

# Invitation

Policy-makers forum: how should governments around the world prepare for automated vehicles?

**Governments around the world are currently considering how motor vehicle regulations should be adapted to facilitate emerging automated vehicle technology.**

**How should governments tackle liability and privacy issues?**

**How should we validate the safety case for automated vehicles?**

**And when should governments act?**

Timed to run concurrently with the 2016 ITS World Congress, this forum will be a unique opportunity for senior policy-makers to discuss these issues with their international colleagues and gain insights from around the world.

Hosted by Australia's [National Transport Commission](#), the forum will include presentations from:

**José Viegas, Secretary-General, International Transport Forum**

**Steven Shladover, Program Manager, Mobility, the University of California, USA**

**Geoff Allan, Chief Operating Officer, National Transport Commission, Australia**

as well as other speakers to be confirmed shortly. These presentations will be followed by an interactive workshop exercise, designed to stimulate discussion on regulatory issues and identifying and prioritising solutions.

**Date: Monday, 10 October 2016**

**Time: 12:00pm - 3:30pm (including lunch)**

**Venue:** Room MR109, Level 1, Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre, 1 Convention Centre Place, South Wharf, Melbourne, Victoria (the ITS World Congress venue)

**Please note:** *In order to gain access to the forum venue, each attendee must be registered as a ITS World Congress delegate (at a minimum have purchased a day pass). To register, visit <http://www.itsworldcongress2016.com/registration>*

**Please RSVP by the 16<sup>th</sup> September as places are limited (including details of any dietary requirements). For more information, please email the NTC automated vehicles team at [automatedvehicles@ntc.gov.au](mailto:automatedvehicles@ntc.gov.au)**