities improving the methods, technologies and standards associated to transportation infrastructures.

For more information: www.smart-transportation.org



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