



**Robin Jonathan Fannin - nominated by the Canadian Geotechnical Society**

Dr. Fannin has compiled a body of experimental findings and related field observations that have contributed significantly to the state-of-the-art in geotechnical engineering as it relates to landslide risk management, designing with geosynthetics and seepage-induced erosion in earth dams. His contributions to developments in each of these areas of engineering practice have received international recognition, garnered a number of awards for outstanding scholarship, and led to several distinguished visiting fellowships.

Dr. Fannin brings all of these experiences to his university teaching, and also to short courses for practising professionals, in a commitment to engineering education and life-long learning that has won him several awards for teaching excellence.

In parallel with his teaching and research contributions, Jonathan Fannin has contributed significantly to the advance of the profession through volunteer commitments in conference organization, professional associations and as an Associate Editor of the Canadian Geotechnical Journal.

Tonight, the EIC is honoured to confer this most deserved accolade.

Ladies & gentlemen and Madam President, please welcome Robin Jonathan Fannin as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.