

# BISC Summer Meeting Schedule 2014

MONDAY, JUNE 16		Registration <i>Open 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. Foyer D</i>		<i>All meetings located on the Lobby Level of the BWI Airport Marriott.</i>	
1 – 3 p.m.	<b>Opening General Session: Electronic Logs— A Rulemaking Overview</b> <i>Salon DE</i>	Learn about the upcoming federal rule that will require all commercial vehicle drivers to use Electronic Logging Devices (ELDs) in place of paper logbooks.		Robert King, Enforcement Program Specialist, and Greg Nahmens, Transportation Specialist, FMCSA	
3 – 5 p.m.	<b>The Med Card/CDL Merger: What It Means to You and Your Drivers</b> <i>Salon DE</i>	From self-certification to record retention, this session reviews outstanding implementation issues and real-world implications of the CDL/medical examiner's certificate merger.		Bill Quade, Associate Administrator, and Elaine Papp, Medical Division Chief, FMCSA	
	<b>The Problem with Heavy Coaches</b> <i>Salon ABC</i>	A coach operator reveals how outdated vehicle weight specs carry major safety and compliance consequences.		John Oakman, Senior V.P., Coach USA, and Luke Loy, Senior Engineer, FMCSA	
	<b>Keeping Terror Off the Bus: A Security Overview</b> <i>Salon F</i>	Do you follow best practices to safeguard your coaches, facilities, and people against acts of terror? Learn how to reduce your risk through simple strategies and awareness.		Ken Ward, Transportation Security Specialist, TSA	
TUESDAY, JUNE 17		Registration <i>Open 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. Foyer D</i>			
7:30 – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Salon F</i>	<i>Sponsored by Transportation Safety Exchange</i>			
8:30 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Electronic Logs and GPS Tracking: Operational Challenges and Benefits</b> <i>Salon DE</i>	Operators discuss their experiences with ELD and GPS technologies and uncover what the ELD rulemaking means in "real life."		Dan Tomlinson, Operations & Safety Manager, Indian Trails, and Mike McDonal, General Manager, Eyre Bus	
	<b>CSA Issues? Harness the Safety Management Cycle</b> <i>Salon ABC</i>	This hands-on workshop provides operators with a step-by-step process to correct safety performance and compliance issues before they occur.		Bob Crescenzo, V.P., Lancer Insurance; Pam Martinez, Human Resources and Risk Management, DATTCO; and Dan Becher, Safety Manager, Go Riteway Transportation Group	
10:30 a.m. – Noon	<b>Accident Litigation: The Attorney Perspective</b> <i>Salon DE</i>	An experienced passenger injury litigator exposes the legal gimmicks and gotchas to help operators proactively improve passenger safety.		Harold Moroknek, Esq., Hodges Walsh Messemer & Moroknek, LLP	
	<b>Rolling, Rolling, Rolling: Critical Factors for Tire Safety</b> <i>Salon ABC</i>	An FMCSA expert discusses tire load ratings and capacities, identifying technological and operational fixes to help operators prevent blowouts.		Luke Loy, Senior Engineer, FMCSA, and John Oakman, Senior V.P., Coach USA	
Noon – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Salon F</i>				
1:30 – 3 p.m.	<b>420 Unfriendly: The Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse</b> <i>Salon DE</i>	A panel of operators explores the benefits and challenges this database of driver violation data will pose to operators, including its effects on driver hiring.		Chris Crean, V.P., Safety & Security, Peter Pan Bus Lines; Pam Martinez, Human Resources and Risk Mgt., DATTCO; Mike McDonal, G.M, Eyre Bus; and Brad Watkins, Program Manager, CSS	
	<b>Engineering Safer Crashes: A NHTSA Review</b> <i>Salon ABC</i>	NHTSA discusses motorcoach crashworthiness safety issues outlined in MAP-21.		Check Kam, Safety Standards Engineer, and Shashi Kuppa, Special Vehicles and Systems Division Chief, NHTSA	
	<b>What's New at the National Safety Council</b> <i>Pennsylvania/Virginia Rooms</i>	With former NTSB chair Deborah Hersman now at the helm, the National Safety Council is evolving. Learn how to leverage their transportation safety resources to improve your operations.		John Ulczycki, Strategic Initiatives V.P., and Teresa Cole, Transportation Sector Chair, National Safety Council	
3 – 4 p.m.	<b>Closing General Session</b> <i>Salon DE</i>				