



## SECTION ANNUAL REPORT FORM

for the period January 1, 2005 to December 31, 2005  
for the Greater Vancouver Section

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**Membership:**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Membership Grade</b>	<b>Section Annual Dues Rate</b>
9	Fellow	\$10.00
99	Member	\$10.00
51	Associate	\$10.00
3	Institute Affiliate	\$10.00
23	Student Member	\$0.00

**Section Affiliates [List Each Type]:**

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**Financial:**

Does your section have a Federal Employer Identification Number?

Yes       No

If yes, what is the number? \_\_\_\_\_

Balance of Funds on hand at the Beginning of the Reporting Period:\$5,2,32.72

See following for Summary Reports on General Account and 2005 Quad Conference Account.



**ITE Greater Vancouver Section  
Annual General Meeting Treasurer Summary Report  
General Account  
For Jan 1, 2004 to December 31, 2004 (in Canadian Dollars)**

**Balance Sheet**

<b>Assets:</b>	Canadian Funds in Bank Account	\$	5,232.72		
				<b>Total Assets:</b>	<b>\$ 5,232.72</b>
<b>Liabilities and Equity:</b>					
	Liabilities:				
	Payable to ITE for Dues Received	\$	-		
	Equity:				
	Retained Earnings, previous years	\$	-		
	Current Years (profit)/ loss*	<u>-\$</u>	<u>4,786.91</u>		
	Total Equity	-\$	4,786.91		
				<b>Total Liabilities and Equity:</b>	<b>-\$ 4,786.91</b>

\*See Attached General Account Reconciliation for 2004

**Income Statement - General Account**

<b>REVENUES</b>	
ITE Meeting Registration Fees	\$ 5,412.56
VISA Charges or Credits	\$ 107.32
ITE International Section Dues	\$ 1,811.49
ITE Golf Tourney	\$ 2,952.50
CITE Section Dues	\$ 200.00
Unknown Deposit - ITE International Section Dues?	\$ 708.88
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 11,192.75</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>	
Bank Fees or Credits	\$ 174.28
Meals	\$ 376.16
ITE Meeting Venue Charges	\$ 7,400.93
VISA Charges or Credits	\$ 363.11
UBC Student Chapter Funding	\$ 200.00
ITE Golf Tourney	\$ 2,780.03
2005 Quad Seed Money	\$ 3,000.00
2004 CITE Meeting Travel Costs	\$ 856.89
Mavis Johnson Scholarship Fund	\$ 200.00
2003 ITE Award Plaques	\$ 628.26
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 15,979.66</b>
<b>Net Income (Loss):</b>	<b>-\$ 4,786.91</b>



**ITE Greater Vancouver Section  
Annual General Meeting Treasurer Summary Report  
2005 ITE Quad Conference Account  
For Jan 1, 2004 to December 31, 2004 (in Canadian Dollars)**

**Balance Sheet**

<b>Assets:</b>	Canadian Funds in Bank Account	\$	-
	<b>Total Assets:</b>	\$	-
<b>Liabilities and Equity:</b>			
	<b>Liabilities:</b>		
	Payable to ITE for Dues Received	\$	-
	<b>Equity:</b>		
	Retained Earnings, previous years	\$	-
	Current Years (profit)/ loss*	<u>\$ 2,348.38</u>	
	<b>Total Equity</b>	\$	2,348.38
	<b>Total Liabilities and Equity:</b>	\$	<b>2,348.38</b>

\*See 2005 Quad Account Reconciliation for 2004

**Income Statement - 2005 Quad Conference Account**

<b>REVENUES</b>	
2005 Quad Conference Seed Money	\$ 4,000.00
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 4,000.00</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>	
Bank Fees or Credits	\$ 30.00
Executive Meeting Costs	\$ 121.62
Venue Costs	\$ 1,500.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,651.62</b>
<b>Net Income (Loss):</b>	<b>\$ 2,348.38</b>

Note: 2005 Quad Conference Seed Money from ITE General Account (\$3000) and WCTA (\$1,000)



**Balance of Funds on hand at the End of the Reporting Period:** \$445.81 (General Account) + \$2,348.38 (2005 Quad Meeting Account) = \$2,794.29

Was there a change in the Section Bylaws during this reporting period? (If yes, please attach a copy of the new bylaws.)

Yes       No

**Technical Activities:**

List Projects underway by title and, if available, provide expected date of completion:

List Projects by title which were completed during this reporting period and, if available, attach a copy of the report:

- Technical Review of Pedestrian Signals in Canada – Draft Report released to CITE for review on March 31, 2004; Final Report to be released in 2005

**Legislative Activities during this reporting period:**

None.

**Meetings held during this reporting period:**

Month	Attendees	Presenter & Subject
February	35	Gordon Price, History of Vancouver Transportation System
March	30	UBC Student Paper Competition
April	45	Alain Boisset, Review of Current P3 Projects in BC managed by Partnerships BC
May	25	Mavis Johnson, Federal Road Safety Policy Status
June	30	ITE Annual Golf Tourney
September	40	Ron Mitchell, Transport Canada's Rail Crossing policy
October	40	Jim Gough, Toronto Downtown Waterfront Study
October	17	AGM of BC Interior Chapter & Joint Greater Vancouver and BC Interior Chapter Meeting, Kamloops BC
November	60	Annual General Meeting, election of officers Lon le Claire & Michael White, Planning for RAV in the City of Vancouver



**Student Chapter Activities during this reporting period:**

**Joint Activity:** Student presentation contest (March Meeting)

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**Student Chapter Activities:** Refer to Student chapter separate report appended

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**Awards Presented during this reporting period:**

**Bill Curtis Technical Achievement Award**

Recipient's Name: U-Pass Program (TransLink, UBC Student Society & Administration, SFU Student Society & Administration)

Purpose of Award: To recognize an outstanding achievement related to a specific transportation project

Form of Award: Plaque

**BC Transportation Professional of the Year**

Recipient's Name: Jan Voss, P.Eng., P.T.O.E.

Purpose of Award: To recognize excellent work by an individual transportation professional during 2003

Form of Award: Plaque

**Lifetime Achievement Award**

Recipient's Name: Terry Walton, P.Eng.

Purpose of Award: To recognize the lifetime achievements of a transportation professional

Form of Award: Plaque

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**University of British Columbia  
Institute of Transportation Engineers  
Student Chapter**

**Interim Report - 2004**

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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

2004 was a successful year for the UBC Institute of Transportation Engineers Student Chapter. Once again, there was a successful transition to a new executive, and a distinct increase in interest about the field of transportation engineering from students.

The following report summarizes the section's activities during the year. Chapter activities typically run from September to April, so many projects and activities are still in progress.

## 2.0 MEMBER ENROLLMENT

The 2003-2004 UBC ITE Student Chapter Executive members were:

Chapter Advisor:	<b>Dr. Tarek Sayed</b>
President:	<b>John Ma, B.A.Sc.</b>
Vice President and Treasurer:	<b>Sara McKittrick, B.A.Sc.</b>
Secretary:	<b>David Leung, B.A.Sc.</b>
Webmaster:	<b>Paul Storer, B.A.Sc.</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> Year Representative:	<b>Kathy Ho, B.A.Sc.</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year Representatives:	<b>Alina Chung, B.A.Sc.</b> <b>Joe DiPlacito, B.A.Sc.</b> <b>Paul Storer, B.A.Sc.</b> <b>Godwin Wong, B.A.Sc.</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year Representative:	<b>William Hui, B.A.Sc.</b>

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President:	<b>Paul Storer, B.A.Sc.</b>
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3 <sup>rd</sup> Year Representatives:	<b>William Hui, B.A.Sc.</b> <b>Elnaz Ansari, B.A.Sc.</b>
Graduate Student Representative:	<b>Christophen Cheng, M.Eng.</b>

Vancouver's winning Olympic bid has helped put the field of transportation engineering into the spotlight. As a result, interest in the field amongst students has been growing, which has been evident in the dramatic increase in attendance at our guest lectures. Many students from all levels of study registered and became members of ITE International this year.



### 3.0 SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

UBC ITE strives to promote the field of transportation engineering through diverse activities such as field trips, conferences and professional guest lectures. The following highlights the activities in 2004.

#### 3.1 Professional Guest Lecture Series

Once each month, local professionals are invited to come to UBC and give a lecture to civil engineering students on issues and topics related to the field of transportation. Following are the topics and presenters for the year:

January 28, 2004	<b>Bicycle Planning/Design and Traffic Calming</b> <i>Richard Drdul</i> <i>Community Transportation Planner</i>
February 23, 2004	<b>Translink's Three-Year Funding Plan: The Highlights and the Challenges of Gaining Approval from the Greater Vancouver Regional District (GVRD)</b> <i>Gavin Davidson</i> <i>Transportation Planner, Translink</i>
March 29, 2004	<b>Urban Interchange Improvement Project</b> <i>David Porterfield</i> <i>Project Manager, McElhanney Consulting Services Ltd.</i>
Oct 13, 2004	<b>TDM &amp; the UPass: What's in it for U?</b> <i>Gordon Lovegrove</i> <i>Director – UBC TREK</i>
Oct 27, 2004	<b>St. Clair Streetcar Project</b> <i>Jim Gough</i> <i>President, CITE</i>
Nov 10, 2004	<b>DriveBC - The Road and Weather Status Information System</b> <i>Homayoun Vahidi</i> <i>Senior Associate, IBI Group</i>

#### 3.2 Group Tour of the Translink Operations and Maintenance Centre (OMC), February 18, 2004

This year, the primary field trip was a group tour of the SkyTrain OMC. On February 18, the executive of UBC ITE got the opportunity to take a guided tour of the SkyTrain Operations and Maintenance Centre (OMC). The group was shown the features of the SkyTrain station, the servicing of the vehicles, and got to see the SkyTrain Control centre in action. It was an excellent learning experience for the UBC ITE members.



Left: Executives meeting up with Bill Knight from Translink at Edmonds Skytrain Station, Burnaby, B.C.  
Right: Inside the Skytrain maintenance bays.

### 3.3 UBCITE/GVITE Industry Night/Student Paper Competition, March 25, 2004

This was the second time the Student Chapter hosted an Industry Night/Student Paper Competition. It was a wonderful opportunity for UBC students to network with professionals in the field. Those attending also got a chance to hear presentations on the latest transportation engineering research being done by our graduate students. This year, ten entries were submitted, and our panel of judges selected four finalists to make a presentation at the event on March 25. The winner of the competition won \$300, and first and second runner-ups won \$100 and \$50, respectively.

The night was a great success and was extremely well attended by industry. The chapter is working on plans for the next Industry night in 2005.

### 3.4 Ongoing: ITE Annual QUAD Conference in Portland, Oregon, April 23-24, 2004



The Greater Vancouver Section of the Institute of Transportation Engineers

Four of our executives went to Portland in late April for the QUAD conference, where professionals practicing in Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia came together to share their experiences. The trip was partially funded by the UBC Alumni Association's Walter H. Gage Memorial Fund.

#### **4.0 UBC ITE STUDENT CHAPTER WEBSITE**

Our website ([www.civil.ubc.bc/research/ite](http://www.civil.ubc.bc/research/ite)) received a major overhaul in 2004. The website allows the section to communicate effectively with students and other groups who have an interest in the Student Chapter. The website provides up-to-date information about the chapter, such as the latest news, events that are coming up, and summaries of activities that have taken place. It also has a large and growing list of links to relevant transportation-related websites, including many of the local consultants. The webpage is updated on a regular basis to let students keep abreast of coming events.

#### **5.0 CONCLUSION**

This year has been a successful one for the UBC ITE Student Chapter. With well attended and presented guest lectures, a fascinating tour of SkyTrain OMC, and the successful industry night, the chapter has made this one of its best years. Through these and other initiatives, we have accomplished our primary goals of:

- promoting the field of transportation,
- enriching the transportation-related knowledge of UBC civil students,
- demonstrating the possibilities for employment in transportation engineering.