

61ST RANKINE DINNER

Wednesday 15th March 2023 at 7.30pm

Queen's Tower Room, Sherfield Building, Imperial College London, Exhibition Road, SW7 2AZ

following the 2023 Rankine Lecture to be delivered by

Professor John P. Carter

University of Newcastle, Australia

on

Constitutive Modelling in Computational Geomechanics

Expressions of interest for tickets for the BGA 61st Rankine Dinner in honour of the 2023 Rankine Lecturer, Professor John P. Carter, to be held at Imperial College London on Wednesday 15th March 2023, are now available open.

An application form for tickets indicating your requirements is now available to download from the BGA website at www.britishgeotech.org.uk. This should be completed and returned to the BGA Executive at bga@ice.org.uk by **31st December 2022**. Please note that the Dinner is often oversubscribed and a request does not guarantee that a place will be offered.

Places will be allocated in strict order of receipt of these forms and applicants notified of the outcome after **16th January 2023**. In order to give as many members as possible the opportunity to join the BGA at this prestigious event, companies will be restricted to purchasing **one table initially** with the option of requesting a second table if demand allows. In the event of over-subscription applicants will be placed on a waiting list and advised as soon as possible if further places/corporate tables become available.

The cost for the dinner is set at £120 per person including pre-dinner drinks, 3-course meal, wine at the table, and coffee to follow. Companies may purchase a maximum of 2 tables of 10 places each at a cost of £1200 each depending on availability. The BGA is not registered for VAT.

We at the BGA have started a new initiative whereby a limited number of free student places will be made available for the Rankine Dinner. This program is voluntary for all table hosts and involves the sacrifice of one seat at the table for allocation to a UK-based student.

Successful applicants will be provided with a private link to the ICE's online booking system and invited to book and pay for their tables/places by credit card within a nominated period. If you are not an ICE/BGA member you must register as a non-member before booking and paying for tickets online. Bookings are not secured until the credit card payment procedure has been completed. Places not paid for by **the end of this nominated period** will be released to individuals and companies requiring a second table on the waiting list, after which any remaining places will be released on the open market.

Please e-mail bga@ice.org.uk for further information.