



### **Gordon Ward Wilson - nominated the Canadian Geotechnical Society**

Dr. Wilson brings over 25 years of industrial experience to his practice in advanced mine waste management and unsaturated soil mechanics for numerous sites worldwide. He has served as a specialist consultant to several large international mining companies such as the well-known Acid Rock Drainage Risk Review recently completed by Rio Tinto. In addition, Dr.

Wilson recently served as the lead author responsible for the chapter on Prevention and Mitigation in the Global Acid Rock Drainage Guide prepared for International Network for Acid Prevention.

He is currently the Principal Investigator of the Oil Sands Tailing Research Facility, where he leads innovative research programs to support and enhance the Alberta oil sands industry's ability to manage and mitigate environmental risks associated with oil sands tailings.

Tonight, we are only too pleased to celebrate his career as we confer this honour.

Ladies & gentlemen and Madam President, please welcome Gordon Ward Wilson as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.