For most of us, time is a precious commodity and we sometimes need a technical overview for some technology, technique, or concept but we don't have the luxury of attending a full day training workshop right now, away from our workplace.

The Transportation Learning Network offers a host of self-paced courses to use for free. These courses are available if you have an account with the TLN Learning Management System (LMS).

Click on the link below for instructions on how to acquire an account with the TLN Learning Management System:

Learning Management System User's Guide

The courses typically run less than an hour in length. Some courses are very basic and other are intended for a more intermediate or advanced audience.

Some training topics available on the LMS:
- Rural Road Safety
- Bridge Construction Inspection
- Bridge Site Safety Worker Orientation
- Flagger Training
- High Visibility Garments
- Materials Testing
- Personal Protective Equipment

Some National Highway Institute courses are also available through the TLN Learning Management System. Many of the NHI courses were developed by the Transportation Curriculum Coordination Council (TCCC), a partnership between Federal Highway Administration.
(FHWA), state departments of transportation, and the highway industry.

To find an entire list of NHI's training courses click on the link provided: NHI Home Page in the middle left of the page you will see a link for "Search for a Course", below which you will see a "more search options" link - that will lead you to an expanded search engine that you can largely ignore except to select, under Delivery Type, "Web-Based Training (WBT)" and then click search.

You may wonder are these courses a substitute for more in-depth, classroom training? Usually not, but these can get you started on your own schedule. If you know you need more in-depth classroom training contact NDLTAP. We may be be able to provide one-on-one assistance or may have an upcoming education workshop which will meet your training needs.

**Quote:** *Instruction ends in the school-room, but education ends only with life.*
Frederick W. Robertson

**You are invited to participate in the**
Systemic Approaches to Roadway Safety Web Conference
Thursday July 19, 2012
12:00 - 2:00 pm (CSDT)

[Click here for Web Conference Details](#)

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