



The Engineering Institute of Canada
2020 Award Citation
EIC Fellow



Garry Stevenson

Nominated by the Canadian Geotechnical Society

Garry Stevenson has demonstrated excellence as a geotechnical engineering, mentor, technical author, and participant in professional associations. He has worked extensively throughout the world including the United States, Australia, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Chile, Panama, Philippines, and Indonesia.

Garry has participated in investigating dam failures and other adverse incidents, and he was an early proponent of dam safety practice in Canada. He has also greatly contributed to the safe and economical design of tunnels and underground openings associated with hydroelectric dams.

He has also greatly contributed to the advancement of the practice of geotechnical engineering. He has been deeply involved in the development of the Tunnelling Association of Canada, including developing chapters across the country. He has also developed and helped promote the Canadian Dam Association's best practices for design, construction and operation.

Garry is a great mentor to many young professionals. He is also an accomplished bluegrass musician, plays in a band and teaches bluegrass guitar lessons.

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