


ENGINEERING 101



Engineers use their imagination and analytical skills to invent, design and build things that matter, according to the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE). They are team players with independent minds who turn ideas into reality. By dreaming up creative and practical solutions, engineers are changing the world all the time.

Engineering has been called the “invisible” or “stealth” profession, NSPE says. Everything around us that we use every day has been engineered in some way, yet we may not see the engineers behind the scenes or know much about engineering.

Today begins National Engineers Week, one of the oldest professional outreach efforts in the U.S. The NSPE aims to raise public understanding and appreciation of the myriad contributions that engineers make to society.

For a complete list of Engineers Week activities, visit www.eweek.org.

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