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The Expanding and Accelerating Universe of Ground Transportation Tech Innovation

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We are now at a technological crossroads in the ground transportation universe, where technology will continue to improve and transform private and quasi-public for-hire ground transportation services, as well as redefine its ability to interface with other transportation modes. Like the discovery that the universe is actually expanding and accelerating more rapidly since the Big Bang, technological and private sector ground transportation progress is accelerating to virtually light speed. These technological

changes are shaking-up the existing paradigm—placing traditional industry stakeholders, passengers, government regulators, and start-up tech companies on an astronomical collision course with one another. This lecture will address policy issues surrounding new and emerging ground transportation technology, offering inside perspective on its historical evolution, recommended resolutions to problems, and predictions for the future.

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