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## Western Regional Group

# Early Career Geologist Award & Route to Chartership Presentation

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2011

The Western Regional Group is pleased to invite you to the regional final of the Geological Society Early Careers Geologist Award.

On Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2011 four finalists from a range of geological disciplines will be presenting their papers to an audience of their peers and a panel of judges. The finalists are:

- **Charles Bacon, University of Bristol:** 'The Critical Zone, Controls and New Insights'
- **Kate Bridges, Structural Soils Limited:** 'The Design and Construction of Hydrotesting Equipment'
- **Emma Sales, Magnox Limited:** 'Delicensing an Area of the Oldbury Nuclear Licensed Site'
- **Tomas Smith, Burro Happold Limited:** 'Engineered Geothermal Systems – Cornwall and Beyond...'

Following each presentation the audience will have chance to put their questions to the presenters. Judging will take place on the night, and the winner will be invited to present their paper together with finalists from other regions, at the Geological Society at Burlington House, London, in early 2012. The overall UK winner will go on to have an opportunity for their entry to be presented in a Geoscientist Magazine.

In addition to the presentations, Bill Gaskarth, the Geological Society Chartership officer will be discussing the route to Chartered Geologist Status.

The presentations will take place in the University of Bristol Earth Sciences Department. Refreshments will be available from 6.00 p.m. and the first presentation will commence at 6.15 p.m. We anticipate that the evening will finish between 8.00 and 8.15 p.m. The event is also open to non-fellows, so please feel free to invite your colleagues. Supporters of the presenters are also welcome.

### Venue

S H Reynolds Lecture Theatre (Room G25), Department of Earth Sciences, University of Bristol, Wills Memorial Building, Queen's Road, Bristol BS8 1RJ. For directions see <http://www.gly.bris.ac.uk/about/directions.html>.

### Contact

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