

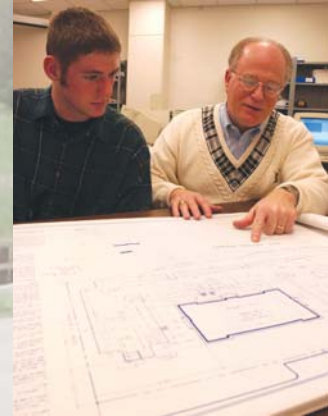
Working for the Future



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
College of Engineering

The University of Kentucky College of Engineering is creating a valuable resource for the future: more highly trained engineers.

Engineering faculty members are known not only for their valuable research, but also as outstanding teachers. None has earned more respect than Dr. Donn Hancher, a 2001 winner of the UK National Alumni Association Great Teacher Award.



Dr. Hancher's commitment to teaching is recognized by current and former students alike.



Dr. Hancher was named an Honorary Member of ASCE, the organization's highest honor.

Dr. Hancher, a professor of civil engineering and Terrell-McDowell Chair of Construction Engineering and Management, is highly regarded by alumni such as Valerie Lucas, KSPE's Young Engineer of the Year for 2007. "He was, and still is, committed to students," Lucas said. In addition, Dr. Hancher's research on construction safety has helped create a better environment for those working on projects such as the Paris Pike expansion north of Lexington.

The American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) recently named Dr. Hancher an Honorary Member, the organization's highest distinction. ASCE recognized "over four decades of distinguished service and outstanding leadership in civil engineering education."

More than 8,000 UK College of Engineering alumni live and work in Kentucky. Many are creating new businesses and jobs. Thanks to great teachers such as Donn Hancher, tomorrow's engineers will be well prepared to take on new challenges and opportunities — and that's great for Kentucky's future.



Dr. Hancher, right, talked with a former student, Mike Wedding of Messer Construction, about work on the Joe Craft Center, UK's new basketball practice facility.

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