

### COUNCIL IMPACT AWARD

## NELSON J. SHAFFER OUTSTANDING CONSULTANT AWARD

### Shawn J. Leight



Congratulations to Shawn J. Leight, P.E., PTP, PTOE, for being selected to receive the 2023 Impact Award – Nelson J. Shaffer Outstanding Consultant Award. This award is given to an individual for outstanding contributions to the transportation engineering/planning profession and for serving as an inspiration to others by means of continued dedication to the profession and their community.

Shawn has consistently provided outstanding contributions to the transportation engineering/ planning profession, and he has served as an inspiration to others by means of continued dedication to the profession and his community.

Shawn is the vice president and a principal owner of CBB, where he manages project delivery and business development. He works to develop transportation solutions that support community values by forging relationships and advancing forward-thinking solutions. Shawn has more than 20 years of experience in transportation engineering and planning and has worked in every stage of project development.

Shawn has played a key role in several innovative projects in the St. Louis region such as the reconstruction of I-64, which was awarded the 2010 AASHTO America's Best Transportation Project in the United States. Shawn also served as project manager for the development of the Downtown St. Louis Multi-modal Transportation Plan, which won the America Planning Association Silver Level Achievement in Transportation and an Outstanding Local Government Award for leadership in planning by East West Gateway in 2019. He has served as an adjunct professor of transportation engineering at Washington University in St. Louis since 2003, where many of his 350+ students are now leaders in the transportation profession.

Shawn supports the transportation industry by serving on boards and committees for professional organizations. He was the 2017 International President of ITE. During his term on the ITE International Board of Direction, Shawn was a leader in promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion into all IBOD activities.

Upon receiving the award, Shawn said, "It is an honor to receive the 2023 Nelson J. Shaffer Outstanding Consultant Award. ITE plays a critical role in the transportation industry and our communities, and it is a privilege to be a part of and serve in this great organization. Thank you to the Consultant's Council for this recognition."

Congratulations, Shawn, on your well-deserved achievement, and thank you for your many contributions to ITE and the transportation industry.