Overview

Multimodal transportation refers to the integrated planning, operations and management of various transport modes with an aim to maximize the system efficiency of the transport network. This course introduces the audience to the basic and advanced modeling techniques of transport planning and operations. The course will cover planning methodologies of various modes that include automobile, public transit, bicycle and pedestrians. The participants will gain an in-depth understanding of the optimization techniques in transport operations.

The course will disseminate a multimodal perspective of transport planning, operations and management. In this context, the key topics to be covered during the course include:

- Multi-Modal Transportation System Analysis using the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM)
  - Design principles of pedestrian and bicycle facilities; Analysis of multimodal system: automobile, transit, bicyclist and pedestrian
- Simulation based approaches in assessing Multi-modal transportation system
  - Traffic simulation model calibration; Assessing mobility, safety, fuel consumption and emissions
- Introduction to various simulation techniques widely used in transportation optimization
  - Traffic simulation models (microscopic, mesoscopic and macroscopic); Connected and Automated Vehicles modeling
- Applications of optimization in transportation system operations and management
  - Traffic signal timing optimization; Intersection control with connected and automated vehicles
- Multimodal facility design
  - IRC guidelines for pedestrian facility design, Design principles of LRT, Metro and BRT systems
  - Integrated land-use and transportation planning; Transit Oriented Development (TOD); Transit signal priority

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<td>You Should Attend If...</td>
<td>you are a transportation/civil engineer; urban planner, or research scientist interested in urban multimodal transport planning and operations; you are systems engineer interested to learn optimization techniques in transportation; you are a student or faculty from academic institution interested in learning about simulation techniques in transportation for improving efficiency of multimodal transport systems.</td>
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<td>Fees</td>
<td>The fees for enrolling in the course is as follows: Student participants from India: No fee (Refundable deposit of Rs. 2,000 at time of registration) Participants from academic institutions (faculty/researchers): Rs. 7,500 Participants from industry / Research organizations: Rs. 12,000 Participants from NGO / Individual participants: Rs. 5,000 Participants from abroad: US $250 The above fee includes all instructional materials, laboratory equipment usage charges, 24 hr free internet facility. The participants will be provided with accommodation on payment basis.</td>
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The Faculty

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