

Journal Submission

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Submission Information

Papers are invited on the topics outlined and others falling within the scope of the meeting. Abstracts of no more than 300 words should be submitted as soon as possible.

Abstracts should clearly state the purpose, results and conclusions of the work to be described in the final paper. Final acceptance will be based on the full-length paper, which if accepted for publication must be presented at the conference.

The language of the conference will be English.

Online submission

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Submit your abstract with Urban Transport 2013 in the subject line.

Please include your name, full address and conference topic.

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URBAN TRANSPORT 2013

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Location

The third largest island in the Dodecanese archipelago, Kos is east of mainland Greece close to the Turkish coast. Pretty traditional villages, numerous beaches and lively coastal towns nestle in the island's green landscape where visitors are never far from the 120km coastline. The Asklepieion, close to Kos town, is the well-preserved remains of a third century BC hospital and medical school and a popular attraction for visitors. As the birthplace of Hippocrates, the island is considered the home of medicine and has a wealth of excellent archaeological remains from this period of antiquity.

Conference Venue

Located only three kilometers from Kos town, the Iberostar Kipriotis Panorama & Suites offers a range of spacious bedrooms, landscaped gardens, generous leisure facilities, a private beach, restaurants and bars. The hotel is within easy reach of the island's airport as well as restaurants, museums and entertainment in the island's capital.



This International Conference on Urban Transport and the Environment has successfully been reconvened annually for nearly 20 years. It has always attracted a wide international spread of delegates and is well-established as the premier event of its type.

This conference started in Southampton in 1995; continuing in Barcelona (1996); Acquasparta, Italy (1997); Lisbon (1998); Rhodes (1999); Cambridge, UK (2000); Lemnos, Greece (2001); Seville (2002); Crete (2003); Dresden (2004); the Algarve (2005); the Wessex Institute of Technology campus in the New Forest (2006); Coimbra (2007); Malta (2008); Bologna (2009); Limassol (2010); Pisa (2011) and A Coruña (2012). The importance of these meetings is reflected in the papers published in the corresponding volumes of the series of Transactions of Wessex Institute, which are archived in the Wessex Institute eLibrary at <http://library.witpress.com>, where they are permanently and easily available to the international community.

Transport developments and innovations have been part of the evolution of human culture through all the different stages of the growing complexity of economic and

social relationships. During the centuries, freight transport and military logistics have grown up jointly with commercial exchanges, and the development of cities and nations. The control of transport results in economic power and the possibility of influencing policies.

The continuing requirement for better urban transport systems and the need for a healthier environment has added to the increasing success of this annual meeting which attracts international delegates from many different countries. Innovative systems, new approaches and original ideas need to be thoroughly tested and critically evaluated before they can be implemented in practice, which highlights the importance of meetings such as this. Moreover, there is a growing need for integration with telecommunications systems and IT applications in order to improve safety, security and efficiency.

Benefits of Attending

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Transportation demand analysis

Transport policies and economics

Traffic integration and control

Intelligent transport systems

Transport modelling and simulation

Land use and transport integration

Public transport systems

Urban freight transport

Environmental aspects

Safety and security

Economic and social impact

Advanced transport systems

Energy and transport

Management and regulations

Travel behaviour studies

Rail transport strategies

Infrastructure and transport structure

Sustainable mobility

Customer satisfaction

Incident management

Resilience of transport systems

Inter-modal transport systems

Airport planning in urban areas

Bike and pedestrian issues

Indexing and archiving of conference papers

Papers presented at Wessex Institute conferences are referenced by CrossRef and regularly appear in notable reviews, publications and databases, including refereeing and abstract services such as **SCOPUS, Compendex, ISI Web of Knowledge, Index to Scientific and Technical Proceedings, ProQuest** and **Scitech Book News**. All conference books are archived in the British Library and American Library of Congress.

- Papers presented at Urban Transport 2013 will appear in a volume of **WIT Transactions on the Built Environment** (ISSN: 1746-4498, Digital ISSN: 1743-3509).

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