



The Louisiana Engineering Society

Since 1898 LES has been the flag bearer for the licensure and professional practice of engineering in Louisiana. The Society represents the individual engineer in all technical disciplines and all occupational areas of practice, including construction, education, government, industry and private practice. Our organization is dedicated to the continuous advancement of the professional engineer by:

Encouraging engineers to elevate their skills, competencies, and ethics



Upholding that the public health, safety and welfare is best served when engineering work is performed by or under supervision of a professional engineer



Supporting and promoting high standards for engineering education



Recognizing engineering achievement and academic scholarships



Contributing services to the public and the profession



Advocating professional registration of all engineers

What we do..

Through our eight chapters in Alexandria, Baton Rouge, Bayou, Lafayette, Lake Charles, Monroe, New Orleans and Shreveport, LES exemplifies its long-term legacy and commitment to our state by providing:

Objective technical and policy information to various legislative committees such as the Groundwater Commission, Design-Build Task Force, and Louisiana Community Water Systems Design Standards Commission, and many more



Continuing education workshops with the State Fire Marshal & others on Life Safety Code



Sponsorship of MathCounts Competition for middle school students across the state



Dedicated members to serve on State and local engineering contracts selection boards



Provides the names of professional engineers to the Governor for appointment to the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board (LAPELS)



Works with Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board on rules and laws that affect the engineering profession