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Greetings, Fellow Members:

This has been an exciting year for the Transportation Club of Memphis. We have had several speaker luncheons with industry leading experts sharing on vital topics that drive peaked interest in our industry.

Our November meeting will continue on with that momentum. Dr. Stephanie Ivey, Director of the Intermodal Freight Transportation Institute (IFTI) of the University of Memphis will be speaking with us on the latest industry news. Please make plans to attend this exciting event.

In addition to our speaker luncheons, our 2nd annual University of Memphis tailgating event was a huge success and we look forward to doing again next year if the schedule permits. This is in addition to our Crawfish Boil in March and our Transportation Trivia in September. Should you have any suggestions for meetings/networking, please do not hesitate to reach out to your fellow board members or myself. We are always looking for ways to improve the club.

Back by popular demand, our 20% off membership dues promotion is underway. Pay your dues no later than the November speaker luncheon and receive 20% off our low membership rates.

Our November meeting is also when we elect our new board for the upcoming year. A sample ballot is in this bulletin. These hard working men and women are willing to donate their time and resources in addition to their regular jobs to make sure the Transportation Club of Memphis is the best it can be for our members. Please come out and show your support by voting for your favorite candidates.



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In addition, this will be my last year as President of the Transportation Club of Memphis. I will be stepping down to make room for our up and coming President. I will still be involved in the Club in an advisory role and will help support the Club wherever I can. It has been a privilege and an honor to serve as your President for the last two years. I would like to say a special thanks to all of the board, volunteers, and especially you the membership. You are the life blood of this club and without you, we would not be able to provide the events, luncheons and scholarships that we do every year. Thanks so much.
See you at our next event.

John R. Brewer
President
Transportation Club of Memphis

HAVE YOU RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP?

If you have not renewed your TCOM Membership for 2016, now is the perfect time! You can pay online at [here!](#)

If you would like to pay via check, please contact Ken Opperman at ken.opperman@jamaclogistics.com

We are very please to present Dr. Stephanie Ivey as our November speaker.

Dr. Stephanie Ivey is an Associate Professor with the Department of Civil Engineering and director of the Intermodal Freight Transportation Institute and the Southeast Transportation Workforce Center at the University of Memphis. Her research includes focus on journey to school in urban areas, transportation planning, livability assessment in freight-centric communities, and strategies to engage citizens in the transportation planning process. She also has a strong record of focused workforce research and outreach related to increasing representation of women in STEM and particularly in transportation.

Ivey directs the West Tennessee STEM Hub, and has served as PI/co-PI on over \$3 M in funded projects for STEM education research. She is a member of the STEM Leadership Council for Tennessee.

She serves as faculty advisor for the University of Memphis student chapters of the Institute of Transportation Engineers and WTS, Volunteer Coordinator for the ITE Transportation Education Council, and is a member of the TRB Standing committee on Maintenance and Operations Personnel and the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis Transportation Industry Council.

TCOM Scholarship

Receipients bios will be published soon!

SAVE THE DATE!

Board Elections- November 8

Dr. Stephanie Ivey, Women in Transportation- November 8

Women in Transportation panel discussion December 2nd

Board Elections

TCOM Board Elections will be held in November. If you are interested in serving, please speak with any current board member.

WHO IS TCOM?

Have an idea for a meeting or event?

Want to get more involved?

Want to hear about a specific topic?

Need to update your contact information?

Click [here](#) to complete a short survey,
so we can make 2017 our best year yet!

CELEBRATE!

Have you recently received an award, recognition, certification, degree or reached a milestone in your career? Let us know & you could be featured in an upcoming MTT!

2016-2017 TRANSPORTATION CLUB OF MEMPHIS

President, Robin Colwell Embry Riddle

Vice-President, Jim Deweese ABF

Director Candidates- 6 Required

Larry Mays	Buckman
Marty Morelli	ODFL
Julian Prewitt	Cornerstone Systems
Courtney Ratts	ReTrans
Chip Riley	Cornerstone Systems
Trip Wiygul	Total Transportation of MS