

# The Engineering Group of the Geological Society



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## Save the Date!

**5<sup>th</sup> February 2020 – The Many Faces of Q-Rock Mass  
Characterisation for Tunnels, Caverns, Slopes, TBM Prognosis,  
Deformability, Shear Strength, Seismic Velocity, Permeability**

**Speaker: Nick Barton**

**Joint Meeting with the BGA**

**Venue: Institution of Civil Engineers, London**

## Call for Speakers!

The Engineering Group of the Geological Society are currently compiling the evening meeting schedule for 2020 and 2021. We are looking for speakers from a diverse range of backgrounds, particularly those from currently underrepresented groups within Earth Sciences, to present at our monthly evening meetings, typically held at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London.

The evening sessions start with tea and coffee in the library before the presentation commences. Presentations are usually 45-60 minutes long with questions taken from the audience at the end. The talk is followed by drinks and nibbles in the Lower Library, enabling continued discussions in an informal setting. The presentations are normally free to attend and may be livestreamed so there is a good opportunity to share recent projects and developments with the wider geological community.

We are looking for early to mid-career speakers from both industry and academia so if you have an interesting recent and/or innovative project you would like to share with us, it would be great to hear from you.

If you have any suggested topics then please contact the EGGs meetings organiser, Richard Brown at [Richard.brown@aecom.com](mailto:Richard.brown@aecom.com) with a title and brief synopsis of the subject. Presentations can be delivered by individuals, as joint presentations or as multiple short presentations based around a theme so any suggestions are most welcome.