7th Symposium on Pavement Surface Characteristics

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Theme

Smooth, Safe, Quiet and Sustainable Travel through Innovative Technologies
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4 General Sessions

12 Breakout sections
PIARC Committee Meetings

- TC 4.2. Highway Pavements
  - Sunday-Tuesday

- TC 4.1. Management of Road Assets
  - Monday-Tuesday
Organizers

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Virginia Center for Transportation Innovation & Research

TRB

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Federal Highway Administration

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- Gerardo FLINTSCH, representing Virginia Tech, VTTI, USA
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- Audrey COPELAND, representing Asphalt Construction Industry, NAPA, USA
- Larry SCOFIELD, representing Concrete Construction Industry, ACPA, USA
- Arman NORHEIM, representing ICAO Friction Task Force, ICAO, Norway
- Bojan LEBEN, representing SURF2008, ZAG, Slovenia
- Maureen JENSEN, representing AASHTO, Minnesota, USA
Symposium Highlights

- 175 + participants
- 4 sponsors and 10 exhibitors
- Excellent international participation
  - Delegates from 28 + countries
- Excellent very interesting presentations
Symposium Highlights (cont.)

• Great people!

• A good balance of:
  • Advanced scientific knowledge
  • Practical applications
  • Technological advances

• Excellent camaraderie
Things to Improve

- Participation of the local PIARC committee
- Scientific committee chair should be close to organizing committee
- Translation
- Speed of publication of the proceedings
Exhibitors

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- amec
- International Cybernetics
- IRM
- Interstate Road Management
- MANDLI
- Pathway Services Inc.
- Pavemetrics
- Via Tech
- WayLink Systems Corporation
- W.D.M. Limited
You are invited to attend
a reception hosted by the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute (VT TI) and University Transportation Center (UTC)

5:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, January 14, 2013

Petits Plats
2653 Connecticut Ave. NW
Washington, DC

Please RSVP by
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