



Robert Douglas Hooton - nominated by the Canadian Society for Civil Engineering

Douglas Hooton is a Professor in the Department of Civil Engineering at the University of Toronto and holds the NSERC/CAC Senior Industrial Research Chair in Concrete Durability and Sustainability. Doug Hooton is well known in Canada and internationally as an expert on both cementitious materials and concrete durability. He has been active and has held leadership positions on many standards, technical and code committees in Canada, the United States and Europe.

Douglas Hooton has championed the development of several new test methods in both CSA and ASTM standards related to concrete durability. He has acted as a consultant on projects such as the Tsing Ma Bridge in Hong Kong, and the Confederation Bridge, Pearson Airport and Sheppard Subway in Canada. Last year, Doug was honoured with a special named session at the International Conference on Concrete in Severe Environments.

Doug Hooton has received many honours throughout his career. He is a Fellow of both the ASTM and the American Concrete Institute and has received the Award of Merit from ASTM and CSA.

Ladies & gentlemen and Mr. President, please welcome Robert Douglas Hooton as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.