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## Articles and upcoming events

October 2, 2023

### Infrastructure Readiness

[How AI & Connected Vehicle Data Will Help States & DOT Replace Gas Taxes with EV Road Usage Charges - \*Global Trade\*](#)

[NC A&T unveils fleet of driverless cars to connect campus to downtown - \*North State Journal\*](#)

[Autonomous World: A \\$10 Trillion Market Opportunity - \*Forbes\*](#)

[Waymo begins testing the waters for a robotaxi service in Los Angeles - \*The Verge\*](#)

[LUKAS research project reports ways connectivity can make city traffic safer and more efficient - \*ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle International\*](#)

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## **Policy & Legislation**

[Self-driving cars and buses: your guide to the future of autonomous vehicles](#) - *Independent*

[California bill to have human drivers ride in autonomous trucks is vetoed by governor](#) - *AP News*

[Nancy Pelosi Wants Cruise and Waymo To Turn Over Safety Data](#) - *The San Francisco Standard*

[Republicans, Democrats & Auto Experts Support American AV Leadership](#) - *Autonomous Vehicle Industry Association*

[Union urges US regulators to deny GM's self-driving Cruise a safety exemption](#) - *Reuters*

[Driverless Car Laws Urgently Needed: UK Parliament](#) - *IOT World Today*

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## **Economic Development**

[Pittsburgh's top driverless carmakers are pivoting to trucks. What does that mean for driverless cars' future?](#) - *Pittsburgh Post Gazette*

[Mercedes-Benz Drive Pilot: The Self-Driving Car Has \(Sort Of\) Arrived](#) - *Forbes*

[Marco's Pizza to start testing autonomous vehicle delivery](#) - *Restaurant Business*

[Member Spotlight: Cavnu](#) - *Autonomous Vehicle Industry Association*

[Robotics Plus launches multi-use AV for sustainable orchard and vineyard production](#) - *ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle International*

[German startup Fernride bags \\$50M to make trucking autonomous](#) - *The Next Web*

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## **Public Safety & Enforcement**

[Cyclists in Austin Have an Unforeseen Stalker Following Them, Making Their Lives Awkward - \*Essentially Sports\*](#)

[Cruise Robotaxis Cause Austin Street Gridlock Due to 'Heavy' Pedestrian Traffic - \*The Drive\*](#)

[Live and Let Drive: How Humans and Technology Interact - \*Buzz Sprout\*](#)

[Human Ridehail Crash Rate Benchmark - \*Cruise\*](#)

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## **Research, Development, Testing & Evaluation**

[Waymo offers Santa Monicans the chance to be the first to experience a fully autonomous ride - \*Santa Monica Daily Press\*](#)

[AN explains: Levels of driving automation - \*Automotive News\*](#)

[Self-driving cars will be part of the future, but researchers fear we are leaving the disabled behind - \*Tech Xplore\*](#)

[May Mobility advances toward rider-only operations with latest software update- \*PR Newswire\*](#)

[Cruise CEO says winter version of Origin AV is two years away - \*Tech Crunch\*](#)

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## **Upcoming Events**

[PAVE Europe Virtual Panel "European Regulatory Challenges and Opportunities for Accelerating CCAM Deployment"](#)

*Partners for Automated Education (PAVE)*

Monday, October 2

8:00 - 8:45 am

### **Presenters:**

Maria Cristina Galassi - European Commission

George Ivanov - WAYMO

Jessica Ugucconi - UK Department for Transport

Xilin Zhou - Swiss Re

How Autonomous Vehicles Make Our Roads Safer — CCAT Distinguished  
Lecture

*Center for Connected and Automated Transportation*

Tuesday, October 3

12:00 - 1:00 pm

**Presenters:**

Dr. Louise Zhang - Cruise