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President's Message

Time for change!

The leaves are slowly changing color and the temperatures are starting to drop in our District which means its time for new and exciting things for our members. First I would like to welcome **Adam Greenstein** to the District Board. I have worked with Adam for years on the WDCSITE/CAPSITE Board and I know his passion for STEM and leadership experience means a bright future for the District. It was great seeing everyone in September at the **MASITE Annual Meeting** in Hershey and I can't wait for the **WDCSITE/ CAPSITE Annual Meeting** in Baltimore on November 2nd.

Save the date for our first **District Webinar** on Thursday November 9th at 1:00 PM. We hope to continue these webinars regularly in the future to share information between Sections outside of the Annual Meeting.

We are gearing up for the **2024 Joint ITE International and Mid-Colonial District Annual Meeting and Exhibition** in Philadelphia in July. We need to have a significant local presence at this meeting to show ITE that we are the best District! The call for abstract submissions is out now, please submit your best project. Finally, with the Joint International and District Meeting in July next year, we will not be holding our typical Spring District Annual Meeting. We still need to send our best team to win the Traffic Bowl at the International Meeting, so we are planning a **District Traffic Bowl** event for the spring. Be on the look-out for details.

Thanks for reading and I hope to see you all soon!



Seth D. Young, P.E., PTOE

Did you know?

ITE has produced record amounts of technical publications and products this year. Councils, Committees, and ITE Staff have released 22 products and conducted 41 webinars to date, with a few additional products and webinars still on the calendar for the remainder of this year. Webinars are free to ITE members. To learn more about getting involved in ITE Councils and Committees, please visit the link below:

<https://www.ite.org/about-ite/councils/>



MCDITE Webinar

Thursday November 9th from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Join the Mid-Colonial District for an informative webinar featuring these presenters:

- Angela Martinez of the City of Pittsburgh - her topic is Department of Mobility & Infrastructure Pavement Assessment Pilot.
- Lindsey Klein from Imperial Traffic & Data Collection - her topic is Post-Pandemic Best Practices in Traffic Data Collection.

[Register Here](#)

MASITE News



SECTION NEWS

On September 10th and 11th, members from the Section joined together for the MASITE Annual Meeting in Hershey, PA The Meeting started with a session and workshop on Sunday afternoon. The Past Presidents dinner had 20 attendees from 4 PM to 6 PM, followed by the Welcome Reception with 84 attendees from 6 PM to 9 PM. The attendees had fun meeting new colleagues as part of a MASITE networking bingo game.

On Monday, the meeting started with breakfast at 7:30 AM and opening remarks by the Annual Meeting Chair, **Keith Meehan**. The full day of two-track sessions had 209 attendees. At lunch, MASITE President **Peter O'Halloran** gave the State of the Section Address with **B.J. Song** and **Steve Gault** giving updates on the treasury and election results. The Board for 2024 was sworn in and the ITE International Committee gave a presentation on the 2024 Joint International/Mid Colonial District meeting in Philadelphia, PA (July 21-24, 2024). MASITE Scholarships were awarded to two PHD students, **Slavica Gavric** of the University of Pittsburgh and **Tanveer Ahmed** of Penn State. Awards were presented to **Ashley Tracey** of AECOM (Young Member of the Year), Greg Frisby of WRA (Committee Member of the Year), **Mike Mudry** of TPD (Section Member of the Year), and **Keith Meehan** of Michael Baker (President's Award). In addition, the City of Philadelphia and PennDOT D6-0 were awarded Project of the Year for the I-95 Emergency Repair project. Other highlights included the keynote address from **Mike Rebert**, the PennDOT Deputy Secretary for Highway Administration, and the I-95 Emergency Repair Panel Discussion featuring **Fran Hanney, Louis Belmont, Dave Adams, Din Abazi,** and **Dan Gleason** from PennDOT District 6-0.

Special thanks to the entire Annual Meeting Committee for their hard work planning and ensuring the entire meeting ran smoothly.

- Peter O'Halloran, PE, PTOE, President MASITE

WDCSITE News



Membership of WDCSITE has enjoyed a great slate of fall programming including our marquee Audi Field event (which sold out over 120 attendees!), a Complete Streets panel hosted at BMC in Baltimore followed by our Section's Sponsorship Social, and technical meetings at DDOT headquarters and the Engineer's Club with our ASHE colleagues.

WDCSITE is excited to wrap up it's last weeks as the Washington DC Section as we transition to the Chesapeake and Potomac Section of ITE (CAPSITE)! Our official transition will be marked by our [Section Annual Meeting](#) on Thursday November 2 at the Engineers Society of Baltimore (aka, the Engineer's Club) in the heart of the Mount Vernon neighborhood in Baltimore. Registration is still open! The annual meeting has a great technical program in addition to our luncheon business and awards meeting. This event will swear in the 2024 Section Board members, present individual awards, scholarships, and our Project of the Year winner. Special thanks to the leadership of Section VP **Elisa Mitchell** and her co-coordinators, **David Samba** and **Ashley Orr** for pulling together this highly anticipated event!

This all cumulates a fantastic year of programming on behalf of our Area Directors, **Lili Liang** (Baltimore Area) and **Alvaro Calle** (DC Area), and behind the scenes work by our board and leadership looking to better organize internal processes, administration, and the workings of changing the Section's branding this year.

- Jon Crisafi, PE, PTOE, President WDCSITE