



CALL FOR PAPERS

6th Annual Inter-university Symposium on Infrastructure Management (AISIM)
University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716, USA

The exchange of information and knowledge in asset and infrastructure management is critical to finding more efficient methods of retaining initial investment value. Engineers and Scientists, together with administrators around the world are continually analyzing the state-of-the-art and the state-of-the-practice, and are creating innovative solutions to manage assets. The 6th AISIM is an informal forum to allow graduate students from various institutions and their faculty to share their research with colleagues in the same field. The 5th AISIM held at the University of Iowa 2009 was a great success! Information about the previous AISIM can be found at <http://www.aisim5.org/>.

The 6th AISIM is scheduled for **June 18-19, 2010** at the **University of Delaware**, in Newark, Delaware, **USA**. The goal of the symposium is to advance infrastructure management technologies through information exchange and conversations, which will be in either poster or oral presentation format. Topics may come from any area in asset and infrastructure management. Faculty members or PhD students currently investigating infrastructure management are encouraged to participate. However, all presenters should be students. All faculty members/industry colleagues are encouraged to attend to contribute to the symposium via questions, comments, and/or discussions.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS (Deadline: March 15, 2010)

Participants **must** submit an abstract by the deadline in order to register for the symposium. Abstracts should be approximately 500 words in length. Additional information regarding important registration and submission information will be announced through the TAMT community and practice Website (<http://assetmanagement.transportation.org>) under events.

AWARDS

Awards will be distributed to outstanding participants. The five outstanding presentations will be asked to participate in a session at the 2011 Transportation Research Board (TRB) meeting, which is being sponsored by the Pavement Management Committee (AFD10) and the Transportation Asset Management Committee (ABC40). The session will be a Best Presentation Session from AISIM.

KEY DATES

March 15, 2010	Abstract Submission Deadline
April 1, 2010	Notification of acceptance of abstracts
May 15, 2010	Paper Submission Deadline
June 1, 2010	Presentation Submission Deadline
June 18, 2010	Workshop and early evening welcome reception
June 19, 2010	6th AISIM, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, USA including dinner

Registration is at **no cost** to you. The final program will be available in April 15, 2010 on the Website.

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