



# What is the Association for European Transport?

The Association for European Transport (AET), formed in 1998, is the leading European organisation for transport practitioners, policy makers and academics. Members of the Association are currently drawn from more than 35 countries and number about 200 Organisation and Individual Members.

AET promotes networking and exchange of ideas, information and opportunities amongst members. It organises Europe's oldest multi-disciplinary, multi-stream annual transport conference, the European Transport Conference (ETC).

Members are encouraged to play an active role in the Association by joining the Programme Committees or taking the opportunity to shape the future by standing for election to the AET Council.

## The Benefits of AET Membership

Membership is open to individuals and organisations. Organisation membership fees are on a sliding scale and are based on the number of transport professionals within the organisation. There is a 50% discount for Young Professionals and for those individuals and organisations from member states of the European Union that joined in 2004, 2007 and 2013. Membership applications can be made on-line and they are approved by the Association Board.

### Conference Discounts

Individual members automatically receive a 10% discount on European Transport Conference fees, and organisational members a 15% discount according to size.

### Programme Committees

All AET members are eligible for appointment to the Programme Committees. Programme Committee membership provides a good opportunity to make contacts and find out more about transport policy, practice and research throughout Europe. The Programme Committees define the seminar programme of the European Transport Conference.



The Local Public Transport Programme Committee meeting in Budapest, 2019

### Website

AET intends to use the private part of its website, accessible via a password, to help members access information and people in other countries. We are currently asking members for their views about what should be posted on the website; ideas under discussion include a membership database, a 'where to go' address book, links to other transport websites, details of new publications, news about research and consultancy projects, a listing of forthcoming events, and a helpline for people seeking information or research partners.

### Research Dissemination

Many research and consultancy contracts now require dissemination of the results. AET will help you to meet these requirements through its Conference proceedings.

The peer-review of papers was first offered in 2013. Papers are published in an on-line selection of reviewed papers or in special issues of journals.

The selected proceedings of the 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 Conference have been published in Transportation Research Procedia and publication of the 2019 papers is in progress:

[www.sciencedirect.com/journal/transportation-research-procedia/vol/42/suppl/C](http://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/transportation-research-procedia/vol/42/suppl/C)

[www.sciencedirect.com/journal/transportation-research-procedia/vol/8](http://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/transportation-research-procedia/vol/8)

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### Young Professionals

AET is committed to the training and development of the next generation of transport professionals and provides a friendly and informal atmosphere in which they can develop their presentation and communication skills. Young Professionals are entitled to a 50% reduction on membership fees. The European Transport Conference provides opportunities for Young Professionals to meet socially and develop networking opportunities. AET will support any group that is keen to develop a more formal structure.

**For full details of the Association, how to join and information about the European Transport Conference, please either contact Sally Scarlett: [sally.scarlett@aetransport.org](mailto:sally.scarlett@aetransport.org)**

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