



ENGINEERING FOCUS

A Kickoff Luncheon in Celebration of National Engineers Week

The Future of Engineering in Chicago



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Department of Aviation



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Randy Conner

Department of Water Management

Wednesday
February 19, 2025
11:30am to 1:00pm



Union League Club
of Chicago
65 West Jackson, Chicago

Proceeds Benefit Chicago Engineers' Foundation Student Programs

Welcome to National Engineers Week! Founded by the National Society of Professional Engineers in 1951, Engineers Week is dedicated to ensuring a diverse and well-educated future engineering workforce by increasing understanding of and interest in engineering and technology careers. The purpose of National Engineers Week is to call attention to the contributions engineers make to society, and to emphasize the importance of learning math, science, and technical skills.

Chicago Engineers' Foundation (CEF) empowers Chicago's future engineers as a student-focused nonprofit organization, with programming to inspire young minds and provide resources to help students achieve their engineering career goals. In addition to K-12 outreach activities, mentoring, and career resources for college students, the organization provides over \$100,000 in scholarships awards each year.

THE EVENT

Engineering Focus is an annual kick-off to National Engineers Week in Chicago. This year's event is an exciting opportunity for professionals, educators, and students to be inspired by a distinguished panel of speakers and learn strategies to empower future engineers to learn about the importance of engineering in the public sector. Proceeds from the event support Chicago Engineers' Foundation student programs. The event includes a three-course lunch, followed by a moderated panel discussion and networking.

PANELISTS

Commissioner Jamie Rhee, Department of Aviation, City of Chicago

Commissioner Tom Carney, Department of Transportation, City of Chicago

Commissioner Randy Conner, Department of Water Management, City of Chicago

Registration & Sponsorship Opportunities are Available Now



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Become a sponsor of the annual kickoff to National Engineers Week in Chicago. Promote your company and celebrate the future of engineering with an audience of engineering professionals and students.

Premiere Sponsor: \$10,000

- Prominent logo placement on all event marketing (registration page, website, eblasts, and social media).
- Solo social media posts. (Facebook, LinkedIn, and Instagram)
- 2 VIP tables for 10 guests each.
- Table signage with company name/logo
- 2 named scholarship awards for college students (\$1,600 each, presented in June 2025)

Leadership Sponsor(s): \$7,500

- Logo placement on all event marketing.
- Shared social media posts with all Leadership Sponsors.
- 1 VIP table for 10 guests.
- Table signage with company name/logo
- One named scholarship award for a college student (\$1,600 presented in June 2025)

Innovation Sponsor(s): \$5,000

- Logo placement on all event marketing.
- Shared social media posts with all Innovation Sponsors.
- 6 complimentary VIP tickets to attend the event.
- One named scholarship award for a graduating high school student (\$1,200 presented in June 2025)

Engineering Sponsor(s): \$2,500

- Logo placement on all event marketing.
- Shared social media posts with all Engineering Sponsors.
- 4 complimentary VIP tickets to attend the event.
- Supports a portion of a one-year scholarship award for an engineering student

Presentation Sponsor(s): \$1,000

- Logo placement on all event marketing.
- Shared social media posts with all Presentation Sponsors.
- 2 complimentary VIP tickets to attend the event.
- Supports the scholarship award program.

Tickets:

VIP Ticket(s): \$250__ Guest Ticket(s): \$90 __ Donate Student Ticket(s): \$60__

Company Name: _____ **Contact Person:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Please return this form via email or visit the [Event Page](#) to make your reservation online:

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