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RURAL EQUITABLE AND ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORTATION CENTER RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE AND DISASTER RESPONSE CENTER



**IMPROVING MOBILITY OF PEOPLE AND GOODS** 

#### April 18, 2024 | 8 AM-2 PM FAMU Grand Ballroom

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#### FSU Research Foundation Building A



#### **ABOUT US**

## WHO WE ARE

The REAT Center is motivated by strategic thinking and planning of rural transportation in the United States.

The REAT Center is a Tier-1 University Transportation Center consortium. The lead institution is Florida A&M University with Florida State University, Tallahassee Community College, Cleveland State University, Stony Brook University and University of Washington Tacoma.

#### OUR

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the REAT Center is to be the go-to resource for researchers and practitioners seeking implementable solutions related to transportation equity and accessibility, particularly in rural areas.

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# OUR

Our mission is to establish a record of accomplishment with transformative projects that advance research, inform policymaking, and develop education and outreach programs. It is our hope that these efforts will align with the U.S. DOT Strategic Plan goals of Equity, Safety, Economic Strength, Global Competitiveness, and Transformation.

## THRUSTS

#### ACCESS & EQUITY

We are committed to improving transportation access to rural communities through research and project initiatives.

#### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

We are dedicated to educating and equipping future transportation professionals with knowledge on how to tackle transportation challenges.

#### **RESILIENT** TRANSPORTATION

We are determined to answering the resilience transportation gap for rural communities through planning and research.

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