

Conference Fee - IAT Members €225 / Non Members €325 - Hodson Bay Hotel, Athlone
Hotel Accommodation - €117 B&B Single, €128 B&B Double/Twin. Telephone 090 644 2005

On the Road to Sustainability

Set against the backdrop of pressing environmental concerns, this seminar will address the challenges and opportunities faced by the Road Industry in the quest for Sustainability.

Changes in historical practices, facilitated by exciting new technologies, are continually being made, and these are already having positive effects, which will only increase as this becomes the new reality. These initiatives will be examined, as well as the progress made to date in their implementation, by a wide variety of expert speakers from Ireland, the UK and Europe .

The seminar will cover:

- Recent Advances in use of Recycled Asphalt Pavements.
- Implications of new TII Publication, 'Road Pavements - Unbound and Hydraulically Bound Mixtures; CC-SPW-00800, October 2023'.
- Increase in the use of Warm Mixes.
- Advances in Laying Equipment for both hot/warm-mix materials, and surface dressing.
- A Local Authority Perspective on Sustainable Transport.
- Sustainable Composite Manhole Covers.
- Use of Thermal Technology for road repairs.
- TII Circular Economy Policy and Strategy.
- Road Planings and Article 27.
- A Local Authority view on Delivering a more Sustainable Roadworks Programme.
- Sustainability & Surface Dressing.

Programme

Time	Event	Speaker
9.15-9.20	Welcome	David Hogan Chairperson IAT Irish Branch
9.15-9.30	Opening address	Gearóid Lohan President IAT
9.30-10.00	Recycled Aggregate in a Granular Fill	Dermot McCarthy Roadstone
10.00-10.20	Road Planings and Article 27	Roisin Griffin EPA
10.20-10.50	Sustainable Road Building in a Circular Economy - Technical solutions for CO ₂ reduction	Dr. Heinrich Steins Wirtgen GmbH
10.50-11.00	Tribute to the late Jim Campbell	Edmund Hegarty
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 - 11:50	TII Circular Economy Policy and Strategy	Esther Madden Transport Infrastructure Ireland
11:50-12:10	Sustainable Transport, A Local Authority Perspective	Pat Nally Westmeath Co. Co.
12:10-12:30	Increased use of Warm Mix	Corin Bridson Breedon
12:30-12:45	Lessons in Leadership	Pat Gilroy Breedon
12.45-13:00	Q & A	
13.00 - 14.15	Lunch	
14:15- 14:35	Specifying high-performance composite access covers to improve infrastructure sustainability.	Vincent Cooper EJ Ireland
14:35-14:50	Thermal Technology – a sustainable approach to minor surface repairs	Cathal Fahy Tarstone
14:50-15:10	Making the Case for Road Surface Dressing	Rory O'Connor RSTA
15:10-15:30	Innovation in Surface Dressing Equipment	Alan Anderson Colas
15:30-15:50	Delivering a more Sustainable Roadworks Programme in Co. Meath	Andrew Faulkner Meath Co. Co.
15:50 - 16:00	Q & A	

Chairpersons: Jennifer Molloy Noel O'Driscoll John Mockler