

BIOGRAPHY - DAN DENNIS, PE, PLS, MBA



- Owner of Dennis Corporation, an engineering, surveying and construction management firm with offices throughout South Carolina and a staff of 80 professionals.
- Registered Professional Engineer; SC, NC, GA, AL, LA, CT, MO, TN, VA and WV.
- Registered Professional Land Surveyor in SC.
- 1990 Citadel Graduate: Bachelors of Science Civil Engineering.
- 1993 Citadel Evening College Graduate: Masters of Business Administration.
- US Army Reserve Officer Training Corps.
- Husband to Esther Dennis of Laurens, SC, who is a former English teacher, actress and director at several theatres in Columbia.
- Father of Amelia "Millie" Rose Dennis, daughter born in 2005 with Down Syndrome.
- 2011 SBA Small Business Person of the Year for South Carolina.
- Past Chairman of Deacons for First Baptist Church downtown Columbia which has 5,500 members. Past Chairman of the Personnel Committee.
- Support Parent for Family Connections of South Carolina, a non-profit organization helping parents of children with disabilities.
- Member of The Citadel School of Engineering Advisory Board.
- Member of the USC Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering Advisory Board
- Member of the Board of Directors for the Columbia Empowerment Zone, Inc.
- Member of the Board of Directors for the Frank Shivers Evangelistic Association and Camp Longridge
- President of the Governor's Hill Home Owners Association and member of the Arsenal Hill Homeowners Association.
- Former Member of the Board of Directors for SCFOR, the South Carolina Alliance to Fix Our Roads, a non-partisan, non-profit organization promoting adequate, safe and well-maintained highway transportation system.
- Past Chairman of Board of Directors for The Arc of South Carolina, a non-profit organization protecting the rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
- Owner of a 130 acre timber and fruit orchard farm: Dennis Creek Farms located in Fairfield County, SC.
- Member of the following organizations: ACEC, ASCE, SCSPLS, ITE, Carolinas AGC, The Citadel Alumni Association, Citadel Clubs of Columbia, Lexington, Fairfield/Chester Counties, The Gideon's International, Columbia Chamber of Commerce, Vista Guild, South Carolina Chamber of Commerce, SCEDA, and National Down Syndrome Society.
- Aspires to grow Dennis Corporation further to provide the best benefits, working conditions, opportunities and successes to its employees and families.