# PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE ENO TRANSPORTATION FOUNDATION AND THE COUNCIL OF UNIVERSITY TRANSPORTATION CENTERS

## Structure and Governance of the Partnership

The Council of University Transportation Centers (CUTC) and the Eno Transportation Foundation d/b/a Eno Center for Transportation (Eno) desire to enter into an ongoing partnership between the organizations. This partnership is voluntary and may be cancelled with 30 days written notice to the other party.

Each organization will appoint a representative to coordinate activities under this partnership. To begin the partnership, CUTC appoints Thomas O'Brien, member of the CUTC Executive Committee, and Eno appoints Alexander Bond, Director, Eno Center for Transportation. The coordinator role may be changed at any time in writing, electronic or otherwise, by the President of the respective organization.

### Goals of the Partnership

- 1. To increase learning opportunities for students and graduates of CUTC member institutions.
- 2. To enhance the amount of research and policy information available to faculty at CUTC member institutions.
- 3. To increase awareness of contributions made to the transportation field by both organizations.

## Elements of the Partnership

- A. Information and Event Dissemination. CUTC and Eno will assist each other to publicize and promote information and events offered by the other party including fundraising and sponsorship efforts. When appropriate, discounts or waived fees will be offered.
- B. Joint Awards Presentation. CUTC and Eno may establish one or more joint awards. The award name, criteria for selection, and presentation venue will be mutually agreed to in writing at a later date.
- C. Eno Future Leaders Development Conference (LDC). CUTC will assist Eno in publicizing the LDC. CUTC will select a current Masters student who will receive a seat in the LDC. CUTC or the student's home institution is encouraged, but not required, to support this student with travel funds or other financial support.
- D. Internet Linkages. Both organizations will place links and logos to the other organization on the respective websites.
- E. Discounted Subscription Rates. Eno will establish media, membership, event, and publication products that are customized for higher education. CUTC

members will be eligible for discounts on these products. CUTC agrees to assist with publicity of these products among its members.

CUTC will advise Eno in designing versions of its publications that meet standards for university library subscription. Further, CUTC will assist Eno in reaching its member institutions' library procurement staff.

- F. A member of the CUTC Executive Committee, chosen at the discretion of CUTC, will receive a seat on the Eno Board of Advisors. This seat entitles the occupier to receive one (1) complimentary subscription to Eno Transportation Weekly. The CUTC contact will transmit to Eno the name and email address of the person appointed to the Board of Advisors seat, including replacement of the person per CUTC's discretion.
- G. Joint Publishing Opportunities. Eno will publish student or faculty-authored papers, or summaries thereof, from CUTC member institutions in its media properties, including Eno Transportation Weekly. Student papers should be recognized as outstanding examples of student work before transmission to Eno. All papers must meet the editorial standards of Eno, and final publication is at the discretion of Eno.

Eno and CUTC will explore opportunities to develop and publish a peer reviewed journal.

H. Event co-sponsorship and promotion. Eno and CUTC will explore opportunities to jointly sponsor seminars, conferences and summits on topics of mutual interest; including workforce development.

#### Limitation

The performance of each party under this agreement shall be limited to the terms set forth. Nothing contained herein shall create or imply an agency relationship between the parties, a joint venture, a legal partnership, or a financial commitment on the part of either party.

Signed this 27th day of April 2017

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