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A. A. S. Andrew, and B. R. Colford, Forth Estuary Transport Authority, Scotland, UK

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R. A. Lawrie and H. Huang, Lawrie & Associates, LLC, USA

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K. J. Humpf, Leonhardt, Andrä und Partner GmbH, Germany

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A. B. Mehrabi, Bridge Engineering Solutions, Inc., USA

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Z. Šavor, J. Radic, and G. Hrelja, University of Zagreb, Croatia

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D. M. Barrett, Modjeski and Masters, Inc., USA

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D. R. Hall, Acuren Inspection, Inc., USA

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Summary of Loads and load Combination

Professor Dennis R. Mertz, University of Delaware, USA

Specifications and Guidelines for the Design of Curved Steel Girder Bridges

Dr. John M. Kulicki, Modjeski and Masters, Inc., USA

Horizontally Curved Steel Bridge Design Example

Dr. Wagdy G. Wassef, Modjeski and Masters, Inc., USA

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Session Chair: Subimal Chakraborti, PE, Regional Director, R-10, New York State DOT, USA

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Introduction to Load and Resistance Factor Rating (LRFR)

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