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Transportation & Public Utilities Group

Newsletter – May 2023

- Abstract submissions for ASSA 2024 in San Antonio closing May 15
- Attend TPUG Sessions at 2023 WEAI summer meetings
- Finishing a PhD in 2023? TPUG has a dissertation award
- Join TPUG

ASSA 2024 in San Antonio



The Transportation and Public Utilities Groups (TPUG) returns to the ASSA meetings in San Antonio on January 5-7, 2024. TPUG sponsors two transportation and two public utilities sessions, and a social event featuring our annual business meeting and networking. The

deadline for abstracts is fast approaching. Abstracts are due **May 15** and sessions will be set up early June. Submit through an online form at:

https://sites.macalester.edu/tpug/annual-assa-meetings/

Presenting at the ASSA is a benefit of TPUG membership.

TPUG at WEAI 2023



TPUG is organizing four sessions at the WEAI meeting in San Diego, CA on July 2 – July 6, 2023. Check out the program and registration information at: https://weai.org/conferences/view/13/98th-Annual-Conference

Early bird discounted registration ends May 15.

Dissertation Award

Are you submitting your PhD thesis in calendar year 2023, or supervising a thesis on transportation or public utilities? TPUG sponsors an annual PhD dissertation award. There is a cash prize, and the winner will be honored at our annual reception at the ASSA conference in San Antonio. Graduates or their advisors should submit a copy of the thesis as an e-mail attachment to Jon Hughes at: jonathan.e.hughes@colorado.edu by September 30.

Join TPUG

TPUG is an international forum for researchers and practitioners interested in the economics of and public policies towards the transportation and public utilities industries. Founded in 1946, it is one of the oldest constituents of the Allied Social Sciences Association.

Not a member of TPUG? Want to present your research or network at the WEAI and ASSA meetings? Have your student's work recognized with our dissertation awards? Join with a couple of clicks. Go to: https://sites.macalester.edu/tpug/membership/

Our membership year runs August 1 to July 31. So existing annual members should be renewing in the coming months. If you are a new member and join after May 1, your first-year membership runs through July 31, 2024.

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