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Dear Jeff,

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that at its recent meeting, the Council of the Geological Society of America named you and your co-authors the 2016 recipients of the **E.B. Burwell, Jr. Award**. The award is given annually in recognition of outstanding contributions to the interdisciplinary field of engineering geology and for your publication:

Keaton, J.R., Wartman, J., Anderson, S., Benoît, J., de LaChapelle, J., Gilbert, R. and Montgomery, D.R., 2014, The 22 March 2014 Oso Landslide, Snohomish County, Washington: Geotechnical Extreme Events Reconnaissance, Sponsored by the National Science Foundation, July 22, 2014, 186 p.

The presentation of this award will be the focal point of the business meeting of the Environmental & Engineering Geology Division, to be held during the GSA Annual Meeting in Denver, 25–28 September 2016. GSA Division award recipients will also be recognized at the GSA Presidential Address and Awards Ceremony, Sunday, 25 September.

GSA headquarters staff will be in touch with you soon regarding the logistics of the award presentation and to answer any questions you may have.

My sincere congratulations to you!

Sincerely,

Jonathan G. Price  
President  
The Geological Society of America