

LARGEST ENGINEERING FIRMS IN THE CHICAGO AREA

Ranked by number of local licensed engineers

Rank	Company	Top Chicago executive(s)	Local licensed engineers 2024	Firmwide licensed engineers 2024	2024 revenue	Recent projects/clients
1	Burns & McDonnell Chicago	Mike Folta , Senior VP; Scott Newland , Senior VP; Tim Faber , VP; John Marinovich , VP; Anthony Nalli , VP	165	2,379	\$7.2 billion	Confidential
2	Stantec Consulting Services Inc. Chicago	Beth Knackstedt , Program Manager - Water; Julie Lardenoit , Practice Leader - Building Engineering	152	3,777	\$5.5 billion	Chicago Transit Authority Red & Purple Line Modernization Project; Google Thompson Center Renovation
3	WSP Chicago	John Trotta , Midwest Regional Executive	112	37,023	\$11.8 billion	Illinois DOT I-80 Des Plaines River Bridge Phase II; Illinois DOT Weber Road and I-55 Diverging Diamond Interchange
4	AECOM Chicago	Jeannette Peruchini , Managing Principal	105	15,210	\$16.1 billion	Metropolitan Water Reclamation District O'Brien Plant Battery E Activated Sludge Facility; I-190 Interchange Design
5	Wiss Janney Elstner Associates Inc. Northbrook	William Nugent , CEO, President	96	435	\$237.0 million ¹	—
6	Kimley-Horn & Associates Inc. Chicago	Colleen Marnell , Regional Leader; Drew Walker , VP Midwest Market; Craig West , VP Midwest Market	83	2,475	\$2.8 billion	Allstate Campus Redevelopment and Village of Northbrook; Shermer and Meadow Road Streetscape Improvements
7	Benesch Chicago	Kevin Fitzpatrick , President, CEO	75	447	\$296.6 million	Illinois Tollway: I-294 Reconstruction; Chicago DOT: bridge inspection, construction management and design services
8	V3 Cos. Woodridge	Louis Gallucci , CEO, President	71	108	\$117.7 million ¹	—
9	IMEG Chicago	Bradick Young ; Harlan Doland ; Jeff Leesman ; Scott Wiercinski ; John Panek , Client Executives	55	650	\$542.0 million	University of Chicago; Northwestern Medicine
9	Civiltech Engineering Inc. Itasca	Michael Folkening , Vice President; Kyle Mishler , Vice President; Jim Ewers , Vice President; Jon Vana , President	55	55	—	US Route 14 Underpass at the CN Railroad, Village of Barrington; Randall Road Reconstruction, McHenry County
11	Primera Engineers Ltd. Chicago	Erin Inman , CEO, President	52	72	\$63.0 million	Confidential
12	EXP Chicago	Mark Dvorak , President, COO	51	559	\$1.0 billion ¹	Confidential
13	Entrust Solutions Group LLC Warrenville	Adam Biggam , CEO	47	175	—	Nicor, Southern Company; ComEd
14	H.W. Lochner Inc. Chicago	Terry Ruhl , Chairman, CEO	40	335	\$306.5 million ¹	I-80 Construction Corridor Management Illinois Tollway Elgin O'Hare Western Access design; IL-390 to Irvin Park Road
15	Manhard Consulting Ltd. Lincolnshire	Don Manhard , CEO, President	37	81	\$69.8 million	Water's Edge multifamily and retail, Heartland Real Estate Partners; Back of the Yards-Archer Avenue Streetscape Improvements
15	Ardmore Roderick Chicago	Rashod Johnson , CEO, President	37	41	\$254.9 million	Chicago Department of Aviation, O'Hare 21 Program; Chicago Transit Authority, Forest Park Branch of Blue Line
17	Infrastructure Engineering Inc. Chicago	Michael Sutton , CEO, Founder	25	42	\$43.8 million	CTA Red Line Extension; CDOT Jackson Park transportation network improvements
18	A. Epstein & Sons International Inc. Chicago	Jim Jirsa , CEO, Executive Managing Director	22	30	\$98.7 million	Gotion energy storage system/electric vehicle battery facility, Manteno; American Club, Kohler, Wis.
19	Milhouse Engineering & Construction Inc. Chicago	Wilbur Milhouse III , Chairman, CEO	20	21	\$59.6 million ¹	Bally's Chicago Casino; T5 Parking Garage at O'Hare
20	Hanson Professional Services Inc. Lisle	John Nelson , VP, Senior Project Manager; Todd Merrihew , Senior VP, Aviation Market Principal	19	178	\$145.8 million	Central Tri-State Tollway roadway reconstruction; Chicago Region Environmental and Transportation Efficiency Program EW2, Package 2, 75th Street Corridor Improvement for Norfolk Southern Railway
21	RTM Engineering Consultants Schaumburg	Tony Mirchandani , CEO	16	116	\$96.6 million	The University of Chicago Medicine New Cancer Center; 79 W. Monroe adaptive reuse
22	Arup US Inc. Chicago	Cierine Nicolas , Principal	15	448	\$583.2 million	Chicago O'Hare Terminal Area Plan S1 & S2; Salesforce Tower, Chicago
23	Langan Chicago	Joseph Good , Principal; Andrew Uttan , Associate Principal; Clay Patterson , Associate Principal	11	523	—	Hollywood Casino; E-Commerce Central Hub Facility, Wilmington
23	J.A. Watts Inc. Chicago	Julie Watts , President; Mark Schoonveld , Executive VP	11	12	—	Illinois Tollway I-24-4958, Tri-State Tollway (I-294) plaza improvements; Cook County systemwide roadway pavement and asset management program
25	Affiliated Engineers Inc. Chicago	Scott Foster ; Steve Dowd , Principals	10	277	\$236.2 million	Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management New Executive Education Center; Jacobs Center renovation

Source: Representatives of the firms. List includes engineering firms with offices in Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will counties in Illinois, and Lake County in Indiana. **1.** Company estimate.

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