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## *Ethics In Engineering*

*Engineering Ethics: Peace, Justice, and the Earth offers a new ethical foundation for the engineering profession. Modern engineering codes of ethics have primarily been developed using a Utilitarian approach.*

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*This book adopts a morally deep world view from environmental ethics as the basis for engineering practice. The fundamental canon of the new code of ethics is the following: Engineers, in the fulfillment of their professional duties, shall hold paramount the safety,*

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*health and welfare of the identified integral community. The key difference between the new code and existing codes is in the inclusion of an identified integral community. Several case studies are examined in light of the new code including the development of new tools for Mexican farmers, the design and*

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*fabrication of devices for the physically challenged, the mechanization of grape-picking in California and the development of transportations systems for the tourist industry in Churchill, Ontario, Canada. Using the new ethical code, a design methodology is developed based on the implicit notion of*

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*promoting justice and peace and reducing suffering. Implications of these developments for engineering education are also explored with a new paradigm for engineering education based upon the Integral Model. The present work is intended for practicing engineers and engineering*

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*educators as well as  
ethicists and  
philosophers.*

*Engineering Ethics is  
ideal for use in  
undergraduate  
engineering programs  
incorporating ethics  
topics. Engineering  
Ethics serves as both a  
textbook and a resource  
for the study of  
engineering ethics. It is  
written to help future*

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*engineers be prepared for confronting and resolving ethical dilemmas that they might encounter during their professional careers.*

*Having enjoyed two highly successful previous editions, this text has been revised to coincide with the new directive by ABET (the Accrediting Board for*

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*Engineering and Technology) to expand the Ethics for Engineers course. The third edition can be used by freshmen studying the Introduction to Engineering course, or at the senior level, within the capstone design course. This book is a key introduction to ethics in*



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*engineering, providing professionals at all stages of their career with guidance on navigating the increasingly complex world of practising engineering ethically on an international scale. Engineering professionals face a duty to uphold reliable and trustworthy behaviour when*

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*working across all disciplines and industries. Accuracy and rigour are essential parts of the modern workplace, and are increasingly of concern to practising engineers. Using case studies to highlight examples of issues within the workplace and how these can be appropriately handled,*

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*this book is an accessible tool through which engineers can gain confidence in dealing with ethical dilemmas in the workplace. Touching upon safety, risk, artificial intelligence, autonomous systems, and intellectual property, alongside sustainability and environmental matters,*

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*the book focuses on hot topics which are fast becoming day-to-day issues dealt with by engineers. The book will be suitable for engineers of all disciplines, alongside students looking to become professional chartered engineers. The Ethics of Genetic Engineering*

**Engineering Ethics**

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*Ethics in Engineering  
Balancing Cost,  
Schedule, and Risk -  
Lessons Learned from  
the Space Shuttle  
The Ethical Engineer*

Featuring a  
wide range of  
international  
case studies,  
Ethics,  
Technology,  
and

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Engineering presents a unique and systematic approach for engineering students to deal with the ethical issues that are increasingly inherent in

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engineering  
practice.

Utilizes a  
systematic  
approach to  
ethical case  
analysis --  
the ethical  
cycle -- which  
features a  
wide range of  
real-life

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international  
case studies  
including the  
Challenger  
Space Shuttle,  
the Herald of  
Free  
Enterprise and  
biofuels.  
Covers a broad  
range of  
topics,



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including  
ethics in  
design, risks,  
responsibility  
, sustainabili  
ty, and  
emerging  
technologies  
Can be used in  
conjunction  
with the  
online ethics

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tool Agora (<http://www.ethicsandtechnology.com>) Provides engineering students with a clear introduction to the main ethical theories  
Includes an

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extensive  
glossary with  
key terms  
An "ethics  
construction  
kit" places  
engineering in  
a new light.  
Engineering  
Ethics:  
Challenges and  
Opportunities

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aims to set a new agenda for the engineering profession by developing a key challenge: can the great technical innovation of engineering be matched by a

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corresponding  
innovation in  
the acceptance  
and expression  
of ethical res  
ponsibility?

Central  
features of  
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stimulating  
text include:

- An analysis

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of engineering  
as a technical  
and ethical  
practice  
providing  
great  
opportunities  
for promoting  
the wellbeing  
and agency of  
individuals  
and

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communities. .  
Elucidation of  
the ethical  
opportunities  
of engineering  
in three key  
areas:

Engineering  
for Peace,  
emphasising  
practical  
amelioration

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causes of  
conflict  
rather than  
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solutions.  
Engineering  
for Health,  
focusing on  
close  
collaboration  
with



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healthcare  
professionals  
for both the  
promotion and  
restoration of  
health.

Engineering  
for  
Development,  
providing  
effective  
solutions for

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the reduction  
of extreme  
poverty. ·  
Innovative  
strategies for  
implementing  
these ethical  
opportunities  
are described:  
Emphasis on  
the personal  
responsibility

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of every  
engineer and  
on the  
benefits of  
supporting  
social  
structures.  
Use of  
language and  
concepts that  
are appealing  
to business

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managers and  
political  
decision  
makers. .  
Future  
prospects for  
increasing the  
acceptance and  
expression of  
ethical  
responsibility  
by engineers

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Ethics:

Challenges and

Opportunities

provides

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makers and the

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with new

understanding

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potential of  
engineering  
for the  
promotion of  
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flourishing.  
Engineering,  
as a  
profession and  
business, is  
at the sharp

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from being a  
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work' of the  
engineer it is  
at the heart  
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she relates to  
the many

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different  
stakeholders  
in the  
engineering  
project.

Engineering,  
Business and  
Professional  
Ethics

highlights the  
ethical  
dimension of



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engineering  
and shows how  
values and  
responsibility  
relate to  
everyday  
practice.

Looking at the  
underlying  
value systems  
that inform  
practical

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thinking the  
book offers a  
framework for  
ethical decisi  
on-making.

Covering  
global  
corporate  
responsibility  
to the  
increasing  
concern for

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within the  
engineering  
business, the  
book offers  
ways in which  
value conflict  
can be  
handled.

Integrating  
practice,

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value and  
diversity the  
book helps to  
prepare the  
engineer for  
the ethical  
challenges of  
the 21st  
century. This  
book is  
essential  
reading for

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all students  
on courses  
accredited by  
the  
Engineering  
Council e.g.  
Civil,  
Chemical,  
Mechanical and  
Environmental  
Engineering  
who need to be

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aware of  
ethics. Also  
of interest to  
practicing  
engineers and  
professionals  
such as  
Sustainability  
Managers and  
Community  
Workers  
involved in

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engineering projects. The authors have worked together in the area of engineering, professional and business ethics for many years and are all

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members of the  
National  
Centre for  
Applied Ethics  
at the  
University of  
Leeds. \*

Integrates  
ethical  
considerations  
into everyday  
decision-



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making \* Shows  
how to review  
and overcome  
professional  
ethical  
problems \*  
Practical case  
studies and  
examples  
throughout  
Ethics,  
Technology,

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and

Engineering

Ethics in

Engineering

Practice and

Research

Engineering,

Business and

Professional

Ethics

Ethics and

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Global  
Engineering  
Ethics

**This book  
analyzes major  
ethical issues  
surrounding the  
use of climate  
engineering,  
particularly  
solar radiation  
management (SRM)  
techniques,**

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**which have the potential to reduce some risks of anthropogenic climate change but also carry their own risks of harm and injustice. The book argues that we should approach the ethics of**

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**climate  
engineering via  
"non-ideal  
theory," which  
investigates  
what justice  
requires given  
the fact that  
many parties  
have failed to  
comply with  
their duty to  
mitigate  
greenhouse gas**

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emissions.  
Specifically, it  
argues that  
climate justice  
should be  
approached  
comparatively,  
evaluating the  
relative justice  
or injustice of  
feasible  
policies under  
conditions that  
are likely to

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hold within  
relevant  
timeframes.  
Likely near-  
future  
conditions  
include  
"pessimistic  
scenarios," in  
which no  
available option  
avoids serious  
ethical  
problems. The

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**book contends  
that certain  
uses of SRM can  
be ethically  
defensible in  
some pessimistic  
scenarios. This  
is the first  
book devoted to  
the many ethical  
issues  
surrounding  
climate  
engineering.**



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**This volume identifies, discusses and addresses the wide array of ethical issues that have emerged for engineers due to the rise of a global economy. To date, there has been no systematic**

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**treatment of the  
particular  
challenges  
globalization  
poses for  
engineering  
ethics standards  
and education.  
This volume  
concentrates on  
precisely this  
challenge.  
Scholars and  
practitioners**

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**from diverse  
national and  
professional  
backgrounds  
discuss the  
ethical issues  
emerging from  
the inherent  
symbiotic  
relationship  
between the  
engineering  
profession and  
globalization.**

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Through their  
discussions a  
deeper and more  
complete  
understanding of  
the precise ways  
in which  
globalization  
impacts the  
formulation and  
justification of  
ethical  
standards in  
engineering as

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**well as the curriculum and pedagogy of engineering ethics education emerges. The world today is witnessing an unprecedented demand for engineers and other science and technology professionals**

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**with advanced degrees due to both the off-shoring of western jobs and the rapid development of non-Western countries. The current flow of technology and professionals is from the West to the rest of the**

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world.  
Professional  
practices  
followed by  
Western (or  
Western-trained)  
engineers are  
often based on  
presuppositions  
which can be in  
fundamental  
disagreement  
with the  
viewpoints of

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**non-Westerners. A successful engineering solution cannot be simply technically sound, but also must account for cultural, social and religious constraints. For these reasons, existing Western standards cannot**



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simply be  
exported to  
other countries.  
Divided into two  
parts, Part I of  
the volume  
provides an  
overview of  
particular  
dimensions of  
globalization  
and the criteria  
that an adequate  
engineering

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ethics framework must satisfy in a globalized world. Part II of the volume considers pedagogical challenges and aims in engineering ethics education that is global in character. This anthology

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**focuses on  
ethical issues  
confronting  
individual  
engineers and  
the entire  
engineering  
profession.**

**A classic work  
in the field of  
practical and  
professional  
ethics, this  
collection of**

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**nine essays by  
English  
philosopher and  
educator Henry  
Sidgwick  
(1838-1900) was  
first published  
in 1898 and  
forms a vital  
complement to  
Sidgwick's major  
treatise on  
moral theory,  
The Methods of**

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**Ethics. Reissued here as Volume One in a new series sponsored by the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics, the book is composed chiefly of addresses to members of two ethical**

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**societies that  
Sidgwick helped  
to found in  
Cambridge and  
London in the  
1880s. Clear,  
taut, and  
lively, these  
essays  
demonstrate the  
compassion and  
calm  
reasonableness  
that Sidgwick**

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brought to all his writings. As Sidgwick explains in his opening essay, the societies he addressed aimed to allow academics, professionals, and others to pursue joint efforts at reaching "some

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results of value  
for practical  
guidance and  
life." Sidgwick  
hoped that  
members might  
discuss such  
questions as  
when, if ever,  
public officials  
might be  
justified in  
lying or in  
breaking



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**promises,  
whether  
scientists could  
legitimately  
inflict  
suffering on  
animals for  
research  
purposes, when  
nations might  
have just cause  
in going to war,  
and a score of  
other issues of**

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ethics in public and private life still debated a century later. This valuable reissue returns Practical Ethics to its rightful place in Sidgwick's oeuvre. Noted ethicist Sissela Bok provides a superb

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**Introduction,  
ranging over the  
course of  
Sidgwick's life  
and career and  
underscoring the  
relevance of  
Practical Ethics  
to contemporary  
debate. She  
writes:  
"Practical  
Ethics, the last  
book that Henry**

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**Sidgwick  
published before  
his death in  
1900, contains  
the distillation  
of a lifetime of  
reflection on  
ethics and on  
what it would  
take for ethical  
debate to be  
'really of use  
in the solution  
of practical**

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questions.'"

This rich,  
engaging work is  
essential  
reading for all  
concerned with  
the relationship  
between ethical  
theory and  
practice, and  
with the  
questions that  
have driven the  
study of

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**professional  
ethics in recent  
years.**

**What Every  
Engineer Should  
Know about  
Ethics**

**Ethics and  
Decision Making  
in Biomedical  
and Biosystem  
Engineering  
Ethics in  
Science and**

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## **Engineering By Design Ethics Within Engineering**

*Human genetic engineering may soon be possible. The gathering debate about this prospect already threatens to become mired in irresolvable disagreement. After surveying the scientific and technological*

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*developments that have brought us to this pass, The Ethics of Genetic Engineering focuses on the ethical and policy debate, noting the deep divide that separates proponents and opponents. The book locates the source of this divide in differing framing assumptions: reductionist pluralist on one side, holist*



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*communitarian on the other. The book argues that we must bridge this divide, drawing on the resources from both encampments, if we are to understand and cope with the distinctive problems posed by genetic engineering.*

*These problems, termed "fractious problems," are novel, complex, ethically fraught, unavoidably of*

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*public concern, and unavoidably divisive. Berry examines three prominent ethical and political theories – utilitarianism, Kantianism, and virtue ethics – to consider their competency in bridging the divide and addressing these fractious problems. The book concludes that virtue ethics can best guide parental decision*

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*making and that a new  
policymaking approach  
sketched here, a  
"navigational approach,"  
can best guide  
policymaking. These  
approaches enable us to  
gain a rich  
understanding of the  
problems posed and to  
craft resolutions  
adequate to their  
challenges.*

*Around the turn of the*

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*millennium, a young woman with outstanding academic achievements in science and mathematics applied to study engineering at a European university. She had chosen to study engineering particularly because of the opportunities she expected it would give her to make a contribution to the well-*

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*ing of others. It happened that the university engineering department to which she applied had just been involved in the design of a vehicle for a world speed record attempt. When the young woman visited the university for interview this “triumph of technology” was presented as being a quintessential example of*

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*good engine- ing.  
However, though it was  
clear to her that the  
vehicle was technically  
ing- ious, she also  
recognised that it was of  
no practical use. She  
concluded that she had  
misunderstood the nature  
of engineering, and still  
wishing to help others she  
changed her plans and  
studied medicine, at  
which she assuredly*

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*excelled. This young woman's change of career was undoubtedly a specific loss for engineering. Additionally, it had a broader, tragic dimension; for her understanding of the purpose of engineering was more mature than that of the academics she - countered. Moreover, their imbalanced prioritisation of technical*

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*ingenuity over helping people is not uncommon within parts of the profession.*

*The first edition of Caroline Whitbeck's Ethics in Engineering Practice and Research focused on the difficult ethical problems engineers encounter in their practice and in research. In many ways, these problems are like*



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*design problems: they are complex, often ill defined; resolving them involves an iterative process of analysis and synthesis; and there can be more than one acceptable solution. In the second edition of this text, Dr Whitbeck goes above and beyond by featuring more real-life problems, stating recent scenarios and laying the*

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*foundation of ethical concepts and reasoning. This book offers a real-world, problem-centered approach to engineering ethics, using a rich collection of open-ended case studies to develop skill in recognizing and addressing ethical issues. Moral problems that engineers may face in their professional lives are discussed, with*

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*particular reference to corporate settings. The authors place these issues within a philosophical framework & seek to exhibit the social importance & intellectual challenge of each one.*

*Engineering Ethics for a Globalized World*

*Engineering, Ethics, and the Environment*

*Infusing Ethics into the Development of*

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*Engineers*

*The Ethics of Climate*

*Engineering*

*An "Ethics Construction*

*Kit" Places Engineering*

*in a New Light*

**Using the space  
shuttle**

**programme as the**

**framework, this**

**book examines**

**ethical decision**

**making in**

**engineering.**

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Engineering begins with a design problem: how to make occupants of vehicles safer, settle on an inter-face for an x-ray machine or create more legible road signs. In choosing any particular

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solution,  
engineers must  
make value  
choices. By  
focusing on the  
solving of these  
problems, Ethics  
Within  
Engineering  
shows how ethics  
is at the  
intellectual  
core of  
engineering.

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Built around a number of engaging case studies, Wade Robison presents real examples of engineering problems that everyone, engineer or not, will recognize, ranging from such simple artifacts as

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toasters and the layout of burners and knobs on a stove top to the software responsible for the Columbia airliner crash. The most dramatic examples center on error-  
provocative



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designs: designs that provoke mistakes for even the most intelligent, well-informed, and highly motivated. These examples all raise ethical issues, posing questions for the reader, forcing the give-

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and-take of  
discussion in  
classrooms and  
the  
consideration of  
alternative  
solutions that  
solve the  
original design  
problem without  
the unfortunate  
features of the  
original  
solution. This

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original,  
focused approach  
provides an  
ideal entry  
point for anyone  
looking to  
better  
understand  
professional  
ethical  
responsibilities  
within  
engineering.

This volume is a

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collection of  
articles  
published since  
engineering  
ethics developed  
a distinct  
scholarly field  
in the late  
1970s that will  
help define the  
field of  
engineering  
ethics. Among  
the perennial

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questions  
addressed are:  
What is  
engineering (and  
what is  
engineering  
ethics)? What  
professional  
responsibilities  
do engineers  
have and why?  
What  
professional  
autonomy can

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engineers have  
in large  
organizations?

What is the  
relationship  
between ethics  
and codes of  
ethics and how  
should

engineering  
ethics be  
taught?

This text, first  
published in

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1998, examines  
the ethical  
responsibilities  
of engineers for  
the environment  
- of interest to  
all engineers.

Environmental  
Ethics For  
Engineers

Outline of an  
Aspirational  
Approach

Introduction to

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**Engineering  
Ethics  
Ethics and  
Professionalism  
in Engineering  
Engineering  
Ethics: Concepts  
and Cases**

Packed with  
examples pulled  
straight from recent  
headlines,

**ENGINEERING  
ETHICS, Sixth**

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Edition, helps engineers understand the importance of their conduct as professionals as well as reflect on how their actions can affect the health, safety and welfare of the public and the environment. Numerous case studies give readers plenty of hands-on experience grappling

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with modern-day ethical dilemmas, while the book's proven and structured method for analysis walks readers step by step through ethical problem-solving techniques. It also offers practical application of the Engineering Code of Ethics and thorough coverage of critical

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moral reasoning,  
effective  
organizational  
communication,  
sustainability and  
economic  
development, risk  
management, ethical  
responsibilities,  
globalized standards  
for engineering and  
emerging challenges  
relating to evolving  
technology. Important

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Engineering Ethics is the application of philosophical and moral systems to the proper judgment and behavior by engineers in conducting their work, including the

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products and systems they design and the consulting services they provide. In light of the work environment that inspired the new Sarbanes/Oxley federal legislation on “whistle-blowing protections, a clear understanding of Engineering Ethics is needed like never

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before. Beginning with a concise overview of various approaches to engineering ethics, the real heart of the book will be some 13 detailed case studies, delving into the history behind each one, the official outcome and the “real story behind what happened. Using a consistent format and

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organization for each one—giving background, historical summary, news media effects, outcome and interpretation--these case histories will be used to clearly illustrate the ethics issues at play and what should or should not have been done by the engineers,

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scientists and  
managers involved in  
each instance. Covers  
importance and  
practical benefits of  
systematic ethical  
behavior in any  
engineering work  
environment Only  
book to explain  
implications of the  
Sarbanes/Oxley  
"Whistle-Blowing"  
federal legislation 13



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actual case histories,  
plus 10 additional  
"anonymous" case  
histories-in consistent  
format-will clearly  
demonstrate the  
relevance of ethics in  
the outcomes of each  
one Offers actual  
investigative reports,  
with evidentiary  
material, legal  
proceedings, outcome  
and follow-up analysis

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Appendix offers  
copies of the National  
Society of  
Professional  
Engineers Code of  
Ethics for Engineers  
and the Institute of  
Electrical and  
Electronic Engineers  
Code of Ethics  
Global Engineering  
Ethics introduces the  
fundamentals of  
ethics in a context

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specific to engineering without privileging any one national or cultural conception of ethics. Numerous case studies from around the world help the reader to see clearly the relevance of design, safety, and professionalism to engineers.

Engineering

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increasingly takes place in global contexts, with industrial and research teams operating across national and cultural borders. This adds a layer of complexity to already challenging ethical issues. This book is essential reading for anyone wanting to understand

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or communicate the ethics of engineering, including students, academics, and researchers, and is indispensable for those involved in international and cross-cultural environments. Takes a global-values approach to engineering ethics rather than prioritizing

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any one national or regional culture Uses engineering case studies to explain ethical issues and principles in relatable, practical contexts

Approaches engineering from a business perspective, emphasizing the extent to which engineering occurs in terms of profit-driven

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markets, addressing potential conflicts that arise as a result

Provides extensive guidance on how to carry out ethical analysis by using case studies, to practice addressing and thinking through issues before confronting them in the world

Biomedical Ethics for

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Engineers provides biomedical engineers with a new set of tools and an understanding that the application of ethical measures will seldom reach consensus even among fellow engineers and scientists. The solutions are never completely technical, so the engineer must



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continue to improve the means of incorporating a wide array of societal perspectives, without sacrificing sound science and good design principles. Dan Vallerio understands that engineering is a profession that profoundly affects the quality of life from the subcellular and nano

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to the planetary scale. Protecting and enhancing life is the essence of ethics; thus every engineer and design professional needs a foundation in bioethics. In high-profile emerging fields such as nanotechnology, biotechnology and green engineering,

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public concerns and attitudes become especially crucial factors given the inherent uncertainties and high stakes involved. Ethics thus means more than a commitment to abide by professional norms of conduct. This book discusses the full suite of emerging biomedical and

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environmental issues that must be addressed by engineers and scientists within a global and societal context. In addition it gives technical professionals tools to recognize and address bioethical questions and illustrates that an understanding of the

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application of these measures will seldom reach consensus even among fellow engineers and scientists. · Working tool for biomedical engineers in the new age of technology · Numerous case studies to illustrate the direct application of ethical techniques and standards ·

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Ethics, Theology, and  
the Practice of  
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Ethical practice in  
engineering is  
critical for ensuring  
public trust in the  
field and in its  
practitioners,  
especially as  
engineers  
increasingly tackle

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international and socially complex problems that combine technical and ethical challenges. This report aims to raise awareness of the variety of exceptional programs and strategies for



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improving  
engineers'  
understanding of  
ethical and social  
issues and provides  
a resource for those  
who seek to improve  
ethical development  
of engineers at their  
own institutions.  
This publication  
presents 25 activities

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and programs that are exemplary in their approach to infusing ethics into the development of engineering students. It is intended to serve as a resource for institutions of higher education seeking to enhance

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their efforts in this area.

What is ethics in engineering?

Engineers develop technology that has a major impact, positive and negative, on people and the environment. This means that

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engineers must take a stand and make moral judgements. Also, they need to take other stakeholders into consideration employees, owners, customers and suppliers who might have conflicting interests. In this

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book a practical, hands-on process for handling ethical dilemmas is presented: awareness, responsibility, critical thinking and action. The author gives many examples from engineering areas

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ranging from construction to transhumanism. In a recurring case you as a reader think through each of the steps in the process: to develop or not develop the Life Partner. What is good and evil, right and wrong? That is

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the question.  
We have used this book, manuscript form, as supplemental reading in our environmental engineering classes at Duke University. The discussion of ethics is usually reserved for the

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final few days of class, when the students should start asking so what? about course material. We respond to this question by covering the principles of ethics in one lecture and spending two or more sessions



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discussing various readings.

Engineering students who have spent four years learning how to crunch numbers and to solve technical problems to three significant figures admit that the study of

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environmental ethics introduces new and exciting concepts into their professional thinking, and provides a perspective which otherwise would be missing from their education.

This book focuses

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on the ethical issues in engineering that have to do with assessment, design, sustainability and globalization.

Ethical Issues in  
Engineering

A Collection of  
Addresses and  
Essays

Challenges and

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## Opportunities Ethics, Politics, and Whistleblowing in Engineering An Introduction

An engaging, accessible survey of the ethical issues faced by engineers, designed for students The first engineering ethics textbook to use debates as the framework for

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presenting engineering ethics topics, this engaging, accessible survey explores the most difficult and controversial issues that engineers face in daily practice. Written by a leading scholar in the field of engineering and computer ethics, Deborah Johnson approaches engineering ethics with three

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premises: that engineering is both a technical and a social endeavor; that engineers don't just build things, they build society; and that engineering is an inherently ethical enterprise.

Starrett, Lara, and Bertha provide in-depth analysis of real world engineering ethics cases studies with extended

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discussions and study questions.

For engineering and scientific endeavors to progress there must be generally accepted ethical guidelines in place to which engineers and scientists must adhere. This book explores the various scientific and engineering disciplines, examining the potential

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for unethical behavior  
by professionals.

Documented examples  
are presented to show  
where unethical  
behavior could have  
been halted before it  
became an issue. The  
authors also look to the  
future to see what is in  
store for professionals in  
the scientific and  
engineering disciplines  
and how the potential



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for unethical behavior  
can be negated.

Both engineering and  
human living take place  
in a messy world, one  
chock full of unknowns  
and contingencies.

Design reasoning is the  
way engineers cope with  
real-world contingency.

Because of the  
messiness, books about  
engineering design  
cannot have ideal

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solutions printed in the back in the same way that mathematics textbooks can. Design reasoning does not produce a single, ideally correct answer to a given problem but rather generates a wide variety of rival solutions that vie against each other for their relative level of satisfactoriness. A reasoning process

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analogous to design is needed in ethics. Since the realm of interpersonal relations is itself a fluid and highly contingent real-world affair, design reasoning offers the promise of a useful paradigm for ethical reasoning. This volume undertakes two tasks. First, it employs design reasoning to illustrate how

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technological artifacts can be assessed for their inherent moral properties. Second, it uses the design paradigm as a means for bringing engineering ethics into conversation with Christian theology in order to show how each can be for the other a catalyst for the revolutionary task of living by design.

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Activities and Programs  
Biomedical Ethics for  
Engineers

Ethics for Engineers  
Peace, Justice, and the  
Earth

Real World Case  
Studies

The rapid pace of  
technological change  
constantly gives rise  
to new ethical  
dilemmas, and

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engineers must be as well versed in societal values and ethics as they are in the technical concepts of their disciplines. Ethics and Professionalism in Engineering provides a practical introduction for engineering students that emphasizes ethical decision-

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making. McCuen and Gilroy situate engineering ethics in the wider context of business and environmental ethics and guide students through case studies emphasizing value conflicts often encountered in engineering.

Bridging the gap between theory and

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ENGINEERING  
ETHICS, Fifth  
Edition, will help you  
quickly understand  
the importance of  
your conduct as a  
professional and how  
your actions can  
affect the health,  
safety, and welfare of  
the public.

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Edition, provides dozens of diverse engineering cases and a proven and structured method for analyzing them; practical application of the Engineering Code of Ethics; focus on critical moral reasoning as well as effective organizational communication; and

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professionals and general readers on ethical questions posed by modern technology.

An essential all-in-one introduction, *Ethics for Engineers* provides in-depth coverage of major ethical theories, professional codes of ethics, and case studies in a single

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volume.

Incorporating numerous practical examples and about 100 review questions, it helps students better understand and address ethical issues that they may face in their future careers. Topics covered include whistle-blowing, the

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problem of many hands, gifts, bribes, conflicts of interest, engineering and environmental ethics, privacy and computer ethics, ethical technology assessment, and the ethics of cost-benefit analysis and risk and uncertainty.

Solar Radiation  
Management and

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Non-Ideal Justice  
An Industrial  
Perspective

A Brief Introduction

***A balanced, thought-provoking series of selected readings on professionalism and ethics in engineering.***

***Addresses such topics as the concept of professionalism;***

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***education and  
maintenance of  
competence;  
registration; the role  
of professional and  
technical societies;  
professional  
autonomy;  
engineers'  
responsibilities for  
the social effects of  
engineering  
practice; whistle-  
blowing; and the***



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***formulation and enforcement of codes of ethics. Includes case studies of the ethical dilemmas faced in engineering practice, compilations of major codes of engineering ethics, and references for further reading.***

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***reference succinctly  
explains the  
engineering  
profession's codes  
of ethics using case  
studies drawn from  
decisions of the  
National Society of  
Professional  
Engineers' (NSPE)  
Board of Ethical  
Review, examining  
ethical challenges in  
engineering,***

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***construction, and project management. It includes study questions to supplement general engineering survey courses and a list of references to aid practicing engineers in exploring topics in depth. Concentrating primarily on***

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***situations engineers encounter on a daily basis and offering pragmatic answers to ethical questions, What Every Engineer Should Know About Ethics discusses recent headline-making disasters such as the Challenger explosion, the Chernobyl nuclear***

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***catastrophe, and the Hyatt-Regency Hotel collapse; considers the merits and drawbacks of professional codes of ethics; covers the application of the "committee approach" to specific cases; compares and contrasts ethical codes and personal***

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***values with  
alternative  
approaches to  
morality; defines  
professional  
licensing and  
registration and  
enumerates their  
prerequisites;  
outlines legal  
standards for  
liability; emphasizes  
the importance of  
communication,***

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***coordination, and documentation; includes a discussion of "whistleblowing;" defines the engineer's primary ethical responsibility; and more.***

***The aim of this book is to generate a strong operational ethic in the work of***

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