

Institute of Transportation Engineers

ANNUAL REPORT OF STUDENT CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

FROM: April 1, 2006 to March 31, 2007

STUDENT CHAPTER AT: Portland State University

1. STUDENT CHAPTER OFFICERS

President: Laurie Miskimins
Vice President: Delia Chi
Secretary: Nick Carey
Treasurer: Kate Lyman

2. STUDENT CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP

Number of Student Chapter members: 63
Number of Student members of Institute: 15
Number of Students eligible to be a Student member of the Institute: 30
Number of faculty members who are current ITE members: 4

3. INFORMATION ON TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING ENROLLMENT

Number of undergraduate students (sophomore - senior years) in your academic department: 65
Full time: 50 **Part time:** 15
Does your curriculum allow an undergraduate student to major or minor in Transportation?
Yes No: Not specifically listed, but students have the option to declare an emphasis.
Number of graduate students in Transportation: 25
Full time: 25 (Includes the School of Urban and Regional Planning)

4. SUMMARY OF STUDENT CHAPTER ACTIVITIES **ATTACHED**

5. ROSTER OF STUDENT CHAPTER MEMBERS **ATTACHED**

Report submitted by: Laurie Miskimins

Contents approved by:

Name: _____

Phone: _____ (Faculty Advisor)

Date: _____

Please submit report to: Your District Student Chapter Award Coordinator (See current *ITE Directory* for Name/Address)

4. SUMMARY OF STUDENT CHAPTER ACTIVITIES (cont)

February 7, 2007 Transportation Careers with Kittelson and Associates

Peter Koonce and David Daly spoke to several PSU students about careers and specifically the intern program with Kittelson and Associates. They provided insight into what opportunities the intern program could provide a student and what types of projects they could expect to work on. Additionally they shared their experiences working in the transportation field, talked about differences in working for the public and private sector, and gave advice on what skills employers look for, and what students should consider when contemplating who to work for.

February 16, 2007 Road User Fee Pilot Program Field Trip

Several transportation students attended the Road User Fee Pilot Program on February 23rd, a mileage fee test program sponsored by the Oregon Department of Transportation. The mileage fee pilot project tested several key aspects of charging a per mile fee at the pump in lieu of paying the state gas tax. Volunteers for the one-year pilot used a mileage-counting device for in-state travel and purchased gas at select service stations in northeast and southeast Portland. PSU students witnessed the transaction at the pumping station.

March 2, 2007 TransNow Student Conference

On March 2nd, six PSU students attended the TransNow Student Conference in Boise, Idaho. This year's conference was hosted by students at the University of Idaho. Students gave presentations of completed or current work, listened to three presentations by the Idaho Department of Transportation, Washington Department of Transportation, and ITS America. Highlights from these professional presentations included learning about a transportation planning project in Spokane, WA, what the transportation profession entailed and life after graduation, and the future of intelligent transportation in the United States. While students spent much of the day learning about transportation, there was a lot of time spent getting to know the approximately 20 other students through a fun icebreaker event and an intense battle of Family Feud, transportation style. Students had to predict the answers to common transportation questions such as which state has the most miles of freeway.

5. ROSTER OF STUDENT CHAPTER MEMBERS

First Name	Last Name	Degree
Jaspreet	Anand	MSCE
Lesley	Barewin	MURP
Matt	Berkow	MURP
Rob	Bertini	Faculty
Carolyn	Bonner	Alum
Peter	Bosa	MURP
Aaron	Breakstone	MURP
Nick	Carey	MSCE
Delia	Chi	MURP
Max	Coffman	MURP
Jennifer	Dill	Faculty
Nivedita	Doijode	Alum
Oren	Eshel	MURP

First Name	Last Name	Degree
Jared	Fischer	N/A
John	Hall	MURP
Matt	Harding	MURP
Jason	Havelka	BSCE
Kyle	Helland	MURP
Jonathan	Horowitz	BSCE
Paul	Huang	BSCE
River	Hwang	BSCE
Tomoko	Kanai	MURP
Hannah	Kappel	MURP
Sachin	Karmarkar	N/A
Sirisha	Kothuri	PhD CE
Harleen	Kour	MURP
Adam	Larsen	BSCE
Virginia	Lingham	N/A
Pablo	Lomeu	N/A
Kate	Lyman	MURP
Colin	Maher	MURP
Lake	McTighe	MURP
Laurie	Miskimins	MURP
Brian	Monberg	MURP
Chris	Monseré	Faculty
Hiu Sui	Ng	BSCE
Peter	Ovington	MURP
Amanda	Owings	MURP
Shanna	Perkins	N/A
Sandeep	Ph	MSCE
Jessica	Potter	CS
Nicole	Prehoda	MURP
Erin	Qureshi	BSCE
Joseph	Recker	MURP
Troy	Roberts	BSCE
Meead	Saberi	BSCE
Jennifer	Segal	BSCE
Sarah	Seldon	N/A
Stephen	Shackman	MURP
Steve	Szigethy	MURP
Suman	Tasnim	MSCE
Ariana	Tipper	MURP
Kristin	Tufte	Faculty
Kirian	Udharni	MSCE
Kim	Voros	MURP
Paul	Wachana	PhD USP
Jeremiah	Wheeler	BSCE
Ben	Wiley	MURP
Erin	Wilson	Alum
Michael	Wolfe	PhD CE
Brent	Zenobia	N/A
Ben	Zielke	MSCE

