Join us for our 2nd annual Mobility Matters 2019 at Portland State University!

Portland State University’s College of Education and the Transportation Research and Education Center (TREC) are excited to reprise this 2nd annual interdisciplinary event in 2019. We invite disability specialists, urban planners, engineers, transportation professionals, students, and community members to discuss the nexus between design, innovation, technology, and access. Conference themes will examine technological innovations that improve accessibility and wayfinding; smart cities; interdisciplinary approaches for intersections; unequal access to safe roads for those with disabilities who are persons of color; and opportunities for regional coordination across adjacent metropolitan areas, with an emphasis on Cascadia.

SUMMIT PROGRAM

8:00 AM - Breakfast and Networking
8:30 AM - Opening Welcome: The Nexus of Disability, Race, Equity, Inclusive Design, Testbeds, Smart Cities
8:45 AM - Policymaking and Innovation in Transportation
9:15 AM - Lived Experiences and Civic Engagement: Community Partnership in Design, Testing and Deployment
11:00 AM - Applications & Testbeds in Accessible Mobility: Innovations on the Mainstage
12:00 PM - Lunch + Networking Break
1:00 PM - Afternoon Breakouts and Mobile Walkabouts
---Wayfinding and Indoor Navigation: Discussion + Exploration
---Tactile Maps and 3-D printing on Campus Testbeds
---Intersections on Universal Access: Discussion + Exploration
---Applying PathVu Technology: Discussion + Exploration
3:30 PM - Coming Back Together: A Facilitated Discussion of Findings
4:30 PM - Networking and Next Steps

QUESTIONS? Contact omsummit@pdx.edu

College of Education (COE) at Portland State University

The College of Education is the largest and most comprehensive school of education in Oregon, offering more than 50 programs in education and counseling. COE’s hybrid online Orientation and Mobility program is the regional program for the Pacific and Northwest Consortium for Vision Education, comprised of six states: Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, Idaho, Alaska and Montana. The O&M program is closely affiliated with the College’s nationally accredited Visually Impaired Learner (VIL) program.

Transportation Research and Education Center (TREC) at Portland State University

TREC is home to the National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC), the Initiative for Bicycle and Pedestrian Innovation (IBPI), and other transportation programs. TREC produces research and tools for transportation decision makers, develops K-12 curriculum to expand the diversity and capacity of the workforce, and engages students and young professionals through education.

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