11th Annual Technical Day 2010
March 11, 2010 • Campus Center, Amherst Room (10th Floor)

UMass ITE ~ Celebrating 20 Years

To celebrate our 20th anniversary all alumni in attendance will receive a commemorative t-shirt. Get the word out to fellow alum so that we can make this a great celebration of our chapter’s history.

Speaker Session

Beyond 2010:
New Direction in Transportation
2:30-4:30 PM, 2 PDH Credits

Innovate Project: I-91 ITS Design Build Project
Meryl Mandell, Project Manager at MassDOT District 2 and UMass Alum

The Future of Rail in New England
Matthew Coogan, Director of the New England Transportation Institute

Pavement of Tomorrow
Walaa Mogawer, Civil & Environmental Engineering Professor at UMass Dartmouth

Funding the Future
Clinton Bench, Deputy Executive Director MassDOT Office of Transportation Planning and UMass Alum

Social Hour and Dinner

Social Hour
4:30-5:30 PM (Cash Bar)

Dinner, Keynote Address, and Awards
5:30-7:00 PM

Keynote Address
Jeffrey Mullan
Secretary and CEO of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) and UMass Alum

Presentation of Awards:
• Jane F. Garvey/UMass ITE Transportation Leadership Award
• UMass ITE Student Service Award
• UMass ITE Distinguished Alumni Award
• TEAAM Travel Scholarship Award

Student Social and Lodging

Student social event will be held at Union Billiards (located on the 2nd floor of the Campus Center/Student Union) following the dinner program.

Overnight accommodations for students traveling from out-of-town are being provided courtesy of the Northeastern District of ITE on a first come first serve basis. Please RSVP as soon as possible to ensure reservation of appropriate lodging.

Breakfast will be provided on Friday morning.

RSVP by March 1, 2010

RSVP to dpeabody@student.umass.edu

Registration fee:
Professionals - $50 Students - $10

Registration includes Speaker Session, Refreshments, Dinner, and Parking in the Campus Center Garage.

Pay at the door – cash or check to UMass ITE Student Chapter.
No shows will be billed.
Jeffrey B. Mullan serves as Secretary and CEO of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT), launched on November 1, 2009. Appointed by Governor Deval Patrick, Jeff has held leadership positions at Massachusetts transportation agencies and authorities since 2007 and was a key architect of the reform plan to create the new streamlined transportation organization, MassDOT.

Mullan oversees implementation of the most historic transportation reform law in decades. He leads a new, unified organization that operates as one – one transportation agency with one mission: to provide a safe, reliable and efficient transportation network for citizens of the Commonwealth.

Jeff has been involved in Massachusetts transportation issues for more than 20 years. From May through October, 2009, he served as the Executive Director of the former Massachusetts Turnpike Authority where he was responsible for overseeing the abolition of the Turnpike Authority and leading an inter-agency Highway Integration Team responsible for creating the MassDOT Highway Division that will integrate MassHighway, Turnpike, Tobin Bridge and Department of Conservation and Recreation assets and operations. Since March of 2007, he had served as the Undersecretary and General Counsel at the Executive Office of Transportation and Public Works (EOT), and had assumed the duties of Chief Operating Officer in October of 2008.

Prior to 2007, he worked for 14 years at Foley Hoag LLP, where he was a partner and the co-chair of the firm’s administrative law practice. While at Foley, he represented many public sector clients on redevelopment and transportation projects, and was involved in major initiatives such as the Central Artery/Tunnel Project, the Greenbush commuter rail line and the Route 3 North project. He also represented the Commonwealth in the creation of the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway Conservancy in 2004. Before joining Foley Hoag, Mullan worked at the former Massachusetts Department of Public Works as Right of Way Manager on the Central Artery/Tunnel Project.

A Worcester native, Mullan is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts and earned a JD from the Suffolk University School of Law. He, his wife and three teenage sons live in Milton, where he is a member of the Board of Appeals.

Getting to Amherst ...

From the North
Route 91, South to Exit 25 - At the end of the ramp turn left and follow the road to the intersection - turn right onto routes 5 & 10 South - go 1 mile, then left onto Route 116 South. then 8 miles to UMass Exit - Left at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

From the South
Route 91 North to Exit 19 (Northampton/Amherst) - Right onto Route 9 and go approximately 4.5 miles to Route 116 North (left turn at the lights), then 1 mile to UMass Exit - Right at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

From the East
Mass Pike (Route 90) West to Exit 4 (West Springfield) onto Route 91 North to Exit 19 (Northampton/Amherst) - Right onto Route 9 and go approximately 4.5 miles to Route 116 North (left turn at the lights), then 1 mile to UMass Exit - Right at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

Getting to the Campus Center
Parking Garage ...
From Massachusetts Avenue (after exiting from Route 116)
At the second set of lights turn left onto Commonwealth Avenue - Boyden Gymnasium is on the corner of Commonwealth & Massachusetts Avenues - At the next set of lights turn right onto Campus Center Way and proceed up Campus Center Way - The entrance to the Campus Center Parking Garage is at the top of the hill on the right.

Campus Center Receiving Dock Directions
(by special arrangement only)
From Massachusetts Avenue (after exiting from Route 116) - At the second set of lights turn left onto Commonwealth Avenue - Boyden Gymnasium is on the corner of Commonwealth & Massachusetts Avenues - At the next set of lights turn right onto Campus Center Way - Take the next immediate right and follow the road to the first floor entrance of the Campus Center Parking Garage and the Campus Center Receiving Dock.

Getting to the Lincoln
Campus Center ...
From the Parking Garage
As you enter the Parking Garage proceed down the ramp and park on Level 2. An enclosed entranceway leads directly from Level 2 onto the Campus Center Concource (Level 2). As you enter the Concource, you will see information signs directing you to the location of your conference registration. If you are a hotel guest and looking for the Campus Center Lobby, proceed to the left, and walk past the University Store; the elevators are on the right. The Hotel Lobby is on the third floor.