



Preston Kendall

I am standing for the post of IGS Council Member for the 2022 - 2026 term. With a background in Civil Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology and Physics from The University of the South, I have been active in the Geosynthetics industry for the last 10 years holding technical positions with major manufacturers. In these roles I have provided technical support to design engineers, developed new testing and installation methods for various materials and developed software tools to support the appropriate use of geosynthetics.

I am a licenced Professional Engineer in the state of Texas and a Registered Professional Engineer Queensland (RPEQ).

Since becoming an IGS member in 2013, I have held various committee roles and responsibilities including Secretary for TC-F, Co-Chair for the Young Members Committee, Communications Committee IGS News editor and active membership in the Sustainability Committee.

As a council member, I am particularly interested in creating more avenues to spread the collective knowledge of the IGS members to future practitioners (i.e. students) as well as active practitioners including engineers, installers, and manufacturers. I believe geosynthetics compete in a marketplace of engineering solutions and the rapid growth of geosynthetics is evidence of their utility, value and sustainability.