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Janet L. Ronsky, PhD, P.Eng.

Awards for the Support of Women in the Engineering Profession

Since entering engineering in the early 1980s, Dr. Ronsky has been a lead promoter of women in engineering. She is past-chair of the Women In Engineering Committee at the University of Calgary and has been an integral part in urging the faculty there to support women. She also organized the annual Women in Engineering Day, now in its eighth year.

Through high school presentations, Dr. Ronsky continues to encourage young women to consider an engineering career, trusting some to work in her lab. In addition, she has participated in the Alberta Women in Science Networks Operation Minerva's job shadowing program, which encourages young women to choose science-related professions.

A member of the Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of Alberta, Dr. Ronsky has received a number of awards, including the Calgary YWCA Award for Women of Distinction and Inspiration in Science, Technology and Environment, and the NSERC Women Faculty Award. She has also been recognized for teaching excellence. Dr. Ronsky is internationally recognized for her contributions to bio-mechanics.



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