



# The Engineering Institute of Canada

## EIC Fellow – 2017



**Bruno Bussière**

### **Nominated by the Canadian Geotechnical Society**

*Bruno Bussière is a prominent mining engineer and an outstanding leader in academia and in his community. He has had a tremendous impact in the field of mining wastes management and site reclamation. His exceptional contributions through innovative work are recognised and highly praised across Canada and around the world. His findings have led to the development of new and original techniques to prevent the production of contaminated waters (i.e. acid mine drainage, AMD, and contaminated neutral drainage, CND) for operating and closed mine sites.*

*Bruno publie régulièrement et a contribué à la formation de plus de 60 spécialistes, tout en résolvant des problèmes difficiles pour l'industrie et les agences gouvernementales. Au cours de sa carrière en tant que chercheur et ingénieur, il a été l'enquêteur principal pour de nombreux projets ambitieux financés par des sociétés minières, dont deux chaires industrielles du CRSNG et une chaire de recherche du Canada.*

*He raised the profile of the group that he has drawn together at UQAT, lifting it to the top on the world stage. He has received prestigious awards such as the 2004 CGS Colloquium, the 2012 ADRIQ-NSERC partnership prize for his Industrial Research Chair, and the 2016 CGS Geoenvironmental Award. He was named Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Engineering in 2016.*

*Mesdames et messieurs, et M. le président, accueillons chaleureusement Bruno Bussière comme Fellow de l'Institut canadien des ingénieurs.*