

Geo-Institute Graduate Student Organization (GIGSO) Presents

Invited Talk by Dr. Chadi El Mohtar

📅 **Date: April 10, 2025**

🕒 **Time: 4:00 - 5:00 PM**

📍 **Location: HAMP 2113**

*Refreshments will be provided during the talk.



Join us for an engaging talk with Dr. Chadi El Mohtar, Professor at The University of Texas at Austin!

Dr. El Mohtar will share insights on his academic career path, research, and professional experiences, with an open discussion for students interested in pursuing careers in academia and geotechnical engineering.

About the Speaker: Dr. Chadi El Mohtar earned his Bachelor's degree from Beirut Arab University in 2001, Master's degree from Michigan State University in 2003 and his PhD from Purdue University in 2008, all in Civil Engineering. He is the Cockrell Family Fellow Professor in the Maseeh Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin. He is also the director of the Ground Improvement and Grouting Geotechnics (GIGGs) Industry Affiliates Program. His research focuses on engineering pore fluids and soils for resilient infrastructure, with expertise in geotechnical, geo-environmental, and petroleum engineering applications. Dr. El Mohtar has authored over 90 refereed papers and has been recognized with multiple prestigious awards, including the NSF CAREER Award and ASCE Casagrande Professional Development Award.

