



Inviting Contributions for the AET COVID-19 Conversation

In line with its role to advance transport planning through networking and the exchange of ideas, information and opportunities, AET has launched an initiative to support its members through the current COVID-19 Pandemic.

AET invites its members to share evidence and experiences in respect of COVID-19, transport impacts, current responses and plans and proposals for future recovery. This evidence will be reviewed, classified and posted on a dedicated section of the AET website which will be regularly updated.

The Pandemic is presenting unprecedented challenges for countries, people and businesses across Europe, including organisations and professionals in the transport sector. They are impacted directly, but also have a vital role in keeping essential goods and workers moving at a time of crisis, as well as in supporting the economic and social recovery, and shaping how people and goods might move in the post-COVID World. Data, knowledge, analysis and good practice are vital at this difficult time to support transport operations and organisation.

Members are invited to submit data, reports, news articles, images, studies, presentations and links to relevant websites for their country, transport industry sub-sector (e.g. roads, public transport) or topic of interest (e.g. policy, travel demand, freight, modelling).

Please submit all material via the following e-mail address: covid19@aetransport.org.

The format is flexible, but submissions must comply with the following criteria:

- It must be submitted via an AET member;
- It must be relevant to the aims and objectives of the AET and/or ETC;
- It should be focused on one or more European countries (although global analyses and cases from outside of Europe may be considered by exception);
- It must be confined to the current ongoing COVID19 pandemic and the related impacts and responses in respect of transport planning organisation and delivery.;
- They should be based on clear verifiable evidence and not be solely opinion pieces; and
- Permission for publication on the AET website must be given and not raise copyright, defamation or legal issues.

On receipt, submissions will be reviewed and categorised by a specially-convened COVID-19 Conversation Working Group, as well as the AET Website Administrator. Further enquiries may be made before material is placed online. The ultimate decision on publication lies with the AET Board.

There is no current deadline or end-date for contributions. Material may be submitted at any time.

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