

COMMERCIAL VEHICLE SAFETY **SUMMIT**

November 29–30, 2022 • Denver, Colorado



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Improving Commercial Vehicle Safety through Innovation and Partnerships

Advancing Efforts to Reduce Distracted Driving
and Improve Work Zone Safety

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AGENDA

All sessions in the Grand Ballroom 1 • Sheraton Denver Downtown Hotel

DAY 1 Tuesday, November 29, 2022

- 8:00-8:30 AM Registration – coffee and networking
- 8:30-10:00 AM Welcoming Remarks and Opening Session
- Colorado State Patrol Color Guard
 - Master of Ceremonies: Dr. Brenda Lantz, Associate Director
North Dakota State University, Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute
 - Welcome to Colorado: Lt. Colonel Joshua Downing, Region 3 Commander
Colorado State Patrol
 - Introduction: Scott Hernandez, Regional Field Administrator
FMCSA Western Service Center
 - Keynote Speaker: Earl Adams, Jr., FMCSA Chief Counsel
- 10:00-10:15 AM Break
- 10:15 AM-12:00 PM Plenary Session – Emerging Trends, Priorities, and Challenges
- Federal Priorities and Challenges
 - Darrell Ruban
FMCSA Associate Administrator for Safety
 - State Priorities and Challenges
 - Captain John Hahn, Commander
Motor Carrier Safety Section, Colorado State Patrol
 - FMCSA Recent Final Rule Updates
 - Joshua Jones, Transportation Specialist
FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Division
 - Qualifications of Drivers; Vision Standard Final Rule
 - Extension of Compliance Dates for Medical Examiner's Certification Integration (National Registry II) Final Rule
 - Entry level Driver Training (ELDT) and the Training Provider Registry (TPR)
 - Q&A Discussion
- 12:00-1:15 PM Lunch (provided)
- 1:15-2:45 PM Plenary Session – State Best Practices – Innovative Processes
- Shift: Idaho's Engaged Driving Initiative
 - Bill Kotowski, Program Manager
Idaho Transportation Department, Office of Highway Safety
 - Nevada Strike Force Operations and Badge on Board Campaigns
 - Trooper Darold Kassebaum, Jr., Judicial Outreach/MCSAP/Industry Training and Education
Nevada State Police, Highway Patrol Division
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- Wyoming Trooper in a Truck Program
 - Lieutenant Dustin Ragon
Wyoming Highway Patrol, Commercial Carrier Division
- The Association between Broadened Cellphone Bans and Police-Reported Rear-end Crash Rates in California, Oregon, and Washington
 - Ian Reagan, Senior Research Scientist
Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS)

2:45-3:00 PM Break

3:00-5:00 PM **Plenary Session – Resources and Tools**

- Operation Safe Driver – New Outreach Opportunities with Digital Media
 - William (Jake) Elovirta, Director of Compliance and Enforcement Programs
Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance (CVSA)
- Work Zone Safe – Teaching Teen Drivers to Safely Navigate Work Zones
 - Tom Robins, President
Solid Foundation Consulting; and, founder of Work Zone Safe
- Smart Work Zone System Development at the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute
 - Dr. Michael Mollenhauer, Director of the Division of Technology Implementation
Virginia Tech Transportation Institute (VTTI)
- Just Drive: Deliver Distraction Free – Resources to Prevent Distracted Driving Among Commercial Drivers
 - Jill Rybar, MPH, Deputy Director and D.R. "Ike" Iketani, Safety Consultant; Training, Research and Education for Driving Safety (TREDS)
University of California, San Diego, School of Public Health

5:00-7:00 PM **Networking Reception – Windows Room**

DAY 2 Wednesday, November 30, 2022

8:00-8:30 AM Coffee and networking

8:30-10:00 AM **Plenary Session – Research and Partnerships**

- Making Rural Roads Safer in Texas: New Data Tools & Approaches to Driver Training
 - Eva Shipp, Senior Research Scientist
Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI)
- Commercial Driver Distraction: Recent Insights from Naturalistic Driving Studies
 - Rebecca Hammond, Senior Research Associate
Division of Freight, Transit, and Heavy Vehicle Safety; Virginia Tech Transportation Institute (VTTI)
- North Dakota Highway Patrol CMV Safety Projects through the Years
 - Lt. Dave Wolf, Regional Commander, and Lt. Adam Dvorak, Assistant Operations Commander
Motor Carrier Operations, North Dakota Highway Patrol (NDHP); and Dr. Kimberly Vachal, Program Director, Rural Transportation Safety and Security Center
North Dakota State University (NDSU), Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute (UGPTI)

10:00-10:15 AM Break

10:15 AM-12:00 PM Plenary Session – Cross-Agency Efforts

- Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Collaborative Efforts Toward Addressing Work Zone Safety
 - Martha Kapitanov, Transportation Specialist
FHWA Work Zone Management Team
- FMCSA Work Zone Safety Shareable Materials
 - Randy Hurley, FMCSA Federal Programs Manager
Colorado Division
- National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) Distracted Driving Recommendations
 - Bruce Landsberg, Vice Chairman
NTSB
- National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) CMV Resources
 - Gina Mía Espinosa-Salcedo, MPH, Regional Administrator
Regional Operations and Program Delivery, NHTSA

12:00-1:15 PM Lunch (provided)

1:15–2:45 PM Plenary Session – FMCSA Research and Grant Opportunities

- FMCSA Automated CMV Evaluation Program – Emergency Response and Work Zone Research
 - Mike Lukuc, Program Manager
Automated CMV Evaluation Program, FMCSA Technology Division
- Large Truck Crash Causal Factors Study (LTCCFS) Updates
 - Jenny Guarino, Statistician
FMCSA Analysis Division
- FMCSA Current Research, Partnerships, and Grant Opportunities
 - Tom Keane, Associate Administrator
FMCSA Office of Research and Registration

2:45-3:00 PM Break

3:00-5:00 PM Roundtable Discussion of State Challenges, Q&A, and Open Mic Discussion – facilitated by Scott Hernandez

- Each table/attendee to discuss and share challenges or topics of interest, and their main takeaways from this Summit
- Next Steps and Closing Comments

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