What is the difference between the MS program and the MEng program?

Both degree programs prepare students for the challenging engineering jobs in today's industry. The Master of Engineering degree provides considerable flexibility in course selection so you can shape your curriculum toward your particular career goals. Employers in the United States widely recognize the MEng degree as a desirable degree for their employees; students who earn MEng degrees will be considered for openings listing the MS degree as a job requirement. The Master of Science degree best prepares a student to do independent research, and entry into the PhD program – many of the required courses for the MS are theoretical and less applicable to industrial practice.