



Summer Forum Schedule

Mobility in Megaregions Research, Practice, and Policy: Past, Present, and Future

Dates May 17-19, 2023

Location Hilton Garden Inn, 301 W 17th Street, Austin, TX 78701

Apex Rooftop (17th Floor)

Day 1: Wednesday, May 17 | Evening Session

5:30 - 8:30pm Welcome Session and Reception (Invite Only)

Day 2: Thursday, May 18 | Morning Session

8:30 - 9:00am **Registration**

9:00 - 10:00am **Opening** - *Moderated by Ming Zhang, CM2 Director, The University of Texas at Austin*

Welcome Remarks: Dr. Michelle Addington, Dean, School of
Architecture, The University of Texas at Austin

CM2 Overview: Dr. Ming Zhang

10:00 - 12:15pm **Keynote Presentations** - *Moderated by Dr. Frederick Steiner, CM2, University of Pennsylvania*

10:00am: Dr. Kingsley Haynes, George Mason University

10:40am: Break

10:55am: Dr. Evelyn Blumenberg, University of California, Los Angeles

11:35am: Michael Morris, North Central Texas Council of
Governments

12:15 - 1:30pm **Lunch and Group Photo (Apex Outdoor Rooftop)**

Day 2: Thursday, May 18 | Afternoon Session

1:30 - 2:50pm **Keynote Presentations** - Moderated by Dr. Brian Wolshon, CM2,
Louisiana State University

1:30pm: Dr. Janille Smith-Colin, Southern Methodist University

2:10pm: James Garland, Houston-Galveston Area Council

2:50 - 3:05pm **Break**

3:05 - 4:05pm **Thesis and Dissertation Award Recipient Oral Presentations**

4:05 - 5:05pm **Student Presentations from University of Pennsylvania** -

Moderated by Dr. Frederick Steiner

5:30 - 8:00pm **Networking Reception and Student Poster Display**

Day 3: Friday, May 19 | Morning Session

8:30 - 9:00am **Registration**

9:00 - 10:20am **Keynote Presentations** - Moderated by Dr. Carol Lewis CM2, Texas
Southern University

9:00am: Caroline Mays, Texas Department of Transportation

9:40am: Dr. Marlon Boarnet, University of Southern California, UTC
Region-9 Director

10:20 - 11:00am **Open Discussion on Future Research, Education, and Collaboration** -
Moderated by Dr. Ming Zhang

11:00 - 11:15am **Break**

11:15 - 11:45am **Vote for Best Poster Awards** - Moderated by CM2 GRAs

11:45 - 1:30pm **Thesis & Poster Award Lunch** - Moderated by Dr. Ming Zhang

1:30pm **Adjourn**