

ETC PARIS 2025

Full Conference Program

23rd European Transport Congress – EPTS Foundation - CY University
 "Future of European transport: infrastructure, service and technologies"



Thursday, 26 June 2025 - 1st day of ETC Conference

Please refer to the updated program at the welcome desk.

Time	Room	Session Content
8:30		Start of registration at Simone Veil Amphitheatre. Welcome coffee/tea.
09:00 – 10:30	S. Veil	<p>Opening Session - Chair: Laurent Guihéry</p> <p>- Greeting speeches: Emilie Boujut, vice-president for Social Sciences Research, CY Uni. Geneviève Zembri, director of MATRIS Research Lab Laurent Guihéry, Full Professor CY University János Tóth, Chair of Executive Board of the EPTS Foundation Sebastian Belz, Secretary General of the EPTS Foundation</p> <p>- Keynote 1: Yves Crozet – "Passenger transport in Europe: the challenge of decarbonization"</p> <p>- Keynote 2: Wojciech Paprocki – "Challenges in the European overland freight transport"</p>
10:30 – 11:00		Coffee break
11:00 – 12:25	S. Veil	<p>Session A: Challenges in metropolises Chair: Ondřej Příbyl (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to identify factors influencing mode choice behaviors within a heterogeneous metropolitan area? A novel approach midway between data science and econometrics Rémy Le Boennec, Fouad Hadj Selem, Ghazaleh Khodabandelou, Jaâfar Berrada Measurement and evaluation of Co2 concentration by changing energy sources for urban mobility Carsten Hilgenfeld, Bettina Kutschera, Olias Sebastian Impact of Paris' low emission zone with METROPOLIS2, a dynamic transport simulator Lucas Javaudin, André De Palma Bike- and Scooter-Sharing Systems as sustainable urban mobility enablers: empirical evidence from Italian cities Romeo Danielis, Lucia Rotaris, Mariangela Scorrano
12:25 – 12:40	S. Veil	<p>Friedrich-List Award 2025: Laudations and awards ceremony Matthias Gather, János Tóth, Tomasz Kwarcinski, Zsolt Bence Hörcsik</p>

12:40 – 14:00		Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:25	S. Veil	<p>Parallel Session B: Freight transport <i>Chair: Monika Bak</i> (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Success factors for implementing a sustainable strategy in the transport infrastructure sector - Best-practices analyses of European transport infrastructure companies. Sebastian Knöchel • Energy cost of greening European road haulage transport Przemysław Borkowski • Navigating the circular economy paradoxes between selling new and refurbishing used products: lessons learned from the Wielton Group case study Marzena Cichosz, Joanna Czerepko, Wojciech Paprocki • A fully sustainable solution for the last mile: The project UnLock4All Elmar Fürst
14:00 – 15:25	Amphi Josserand	<p>Parallel Session C: Airline transport <i>Chair: Matthias Gather</i> (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decarbonization: Towards a New Definition of Inter-Firm Boundaries Between Airlines and Sustainable Alternative Fuel Manufacturers Gézia Damergy • Economic and Operational Challenges of Slovak Airports: A Cobb-Douglas Productivity Assessment Kristina Kováčiková, Andrej Novák, Martin Bugaj, Martina Kováčiková • The impact of territorial continuity on air passenger traffic volumes in overseas territories: The Reunion Island case study Sarodja Naminzo, Roman Mestre • Improving the aerodrome category in the vicinity of Sibenik through the Ana Lazarovska's "Codex on the sustainable aerodrome development" Ana Lazarovska, Violeta Manevska, Verica Dancevska
15:25 – 16:00		Coffee break
16:00 – 17:45	S. Veil	<p>Parallel Session E: Railway transport <i>Chair: Laurent Guihéry</i> (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An exploratory study of the effects of entries and exits in the European long-distance railway market Tommaso Battilocchi, Paolo Beria, Vilém Paril

16:00 – 17:45	S. Veil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concepts and visions of long-distance rail passenger transport in Slovakia and other European countries Milan Dedik, Jozef Gašparik, Zdenka Bulková, Vladislav Zitrický • The contribution of fund solutions to the financing of rail transport infrastructure in Germany Alexander Eisenkopf, Andreas Knorr • France Metropolitan Regional Express Services (SERM) policy. The Strasbourg example: a “unite and build” approach to sustainable mobility Lionel Debus • Saving energy and increasing capacity through intelligent rail vehicle design Bernhard Rueger
16:00 – 17:45	Amphi Josserand	<p>Parallel Session D: Sustainable mobility and safety (1) <i>Chair: Richard Železný</i> <i>(15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis of sustainable mobility in the AURA region Nicolas Ovtracht, Pierre Leviaux • Benchmarking of Tramway Infrastructure Stefan Edlinger, Benedikt Gruber • Filling the gap - Policy challenges of cross-border public transport organisation from the cooperation of six EU member states Vilmos Oszter • Interactive Road Safety Dashboard: Integrating Spatial Analysis and Public Data Through KNIME, QGIS and Tableau Jan Zbirovsky, Josef Kocourek • New Technologies for Sustainable Mobility: A Simulator-Based Approach to Risk Assessment and Transport Safety Eva Michelaraki, George Yannis
17:45 - 19:00		Free time – hotel stopover
19:00	University plaza	Start of the buses from CY University ETC Congress Unique stop at IBIS Hotel Cergy Le Port
19:30 – 22:30		<p>Gala dinner - cruise on the Seine/Oise river</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome words (Laurent Guihéry) - Friedrich List Award jubilee (Matthias Gather, Laurent Guihéry) - Buffet and networking - Handover of the EPTS flag (Laurent Guihéry, Sebastian Belz, Renée Ramdohr)
22:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First bus departure back to Cergy hotels and University Boat stays at mooring.
23:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Second bus departure back to Cergy hotels and University

Bus route from Gala dinner to hotels

Gala dinner > IBIS Hotel > CoWool > B&B Hotel > Train Station > Mercure Hotel

Friday, 27 June 2025 - 2nd day of ETC Conference

Time	Room	Session Content
8:30		Registration at S. Veil Amphitheatre. Welcome coffee/tea - <i>Luggage storage available at the Congress</i>
09:00 – 10:25	S. Veil	<p>Session F: Maritime space and flows <i>Chair: Sönke Reise</i> <i>(15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comparative Analysis of the Efficiency of Maritime Transport in Europe Mozhgan Mansouri Kaleibar, Evelin Krmac Sustainable Mobility in coastal areas: evidence from research Agnieszka Jankowska, Adam Przybylowski Sustainable Island Mobility Plans (SIMPs): Pioneering the Future of European Transport on Greek Islands Kosmas Anagnostopoulos, Katerina Nikolopoulou, Hara Liakou Outlook: Import and Distribution of Green Ammonia in Germany Sönke Reise, Klaas Buesen, Gerrit Tuschling
10:25 – 10:45		Coffee break
10:45 – 12:10	S. Veil	<p>Session G: Sustainable mobility and safety (2) <i>Chair: Chloé Eyssartier</i> <i>(15 min presentation + 5 min discussion)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementing the 'Walking Bus' Concept in Hattingen, Germany, to foster Sustainable Mobility Behavior in Primary Schools Sandra Hohmann, Justin Geistefeldt Examining the key drivers for active mobility Matilde Gasparetto, Silvio Nocera, Federico Cavallaro How can we reduce the modal share of the car? The case of Metropolitan Regional Express Services Charlotte Fareneau, Dimitri Blondel, Chloé Eyssartier, Sophie Hasiak, Christophe Mimeur How could public policy drivers influence the decision-making process of using Shared Automated Vehicles (SAVs) integrated into public transport systems? Diana Elhadj Sleiman, Julie Bulteau, Isabelle Nicolai
12:10 – 12:25	S. Veil	Conclusion of 23 rd Edition of European Transport Congress Paris 2025 Chair: Laurent Guihéry
12:25 – 13:30		Lunch
13:30	RER Station	Start of excursions from RER A Cergy Préfecture
14:30	Paris	Luggage storage offered in Mercure Hotel Paris Gare de Lyon
14:30 – 17:30	Paris	Technical excursions in Paris: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paris Gare de Lyon Highspeed Station La Fabrique du Métro : Museum of new Grand Paris Express metro Paris Lagny Bus depot: turning to electric Paris Cycling Infrastructure and Culture
17:30	Paris	End of official ETC program at 17:30