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IT-TRANS 2018 CONFERENCE PROGRAMME: READ ALL ABOUT IT!

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As [IT-TRANS](#) approaches (Karlsruhe, 6-8 March) UITP is pleased to announce more details on our conference programme – as our 2018 edition looks set to be the best yet.

IT-TRANS is the leading conference where the sector meets to exchange, discuss and invent IT solutions and to drill down into the issues such as account-based ticketing, the API economy, on-demand travel and more. These subjects are changing the business so the need to discuss them is now.

More than 500 conference delegates ranging from CEOs and managers to engineers, experts and consultants coming from 40 countries across the world will gather in Karlsruhe to discuss, network and participate in sessions vital to the industry debate.

High-level speakers will discuss the seven main themes of the 2018 event:

- [Data and the API economy](#)
- [Customer relations](#)
- [Enabling new mobility solutions and MAAS](#)
- [Ticketing and payment](#)
- [Operations & maintenance](#)
- [Cyber Security](#)
- [Autonomous vehicles](#)

The first day of IT-TRANS ([Tuesday 6th March](#)) will include the 'STA Workshop' featuring a discussion on seamless travel through standards, a seminar from 'ITxPT Seminar', an 'AI in PT Expert roundtable' and the day will conclude with 'Drivers & Enablers of Digitalisation in public transport'.

The second day ([Wednesday 7th March](#)) of our conference programme will include 'Operations, Maintenance and Asset Management', 'Smart Ticketing', 'Open Sources and Open Systems' and 'The Rise of the API Economy' to name but a few.



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The third and final day of our conference ([Thursday 8th March](#)) will see discussions and participations in subjects such as 'The Impact of Digitalisation on Human Resources', 'Public Transport and the Autonomous Vehicle' and a technical visit of a test area autonomous vehicle driving – Baden-Wuerttemberg. In 2018, vehicle systems, additional services, and applications for automated and connected driving can be tested under real traffic conditions in the Test Area Autonomous Driving Baden-Wuerttemberg.

IT-TRANS 2018 will offer you more networking opportunities with a restructured conference programme to allow for more time to visit the Exhibition and connect with colleagues.

Get closer to truly integrated urban mobility systems and network with like-minded industry colleagues at IT-TRANS - the International Conference and Exhibition 6 - 8 March 2018.

For more information on all things IT-TRANS please visit our [dedicated website](#)

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NOTE TO EDITORS

The International Association of Public Transport (UITP) is a passionate champion of sustainable urban mobility and is the only worldwide network to bring together all public transport stakeholders and all sustainable transport modes. We have 1,500 member companies giving access to 16,000 contacts from 96 countries. Our members are public transport authorities and operators, policy decision-makers, research institutes and the public transport supply and service industry. Visit our website www.uitp.org. Follow us on Twitter: [@UITPpressoffice](https://twitter.com/UITPpressoffice)

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