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NM TransCon 2026

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

New Mexico Transportation and Construction Conference,
April 22-24, 2026, Las Cruces Convention Center, Las Cruces,
New Mexico

THEME

From Route 66 to Tomorrow's Transportation Networks

*Applying lessons from legacy infrastructure to
innovative transportation planning, design,
and construction.*

QUESTIONS

Email us: nmtranscon@nmsu.edu

REGISTRATION FEES

Registration Opens Feb. 13

Early Bird Rate (thru 4/2)	\$175
Government Rate (thru 4/2)	\$165
Group Rate (thru 4/2)	\$165
Speaker/Presenter Rate	\$85
End of the Road Rate (4/3-4/16)	\$185
Students (register by 4/16)	Free

IMPORTANT DATES

FEB. 2	FEB. 9	FEB. 13	FEB. 20	MARCH 6	APRIL 16	APRIL 22-24
Sponsorships & Vendor Booths go on Sale	Presentation Submission Deadline	Conference Registration Opens	Presentation Submission Acceptance Notifications	Target Date for Conference Agenda	Registration Closes	Conference Dates

Presentation submissions must be turned in
via the online form which will request
presentation title, description, presenter(s)
contact information, titles, and bios.

SUBMISSION FORM

<https://forms.office.com/r/BY86sBBXLV>

VISIT OUR CONFERENCE WEBSITE:

<https://engrnm.nmsu.edu/professional-development/conferences/transcon.html>

2026 NM TransCon Conference Theme

Guidance

The 2026 New Mexico Transportation and Construction Conference (NM TransCon) will recognize the **Route 66 Centennial**, celebrating the historic highway's lasting influence on transportation in New Mexico and beyond. This milestone is reflected in the conference theme:

From Route 66 to Tomorrow's Transportation Networks

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NM TransCon invites professionals, researchers, practitioners, and students to share insights that advance the planning, design, construction, and operation of transportation systems. Presentations that explore the history of Route 66, its engineering significance, and lessons learned from its development and longevity are especially encouraged.

Topic Areas

Presentation topics are generally organized into the categories below. Submissions addressing related topics are also welcome.

- Artificial Intelligence
- Bridges
- Collaborative Partnerships
- Communities and Environment
- Construction
- Construction Safety
- Data and Technology
- Design Innovation
- Drainage
- Funding
- Infrastructure Maintenance
- Infrastructure Management
- Innovation and Technology
- Intelligent Infrastructure
- Materials
- Mental Health
- Resilient Infrastructure
- Structural Engineering
- Transportation Planning
- Transportation Research
- Transportation Safety