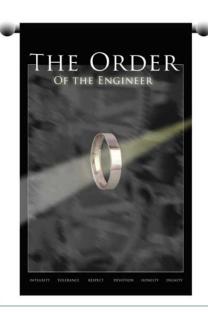
## Engineer's Ring



The Engineer's Ring in the United States is a stainless steel ring, worn on the fifth finger of the working hand by engineers who have accepted the Obligation of an Engineer in a Ring Ceremony. In Canada, the Engineer's Ring is a wrought iron ring accepted by engineers inducted into the ceremony of the Calling of an Engineer.



### **Obligation**



I am an Engineer. In my profession I take deep pride. To it, I owe solemn obligations. Since the Stone Age, human progress has been spurred by the engineering genius. Engineers have made usable nature's vast resources of material and energy for humanity's benefit. Engineers have vitalized and turned to practical use the principles of science and the means of technology. Were it not for this heritage of accumulated experience, my efforts would be feeble.

As an Engineer, I pledge to practice integrity and fair dealing, tolerance and respect, and to uphold devotion to the standards and the dignity of my profession, conscious always that my skill carries with it the obligation to serve humanity by making the best use of Earth's precious wealth.

As an Engineer, I shall participate in none but honest enterprises. When needed, my skill and knowledge shall be given without reservation for the public good. In the performance of duty and in fidelity to my profession, I shall give the utmost.

# THE ORDER OF THE ENGINEER 2020

"Upholding
Devotion to the
Standards and
Dignity of the
Engineering
Profession"



#### **Background**

The **Order of the Engineer** was initiated in the United States to foster a spirit of pride and responsibility in the engineering profession, to bridge the gap between training and experience, and to present to the public a visible symbol identifying the engineer.

The first ceremony was held on June 4, 1970 at Cleveland State University. Others like it have since spread across the United States at which graduate and registered engineers are invited to accept the Obligation of the Engineer and to wear a stainless steel ring. The Obligation is a creed similar to the oath attributed to Hippocrates (460-377 B.C.) that is generally taken by medical graduates and which sets forth an ethical code. The Obligation, likewise, contains parts of the Canon of Ethics of major engineering societies. It makes a pledge to uphold the standards and dignity of the engineering profession and to serve humanity by making the best use of Earth's precious wealth. The Order is not a membership organization; there are never any meetings to attend or dues to pay. Instead, the Order does foster a unity of purpose and the lifelong honoring of one's pledge.

The Obligation of the Order of the Engineer is similar to the Canadian ceremony of the "Calling of an Engineer" initiated there in 1926.

#### **Engineers Club of Dayton Order of the Engineer Partners**







#### **How to Become an Order of the Engineer Member**

- 1. Complete the paper or e-fillable form "Application for Induction to the Order of The Engineer" enclosed or available for download at <a href="www.engineersclub.org">www.engineersclub.org</a>. Download is available at the bottom-left side of the Home Page, or at <a href="http://www.engineersclub.org/call-for-2020-order-of-the-engineer-inductees/">http://www.engineersclub.org/call-for-2020-order-of-the-engineer-inductees/</a>
  - 2. E-mail the e-version to one of the information contacts shown on the right, or mail to:

    Order of the Engineer Board of Governors

Engineer Board of Govern Engineers Club of Dayton 110 E. Monument Avenue Dayton, Ohio 45402

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN MARCH 10, 2020.

#### Q & A

#### What:

An Order of the Engineer induction ceremony for engineers who have never received a symbolic ring, current inductees and Engineers Club of Dayton Link partners (Air Force Institute of Technology, Air Force Research Laboratory, regional Universities and Industry participants).

#### Where and When:

The 2020 ceremony will be held at The Engineers Club of Dayton, 110 E. Monument Avenue, Dayton Ohio, 45402

at 7:30 PM on March 20, 2020.

An optional dinner before the ceremony is available for inductees and guests at 5:30 – 7:00 PM.
For reservations (required) call 937- 228-2148.

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There are no dues other meetings of the Order of the Engineer.

**For additional information**, go to the local Order of the Engineer Link at

www.engineersclub.org
or the National site at
www.order-of-the-engineer.org