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IRF Global Summit on Funding & Leveraging AI Applications for Roadway Innovations

Unlock the Future of Roads: AI & Innovative Funding

**Varna, Bulgaria
June 3 - 4, 2026**



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ABSTRACTS*

Conference

THE FUNDING CRISIS. THE AI OPPORTUNITY. THE LEADERSHIP MOMENT.

Transport systems worldwide face mounting structural pressures, such as:

- Declining fuel tax revenues
- Aging infrastructure networks
- Rising safety and sustainability expectations
- Mandates for digital transformation
- Demand for measurable performance outcomes

At the same time, AI is transforming the sector through:

- Predictive maintenance & lifecycle optimization
- Data-driven funding allocation
- Real-time safety analytics
- Smart traffic and corridor management
- Integrated digital road ecosystems

THIS SUMMIT BRIDGES THE GAP

Deployable AI solutions aligned with sustainable funding models and institutional readiness.



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NOT A TRADITIONAL CONFERENCE. A STRATEGIC WORKING FORUM.

Prioritizing executive dialogue, peer exchange, and applied innovation.

EXECUTIVE ROUNDTABLES

Focused discussions on:

- AI governance for transport systems
- Road funding reform & revenue diversification
- Data interoperability & digital standards
- Public–private collaboration frameworks

APPLIED INNOVATION SESSIONS

Real-world deployments delivering measurable results in:

- Predictive maintenance
- AI-driven safety analytics
- Digital twins
- Smart traffic operations
- Data-based investment prioritization

INDUSTRY INNOVATION SHOWCASE

A curated platform where technology providers present scalable, implementation-ready solutions directly to decision-makers.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Ministers & Senior Government Officials
- Road Agency Directors & Technical Department Heads
- Infrastructure Investors & Financing Institutions
- Multilateral Development Banks & Development Agencies
- Digital Infrastructure & AI Strategy Leaders
- Transport Engineers & Asset Management Specialists
- Road Safety & Traffic Operations Professionals
- Researchers & Academic Experts in AI, Transport & Infrastructure
- Data Scientists & Digital Transformation Leads

REGISTRATION

Early Bird Deadline: April 15, 2026

MEMBERSHIP STATUS	EARLY	REGULAR
IRF MEMBERS	€700	€750
NON MEMBERS	€900	€1000
PUBLIC SECTOR	€500	€600
SPEAKER	€550	€550

REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

- Full summit access
- Executive roundtables
- Networking lunches
- Gala Dinner
- Digital proceedings

VARNA 2026 — A STRATEGIC SETTING

ASTOR GARDEN HOTEL



Saints Constantine & Helena
Black Sea Coast, Bulgaria

Hosted alongside the XIX Bulgarian National Transport Infrastructure Conference, creating a powerful convergence of regional and international infrastructure leadership.

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Sponsorship provides direct engagement with senior policymakers, infrastructure financiers, and road agency leaders.

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4 Registrations	3 Registrations	2 Registrations	1 Registrations
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Speaking or roundtable participation opportunity	Logo visibility on website and printed materials	Logo visibility in program & website	
Prominent logo visibility across event materials	Session acknowledgment		
Recognition during Gala Dinner			

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- Direct access to senior-level delegates
- Brand visibility among policymakers and infrastructure leaders

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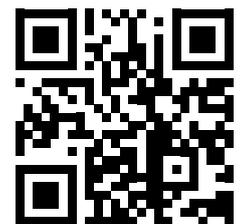
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