

Influential Women Recognizes Renee Hopmann, P.E., Advancing Engineering Excellence & Mentorship in EPC Projects

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Renee Hopmann, P.E., is a seasoned engineering and project management professional with more than 20 years of experience driving large-scale EPC (Engineering, Procurement, and Construction) projects to successful completion. As the Director of Advanced Work Packaging (AWP) at EnergySolutions, she specializes in integrating engineering, procurement, and construction efforts through innovative pre-construction planning strategies, optimizing workflows, and enhancing operational efficiency. Her expertise spans heavy industrial sectors, including refineries, power plants, chemical facilities, and nuclear capital improvement projects.



Throughout her career, Renee has demonstrated exceptional leadership in navigating complex project environments. She has played key roles in program coordination, change management, procurement, and the implementation of industry best practices in project execution. Notably, she spearheaded the development of a new pipe program for a liquid natural gas facility following Hurricane Harvey, introducing a free-issue material system that met stringent project timelines. Renee's international experience, including living and working in Japan from 2019 to 2022, has further enriched her perspective and ability to manage diverse engineering and operational environments.

Renee holds a Master's Degree in Structural Engineering and a Bachelor's Degree in Architectural

Engineering, combining a strong technical foundation with a results-oriented approach. She is licensed as a Professional Engineer in three states and maintains certifications in OSHA and NFPA training, reflecting her commitment to safety, standards, and professional excellence.

Renee advises young women entering the engineering field to develop resilience and confidently stand their ground while maintaining professionalism and composure. She emphasizes the importance of networking, noting that building meaningful relationships not only opens doors to new opportunities but also provides a strong support system throughout one's career.

Renee recognizes that one of the biggest challenges in her field is gaining recognition for her experience and expertise in spaces that remain largely male-dominated. Even in her late 40s, she continues to advocate for herself and others, drawing on the guidance of mentors who shaped her growth, including a structural engineer who emphasized work-life balance and a project manager, Tom Lepert, who provided sponsorship opportunities. These experiences underscore the critical role of mentorship in professional development and career advancement.

Beyond her professional achievements, Renee is committed to giving back through volunteer work, supporting organizations such as Big Brothers Big Sisters and Shriners Hospitals for Children. Her dedication to mentorship, leadership, and industry excellence continues to inspire colleagues and emerging professionals in engineering and project management.

Learn More about Renee Hopmann:

Through her Influential Women profile, <https://influentialwomen.com/connect/renee-hopmann>

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