

**Mousa Abbasi for Treasurer  
Candidate Statement**



I am seeking your support to serve as a Treasurer for the San Francisco Bay Area Section of the Institute of Transportation Engineers. Throughout my professional carrier I have made the time and commitment to give back to my community and to my profession. I have a long experience in serving in elected or volunteer positions including:

- Council Member, Jordan Association of Civil Engineers
- Board of Directors Member, ITS Midwest
- Secretary, Vice President and President, American Council of Engineering Companies of California (ACEC-CA) North Coast Chapter
- Member, Transportation Research Board Freeway Operations Committee
- Member, County of Sonoma Measure M Citizen Advisory Committee
- Chair, Transportation Committee of Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce
- Member, Bay Area Council Transportation Committee
- Secretary, ITE San Francisco Bay Area Section

These experiences have provided me with an excellent background to serve as your next Treasurer. I plan to utilize this experience to serve our profession and our members.

In terms of professional experience, I am practicing civil and transportation engineering for over 29 years. My professional experience include traffic engineering and Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) planning, design, implementation, construction and operation; construction management and engineering; and academic research and teaching. I currently work at my own firm, Transpedia Consulting Engineers; however, I was employed at a few private, public and academic organizations before establishing my own firm over 4 years ago. I am also an Adjunct Professor at the University of San Francisco, College of Professional Studies.

In terms of education, I received a BA in Civil Engineering from University of Jordan; MS from Illinois Institute of Technology; and PhD from Michigan State University. I am a licensed Civil Engineer in California, Illinois and Jordan; licensed Traffic Engineer in California and a licensed Professional Traffic Operations Engineer.

As a Section Officer, I will have the following three main priorities:

- Continue to promote the overall image of our profession.
- Expand partnerships opportunities with public and academic organizations.
- Continue to coordinate with other sister professional associations.