

Alanna Komisar (CIV1T1) Takes Silver Medal

Congratulations are in order for Alanna Komisar, who finished the Head of the Trent regatta with a Silver Medal in the Women's Lightweight Singles category. Alanna finished in a time of 21:51.51, less than a second behind Ottawa.

Civil Engineer is one of N. America's Top Jobs: Money

Money Magazine recently ranked Civil Engineer as the 6th best job in North America.

Part of what drove this ranking is the relative availability of engineering jobs compared to other industries, a phenomenon the magazine credits to huge projects in countries like China and India, which are creating a

shortage of local, qualified engineers.

And what, in their estimation, is the biggest draw?

"What's perhaps most satisfying for civil engineers is the tangible legacy they leave," the magazine writes.

Money Magazine used US Bureau of Labor Statistics growth forecasts for 7,000 jobs, and identified industries with the biggest increases in jobs requiring bachelor's degrees.

Prof. Robert Andrews Wins Julian C. Smith Medal

The Engineering Institute of Canada has awarded Prof. Robert C. Andrews a 2010 Julian C. Smith Medal.

Prof. Andrews holds an NSERC

Industrial Research Chair in Drinking Water Research.

He founded the Drinking Water Research Group at the UofT in 1998. Prof. Andrews is recognized internationally as an expert in drinking water treatment and is a member of numerous decision-making committees and advisory councils in Canada and the United States.

His involvement with municipalities as research partners has allowed him to solve real-world problems and have a direct impact on the safety of Canada's drinking water supply.



Featured Volunteer

H. ROSS PITMAN (GEO7T4)

H. Ross Pitman, a 1974 geological engineering graduate from the Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering, is one of the founding members and a dedicated champion of the four-year-old Calgary Skule Alumni Chapter.

Ross has organized a number of annual events to help alumni living in Alberta feel connected to Skule. He has ensured that the Calgary chapter's legacy will live on through the creation of the Alberta Skule Admissions Scholarship.