



## Award Programs *Honouring Achievements*

Professional Engineers Ontario recognizes and celebrates the outstanding service and engineering excellence of professional engineers in the province through its award programs.

### Order of Honour

The Order of Honour recognizes and pays tribute to professional engineers and others who have rendered conspicuous service to the engineering profession in Ontario, primarily through PEO. Through their diligent volunteer work, inductees into the Order have raised awareness of the value of the engineering profession in Ontario; provided leadership to the profession; and served as mentors to young minds. Individuals are inducted into the Order in one of several categories: Member, Officer or Companion. Individuals who are not professional engineers can be granted honorary membership in the Order at any level. Honorees are invested each year at a special black tie ceremony during PEO's Annual General Meeting weekend. **Nominations for the Order of Honour are accepted until the second Friday in October every year for award consideration the following year.**

### Ontario Professional Engineering Awards

Presented since 1947, the Ontario Professional Engineers Awards recognize outstanding individuals for engineering excellence and community service. This annual awards program is presented by PEO and the Ontario Society of Professional Engineers. Nominees who excel in engineering are eligible for Engineering Medals. Engineering Medals are presented in several categories: Engineering Excellence, Entrepreneurship, Management, Research and Development, and Young Engineer. Those who have made significant contributions to society generally or their communities specifically can be nominated for Citizenship Awards. The premier award of the awards program, the Professional Engineers Gold Medal recognizes conscientious commitment to public service, technical excellence and outstanding professional leadership. The awards are presented every November at a black tie gala celebration. **Nominations for the Ontario Professional Engineers Awards are accepted until the final Wednesday in February every year.**

### G. Gordon M. Sterling Engineering Intern Award

The award, named after Gordon Sterling, P. Eng., PEO president, 2001-2002, promotes, encourages and celebrates professional leadership achievements in of those in PEO's Engineering Intern (EIT) program with up to \$3,500 to reimburse the cost of leadership development courses. Applicants are expected to already have demonstrated a commitment to their chosen profession, an interest in assuming leadership responsibilities within it, a readiness to benefit from a leadership development experience, and a willingness to share their knowledge with the profession. The award will be conferred annually at a special ceremony during PEO's Annual General Meeting weekend and one or more recipients may be chosen each year. **Applications for the G. Gordon M. Sterling Engineering Intern Award are accepted until the second Friday in October every year for award consideration in the following year.**

### **Nomination/Application Information**

Nomination and application information for all PEO awards, including detailed descriptions of categories, nomination criteria, terms of reference, nomination forms and past recipients, are available on the PEO website at <http://www.peo.on.ca/awards/awards.html>.

