## **PLENARY SESSION**

"Reflections on the Glass Ceiling: Have We Broken Through?"

Keynote Speaker:

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Lynn E. Bertuglia P.E. is a nationally recognized spokesperson for issues of women in engineering. As chair of the National Society of Professional Engineers Task Force on Women in Engineering, Bertuglia conducted extensive research on issues related to the "Glass Ceiling," as it exists in engineering. The results of this two year effort culminated in the publication of The Glass Ceiling and Women in Engineering in August, 1992.

Bertuglia, a graduate of Wichita State University, is systems planning engineer with Black & Veatch, Engineers & Architects. She is a licensed mechanical engineer. Her professional experience includes consulting engineering and management consulting, as well as finance and marketing for an investor owned electric utility.

Bertuglia is an active member of the professional engineering community. She has chaired numerous committees for the National Society of Professional Engineers, and currently serves as a Governor of Professional Engineers in Industry. Bertuglia is also active in the Society of Women Engineers; she is a founding member of the Kansas City Section.