Welcome to CECON 2020!

Thank you for joining us for our first-ever virtual conference and for supporting ASCE Texas Section programing. I know you are facing many of the same challenges we have experienced as we come to the close of 2020. Budget challenges, lack of time, growing our team, new leadership hurdles, and more. With these challenges, we also see a lot of new opportunities. To overcome our immediate challenges and arrive at a sustainable solution, we embarked on a fast-paced, high-tech journey. With the help of dedicated volunteer leaders, partners, and providers, we developed a new conference platform – delivering the superior continuing education and providing important relationship building opportunities that civil engineers in Texas and beyond rely upon. From planning and design, to management and implementation, it is vital for businesses and communities to develop engineers who rise above and reach further. Envisioning the future is key and the CECON 2020 program encourages this mindset in all engineers. After you've enjoyed keynote sessions by industry leaders, one of a kind panels, and wide variety of technical breakout sessions during the conference, you'll be better prepared and encouraged to continue overcoming current and future challenges. The future of civil engineering is bright!

Also, I look forward to virtually connecting with you during the conference. I encourage you to take full advantage of the conference platform’s features by scheduling 1-on-1 chats and connecting with your peers and mentors, industry leaders, and future team members. Be sure to say “hi” to a student attendee and stick around for virtual bingo and receptions.

My excitement for CECON 2020 is through the roof although getting here was not easy. After the 2019-2020 ASCE Texas Section Board directed the CECON Planning Committee to hold a virtual conference this fall for the safety of our participants and the public, a lot of re-work happened... all within the span of three months. Our volunteers worked tirelessly but enthusiastically to build an engaging program and then they pivoted quickly to convert it all to 100% virtual. Please be sure to join ASCE Texas Section 2020 President Susan K. Roth PE, PMP during the Opening Ceremony as she thanks all our CECON Planning Committee members. They truly embody our vision: Texas civil engineers are leaders in their communities building a better quality of life across the street and around the world.

Finally, thanks again for supporting ASCE Texas Section programing. The success of our flagship, annual conference allows us to provide outstanding programing throughout the year. All these opportunities make a difference for so many civil engineers. By joining us at CECON 2020 as an attendee, collaborator, exhibitor, speaker, or sponsor, you in-turn support the ASCE Texas Student Symposium, ASCE Texas Infrastructure Report Card, ASCE Texas Legislative Drive-In, Leadership Development Weekend, Texas Civil Engineer, and more. We are proud to offer this amazing slate of programs and resources to serve the civil engineering community – and we couldn't do it without you! Thank YOU!

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Lindsay A. O’Leary PE, CAE, LEED AP, M.ASCE
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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

10:15 AM - 11:35 AM .......................................................... Opening Ceremony with Keynote: ASCE Future World Vision
See page 17 for session itinerary.

K.N. Gunalan PhD, PE, D.GE, F.ASCE
ASCE President 2020
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11:35-11:55 AM ................................................................. Break

11:55 AM - 1:00 PM .......................................................... Keynote
A 2020 View of Transportation and TxDOT
Marc D. Williams PE
Deputy Executive Director
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1:00 PM - 1:15 PM ................................................................. Break

1:15 PM - 2:15 PM .......................................................... Breakout Sessions

   Estimate of Long-Term Water Availability for a Reservoir in Texas
   John Zhu PhD, PG

   Contract Terms for Engineers and the Agency Problem
   L. Wayne Edgar PE, MBA, Attorney at Law

   Properties and Applications of Cement-Stabilized Subgrade
   Greg Halsted PE

   Attracting and Retaining Top Talent
   Blake Pellerin

2:15 PM - 2:30 PM ............................................................. Break

2:30 PM - 4:00 PM ............................................................. Panel
A TxDOT Divisions Town Hall
Dan Harmon (Aviation)
Graham Bettis (Bridges)
Marisabel Ramthun (Design)
Carlos Swonke (Environmental Affairs)
Martin Rodin (PEPS Professional Engineering Procurement Services)

4:00 PM - 4:30 PM ............................................................. Exhibit Hall Break

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM .......................................................... Breakout Sessions

   FHWA Performance Engineered Mixture (PEM) Initiative & Mobile Technology Concrete Center
   Jagan Gudimettla
   Mike Praul

   Thermal Integrity Profiling
   Brandon Phetteplace PE

   Missouri City Pavement & Sidewalk Management Program
   Shashi K. Kumar PE

   State Flood Plan
   Reem Zoun PE, CFM, ENV SP

5:30 PM - 6:00 PM ............................................................. Exhibit Hall Break

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM .......................................................... Networking Reception
Happy Hour with ASCE Texas Section Leaders

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM ......................................................... Engineering Ethics Session*
Proposed Watershed Changes to ASCE Code of Ethics
*Qualifies for ethics PDH

Steven Starrett PhD, PE, D.WRE, F.ASCE, F.EWRI
LeTourneau University

Carlos Bertha PhD
United States Air Force Academy
AGENDA

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM .................................Exhibit Hall Break

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM ...............................Lightning Rounds

Projected Reservoir Rating Curves Based on Sedimentation Surveys by John Zhu PhD, PG

Texas Water Management: A Fourfold Solution by Jim O’Brien PE, CFM

The Future of Houston by Eva Schexnider EIT

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM ...............................Breakout Sessions

Getting the Most from Your SUE Deliverables
Ronke Osibajo PE, CFM

Burnout Proof Your Leadership
Michael Levitt

Ductile Iron Pipe Restrained Joints & Horizontal Directional Drilling
John Simpson PE

10:00 AM – 10:45 AM .............................Exhibitor Hall Break

10:45 AM – 11:45 AM ...............................Breakout Sessions

Evapotranspiration (ET) Cover System for Landfill Closure
Md Jobair Bin Alam PhD

Flood Monitoring
June Wolfe PhD
Kevin Balke PE

11:45 AM-12:00 PM .................................Break

12:00 PM – 1:15 PM .................................Keynote
The Role of AI in Tomorrow’s Organizations
Toby Cappello
Vice President for Watson AI Expert & Delivery Services IBM

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM .................................ASCE Region 6 Assembly
Spaceport America: From Concept to Development to Operation
William M. Gutman PhD
Director of Aerospace Operations
Spaceport America

2:30 PM – 2:45 PM .................................Break

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM .................................Breakout Sessions

I-35 Waco
Blake Axen PE

Crockett Street Bridge Historic Truss Preservation
Brian Kuehl PE

Full-Depth Repairs of Jointed Concrete Pavements
Tim Martin PE

Geohazard Management for Oil and Natural Gas Pipelines
Rodolfo B. Sancio PhD, PE, D.GE

3:45 PM – 4:00 PM .................................Exhibit Hall Break

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM .................................Legislative Panel Discussion
Texas Representative Dennis Paul PE
Texas Senator Bryan Hughes
Texas Representatives John P. Cyrier
Texas Representatives Sarah Eckhardt
Texas Representatives Donna Howard
Texas Representatives Dade Phelan

5:15 PM – 6:00 PM .................................Exhibit Hall Break

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM .................................ASCE Texas Awards Ceremony
& CECON Gala Reception featuring a virtual bingo game
See pages 18-19 for session itinerary.
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM ............................................. Breakout Sessions

**Subsurface Utility Engineering for Municipalities**
Bobby Nagel PE

**Emerging Technology: Public Health through Soil Vapor Mitigation**
John Sepich PE

**Truck Transport and Lifting Design Criteria for Onshore Modular Pre-assembled Units**
Ms. Silky Wong PhD, PE, SE, Ceng MICE, LEED AP

**Is Your Organization Normal? Leadership/Ethics**
Therese Baer PE
Don Everett

9:00 AM – 9:15 AM ............................................. Break

9:15 AM – 10:15 AM .......................................... Breakout Sessions

**Chemical Grouts: A Useful Tool for Civil Engineers**
John M. Ziebell

**Construction Site QC & Special Inspections in Texas**
Bryan M. Sy PE
Russell Gibson PE

**Volumetric As-Built Determination of Concrete Structures**
Todd Allen

**Winning Communication: Strategies to Connect and Convince**
Alan Hoffer

10:15 AM – 10:30 AM ............................................. Break

10:30 AM – 11:30 AM ......................................... Breakout Sessions

**The Evolution & Use of Highly-Modified Asphalt Binders**
Gary Fitts PE

**Construction: Critical Thinking**
Cliff Schexnayder PhD, PE

**Deja Vu We’ve Been Here Before**
Rebecca Cummins PE

**Educating the Next Generation of Civil Engineers**
John Schemmel PhD, PE, FACI

11:30 AM – 11:45 AM ............................................. Break

11:45 AM – 1:30 PM ......................................... Business Meeting & Keynote

**Building a More Resilient Texas: Flood Mapping, Planning, and Mitigation**
See pages 20-21 for session itinerary.

Jeff Walker
Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board

Kathleen Jackson PE
Board Member
Texas Water Development Board

1:30 PM – 1:45 PM ............................................. Break

1:45 PM – 3:45 PM ......................................... Project Virtual Tour

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November 4, 2020 | 10:15 AM – 1:00 PM

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Opening Keynote: Future World Vision
K.N. Gunalan PhD, PE, D.GE, F.ASCE
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ASCE Texas Section Update & CECON Committee Recognition
Susan K. Roth PE, PMP, M.ASCE
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Keynote Q&A
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Presidential Remarks by Susan K. Roth PE, PMP, M.ASCE

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Presentation of CECON Lightning Round Award

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Recognition of CECON Gala Planning Subcommittee

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ENTERTAINMENT
Virtual Bingo
Presented by the ASCE Texas Section Younger Member Committee
BUSINESS MEETING

November 6, 2020 | 11:45 AM – 1:30 PM

Welcome
Lindsay O’Leary PE, CAE, LEED AP, M.ASCE
ASCE Texas Section Executive Director

Call to Order, Recognition of Life Members, & State of the Section Report
Susan K. Roth PE, PMP, M.ASCE
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Society Report & Installation of Texas Section Officers
K.N. Gunalan PhD, PE, D.GE, F.ASCE
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Keynote Q&A

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Don't worry - we understand you might have to take a call from a client or step out for an important meeting that conflicts with our conference. CECON content will be available on-demand for six (6) months following the conference dates, for all registered attendees. All sessions will be released on or about November 9, 2020 except for the Legislative Panel with Texas State Senators and Representatives. The Legislative Panel will only be available live, on Thursday, November 5, 2020 starting at 4:00 PM Central.

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To attend the virtual conference, you need a good internet connection, your tablet or computer, and a valid registration. You can join the conference using your smart phone, but we think you will have a higher quality experience using a tablet or computer. You will receive login details through our conference platform – check your inbox for an email from “CECON 2020 <no-reply@pathable.com>”. Don’t see it, please check your spam or junk folder. If you need help, call the ASCE Texas Section office at 512-472-8905 or contact support@gowithlive.com.

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Most of our speakers will join the discussions as well as address the questions posted during live Q&A!

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A certificate of attendance will be available after completing the conference survey. All attendees will receive the survey following the conference and you will then be able to download your certificate as well as notate which specific CECON 2020 sessions you virtually attended. The Texas Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (TBPELS) does not pre-qualify courses or presentations for Professional Development Hours (PDHs). Please refer to the TBPELS rules to determine the adequacy of CECON programming and requirements for keeping your records.

How can I provide conference feedback, suggest speakers and topics for 2021, or join the committee?
We want to hear from you! All CECON attendees will receive a conference survey following the event. If you’d like to share additional feedback with a CECON Planning Committee Co-Chair, for items outside of our survey topics, you may do so by emailing txcecon@texasce.org.

Have an idea for next year’s conference?
Please use our Google Form. Any ideas collected in 2020 will be considered for future years.

We love fresh, new ideas and could always use a hand in planning, executing, and celebrating all our programs. If you’d like to join the CECON Planning Committee or learn more about other volunteer opportunities within ASCE Texas Section, please visit us at www.texasce.org/resources/volunteer/.

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