

CLASS SCHEDULE

LAKE CHARLES — 01/22/20

White Oak Landing
5584 River Rd
Lake Charles, LA 70615

ALEXANDRIA — 01/23/20

Public Works Complex
2021 Industrial Park Road
Alexandria, LA 71303

BATON ROUGE — 02/05/20

TTEC Building, Room 100
4099 Gourrier Ave
Baton Rouge, LA 70808

NEW ORLEANS — 02/06/20

Regional Transp. Management Center
10 Veterans Memorial Blvd
New Orleans, LA 70124

WEST MONROE — 02/18/20

Cheniere Lake Lodge
104 Cheniere Lake Dr.
W. Monroe, LA 71292

BENTON — 02/19/20

Bossier Parish Courthouse Annex
200 Burt Boulevard
Benton, LA 71006

HAMMOND — 03/11/20

Hammond Police Training Center
47038 Conrad Anderson Road
Hammond, LA 70401

LAFAYETTE — 03/12/20

Lafayette Utilities System
1314 Walker Rd
Lafayette, LA 70506

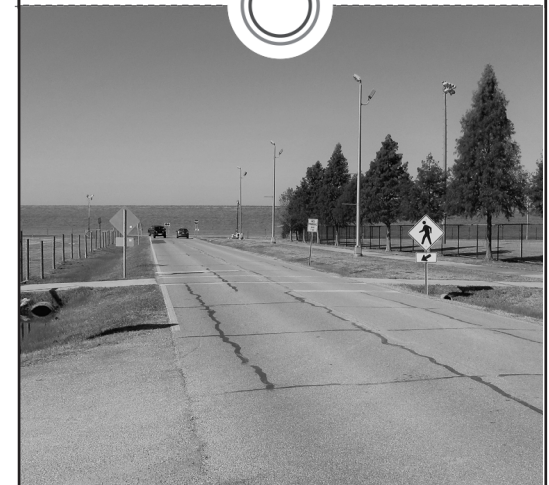
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Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP)
Louisiana Transportation Center
4099 Gourrier Avenue
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Roads Scholar #1:

Basics of a Good Road (6 PDH's)



The Louisiana Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP)

is a cooperative effort between the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, the Federal Highway Administration, and Louisiana State University. LTAP serves the needs of local transportation agencies and is a part of the Louisiana Transportation Research Center.



REGISTRATION

Registrations are now **only accepted online** at <https://registration.ltrc.lsu.edu/login>.

If you have not done so for a previous LTAP class, you must create a profile in the system to register. Please keep a record of your username and password for future course registrations.

Note: If you need to register multiple people on behalf of your agency, create a profile of your own and email your username to courtney.dupre@la.gov for instructions.

Once inside your profile, click on “**LTAP — Roads Scholar #1: Basics of a Good Road**”.

FEES & CANCELLATIONS

\$25 for Public Agencies • \$50 Private Agencies
Credit card payments accepted through the online registration system.

Checks or money orders also accepted. Make payable to:

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY.

Mail checks to:

LTAP-Technology Transfer/LTRC
4099 Gourrier Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70808-4443
ATTN: Courtney Dupre

Registration is required **one week in advance of class. Failure to cancel at least 72 hours prior will result in a forfeit of registration fee. Registration fees cover the cost of provided breakfast, lunch, and course materials. Participant substitution is available.**

About the Course

This course provides basic information on construction and maintenance of locally owned roads, aimed at helping agency personnel to better manage and operate their road networks.

Topics include:

- Design considerations
- Road surface materials, methods
- Maintenance of flexible and rigid pavements
- Factors affecting good road performance, such as weather, drainage, geometry, and traffic
- Road features such as shoulders, ditches, culverts, and bridges
- Maintaining safe roadsides
- Traffic control considerations
- Introduction to asset management

Who should attend:

This course is intended for all levels of road maintenance and construction personnel. The principles taught will provide a foundation for more detailed instruction contained in other Roads Scholar series courses.

COURSE TIMES

Registration: 7:00 a.m.

Class: 7:30 a.m.— 2:30 p.m.

QUESTIONS?

Contact the LTAP Office:

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Fax: (225) 767-9156

E-mail: courtney.dupre@la.gov

INSTRUCTOR

Nicholas “Nick” Verret, Jr. P.E.



Mr. Verret has been a registered professional engineer in Louisiana since 1984. Following a 31+ year career with the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) in the areas of highway construction, design, and administration, he served as the LTAP Program Manager from October 2011 until December 2012. He was later appointed as Director of Public Works for the Parish of Natchitoches until stepping down from that position in July 2017. Mr. Verret currently serves as City Engineer for the City of Natchitoches where he has developed pavement management program. All told, Mr. Verret has over 39 years of experience in the highway industry, virtually all of which has been directly involved in the evaluation, design, construction, and maintenance of asphalt pavements.



The Louisiana Transportation Research Center is a Louisiana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, approved Sponsor/Provider of Continuing Professional Development.

Professional Development Hour (PDH) credit will be awarded as follows: fifty (50) contact minutes of instruction or attendance = one (1) PDH.