

Contract Management Conference

March 5, 2019 – 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM



Overview

This annual conference is for any owner agency — state, local, municipal, county, or their authorized representatives — and any company, including its consultants, contractors, or subcontractors, or others who have a designated responsibility in managing an MDOT Let contract.

Presenters will speak on a wide range of topics: MDOT Construction Field Services update, MDOT Local Agency Program update, prompt payment, contract compliance, LCP Tracker, Unmanned Aerial Vehicle use, MERL, Optimized Aggregate use, and the status of AASHTOWare Project with a demo.

Registration

Register [here](#)..... Fee: \$115

Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express are accepted. The registration fee does not include hotel accommodations. Please notify us in advance if you have special dietary needs.

Cancellation Policy: No-shows and cancellations within three business days prior to the conference will be charged the full registration fee. Substitutions will be accepted. The Center for Technology & Training's (CTT) continuing education policy is available [here](#).

Questions? Contact the CTT at ctt@mtu.edu or (906) 487-2102.

Location

Cleary University - Johnson Center
3750 Cleary Drive
Howell, Michigan 48843

Accommodations

Overnight rooms are available at the Holiday Inn Express at a rate of \$93/night plus tax. To reserve a room, call (517) 548-0100 and mention "Contract Management Conference".

Holiday Inn Express
1397 North Burkhard Road
Howell, Michigan 48855

Agenda

- 8:00 **Registration & Continental Breakfast (provided)**
- 8:30 **Opening Remarks & Introductions**
Nick Koszykowski, *Center for Technology & Training*
- 8:40 **MDOT Bureau of Field Services Update**
Matt Bellgowan, PE, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 9:00 **Local Agency Programs Update -- Construction**
Kelly Crannell, PE, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 9:03 **MERL Project Estimator**
Nick Koszykowski, *Center for Technology & Training*
- 9:45 **Break**
- 10:00 **LCP Tracker Training**
Adam Strong, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 11:00 **Prompt Payment/Contract Compliance**
Chris Roe, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 11:20 **Drone Use in Construction**
Bryan Budds, *Michigan Department of Transportation – Office of Aeronautics*
Mike Soper, *Michigan Department of Transportation – Office of Aeronautics*
- 12:00 **Lunch**
- 1:00 **AASHTOWare Project Status Report**
Dan Burns, PE, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 1:03 **AASHTOWare Demo (General Overview, Daily Work Report)**
Adam Spitzley, *DTMB/Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 1:55 **AASHTOWare Demo (Change Orders, Pay Estimates)**
Dan Burns, PE, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 2:35 **Optimized Aggregate Gradation and Modified Concrete Mixes**
Ethan Bahmer, PE, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 2:50 **Contract Documentation Updates**
Mohammad Azam, *Michigan Department of Transportation*
- 3:00 **Wrap Up & Evaluations**
Nick Koszykowski, *Center for Technology & Training*
- 3:05 **Adjourn**