

### **WEBINAR:**

# An Owner's Perspective of Slope Assessment: the Value and Use

**INSTRUCTOR:** Thomas Whitman 17 Aug 2016 | 2:00 – 3:00 PM EDT

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Mr. Whitman is involved in all aspects of Engineering Geology as it relates to highway transportation systems. He specializes in landslide and rock slope investigation in very difficult terrain. With over 19 years of mountaineering and climbing experience, Mr. Whitman is a lead instructor for the Caltrans climbing and bank-scaling program.

As a representative of an asset "owner" and an accomplished climber/scaler, Mr. Whitman understands in great depth the issues with, and value of, site slope assessments (SSA).

This 60-minute webinar will:

- Briefly outline the process and procedures associated with SSA
- Identify the stakeholders in the SSA process there are more than you might think!
- Discuss the direct and indirect benefits of SSA for each of the stakeholders
  - SSA purposes/uses
  - Values for each stakeholder

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