You should enjoy your work!
So do it outdoors, and in the office...
While solving challenges...
And using cool new technologies...
As a professional surveyor.

How do I get started?
High school and college students interested in surveying should take courses in algebra, trigonometry, drafting, computer aided drafting, geography and computer science. To find out if it's right for you, many surveyors suggest spending a summer working on a survey crew and asking questions. This doesn't require a degree or any experience, and it can be an invaluable chance to find out firsthand what surveying is all about.

Professional Surveying
Looking for something a little different? Here's a look into what surveying as a career means.

For a listing of schools, by state, that teach land surveying related courses, please visit:
» nsps.us.com/collegesuniv

Surveyors are licensed by states, and the requirements vary. For the most current requirements in your state, visit:
» ncees.org and search for surveyors

For information on scholarships given by the National Society of Professional Surveyors:
» nsps.us.com/scholarships

Each state has an organization of professional land surveyors. To check out their websites and obtain more information, visit:
» nsps.us.com/stataffiliates

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Who am I?

My profession is among the world's oldest, and remains relevant throughout time

GPS, 3D Scanners, UAV (Drones), CADD are in my current toolbox. My work requires the use of the latest in technology

I am a student of history, and my work leaves footprints for the future

Logic is a crucial element of what I do

I am a detective, a counselor, a mediator – I am a problem solver

My expert advice and opinion provides vital testimony in a diverse array of court cases

I am the only professional involved in land development projects from beginning to end

Other professionals (architects, attorneys, engineers, land developers, realtors, title agents) depend on my services

I serve my fellow citizens in protecting one of their most valued rights – Land Ownership

I am a professional surveyor!

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