

**INDIAN SOCIETY OF EARTHQUAKE TECHNOLOGY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING BUILDING**  
**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ROORKEE**  
**ROORKEE – 247 667, UTTARAKHAND, INDIA**

**Call for Nomination for**

**ISET SHAMSHER PRAKASH AWARD FOR SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS IN  
GEOTECHNICAL EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING-2022**

Prof. Shamsheer Prakash, Honorary Fellow & former President of the Indian Society of Earthquake Technology (ISET) and Professor Emeritus, Department of Civil Engineering, Missouri University of Science and Technology, Rolla, MO 65409-0030, USA has instituted a 4-yearly “**ISET Shamsheer Prakash Award for Significant Contributions in Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering**” to honour individuals for their outstanding contributions in Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering. The award consists of an award money of INR 51,000/-, plus a Shawl, and a plaque. This award was instituted on March 12, 2008. The past winners of the award are as follows.

1. **Year 2010:** Prof. W.D. Liam Finn, Department of Civil Engineering, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC Canada.
2. **Year 2014:** (1<sup>st</sup> award) Prof. George Gazetas, National Technical University Athens (NTUA), Greece, and (2<sup>nd</sup> award) Prof. Ricardo Dobry, Institute Professor and Director, NEES-NSF Geotechnical Centrifuge Research Center, NY 12180, USA.
3. **Year 2018:** (1<sup>st</sup> award) Prof. Ross W. Boulanger, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of California, Davis, USA, and (2<sup>nd</sup> award) Prof. Ikuo Towhata, Towhata Architects and Engineers, Japan.

This is call for nomination for a single “**ISET Shamsheer Prakash Award for Significant Contributions in Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering**” for the year 2022. Any member of the Society may either nominate a person for this award or forward nomination papers of a person who may be or may not be the member of the Society. Nominations on plain paper must reach to the President, ISET on or before **October 31, 2023**. Each nomination should be accompanied by a detailed bio-data of the person nominated highlighting his/her achievements in the area of specialization identified for this award including the following information.

1. Name of the candidate with the date of birth, and affiliation
2. Complete postal address, telephone, mobile, and e-mail
3. Chronology of education and positions held
4. Complete list of refereed publications in journals
5. A statement of about 500 words on the significant contributions in the area of Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering made by the nominee
6. Any other relevant information

**Kindly send the completed nomination (as a single PDF file) through email to [president@iset.org.in](mailto:president@iset.org.in) with a copy to [office@iset.org.in](mailto:office@iset.org.in)**

For any further information, please contact: **Prof. B.K. Maheshwari**, President, ISET and Former Shamsheer Prakash Chair Professor, Department of Earthquake Engineering, IIT Roorkee, E-mail: [bk.maheshwari@eq.iitr.ac.in](mailto:bk.maheshwari@eq.iitr.ac.in), [president@iset.org.in](mailto:president@iset.org.in), [office@iset.org.in](mailto:office@iset.org.in)