

Canadian Institute of Steel Construction

G. J. JACKSON FELLOWSHIP

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The G. J. Jackson Fellowship is a prestigious annual award currently valued at \$20,000 over twelve months. The Fellowship was established in 1987 and will in the future be presented annually by the Canadian Institute of Steel Construction (CISC) in memory of the late Geoffrey J. Jackson. Its purpose is to develop exceptional researchers, educators and practitioners specializing in the design, fabrication and use of steel structures.

GEOFFREY J. JACKSON

Geoffrey J. Jackson was born in Stamford, Lincolnshire, England, February 25, 1929. After receiving a Diploma in Civil Engineering in 1954, he emigrated to Canada. Mr. Jackson was, for many years, a leader in the Canadian structural steel fabrication industry. His vision and dedication was the driving force in establishing the Steel Structures Education Foundation, the precursor to the CISC Education and Research Council. Mr. Jackson served as both the Chairman, and a member on the Board of Directors on the Canadian Institute of Steel Construction. He was also a long-time member of the Board of the Canadian Steel Construction Council. He served on the SSEF Board until his death in August 1986.

ELIGIBILITY

The Fellowship is available to students who will be admitted in the following academic year to a first to fourth year of full-time graduate studies in structural engineering, with major emphasis on the study of steel structures. Candidates for either a Master's Degree or a Doctoral Degree are eligible to apply. Applications must be received by the Canadian Institute of Steel Construction no later than January 16, 2015.

For full award and application details visit the CISC/SSEF website (<http://www.cisc-icca.ca/JacksonFellowship>).

2014 RECIPIENT

François Leprince is a Master candidate at the Université Laval, working under the supervision of Professor Josée Bastien. His research topic is the "Study of Resistance to Fatigue of High Performance Steel Connections of a Hybrid Girder Bridge in the Canadian Context." The research programme involves experimental tests on welded connections between high performance steel and conventional steel to assess fatigue strength and to assess the viability of hybrid high-performance steel girders. François' studies are jointly supported by Université Laval and SNC-Lavalin.

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