B.S. in Electrical and Computer Engineering

Catalog Year 2023-24

Below is the advised sequence of courses for this degree program as of 7/12/2022.

Official degree requirements and course prerequisites are found in the University General Catalog; prerequisites are subject to change.

Course Number and Title	Units	Prerequisites/Enrollment Requirements
1 st Semester		
MATH 122A/B or MATH 125 Calculus I with Applications	5/3	Appropriate Math Placement
*CHEM 151 Chemical Thinking I or CHEM 161/163	4	Appropriate Math Placement
ENGL 101 or 107 or 109H First-Year Composition	3	
ENGR 102A/102B Introduction to Engineering or ENGR 102		ENGR102A: MATH 112; ENGR102B: Concurrently enrolled or completion of MATH 122B or 125; FR & SOPH Status
UNIV 101 Intro to the General Education Experience	1	
Semester Total	16/ 14	
2 nd Semester		
MATH 129 Calculus II	3	MATH 122B or 125 with C or better
ECE 175 Computer Programming for Engineering Applications	3	MATH 122B or 125, concurrent enrollment or completion
*PHYS 141 Introductory Mechanics or PHYS 161H	4	MATH 122B or 125 or Appropriate Math Placement Level
ENGL 102 or 108 First Year Composition	3	ENGL 101 or ENGL 107
General Education: Exploring Perspectives (Artist)	3	
Semester Total	16	
3 rd Semester		
ECE 274A Digital Logic	4	ECE 175, Concurrent enrollment or completion of MATH 129
ECE 275 Computer Programming for Engineering Applications II	3	Major ECE or SFE; ECE 175
MATH 223 Vector Calculus	4	MATH 129 with C or better
PHYS 241 Introductory Electricity and Magnetism or PHYS 261H		For PHYS 241 or 261H: PHYS 141 or 161H; MATH 129 or Appropriate Math Placement Level
General Education: Exploring Perspectives (Humanist)	3	
Semester Total	18	
4 th Semester		
ECE 220 Basic Circuits	5	MATH 129, PHYS 241
PHYS 143 Introductory Optics and Thermodynamics or PHYS 142 or PHYS 162H	2	PHYS 141 or 161H, MATH 129 or Appropriate Math Placement Level
MATH 243 Discrete Mathematics in Computer Science	3	MATH 122B or 125 or 129
MATH 254 Intro to Ordinary Differential Equations	3	MATH 129 or 223 with C or better
General Education: Exploring Perspectives (Social Scientist)	3	
Semester Total	16	

^{*}Each of the following foundational science courses satisfies the requirements for General Education: Exploring Perspectives (Natural Scientist): CHEM 151 or 152 or 161 or 162; or PHYS 141 or 161H.

ELECTRICAL OPTION

Advanced Standing is required for 300- and 400-level engineering courses (see your academic advisor for details).

Course Number and Title		Units	Comments
5 th Semester			
ECE 310 Applications of Engineering Mathematics		4	
ECE 320A Circuit Theory		3	
ECE 372A Microprocessor Organization		4	
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
ECE 311 Engineering Ethics and Contemporary Issues		1	
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
ath a	Semester Total	18	
6 th Semester			
ECE 340A Introduction to Communications		3	
ECE 351C Electronic Circuits		4	
ECE 381A Introductory Electromagnetics (Spring Only)	4	
ECE 352 Device Electronics (Spring Only)		3	
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
-th o	Semester Total	17	
7 th Semester			
ENGR 498A Interdisciplinary Capstone (Fall Only)		3	Senior Status
Engineering Electrical Course II		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
oth c	Semester Total	15	
8 th Semester			
ENGR 498B Interdisciplinary Capstone (Spring Only)		3	Senior Status
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		1 - 3	Depends on selection of General Education course, Consult major advisor for course approval
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
UNIV 301 General Education Portfolio		1	
	Semester Total	14 /16	

[†]Students should work closely with their academic advisor to select General Education: Building Connections courses; some course work in the major, such as some Technical Elective courses, may also fulfill General Education: Building Connections requirements.

COMPUTER OPTION

Advanced Standing is required for 300- and 400-level engineering courses (see your academic advisor for details).

Course Number and Title		Units	Comments
5 th Semester			
ECE 310 Applications of Engineering Mathematics		4	
ECE 369A Fundamentals of Computer Organization (F	all Only)	4	
ECE 320A Circuit Theory		3	
ECE 373 Object-Oriented Software Design (Fall Only)		3	
ECE 311 Engineering Ethics and Contemporary Issues		1	
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
	Semester Total	18	
6 th Semester			
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
ECE 351C Electronic Circuits		4	
ECE 340A Introduction to Communications		3	
ECE 372A Microprocessor Organization		4	
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
	Semester Total	17	
7 th Semester			
ENGR 498A Interdisciplinary Capstone (Fall Only)		3	Senior Status
Required Computer Course		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
	Semester Total	15	
8 th Semester			
ENGR 498B Interdisciplinary Capstone (Spring Only)		3	Senior Status
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		3	Consult major advisor for course approval
Technical Elective		1 - 3	Depends on selection of General Education course, Consult major advisor for course approval
†General Education: Building Connections		3	
UNIV 301 General Education Portfolio		1	
	Semester Total	14 /16	

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