

Improve your Operations : Think ITS!

Thursday, November 11th 2004
Fairmont Queen Elizabeth Hotel, Montreal - **MacKenzie Room**

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| 8h30 | Welcoming Remarks: Scott Stewart – Director, ITS Canada |
| 8h40 | Introduction to the Canadian ITS Architecture and to Services Associated with Transit –
Catherine Hirou - IBI Group |
| 9h00 | <u>Session on ITS in Operations</u>
Chair: Mark Chancey – St. John’s Transportation Commission (TBC)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Deployment of the ITS Strategic Plan - James Byrns - Agence métropolitaine de transport ○ ITS Vision and Components - Bill Menzies, Winnipeg Transit ○ ITS for York Rapid Transit Project - David Hopper, Delcan Corporation |
| 10h30 | <i>Break</i> |
| 10h45 | <u>Managers’ Panel: Why Invest in ITS?</u>
Moderator: Bruce Hellinga – University of Waterloo
Panelists:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ TransLink - Glen Leicester ○ Mississauga Transit - Thomas Plant ○ GO Transit - Eve Wyatt ○ Société de transport de l’Outaouais - Georges Gratton |
| Noon | Lunch – buffet |
| 1h00 | <u>Session on Effective Systems Deployment</u>
Chair: Tim Schnarr - Delcan
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ITS Needs in the Industry - Brendon Hemily ○ Do’s and Don’ts in an RFP Pertaining to ITS - Kevin Bebenek, IBI Group ○ Lessons Learned in ITS Contracts Through the Years - Steve Lassey, OCTranspo ○ Update and Canadian Context of the TCIP Standards - William Johnson |
| 2h30 | <i>Break</i> |
| 2h45 | Round Table Discussions with Moderators
Themes to address:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of ITS needs • ITS Strategic Plan Preparation • Transit Dedicated or Integrated ITS? • Impacts of Implementation on Existing Resources • Economic Justification and Return on Investment |
| 3h45 | Moderator Reports from the Round Table Discussions |
| 4h10 | Closing Remarks: Madeleine Betts , ITS Office, Transport Canada |
| 4h15 | <i>End of the Workshop</i> |