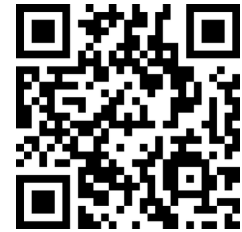




Introduction to the Transportation Industry & Career Growth Strategies Panel

with the Younger Member Committee

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Meet the Panelists



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What is the Younger Member Committee?



Who We Are

- Empower the next generation of transportation leaders
- Promote Social Engagement
- Advance Professional Development
- A platform for young members to connect, learn, and thrive in their careers



Why become a Younger Member of ITE?

- Discounted Memberships
- Networking Opportunities
- Mentorship Program
- Educational Webinars
- Career Resources
- Rising Star Program

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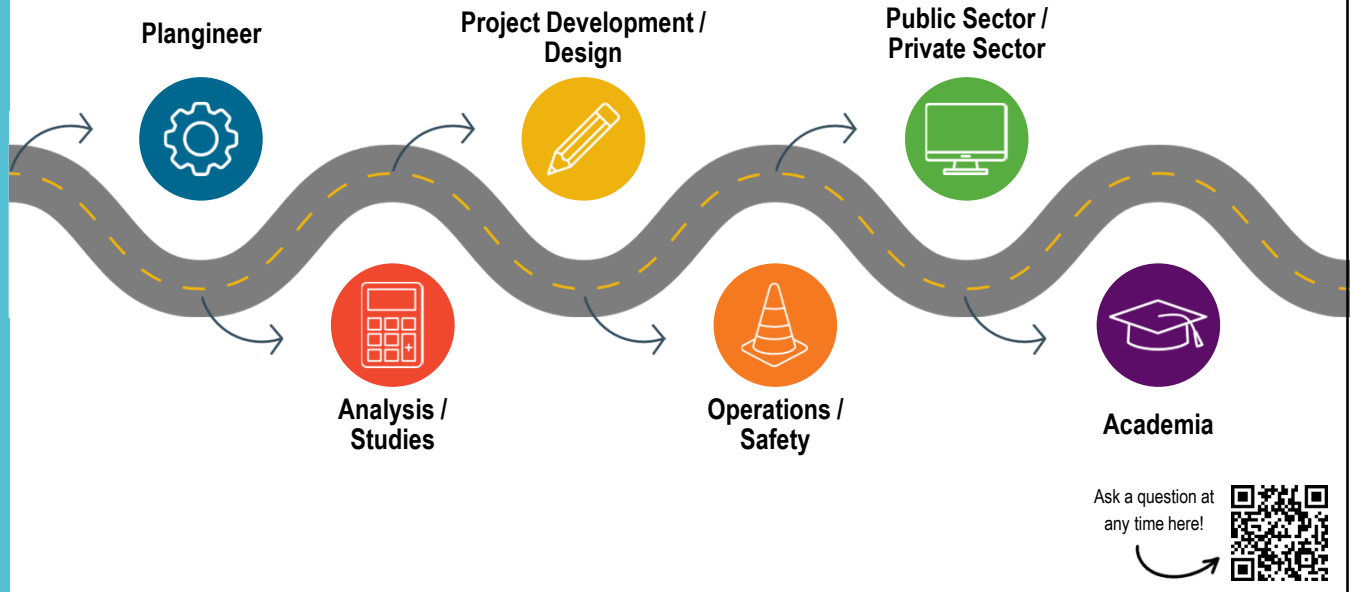


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Which of the following best describes you?

Different Career Routes



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Managers



- Different milestones and skills are needed to become a manager but two common factors are:
 - i. Years of Experience
 - ii. Licenses / Certifications
- Types of Managers:
 - i. Supervisor
 - ii. Project Manager
 - iii. Public Manager
 - iv. Intern / New Hire Manager

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Licenses & Certifications



- Professional Engineer (PE)
- Professional Transportation Operations Engineer (PTOE)
- Roadway Safety Professional (RSP1 / RSP2)
- Professional Transportation Planner (PTP)
- American Institute of Certified Planners (AICP)
- And many, many more....

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What Professional Organizations are you a part of?

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Involvement in ITE



- Local Chapter events, meetings, or committees
- District Chapter events, meetings, or committees
- Participate in or assist Student Chapters
- Volunteer through Leadership Positions
- International Technical Committees and Councils
- LeadershipITE

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Early Attainable Career Goals



- Licenses and Certifications
- Create 1 year, 2 year, and 5 years goals
- Promotions
- Diverse Work Experience
- Early Involvement with Leadership Opportunities

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Thank you!

Any questions?



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