



NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS

ENGINEERING A GLOBAL IMPACT

FOR RELEASE ON OR AFTER SEPTEMBER 13th, 2009

Contact:

Ainsley A. Stewart

2010 Convention Planning Committee Chairperson

National Society of Black Engineers

<http://convention.nsbe.org>

astewart@nsbecpc2010.org

30, 000 member organization, National Society of Black Engineers, to hold Annual Convention in Canada

Toronto, ON – September 13th, 2009 -- The National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) with more than 30,000 members spread across North America, Africa, Europe and the Caribbean has recently decided to take a bold step towards furthering its International vision by selecting Toronto as the location for its 36th Annual Convention, themed "Engineering a Global Impact", from March 31st to April 4th, 2010.

This will be the 1st ever Annual Convention held outside of the US, and the largest black professional event ever held in Canada – a historic milestone for black Canadians and Americans alike. It is expected to draw close to 10 000 attendees, and has a 30-member planning committee composed of representatives from both countries who meet in Toronto monthly to ensure the success of this event.

The press conference agenda includes highlights of the exciting 5-day Convention focused on science, technology & their impact on the professional, academic and community lives of attendees who range from pre-university students to established professionals. Representatives from both municipal and provincial levels of government will be in attendance, along with Tourism Toronto, City Councillor Michael Thompson and select corporate and community partners of NSBE.

We look forward to seeing you on September 18th at the press conference as we build excitement for the convention, while instilling a sense of pride for being part of Canadian history in the making.

For information: <http://convention.nsbe.org> or

Contact: astewart@nsbecpc2010.org

Phone: 703-389-4149

2010
36TH ANNUAL CONVENTION



CONVENTION.NSBE.ORG

TORONTO, CANADA • MARCH 31 - APRIL 4

"To increase the number of culturally responsible Black Engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally and positively impact the community."