

## The F.R. Helmert Award

Friedrich Robert Helmert (1843-1917) was an outstanding theoretical geodesist. As the long-term General Secretary of the Internationale Erdmessung (today the IAG), he was successful in soliciting international support to initiate global field campaigns to determine the figure of the Earth and to understand its dynamics. This award was established to support global gravity research.

- DONOR:** On the occasion of the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Department of Geomatics Engineering, this scholarship was established using research royalties obtained by Drs. Klaus-Peter Schwarz, Alex Bruton, and Craig Glennie.
- FIELD OF STUDY:** Geomatics Engineering with a research specialization in gravity field modeling and geodynamics.
- VALUE:** 3000 Canadian dollars.
- NUMBER:** One
- DURATION:** One year
- ELIGIBILITY:** Open to candidates who have made a significant contribution to gravity field or geodynamics research, using airborne or satellite gravity data.  
At the time of application, the successful candidate will be registered as a full-time student in a graduate program in the Department of Geomatics Engineering at the University of Calgary, and will have completed at least two relevant graduate courses with a minimum GPA of 3.6 on a 4.0 scale.
- WHERE TENABLE:** University of Calgary, Faculty of Graduate Studies
- NOMINATION PROCESS:** Recommended by the Department of Geomatics Engineering
- APPLY:** Candidates should apply to the Department of Geomatics Engineering. The application will consist of a letter describing the current status and future plans of the candidate's research. Relevant papers may be attached to the application.
- DEADLINE:** April 1