

2023 Summit: Transport Enabling Sustainable Economies

24-26 May, Leipzig, Germany

<u>Under the Presidency of the United Kingdom</u>





Summit theme trilogy 2022-2024

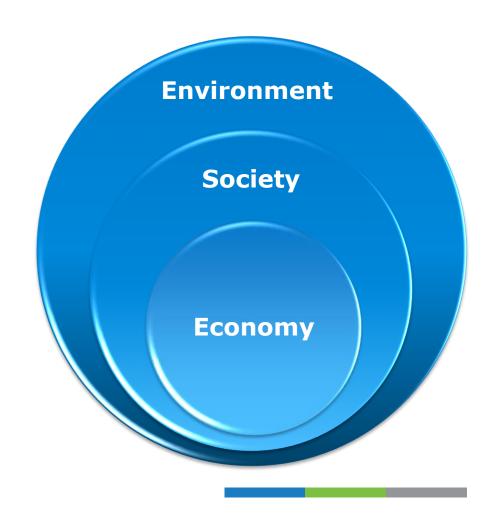
Transport Innovation Serving Societies:

- Transport for Inclusive Societies (2022)
- Transport Enabling Sustainable Economies (2023)
- Transport in Harmony with the Environment (2024)



Sustainable economies

- Sustainable development means balancing the three mutually dependent pillars of sustainability: economy, environment and society.
- Sustainable economies aim to increase prosperity while fostering social cohesion and inclusion, and environmental sustainability.





Transport Enabling Sustainable Economies

Role of transport as an enabler of economic growth while serving as a vector for social and environmental sustainability:

- Enhancing social welfare, providing benefits to society and promoting inclusion.
- Minimising externalities such as traffic congestion, air and maritime pollution, and road crashes.



Context: global trends and challenges

- Geopolitical crisis and risks of global fragmentation
- Climate change and biodiversity loss
- Energy crisis
- Uneven Covid-19 pandemic recovery
- Uncertain economic outlook
- Growing inequality



2023 Summit programme

Promoting inclusive access & tackling poverty

Fostering transport for economic growth & stability

Transport
Enabling
Sustainable
Economies

Boosting economies through greening transport

Building safe & resilient transport systems

Dimensions

GLOBAL

REGIONAL

NATIONAL

LOCAL

- All modes of transport
- Innovation as a crosscutting theme

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Supporting safe and resilient transport systems

Key sessions:

- Tackling poverty: what is the role of transport? (Plenary)
- Capturing the wider benefits of accessibility in transport planning
- Closing the gender gap in transport entrepreneurship

Key sessions:

- Transport enabling sustainable economies and stability (Plenary)
- Transport generating prosperity: local and regional perspectives (Plenary)
- Economic and equity benefits of investment in transport

Key sessions:

- Accelerating the transition towards a circular economy
- Investing in climate adaptation: strategies that work
- Decarbonising Transport: Current status and future directions (ITF DT Initiative)

Key sessions:

- How can road safety boost the economy?
- Ensuring a just transition: focus on transport workforce

Opportunities at the Summit



Bilateral meetings



Political leaders



Media interviews & events



Diversity of sessions



CEOs addressing Ministers



Open Stage Cafe



Side events



Sponsorship, exhibition and live demos



Networking



Thank you!

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