U.S. DOT Small Business Day
Women In Transportation Symposium:
Promoting Future Industry Leaders
Wednesday, March 5, 2014
10:00 AM

U.S. Department of Transportation
Headquarters - West Atrium & Conference Center
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20590

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Office of Small Business (OSDBU) invites you to the “Women In Transportation Symposium: Promoting Future Industry Leaders.” Hosted by the OSDBU, and in partnership with the National Association of Black Women in Construction (NABWIC), the event commemorates Women’s History Month by focusing on the empowerment of Women Owned Businesses and young women interested in careers within the transportation industry.

Attendees will learn about new initiatives, resources to help grow their businesses and upcoming contracting opportunities from DOT leadership, including Acting Deputy Secretary Victor Mendez, and key industry stakeholders. Agency internship program leads and private sector representatives will be available to provide career tips and discuss available resources to high school and college students.

Interactive Workshops:
- Business Development and Capacity Building
- Student Internships and Workforce Development
- Procurement Opportunities

There will also be an active Networking Session where attendees will have the chance to interact, increase their marketing efforts and learn about potential opportunities directly from Small Business Specialists from each DOT Mode, state and local transportation representatives, and Prime Contractors. Representatives from across the Mid-Atlantic Region will also be available to discuss the upcoming Purple and Red Line Metro Projects in Maryland and the South Capital Bridge Project in the District of Columbia.

Capacity is limited and participants must be pre-registered. For security purposes, all participants must present a picture I.D. on the day of the event. Doors open at 9:00 am at the main building entrance.

OSDBU is committed to providing equal access to this event for all participants. If you need alternative formats or services because of a disability, please contact Angela Dilver-Dendy at (202) 366-1930 or via email Angela.Dilver@dot.gov with your request by close of business February 28, 2014.