



AET Covid-19 Conversations

Understanding, Shaping and Planning for the New Normal

New Autumn 2020/Winter 2021 Webinar Series

Webinar Thursday 1st October 2020 at 11:00 CEST (10:00 BST)

In May 2020 AET called for contributions from members to share their experiences about the impacts of Covid-19 Pandemic on transport and mobility. Contributions have been published, and are being continuously updated, on a dedicated Covid-19 webpage on the AET Website: <https://aetransport.org/aet-covid-19-conversations>

During the last few months AET explored some of the key learning points of the experience of the Pandemic to date through a series of three highly successful webinars. The pandemic continues to present unprecedented challenges for countries, people and businesses across Europe, including organisations and professionals in the transport sector. By continuing to share and learn from leading practice including through these AET Webinars we can all learn together how to support transport, the economy and society to recover towards a better post-Covid World.

The first in the *AET Autumn Winter 2020/2021 Webinar Series* will be held on **Thursday 1st October** between 11am and 12 noon CEST (10:00-11:00 BST). This first webinar will be hosted with the support of the *ETC Programme Committee for Intelligent Mobility* who provide two speakers to present their findings from recent work followed by a moderated question and answer session:

- Samya Ghosh, AECOM Consultants, UK – “Planning for Post-Covid19 with an Intelligent Mobility Hat”
- Henk Taale, RWS, Netherlands – “Mobility Management in Covid-9 times”

The webinar discussion will be moderated by Conall Mac Aongusa – Chair of AET Covid-19 Working Group.

Samya Ghosh heads the Urban Space team of AECOM Europe which specialises in micro-simulation modelling for both vehicles and pedestrians. He has over 26 years’ experience in the areas of multi-modal transport studies, integrated land use and transport planning and modelling and has contributed papers and talks in many international forums.

Henk Taale is a senior consultant employed by Rijkswaterstaat, a part of the Dutch Ministry of Infrastructure and the Environment. He has more than 25 years of experience in the fields of traffic management, traffic models and evaluation and was involved as project manager or advisor in numerous projects. Since June 2011 he is also appointed a part-time assistant professor at Delft University of Technology to supervise PhD research and to continue his own research on traffic management.

The webinar will be hosted on the Webex platform. It is quite similar to Zoom and signing up will be possible in the same way as for the previous webinars. Please register via the [link](#) below to let us know you will attend. After registration, this link will become your access link for the webinar itself. We will send additional information to all registrants on solving technical issues, should you encounter any.

The information will be sent out the day before the webinar but there is no deadline for signing up. Please feel free to sign up when you are able and we hope to see you during the webinar.

<https://tftp.webex.com/tftp/j.php?RGID=r593be99376876552f24b1b6f7656e87e>

It is planned to hold further webinars in the Autumn 2020/Winter 2021 on the first Thursday every month.

Programme Committees and AET members are encouraged to contribute and participate in the webinar series. When submitting papers or articles on Covid-19 you have recently written please indicate if you would be willing to speak about the work at a future webinar.