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5th ASECAP Sustainability Forum

Competitiveness and Sustainable Development in Road Transport Infrastructure

3 DECEMBER 2026

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM
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Transport infrastructure plays a critical role in supporting economic growth, regional connectivity, and global trade. At the same time, increasing environmental and social expectations require infrastructure systems to contribute to long-term sustainability goals.

ABOUT THE FORUM

This fifth edition of the ASECAP Sustainability Forum will explore how competitiveness and sustainable development can be pursued simultaneously in the planning, financing, construction, and operation of transport infrastructure.

The conference will address key challenges and opportunities related to decarbonization, digitalization, investment priorities, multimodal integration, the deployment of alternative fuels infrastructure, and the adoption of sustainable technologies.

A key focus of the Forum will be the measurement and monitoring of progress. Robust performance frameworks and KPIs are essential to assess outcomes, ensure accountability and support evidence-based decision-making. Discussions will cover data-driven approaches, benchmarking, harmonisation of metrics and the use of digital tools for continuous monitoring and reporting.

WHY SUBMIT?

- Share best practices and innovative projects
- Exchange with European motorway operators and experts
- Contribute to future policy discussions
- Gain visibility and recognition for your work

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

4 SEPTEMBER 2026

We encourage members to submit their proposals and contribute to the success of the Forum!

KEY TOPICS MAY INCLUDE

1. **Balancing economic competitiveness and sustainability objectives**
   What is Business cases/driver to align to sector transformation – return of investments (transitional culture) – round table discussion
2. **Deployment of alternative fuels and supporting infrastructure**
   (electric charging, hydrogen, sustainable fuels, renewable and low-carbon fuels), where are we in respective ASECAP country?
3. **Decarbonization of transport infrastructure and operations**
4. **Monitoring progress through KPIs and performance measurement frameworks**
   Data-driven decision-making, benchmarking, and reporting
5. **Sustainable financing and investment models**
6. **Digitalization and smart infrastructure solutions**
7. **Resilience and adaptation to climate change**
8. **Multimodal transport networks and connectivity**
9. **Innovation, technology, and circular economy approaches**

SUBMISSION

Proposals must be submitted via our online form.

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You will be asked to provide:

- Abstract title
- Speaker
- Organisation
- Short abstract (250–300 words)
- Preferred topic