

# **Engineers in a Sustainable** World

# An ICE Coventry & Warwickshire Group and IStructE Midland Counties Branch Event



## Date: 19<sup>th</sup> October 2011 – 18.00 for 18.30

## Venue: Ramphal Building, Library Road, University of Warwick, Coventry, CV4 7AL

## Speaker: Professor David A Nethercot, OBE, Imperial College London

What are Engineers for? What should their role be in today's and tomorrow's world? In particular, what knowledge, skills and qualities should be expected from Civil and Structural Engineers might these attributes best be developed?

By reflecting on the changing nature of Civil Engineering – together with some of its "Eternal truth" – and using illustrations from the Speakers own career, answers to these questions will be proposed. The lecture will focus strongly on the concept of education – defined in its widest sense – and the responsibilities of professionals to ensure that they become and remain relevant to the challenges of the modern world.

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