



The Engineering Institute of Canada
2020 Award Citation
EIC Fellow



Harry Oussoren

Nominated by the Canadian Geotechnical Society

Mr. Harry Oussoren is a geotechnical engineer, with over 40 years of experience in ground engineering and construction, having worked 8 years in consulting engineering and then 35 years as a specialty groundwater control contractor in the construction and environmental remediation industry. He is well-known and respected for his significant and practical contributions to the groundwater control industry.

He is founder and President of Insitu Contractors Inc., a firm specializing in the design and construction of dewatering and groundwater control projects, including specialty pumping systems for excavations and groundwater recovery and treatment systems. Harry is frequently sought to provide expert witness testimony in 'changed ground' claims related to groundwater issues.

In addition to a very successful contracting business, he gives freely and unselfishly of his time to the service to the Canadian Geotechnical Society, a learned engineering society of the Engineering Institute of Canada and to the Canadian Foundation for Geotechnique, a registered charitable organization that financially fosters and supports excellence in the geotechnical field in Canada.

Ladies and gentlemen, and Mr. President, please welcome Harry Oussoren as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.