



# STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING: MORE THAN DESIGNING A BUILDING

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**DAVID COCKE** founded Structural Focus in 2001 after 15 years in San Francisco with Degenkolb Engineers, and another five years founding and managing the Degenkolb Los Angeles office. At Structural Focus, David has worked on the design of new buildings, and the evaluation and retrofits of hundreds of buildings including the Red Bull Headquarters and Google LA Headquarters. In his presentation, David will explain some of their philosophy and strategies, as well as review several case studies including Red Bull, Annenberg Center for Performing Arts in Beverly Hills, 3Labs, Agensys and the historic Wilshire Boulevard Temple restoration. David will also introduce you to their latest work with community resiliency involving post-disaster inspection programs. Finally, David hopes to show you how a wide diversity of projects can provide engineers with the opportunities to contribute to a better future.

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