Engineering is a profession which combines mathematics and science with creativity and design to serve the technological needs of our society. The profession demands considerable intellectual ability, and the most successful engineers exhibit the leadership and drive needed to bring to fruition unique solutions to difficult technical problems.

The last twenty-five years have been filled with many technological advances. The space program has made space exploration nearly routine, and a satellite communication system connects the world through television. The computer is now a major item of commerce, and many homes have sophisticated personal computing systems. Bioengineering has advanced rapidly and shows promise of making readily available substances of great complexity and value, such as human insulin. Materials science has made important advances in developing high-performance products, particularly in the area of composite materials.

Engineers are problem solvers. Our society, particularly our economy, has become increasingly dependent on technological innovation. The solutions provided by engineers must be economically viable, technically sound, and socially responsible. The training engineers receive is, therefore, intense. It provides the skills required to be productive in research, development, planning, design, construction, manufacturing, management, teaching, and sales. The College of Engineering is a leader in many fields of research such as catalytic science and technology, composite materials, computer networking, environmental engineering, transportation engineering, coastal engineering, and energy conversion. The research activities of the College are incorporated quickly into its courses. Consequently, research and teaching are closely associated activities.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGINEERS

Engineering graduates have opportunities for employment within a wide range of activities in industry, government, and private practice. An engineering education produces individuals with good analytical skills who are unafraid of quantitative arguments and who are highly organized and technically competent. Such persons are important members of society and are valued in all aspects of engineering and management. After establishing professional credentials, engineers often become the major decision makers in technologically based organizations.

The University's engineering program provides an excellent preparation for graduate study. An increasingly
large fraction of engineering graduates continue their engineering education to the master’s or doctoral degree. Some students continue their studies in the allied fields of science or mathematics, and a few elect to pursue other professional programs such as business, law or medicine.

PREPARATION FOR THE STUDY OF ENGINEERING

A sound high school academic program in mathematics, science, computers, and English is essential preparation for engineering. Engineers use mathematics as a language to describe complex problems, and success in mathematics and science courses is a good indicator of proper preparation. Prospective engineering students should take the honors or advanced placement mathematics program in high school and seek to apply mathematics in their science courses. All engineering programs require students to be well grounded in chemistry and physics, and students considering chemical engineering or the environmental area of civil engineering should take advanced high school courses in the biological sciences. Engineers must be skilled in reading, composition, and exposition. Therefore, prospective engineering students should take English courses that stress critical reading and writing. Additionally, although a foreign language is not required for an engineering major, competence in a foreign language can be valuable in the practice of engineering.

ENGINEERING PROGRAMS

The College of Engineering offers instruction leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Chemical Engineering, Bachelor of Civil Engineering, Bachelor of Electrical Engineering, and Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering. These degree programs are accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology. The College has 78 full-time faculty members instructing approximately 1,100 undergraduates. Air Force ROTC is also a department in the College.

In addition to these four-year degree programs, five-year programs are offered jointly by each of the four engineering departments and the College of Arts and Science. These programs lead to a bachelor’s degree from the College of Arts and Science and a bachelor’s degree in the selected engineering field. Descriptions of the individual curricula are given in the Arts and Science-Engineering Curricula section of this catalog.

For those who wish to pursue studies beyond the bachelor’s degree, each of the four engineering departments as well as the interdepartmental Materials Science Program offers specialized instruction leading to a master’s degree and a Ph.D. degree. Advanced undergraduates may take certain graduate-level courses with the approval of their advisor and the course instructor.

A joint 5 1/2-year program offered by the College of Engineering and the College of Business and Economics leads to a baccalaureate degree in one of the four engineering majors and the Master of Business Administration degree. Admission to this joint program is by application to the Dean of Engineering during the third year of engineering study.

The Resources to Insure Successful Engineers (RISE) Program provides financial, academic, and social assistance to minority engineering students. The objective of the program is to increase the number of minority members in the engineering profession. The program begins with a pre-freshman Summer Academy and continues to graduation. Interested individuals should contact the Office of the Dean of Engineering or the University Admissions Office.

ENGINEERING COURSE ORGANIZATION

The curriculum of each engineering department consists of four basic parts: (1) mathematics and science courses, (2) engineering courses, (3) technical elective courses, and (4) general education courses.

The mathematics, chemistry, and physics courses provide the foundation of the engineering program. These courses are a major part of the curriculum in the freshman and sophomore years.

The engineering courses deal with such subjects as chemical kinetics, digital systems, electrical networks, fluid and solid mechanics, materials science, thermodynamics, and transport phenomena. Engineering courses begin in the first semester of the freshman year and are different in each department. Instruction is carried out in both the classroom and the laboratory. In general, sophomore and junior engineering science courses provide the background for the application and design-oriented engineering courses at the senior level.

Technical elective courses allow students to investigate the sciences in more depth and to develop a concentration within their own discipline. Technical electives also make it possible for students to broaden their perspective in interdisciplinary areas such as applied chemistry and catalysis, biomedical engineering, computer-aided design, materials science, composite materials, digital systems, environmental engineering, and coastal engineering. New areas are developing constantly because faculty research is incorporated into course offerings, particularly at the advanced level.

The general education courses are chosen from the liberal arts to provide engineering students with a well-rounded education. The complete General Education
Program consists of 24 or 25 credits of study that include the University's ENGL 110 freshman writing course and multicultural course requirements, a College requirement for 18 credits chosen from the humanities and social sciences, and certain specific courses required by individual engineering departments. The College's humanities and social sciences requirement is described in more detail in the following section. The specific requirements of each department are given in the appropriate departmental section.

**COLLEGE GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAM**

The College requires that 18 credits (minimum of six courses) be chosen from the humanities and social sciences subject to the constraints listed below and the approval of the student's faculty advisor. The courses selected must provide both breadth and depth and not be limited to a selection of unrelated introductory courses. The University's multicultural course requirement may be included in this set of six courses. However, for the College of Engineering, this course should not be in the student's cultural heritage, ethnicity, or gender.

a) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the humanities. Humanities include Art History, English (except ENGL 110 and other writing skills courses), Foreign Languages and Literatures (except introductory skills courses), Foreign Languages (except the student's native language and introductory skills courses), certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206, 220, and other technical courses), History, Linguistics, Literature, certain Music courses (except skills courses), and Philosophy (except PHIL 100, 105, and 205).

b) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the social sciences. The social sciences include Anthropology (except ANTH 102 and 202), Economics (ELEG majors require ECON 151 or another approved course), certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206, 220, and other technical courses), Political Science, Psychology (except PSYC 309 and 314), and Sociology.

c) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be above the introductory level, and each should build upon the content of a previous course.

d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the same department or program.

Courses in Women's Studies, Black American Studies, Honors Colloquia, Early American Culture, and other specialized programs must be individually evaluated for their applicability to the College of Engineering General Education Program. Courses classified as "Group D" (mathematics and science) by the College of Arts and Science may not be used to satisfy the requirements of the General Education Program. The students must consult their faculty advisors for the proper classification of general education courses.

The humanities and social science component of the engineer's education is extremely important. Students should plan a sequence of courses that are connected by some theme. A good program has a minimum of introductory courses followed by two or three advanced courses in the same area. It is often possible to tie together into a common theme courses from both the humanities and social sciences. Courses offered through the Honors Program may be ideal for this purpose. However it is accomplished, an engineering graduate will be rewarded by a carefully planned General Education Program.

**COLLEGE REGULATIONS**

The College requires each engineering student to consult with his or her academic advisor at least twice a year during the designated University advanced registration periods. Students must also obtain approval from their advisors to take courses during the Winter or Summer Sessions and when adding or dropping courses.

Each of the four engineering departments has established minimum academic standards for certain courses and for progression to the sophomore or junior level. The specific standards for each department are given in the appropriate departmental section.

To graduate, all students must satisfy the University's writing and multicultural course requirements and attain a cumulative index of at least a 2.0 in all University course work. Additionally, engineering students must have at least a 2.0 average in all engineering, mathematics, and science courses used to fulfill graduation requirements. If a course is repeated, only the last grade will be used to compute the engineering grade-point average; however, all grades are used to compute the University's cumulative grade-point index.

**CLASS OPENINGS FOR NONMAJORS**

Most courses in the College of Engineering are closed to nonmajors because of limited classroom and laboratory space. Nonmajors with special reasons for enrolling in engineering courses must contact the department chairperson (not the course instructor) to obtain permission to enroll in closed courses. Students who successfully complete closed engineering courses in which they have enrolled without the prior permission of the department chairperson will not automatically be admitted into the engineering major. No closed engineering course will be accepted for transfer without the prior approval of the department chairperson.
Some engineering courses are open to nonmajors. Students do not need special permission to take engineering courses that are part of their curriculum. Students minoring in Civil Engineering are admitted to a large number of civil engineering courses. The requirements for this minor are described in the Civil Engineering section of this chapter.

TRANSFER STUDENTS

The College of Engineering admits a small number of transfer students each year during the fall and spring semesters. Because enrollment in engineering courses is normally restricted to departmental majors, prospective transfer students may not register for engineering courses without prior approval from the chairperson of the appropriate engineering department. The need to control class size and total enrollment in each of the departments frequently requires that nonmajors be administratively removed from class lists following the registration period. Students who transfer into other colleges at the University with the intention of transferring into the College of Engineering at a later time should be aware that the same evaluation process will be used to determine their eligibility to transfer into engineering from within the University.

The engineering curriculum at the University of Delaware is rigorous and has relatively little flexibility. Engineering courses begin in the first semester of the freshman year. To graduate in four years, a student must follow a rigid sequence of required courses. Once a freshman class has been admitted, only a limited number of spaces become available within that cohort as it moves through to graduation. Transfer students from outside the University who wish to enter the programs of the College of Engineering are considered along with freshman applicants unless it is judged that they have completed sufficient work to be able to finish their engineering program in three years or less. Candidates for admission as sophomores or juniors will be considered in competition with students transferring internally at the University of Delaware. Since the number of openings is limited in each engineering department, selection for transfer into the College is very competitive. Successful transfer applicants will have a good record in mathematics, science, and engineering courses taken during their last year as a full-time student.

University of Delaware students who wish to transfer into a department of the College of Engineering must make a formal request to the appropriate chairperson by May 1 for entrance in the fall semester or by December 1 for entrance in the spring semester. The student should contact the department office well in advance of these deadlines to determine the specific information that must be included in the application.

Students from colleges outside the University of Delaware who wish to transfer into the College of Engineering must make a formal application through the University Admissions Office by March 1 for entrance in the fall semester or by November 15 for entrance in the spring semester.

It is recommended that students who wish to transfer into the College of Engineering contact the Assistant Dean (135 du Pont Hall, (302) 451-8659) to discuss curriculum requirements and transfer policies before beginning the application process.

MATERIALS SCIENCE PROGRAM

The basic concepts associated with the engineering properties of materials are presented by the Materials Science Program faculty. The introductory course MASC 302 is required by chemical, civil, and mechanical engineering majors and is a prerequisite for the interdepartmental advanced offerings that are available as technical electives. Students in mechanical engineering may elect a Solid Mechanics and Materials option that consists of twelve credits in the area of mechanics and materials. In addition, all engineering departments offer senior projects concerned with the properties of materials. These technical elective courses are strongly recommended for students intending later to pursue master's or doctoral degrees in Materials Science and Engineering.

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

Most individuals outside of the chemical engineering profession have little understanding of the discipline. Engineering in general is a combination of applied science, analysis and creativity that provides practical solutions to some of the most important problems of the society. Chemical engineering, as its name suggests, pays particular attention to applied chemistry, material science, and increasingly to biology. Engineering occurs when these basic sciences are transformed into quantitative models and reliable systems are built. There are a few characteristics for chemical engineering analysis: creative, quantitative, applied, and specific. A high degree of creativity is needed to express problems in chemical engineering in ways that give new and effective solutions. Engineering, and particularly chemical engineering, is quantitative, for our solutions state "how much," "how many," and "at what cost." Chemical engineering is applied in that the work product almost always is aimed toward problems that are to be solved within five years and typically lead to commercial products. Chemical engineering is specific in that our models apply to a particular configuration of equipment or to a defined product.
A B.S. chemical engineer has several kinds of employment opportunities, including process development, product development, manufacturing, research and development, process design, and sales. Process development is the invention and modification of ways for making chemicals and chemical products. Product development is the invention of chemical systems that meet marketplace needs. Manufacturing is the operation of biological, chemical or petrochemical plants. Research and development is the invention of new products and processes. (It should be noted that many research opportunities expect the candidate to have an advance degree.) Process design is the organization of chemical equipment to make products at acceptable profit margins while paying attention to environmental and safety issues. Finally, chemical engineers who are gifted in the art of persuasion find opportunities in chemical sales.

Some of the highly visible topics of current technology fit naturally into chemical engineering. For example, modification of genes in relatively simple biological systems is called genetic engineering, but actually is an extension of chemical engineering. The development of artificial organs, such as the pancreas, is an application of chemical engineering. Superconductivity has received great attention in the popular press. The development of superconducting materials stems from material science, part of the domain of chemical engineering. The production of complex chips now requires the analysis of chemical engineers to optimize production. Chemical engineering is in the forefront of many areas of current technology.

Delaware’s curriculum in chemical engineering differs from those in most other institutions in that the commitment to an early start in the profession is unusually strong. In the freshman year, the course CHEG 112 applies the student’s high school background in science and mathematics to the solution of several engineering problems. Physical Chemistry is introduced earlier than many other schools, and this enables much of the chemical engineering science background to be completed by the end of the third undergraduate year. As a result, the fourth year provides opportunities for pursuit of technical topics of special interest to a depth that may be unique nationally. Furthermore, by obtaining the “flavor” of the discipline early in a college career, students can transfer to other courses of study if chemical engineering turns out to be an inappropriate choice. However, these same characteristics of the program make it difficult for students to transfer into this curriculum during their sophomore or junior years unless the science requirements, especially in chemistry, have been met. Students should note that the course CHEG 112 is a prerequisite for CHEG 231, which in turn is a prerequisite for the courses CHEG 325 and 341. These courses are available only in the semesters indicated in the curriculum outlined below.

The following curriculum has been designed to provide rigorous training in the basic scientific, mathematical, and engineering skills while simultaneously affording motivation and opportunity for application of these skills to the challenges of modern society as posed by faculty who maintain extensive contacts with industry and government.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
MAJOR: CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS
ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing 3
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multicultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related content #

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Mathematics
MATH 241 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A 4 1F
MATH 242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus B 4 1S
MATH 243 Analytic Geometry and Calculus C 4 2F
MATH 302 Ordinary Differential Equations I 3 2S

Physics
PHYS 207 General Physics 4 1F
PHYS 208 General Physics 4 2S

General Education Program
Humanities and Social Science: Minimum of six courses (18 credits) with the following restrictions:
   a) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Humanities
   b) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Social Sciences
   c) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be above the introductory level
   d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the same department or program

Humanities courses include Art History, English (except ENGL 110 and other skills courses), Foreign Languages & Literatures, Foreign Languages (other than the student’s native language(s)), certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206 and 220), History, Linguistics, Literature, certain Music courses, and Philosophy (except PHIL 100, 105 and 205).
Social Science courses include Anthropology (except ANTH 102 and 202), Economics, certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206, and 220), Political Science, Psychology (except PSYC 309 and 314), Sociology, and cross-listed Women’s Studies and Black American Studies courses.

Courses in Black American Studies, Honors Colloquia, and Women’s Studies are individually classified as are courses in Early American Culture and other specialized programs. Arts and Science “Group D” courses may not be used to satisfy the General Education Program (refer to College of Arts and Science Group Requirements in this catalog). Students can obtain a listing of approved courses for the General Education Program from their respective departments or from the Dean’s Office, College of Engineering (135 du Pont Hall). The faculty adviser must be consulted for classification of courses under General Education.

*Superior figures indicate semester (fall or spring) and/or year or years in which the course should be taken, i.e. 1F fall of freshman year, 2S spring of sophomore year, etc.
#This requirement may be fulfilled through a course taken to complete major, group, breadth, or elective requirements. See page 27.

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

External to the College

Biology
BISC 297 Introductory Biology I 4

Chemistry
CHEM 111 General Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 119 Quantitative Chemistry I ... 2
CHEM 112 General Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 120 Quantitative Chemistry II ... 3
CHEM 443 Physical Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 444 Physical Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 331 Organic Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 332 Organic Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 333 Organic Chemistry Laboratory I ... 1

Computer Science
CISC 106 General Computer Science for Engineers ... 3

General Education Program
An additional course (minimum of three credits in the humanities or social sciences). Courses listed in the "Group D" classification by the College of Arts and Science may not be used to satisfy this requirement. This course should be in the concentration (d) of the College requirement.

Within the College
MASC 302 Material Science for Engineers ... 4

Within the Department
CHEG 009 Chemical Engineering Freshman Seminar ... 6
CHEG 112 Introduction to Chemical Engineering ... 3
CHEG 231 Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics ... 3
CHEG 325 Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics ... 3
CHEG 341 Fluid Mechanics ... 3
CHEG 332 Chemical Engineering Kinetics ... 3
CHEG 345 Chemical Engineering Laboratory I ... 3
CHEG 342 Heat and Mass Transfer ... 3
CHEG 443 Mass Transfer Operations ... 3
CHEG 445 Chemical Engineering Laboratory II ... 3
CHEG 401 Chemical Process Dynamics and Control ... 3
CHEG 492 Chemical Process Analysis ... 3

Technical Electives†

The purpose of the technical electives is to advance the scientific and engineering background of the chemical engineers at the intermediate (300-400) level. The technical electives program is a minimum of six credits taken from courses in the following list, normally two courses. Students should select their technical electives in the spring of the sophomore year to avoid scheduling conflicts. Students should formulate an academic plan for their technical and chemical engineering electives with the assistance of their academic adviser.

Biology
BISC 301 Molecular Biology of the Cell ... 4
BISC 305 Genetic and Evolutionary Biology ... 4
BISC 305 Cell Biology ... 4
BISC 306 General Physiology ... 4
BISC 4xx Biology course chosen with the approval of the adviser

Chemistry
CHEM 354 Organic Chemistry Majors Laboratory II ... 2
CHEM 457 Inorganic Chemistry ... 3
CHEM 527 Introductory Biochemistry ... 3
CHEM 6xx Chemistry course chosen with the approval of the adviser
CHEM 8xx Chemistry course chosen with the approval of the adviser

Computer Science
CISC 300 Introduction to Scientific Computation

Mathematics
MATH 349 Elements of Linear Systems ... 3
MATH 389 Graph Theory ... 3
MATH 426 Introduction to Numerical Analysis and Algorithmic Computation ... 3
MATH 546 Algorithmic and Numerical Solution of Differential Equations ... 3
MATH 5xx Mathematics course chosen with the approval of the adviser
MATH 6xx Mathematics course chosen with the approval of the adviser

Computer Science
CISC 300 Introduction to Scientific Computation

Mathematics
MATH 349 Elements of Linear Systems ... 3
MATH 389 Graph Theory ... 3
MATH 426 Introduction to Numerical Analysis and Algorithmic Computation ... 3
MATH 546 Algorithmic and Numerical Solution of Differential Equations ... 3
MATH 5xx Mathematics course chosen with the approval of the adviser
MATH 6xx Mathematics course chosen with the approval of the adviser

Chemical Engineering Technical Electives
CHEG 345 Chemical Engineering Laboratory I ... 3
CHEG 342 Heat and Mass Transfer ... 3
CHEG 443 Mass Transfer Operations ... 3
CHEG 445 Chemical Engineering Laboratory II ... 3
CHEG 401 Chemical Process Dynamics and Control ... 3
CHEG 492 Chemical Process Analysis ... 3

†Note: The technical elective program is under constant review by the faculty. An updated list is available in the department office. Students should check with their advisers before selecting courses and should be aware that a formal mechanism exists to provide additional flexibility in the selection of their Technical Elective courses. Students should choose their technical electives during the spring of the sophomore year to avoid scheduling conflicts. The technical electives may be coupled with the Chemical Engineering Technical Electives to obtain a technical concentration.

The curriculum provides three chemical engineering technical electives in the senior year. These courses are intended to provide some flexibility in selecting a chemical engineering program at the advanced level. Students should decide with the assistance of their adviser(s) if they should conduct a program of independent research and then choose their course elective(s).

Chemical engineering technical electives are defined as follows. Any Chemical Engineering course numbered between 470 and 499; UNIV 401-402 Senior Thesis directed by a Chemical Engineering Faculty; any 600- or 800-level course in Chemical Engineering. Courses at the 600 and 800 level are graduate courses open, with the consent of the instructor, to advanced students in senior standing.

Concentrations

The technical electives and the chemical engineering electives can be coupled to provide a more intense concentration in an area of interest. The groupings below are some examples of this approach.

ELEG 340 Solid State Electronics ... 3
ELEG 341 Electrical Properties of Matter II ... 3
ELEG 349 Integrated Circuits ... 3
ELEG 349 Digital Structures ... 3

Electronic Materials
ELEG 340 Solid State Electronics ... 3
ELEG 341 Electrical Properties of Matter II ... 3
ELEG 349 Integrated Circuits ... 3
ELEG 349 Digital Structures ... 3

Polymeric Materials
MEEG 410 Experimental Mechanics for Composite Materials ... 3
MEEG 415 Finite Element Analysis ... 3

Chemical Engineering Technical Electives
CHEG 345 Chemical Engineering Laboratory I ... 3
CHEG 342 Heat and Mass Transfer ... 3
CHEG 443 Mass Transfer Operations ... 3
CHEG 445 Chemical Engineering Laboratory II ... 3
CHEG 401 Chemical Process Dynamics and Control ... 3
CHEG 492 Chemical Process Analysis ... 3

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### CHEMICAL ENGINEERING CURRICULUM—MASTER’S-BACHELOR’S PROGRAM

This four-year program is designed to enable exceptional students with excellent high school backgrounds to obtain a Bachelor of Chemical Engineering degree and a Master of Chemical Engineering degree in four years. This allows students to take maximum advantage of their...
high school education, gives them a considerable jump over students going the normal bachelor's degree-master's degree route, including a year gained, and reduces redundancy in the total educational program. The program is designed for each individual; these requirements are considered typical.

The requirements and procedures of the program are:

1) The student is assumed to be qualified for a sufficient amount of credit by advanced placement to omit the entire freshman year on the basis of demonstrated ability in mathematics, chemistry, physics, English and humanities. Certification of the level of the advanced standing is made in the usual way on the basis of CEEB or departmental examinations. CHEG 112, Introduction to Chemical Engineering, is waived upon evidence of suitable self-study.

2) Formal admission to the program and provisional admission to graduate school are provided to students upon request at the end of their second year in the program, or to those who have attained the status of such students, provided an overall grade-point average of at least 3.25 has been attained.

3) If differences exist between graduate and undergraduate fees for a particular student, the under-graduate fee structure applies through the end of the first semester of the third year.

4) Credit toward the B.Ch.E. degree for two technical electives is provided by the graduate-level work. The omitted technical electives would normally be the two senior project (thesis) courses. Thus, the combined program represents a contraction of 9 credits from the normal sequence of a B.Ch.E. degree followed by enrollment in the usual 30-credit graduate program; 6 credits are saved by the student's carrying out only one thesis and the other 3 from waiving CHEG 112, as noted earlier.

5) The program involves a light course load in the final year to enable the student to meet the demands of the graduate thesis at that time.

6) It is desirable for purposes of professional registration that a student be graduated from an accredited undergraduate program and for this reason both degrees (B.Ch.E. and M.Ch.E.) are to be awarded. The student will receive the B.Ch.E. degree upon completion of the third year of the attached sample program with a grade-point average of at least 2.0. (This program exceeds the normal credit requirements for a B.Ch.E. degree).

A student who elects to return to a standard B.Ch.E. program and to omit the M.Ch.E. degree will be awarded the B.Ch.E. upon completion of the regular requirements for that degree.

7) To obtain the M.Ch.E. degree the student must meet a grade-point average of at least 3.0 in the 30 credits of graduate work, as usual.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING and MASTER OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

MAJOR: CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing 5
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multicultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related content #

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Mathematics

MATH 243 Analytic Geometry and Calculus C 4
MATH 302 Ordinary Differential Equations I 3

Physics

PHYS 208 General Physics 4

General Education Program 18

Humanities and Social Science: Minimum of six courses (18 credits) with the following restrictions:

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d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the same department or program.

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*Superior figures indicate semester (fall or spring) and/or year or years in which the course is normally taken, i.e., 11 fall of freshman year, 22 spring of sophomore year, etc.

#This curriculum assumes that the following courses have been granted by advanced placement or the equivalent. It is necessary to have 28-30 credits of advanced placement to participate in the program outlined above. The schedule will be adjusted for the accomplishments of the student by the faculty adviser.

AP Chemistry=8 credits, AP Calculus=8 credits, AP Physics=4 credits, AP English=6 credits, AP Computer Science=5 credits.
CIVIL ENGINEERING

All divisions of engineering trace their ancestry back to civil engineering. “Civil” was originally used to identify engineering endeavors unrelated to military activities. Because of its origin and history, civil engineering embraces a wide variety of technological areas.

Traditionally, civil engineering has been identified with the planning and design of constructed facilities such as dams, bridges, buildings, transportation networks, harbors, waterways, and tunnels. Civil engineering still encompasses constructed facilities as an important activity, and our students are supplied with a solid background for working in areas such as structural engineering, soil mechanics, and hydraulics. However, modern civil engineering has expanded into a variety of other areas and deals with large proportions of the infrastructure of modern industrialized societies including cities, highways and traffic control, mass transportation systems, utilities networks, irrigation systems, water resources exploration and management, environmental protection facilities, coastal management and protection works, and offshore structures. As the country rebuilds these facilities, the Civil Engineer is the central professional involved. Civil engineers are rapidly becoming of central importance to developing countries as well.

Today’s society also requires civil engineers to be sensitive to, and aware of, the impact that proposed engineering solutions will have on people and the natural environment. Applying technical competence to problems that are central to society’s environmental needs and concerns represents challenges and opportunities for civil engineers.

To meet these challenges, the Civil Engineering Department offers a program with a balanced content varying from the fundamental disciplines to practical engineering methods. Students during the first semester begin to solve civil engineering problems on computers using mathematics and science. Throughout the four year curriculum, the Department emphasizes the application of the methods of engineering science to civil engineering problems and gradually upgrades students’ analytical and computational skills to satisfy the needs of the engineering courses. Additionally, a total of six courses of the program are devoted to studies in the humanities and social sciences with the objective of developing a base for the human and social aspects of the engineering profession. This curriculum of required core courses provides a background in the entire field of civil engineering. The emphasis on developing a sound theoretical foundation also provides a basis for continual learning throughout students’ professional careers.

In the junior and senior year, there is opportunity to gain a deeper insight into one of the civil engineering disciplines through a number of technical electives. A wide variety of courses are available for this part of the program. Below, under the heading of Technical Electives, we have listed some courses that, together with the required course curriculum, will give an in-depth knowledge in each of the listed areas.

DEPARTMENTAL REGULATIONS

To be enrolled in 300- or 400-level civil engineering or mechanics courses, civil engineering majors must have attained at least a C grade in the following courses: CHEM 103, CHEM 104, MATH 241, MATH 242, and PHYS 207. If courses are retaken to meet this requirement, only the most recent grade received in any given course will be used in computing the average for the purposes of this requirement.

Our students also must have a 2.0 grade-point average in all required courses in mathematics, the sciences, and engineering. If courses are retaken to meet this requirement, only the most recent grade received in any
repeated course will be used by the department in computing the average.

In general, 300- and 400-level courses in civil engineering are open only to our majors. Students who have declared a Civil Engineering Minor and students enrolled in other departments in the College of Engineering who wish to take civil engineering courses as technical electives can, with the approval of their home department adviser, be enrolled in 300- or 400-level courses in the Civil Engineering Department. In some instances, others may be permitted to enroll in selected 300- and 400-level courses, but they must have the permission of both the course instructor and the chair of the Civil Engineering Department.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF CIVIL ENGINEERING  
MAJOR: CIVIL ENGINEERING

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing ....................................................... 3 14
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multicultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related content #

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Mathematics
MATH 241 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A ............................................ 4 13
MATH 242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus B ............................................ 4 13
MATH 245 Analytic Geometry and Calculus C ............................................ 4 13
MATH 502 Ordinary Differential Equations I ............................................ 3 25

Physics
PHYS 207 General Physics ........................................................................ 4 18
PHYS 208 General Physics ........................................................................ 4 18

General Education Program ...................................................................... 18 13

Humanities and Social Science: Minimum of six courses (18 credits) with the following restrictions:

a) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Humanities.

b) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Social Sciences.

c) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be above the introductory level.

d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the same department or program.

Humanities courses include Art History, English (except ENGL 110 and other skills courses), Foreign Languages & Literatures, Foreign Languages (other than the student’s native language[s]), certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206 and 220), History, Linguistics, Language, certain Music courses, and Philosophy (except PHIL 110, 105 and 205).

Social Science courses include Anthropology (except ANTH 102 and 202), Economics, certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206 and 220), Political Science, Psychology (except PSY 206 and 314), Sociology, and cross-listed Women’s Studies and Black American Studies courses.

Courses in Black American Studies, Honors Colloquia, and Women’s Studies are individually classified as are courses in Early American Culture and other specialized programs. Arts and Science “Group D” courses may not be used to satisfy the General Education Program (refer to College of Arts and

Science Group Requirements in this catalog). Students can obtain a listing of approved courses for the General Education Program from their respective departments or from the Dean’s Office, College of Engineering (135 du Pont Hall). The faculty adviser must be consulted for classification of courses under General Education.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

External to the College
ENGL 410 Technical Writing ........................................................................ 3 18

Chemistry
CHEM 103 General Chemistry .................................................................. 4 14
CHEM 104 General Chemistry .................................................................. 4 14

CISC 106 General Computer Science for Engineers .................................... 3 23
GEOL 107 General Geology I .................................................................... 4 25
STAT 450 Statistics for the Engineering and Physical Sciences ................ 3 25

Within the College
EGGG 125 Introduction to Engineering (CE) ........................................... 2 23
EGGG 132 Engineering Graphics/Analysis ................................................ 2 23
MASC 302 Material Science for Engineers ............................................... 3 23
MECH 305 Fluid Mechanics .................................................................... 3 23
MECH 306 Fluid Mechanics Laboratory ................................................... 1 23

Within the Department
CIEG 211 Statics ....................................................................................... 3 23
CIEG 212 Strength of Materials ................................................................. 3 23
CIEG 213 Materials Laboratory I ................................................................. 1 23
CIEG 301 Analysis of Structures ................................................................. 4 23
CIEG 311 Dynamics ................................................................................ 3 23
CIEG 331 Introduction to Environmental Engineering ............................... 3 23
CIEG 351 Transportation Engineering ..................................................... 3 23
CIEG 381 Civil Engineering Analysis ....................................................... 3 23

One of:
CIEG 402 Steel Design ............................................................................. 3 23
or
CIEG 403 Concrete Design ....................................................................... 3
or
CIEG 420 Soil Mechanics ....................................................................... 4 23

One of:
CIEG 431 Water Supply Engineering ....................................................... 3 23
or
CIEG 432 Wastewater Engineering .......................................................... 3
or
CIEG 441 Hydrology ................................................................................ 3 23
or
CIEG 442 Hydraulic Engineering ............................................................... 3
or
CIEG 461 Senior Design Project ............................................................... 3 23
CIEG 482 System Design and Operation .................................................. 3 23

Technical Electives

Technical Electives

Four courses: Three additional design points must be satisfied; see current department technical elective listing

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF .................................................. 131

TECHNICAL ELECTIVES

The Civil Engineering curriculum contains four technical elective courses that give students the opportunity to complete their education by concentrating in an area of special interest.

*Superior figures indicate semester (fall or spring) and/or year or years in which the course is normally taken, i.e., (fall of freshman year, (spring of sophomore year, etc.

#This requirement may be fulfilled through a course taken to complete major, group, breadth, or elective requirements. See page 27

1The technical elective program is under constant review by the faculty. An updated list is available in the department office. Students should check with their advisers before selecting courses and should be aware that a formal mechanism exists to provide additional flexibility in the selection of their technical elective courses.
The required course curriculum provides the basis in mathematics, science, the applied engineering sciences, and engineering design that students need for future work and enhance their general education background. However, it only gives students an introduction to each of the major areas of civil engineering offered by our program: Structural Engineering and Soil Mechanics, Environmental Engineering and Water Resources, Hydraulics and Ocean Engineering, and Transportation Engineering.

The following are suggestions for courses to choose from if the student wants to concentrate in one of the above-mentioned areas or wants a general civil engineering degree that further supports the breadth of the required course curriculum.

**GENERAL CIVIL ENGINEERING**

- CIEG 223 Surveying
- CIEG 401 Computer Methods of Structural Engineering
- CIEG 402 Steel Design
- CIEG 403 Concrete Design
- CIEG 421 Foundations and Substructures
- CIEG 431 Water Supply Engineering
- CIEG 432 Wastewater Engineering
- CIEG 441 Hydrology
- CIEG 442 Hydraulic Engineering
- CIEG 452 Transportation Facilities Design
- CIEG 471 Introduction to Coastal Engineering
- EGGE 432 Principles of Computer-Aided Drawing

**ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**

- CIEG 403 Concrete Design
- CIEG 4xx Environmental Engineering Laboratory
- CIEG 421 Foundations and Substructures
- CIEG 431 Water Supply Engineering
- CIEG 432 Wastewater Engineering
- CIEG 441 Hydrology
- CIEG 442 Hydraulic Engineering
- CIEG 4xx Hazardous Waste Management
- AGEG 628 Land Application of Wastes
- BISC 371 Introduction to Microbiology
- BISC 472 Principles of Infectious Diseases
- BISC 641 Microbial Ecology
- CHEM 213 Elementary Organic Chemistry
- CHEM 214 Elementary Biochemistry
- CHEM 220 Quantitative Analysis
- CHEM 418 Introduction to Physical Chemistry
- ELEG 681 Remote Sensing in Environment
- GEOL 413 Fundamental Well Logging
- GEOL 421 Environmental and Applied Geology
- GEOL 428 Hydrogeology
- MEEG 307 Thermodynamics I

**HYDRAULIC AND OCEAN ENGINEERING**

- CIEG 441 Hydrology
- CIEG 421 Foundations and Substructures
- CIEG 422 Earth Structures Engineering
- CIEG 431 Water Supply Engineering
- CIEG 401 Computer Methods of Structural Engineering
- CIEG 403 Concrete Design
- CIEG 471 Introduction to Coastal Engineering
- CIEG 442 Hydraulic Engineering
- MEEG 361 Applied Engineering Analysis

**STRUCTURES AND GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING**

- CIEG 223 Surveying
- CIEG 401 Computer Methods of Structural Analysis
- CIEG 402 Steel Design
- CIEG 403 Concrete Design
- CIEG 404 Structural Engineering
- CIEG 414 Structural Dynamics Design
- CIEG 415 Reliability Design
- CIEG 416 Random Vibration
- CIEG 417 Advanced Structural Analysis
- CIEG 418 Continuously Supported Structures
- CIEG 421 Foundations and Substructures
- CIEG 422 Earth Structures Engineering
- CIEG 459 Railroad Engineering
- CIEG 467 Prestressed Concrete
- CIEG 467 Structural Materials
- CIEG 486 Engineering Management

**TRANSFER STUDENTS**

Students wishing to transfer into the Department of Civil Engineering from other colleges outside the University are considered along with freshman applicants unless it is judged that they have completed sufficient work to be able to finish their engineering program in three years or less. Candidates for admission as sophomores or juniors will be considered in competition with students transferring internally at the University of Delaware. Successful transfer applicants will have a good record, maintaining at least a “B” average overall and in math, science, and engineering courses taken during their last year as a full-time student.

Students wishing to transfer internally into the Department of Civil Engineering from other departments or colleges within the University of Delaware must have at least sophomore status and have completed MATH 241, 242, CHEM 103, 104 and PHYS 207 with a grade of “C” or better and must have maintained at least an overall average of “B” during their last year as a full-time student. To initiate a request for transfer, a change of major form must be turned in to the department prior to May 1 for fall admission and prior to December 1 for spring admission. Compliance with the minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance for transfer.

**MINOR IN CIVIL ENGINEERING**

A minor in civil engineering may be earned by a student in any University bachelor’s degree program through successful completion of a minimum of 21 credits in civil engineering and engineering mechanics in accord with the following list and requirements. In addition, before beginning the civil engineering courses, the student must have credit for MATH 241, 242 and PHYS 207; must meet
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Electrical engineering is one of the largest of the professions and among the most varied. It involves energy and information and their control, transformation and distribution. It is based on the electrical and information sciences and the related field of materials science. Electrical engineering as a profession has been recognized since the development of telegraphy before the Civil War. It has since grown to include power systems, telephony, electronics, radio, communications systems, computers, microelectronics, lasers and fiber optics, solar electric energy, and many other related areas.

Just as electrical engineering has continually grown in scope and changed emphasis in the past, we can expect change in the future. To prepare today's students for a lifetime of productive engineering, our program emphasizes the basics; that is, basic mathematics and science and the equally important basic principles of engineering analysis and design. To the study of the basics, the Delaware electrical engineering program adds in-depth study of an area or areas of current practice.

The Delaware electrical engineering program is different from many others in that you are "electrical engineering students" upon admission. Coursework in electrical engineering starts with the first term of the freshman year. An advantage of this arrangement is that with four years of electrical engineering courses the program flows better, and better use is made of prerequisite courses. In addition, we are able to limit the size of the electrical engineering class which in turn allows us to offer a program with more courses with laboratories.

There are three basic parts to the Delaware curriculum in electrical engineering: (1) a core group of technical courses; (2) an elective group of technical courses in an area of concentration; and (3) a "general education" component that includes six courses in the humanities and social sciences and two in written communications.

The core group includes four courses in mathematics (starting with the second calculus course, MATH 242), two in physics, one in chemistry, two in computer science, and sixteen in electrical engineering.

The technical electives must be chosen to form an area of concentration. Four examples of acceptable concentrations (emphasizing computer engineering, systems and signals, devices and materials, and power systems) are shown on the following pages. In planning their technical elective programs, students must also consider the requirement for a design course in the senior year in which one design project is at least 50% of the coursework.

The general education program must include courses from the humanities and from the social sciences, including courses at an advanced level. Electrical engineering students must include a course in microeconomics, two writing courses (ENGL 110 and ENGL 301), and a one-credit course in ethics (PHIL 341).

DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

To qualify for sophomore standing, students must have satisfactorily completed MATH 242-243, CISC 180-181, CHEM 103, PHYS 207, and ELEG 210-211 by the end of the summer session of their freshman year. With few exceptions, electrical engineering students are expected to complete the program in eight regular semesters. With electrical engineering courses being offered only once each year, it is imperative that students follow as closely as possible the course sequence outlined in the following pages.
TRANSFER STUDENTS

Transfer students by definition fall into two categories. Regular transfer students are those students who have obtained college or university course credits after completion of high school, but who cannot be expected to complete their degrees in less than four years. These students will be considered for admission along with normal applicants for the freshman class and will be selected by the Admissions Office. The criteria for admission will be the same as used for all other freshman applicants.

Transfer students with advanced standing in electrical engineering are those students with enough appropriate math, science and engineering transfer credits who can be expected to complete their degrees with three or fewer years of additional study. This group includes both students from other programs at the University as well as those from other colleges and universities. The admission of these students will be decided by the faculty of the electrical engineering department and will be determined by the number of student slots available and the student's record in math, science and engineering courses as well as his or her overall academic record.

The above guidelines are provided as general information for transfer applicants. The department's detailed transfer policy is available from the departmental office in 140 Evans Hall.

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MAJOR: ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing ................................................. 3
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multicultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related content # ................................................. 3

PHYS 207 General Physics ................................................................. 4
PHYS 208 General Physics ................................................................. 4

General Education Program ............................................................... 18

Humanities and Social Science: Minimum of six courses (18 credits) with the following restrictions:

a) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Humanities.

b) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Social Sciences. ECON 151, Introduction to Microeconomics, or another approved economics course must be included for electrical engineering majors.

c) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be above the introductory level.

d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the same department or program.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Electrical Engineering

Mathematics
MATH 242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus B# ................................. 4
MATH 243 Analytic Geometry and Calculus C ..................................... 4
MATH 341 Differential Equations with Linear Algebra I ................. 3
MATH 342 Differential Equations with Linear Algebra II .................. 3

Chemistry
CHEM 103 General Chemistry ....................................................... 4

Computer Science
CISC 181 Introduction to Computer Science I ............................... 4
CISC 182 Introduction to Computer Science II .............................. 4

ENGL 301 Problems in Composition ................................................. 3

PHIL 341 Ethics of Engineering Profession ........................................ 1

Within the Department

ELEG 210 Introduction to Combinational Logic ................................ 2
ELEG 211 Introduction to Sequential Circuits .................................. 2
ELEG 295 Linear Circuit Theory ...................................................... 2
ELEG 220 Microprocessor Based Systems I ...................................... 2
ELEG 309 Electronic Circuit Analysis I .............................................. 2
ELEG 221 Microprocessor Based Systems II .................................... 2
ELEG 302 Electrical Properties of Materials .................................... 2
ELEG 305 Signal Processing I ......................................................... 2
ELEG 312 Electronic Circuit Analysis II ........................................... 2
ELEG 820 Field Theory I ............................................................... 2
ELEG 306 Signal Processing II ...................................................... 2
ELEG 310 Random Signals and Noise .............................................. 2
ELEG 340 Solid State Electronics .................................................... 2
ELEG 417 Feedback Control Systems .............................................. 2
ELEG 413 Field Theory II .............................................................. 2
ELEG 433 Energy Systems ............................................................. 2

Note: ELEG 310 may be taken in the senior year (s) and ELEG 413 and/or ELEG 433 in the junior year (s) when appropriate to a plan for a technical concentration.

#Superior figures indicate semester (fall or spring) and/or year or years in which the course is normally taken, i.e., 1F fall of freshman year, 2S spring of sophomore year, etc.
#This requirement may be fulfilled through a course taken to complete major, group, breadth, or elective requirements. See page 27.
#MATH 242 is the first mathematics course in our regular program. It is the incoming student's responsibility to assess their own mathematics background and proficiency (using materials supplied by our Math Department). If you are not ready to start with MATH 242, you must take MATH 241 (and possibly other earlier mathematics courses). If you have had some calculus, but are not certain that you are ready for MATH 242, start with MATH 241. In this case it is easy to drop back to MATH 241 after a few weeks of MATH 242 if this is where you belong. If you need additional mathematics, at least one Winter and/or Summer session course will be required to complete the four year electrical engineering program on schedule. To remain on schedule with your program, you must be on schedule in mathematics by the start of the sophomore year.
Design Requirement
In addition to the design content of the normal program, every student must take at least one course in their senior year in which one design project is at least 50% of the coursework. Regularly offered courses that presently meet this requirement are ELEG 420, 422, 650 and 664. Other special courses are offered that will meet this requirement. The design requirement may also be met with special projects carried out in conjunction with faculty research with the prior approval of the Departmental Undergraduate Representative. Students must consult with their advisers for the proper selection of design courses.

Technical Electives
Technical Electives
Each student must select a concentration to structure their technical elective program. Four concentrations are now defined (computer engineering, systems and signals engineering, electronic devices and materials engineering and power systems engineering). Students with a special interest may define their own concentrations in conjunction with their adviser. With some exceptions, upper-level engineering, computer science, physics, science and mathematics courses are acceptable technical electives. However, students planning their own programs of concentration should realize that there must be a theme holding together at least most of the courses chosen. Any special concentrations must be approved by the Departmental Undergraduate Representative prior to the start of the senior year.

Each of the four regular concentrations specifies 15, or more, of the 21 technical elective credits in the core program. Students should note that the requirement for a senior design project will, in some cases, further constrain the choice of technical electives.

The technical electives must be chosen from an area of concentration. The four concentrations follow:

Technical Electives—Computer Engineering
CISC 229 Data Structures ........................................... 3
CISC 360 Computer Architecture ..................................... 3
ELEG 325 Digital System Design I ................................. 3
ELEG 422 Digital System Design II ................................. 3
ELEG 618 Modern Control Engineering ............................ 3
or
ELEG 631 Digital Signal Processing ............................... 3
Technical electives chosen with the approval of an adviser .... 6

Technical Electives—Systems and Signals Concentration
CISC 229 Data Structures ........................................... 3
MATH 426 Introduction to Numerical Analysis and Algorithmic Computation ........................................ 3
ELEG 405 Communication Systems Engineering ...................... 3
ELEG 631 Digital Signal Processing .................................. 3
Technical electives chosen with the approval of an adviser .... 6

Technical Electives—Devices and Materials Concentration
Students whose primary interest is in the Devices and Materials Engineering concentration should take:
PHYS 209 General Physics ........................................... 3
PHYS 313 Physical Optics ............................................. 3
ELEG 625 Electronic Properties of Matter .......................... 3
Students whose primary interest is in optoelectronics and electro-optics should take:
ELEG 640 Optoelectronics ............................................. 3
and
ELEG 642 Special Topics in Electrooptics** .......................... 3

Students whose primary interest is in electronic devices should take:
ELEG 626 Integrated Circuits ....................................... 3

and
ELEG 650 Semiconductor Device Design and Fabrication** .......................... 3
Technical electives chosen with the approval of an adviser .... 6

Technical Electives—Power Systems Concentration
MEEG 307 Thermodynamics I ........................................ 3
ELEG 412 Introduction to Power Systems Analysis ................... 4
ELEG 414 Electrical Machines, Motors and Generators ................. 4
ELEG 618 Modern Control Engineering ................................ 3
MEEG 408 Power Generation System Design ......................... 3
or
ELEG 323 Digital System Design I .................................... 3
Technical electives chosen with the approval of an adviser .... 6

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MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
Mechanical engineers receive one of the broadest educations of any of the modern engineering disciplines and consequently are well prepared to apply basic engineering principles to a wide variety of society’s needs. Some of the many challenging fields requiring the talents of mechanical engineers in both the design and development of new technology are energy, environmental engineering, housing, exploration and use of the space environment and the oceans, materials engineering, medical technology, and transportation.

Since many technologies will reach their zenith and wane in less than the duration of an individual’s career, mechanical engineers must have a firm foundation in the more basic and durable engineering sciences to be able to adapt and contribute to new and evolving fields. The educational program set out below has been carefully structured around a basic core program that will enable the Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering graduate to follow many career paths, including research, development, design, production, maintenance, management, patent law, or education. However, the curriculum also allows a student to select engineering fields of particular interest for study, such as aerospace, materials, biomechanics, controls, design and systems, robotics, energy, and fluids.

The degree course is designed to serve not only those students who go into industry or government directly after the B.M.E. degree, but also those who go on to a graduate program in engineering or continue their education in other professions such as medicine, law, or business administration. The commitment by the faculty to student advisement, in combination with the curriculum flexibility offered by the technical electives, results in

**Courses must be taken as a sequence, ELEG 640 and ELEG 642 or ELEG 626 and ELEG 650.
†The technical elective program is under constant review by the faculty. An updated list is available in the department office. Students should check with their advisers before selecting courses and should be aware that a formal mechanism exists to provide additional flexibility in the selection of their technical elective courses.
DEGREE: BACHELOR OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

MAJOR: MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

CURRICULUM

CREDITS

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110  Critical Reading and Writing  3 1/2
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing
multicultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related content  #

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

Mathematics

MATH 241 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A  4 1/2
MATH 242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus B  4 1/2
MATH 243 Analytic Geometry and Calculus C  4 1/2
MATH 302 Ordinary Differential Equations I  3 1/2

Physics

PHYS 207  General Physics  4 1/2
PHYS 208  General Physics  4 1/2

General Education Program  18 1/4

Humanities and Social Science: Minimum of six courses (18 credits) with the following restrictions:

a) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Humanities
b) At least two courses (minimum of six credits) must be in the Social Sciences
c) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits)
   must be above the introductory level
d) At least two of the six courses (minimum of six credits)
   must be in the same department or program

Humansities courses include Art History, English (except ENGL 110 and other skills courses), Foreign Languages & Literatures, Foreign Languages (other than the student’s native language[]), certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206 and 220), History, Linguistics, Literature, certain Music courses, and Philosophy (except PHIL 100, 105 and 205)

Social Science courses include Anthropology (except ANTH 102 and 202), Economics, certain Geography courses (except GEOG 101, 206 and 220), Political Science, Psychology (except PSYC 309 and 314), Sociology, and cross-listed Women’s Studies and Black American Studies courses

Courses in Black American Studies, Honors Colloquia, and Women’s Studies are individually classified as are courses in Early American Culture and other specialized programs. Arts and Science “Group D” courses may not be used to satisfy the General Education Program (refer to College of Arts and Science Group Requirements in this catalog). Students can obtain a listing of approved courses for the General Education Program from their respective departments or from the Dean’s Office, College of Engineering (135 du Pont Hall). The faculty adviser must be consulted for classification of courses under General Education.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

External to the College

An additional course (minimum of three credits) that can  3 1/4
be either Air Force ROTC or a course outside the College of
Engineering (not including mathematics or science or courses
in the “Group D” classification of the College of Arts and
Science).

Chemistry

CHEM 108  General Chemistry  4 1/4
CHEM 104  General Chemistry  4 1/4

#Superior figures indicate semester (fall or spring) and/or year or years in which the course is normally taken, i.e., 1F freshman year, 2S spring of sophomore year, etc.

#This requirement may be fulfilled through a course taken to complete major, group, breadth, or elective requirements. See page 27.
Within the College
EGGG 125 Introduction to Engineering (MEEG) 3
EGGG 132 Engineering Graphics/Analysis 2
MASC 302 Material Science for Engineers 4
MECH 305 Fluid Mechanics 3
MECH 306 Fluid Mechanics Laboratory 1
ELEG 314 Electronics and Instrumentation 4

Within the Department
MEEG 213 Principles of Mechanics I 3
MEEG 214 Principles of Mechanics II 3
MEEG 307 Thermodynamics I 3
MEEG 308 Thermodynamics II 3
MEEG 313 Strength of Materials 4
MEEG 316 Materials Engineering 3
MEEG 347 Mechanical Design I 3
MEEG 348 Mechanical Design II 3
MEEG 364 Applied Engineering Analysis 3
MEEG 391 Engineering Mechanics Laboratory I 4
MEEG 396 Fluid Mechanics I 3
MEEG 397 Heat Transfer 3
MEEG 427 System Dynamics I 3
MEEG 447 Design and Synthesis I 3
MEEG 448 Design and Synthesis II 3

Technical Electives
Technical Electives 12
400-level or above courses in engineering, science or mathematics selected by the student with the approval of their adviser.

There are four suggested areas of concentration in the technical elective offerings. Students should select a minimum of 12 credits from the following courses or substitute other courses in consultation with their advisor.

I Aerospace Engineering
MEEG 411 Structural Mechanics for Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 3
MEEG 413 Advanced Mechanics of Materials 3
MEEG 415 Finite Element Analysis 3
MEEG 433 Propulsion 3
MEEG 436 Fluid Machinery 3
MEEG 445 Senior Research 3
MEEG 461 Composite Materials Structures 3

II Fluids and Thermal Engineering
MEEG 408 Power Generation System Design 3
MEEG 432 Aerodynamics 3
MEEG 435 Propulsion 3
MEEG 436 Fluid Machinery 3
MEEG 4xx Flow of Viscous Materials 3
MEEG 445 Senior Research 3
MEEG 6xx Composite Manufacturing 3

III Solid Mechanics and Materials
MEEG 411 Structural Mechanics for Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 3
MEEG 413 Advanced Mechanics of Materials 3
MEEG 415 Finite Element Analysis 3
MEEG 4xx Flow of Viscous Materials 3
MEEG 445 Senior Research 3
MEEG 6xx Composite Materials Structures 3
MASC 602 Structure of Materials 3
MASC 615 Mechanical Properties of Materials 3

IV Design, Dynamics and Manufacturing
MEEG 408 Power Generation System Design 3
MEEG 415 Finite Element Analysis 3
MEEG 445 Senior Research 3
MEEG 463 Computer Aided Design 3
MEEG 6xx Composites Manufacturing 3
MEEG 6xx Design of Composites 3
MEEG 6xx Vehicle Dynamics 3

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TRANSFER STUDENTS
Students who wish to transfer into the Department of Mechanical Engineering from outside the college but within the University should apply to the chair by May 1 and complete a Change of College/Major/Degree form. Because of the large enrollment in the department, the following guidelines have been established for students wishing to transfer into the department:

1. Completion of MATH 241, MATH 242, PHYS 207, CHEM 103† and CHEM 104† with a grade of C or better in each course.
2. An overall grade-point index above the median of the freshman class (currently 2.5).

These admission criteria are minimum standards, and more stringent requirements may be imposed by enrollment limitations. In any case, admission depends on there being enrollment openings in the class for which the student is applying. Generally, the guidelines specified by the College Transfer Policy will be followed to initiate and process transfer applicants. This general transfer policy should be reviewed carefully by all applicants.

Students should also be aware that by taking MEEG courses beyond those listed as required for transfer, they are not guaranteed candidacy for the Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering. Efforts to control class size and total enrollment in the department have required that nonmajors be administratively removed from class lists following the registration period. Faculty teaching junior and senior courses are instructed not to admit nonmajors during the drop/add period.

DEPARTMENT OF AIR FORCE ROTC
The Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) provides a program for college men and women to earn commissions as Second Lieutenants in the United States Air Force while completing their University course requirements. Commissioning follows the award of a University bachelor's degree.

†Students are encouraged to develop a technical elective program that meets their own interests and career plans but all technical elective selections must be approved by an advisor.
‡CHEM 111, 112 and 119 are acceptable substitutes.
PROGRAMS OFFERED

Four-Year Program. The four-year program is composed of a General Military Course (GMC) and a Professional Officer Course (POC). The first two years, the GMC, provide a general introduction to the Air Force and the various career fields. Students enrolled in the GMC who are not receiving an Air Force Scholarship incur no reserve or active duty service obligation to the Air Force and may elect to discontinue the program at any time. The final two years, the POC, concentrate on developing leadership and management skills and on a study of American defense policy. Students must compete for entry into the POC. If accepted, they must attend four weeks of field training at a designated Air Force base during the summer following their sophomore year of college. When they return to the University in the Fall, they are placed under contract with the Air Force to complete the program and serve a minimum of four years on active duty. Pilot and navigator candidates incur an additional obligation because of specialized training following commissioning. All students under contract receive approximately $1,000 tax free annually.

Two-Year Program. The two-year program is normally offered to prospective juniors and graduate students. The academic requirements for this program are identical to the final two years of the four-year program. During the summer preceding entry into the two-year program, all candidates must complete a six-week field training session at a designated Air Force base.

General Requirements for POC Acceptance. Students competing for acceptance as POC cadets must complete the four-year or two-year program prerequisites, pass the Air Force Officer Qualifying Test, be physically qualified, meet certain age requirements, and be in good academic standing.

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General Military Course (GMC)

Freshman year: The Development of Air Power I/II—AFSC 100 (fall) and AFSC 101 (spring). Each of these one-credit courses consists of one hour of academic class and one-and-a-half hours of leadership laboratory each week. These two GMC courses survey the history of air power from the 18th century to the present.

Sophomore year: The Air Force Today I/II—AFSC 200 (fall) and AFSC 201 (spring). Each of these one-credit courses consists of approximately one hour of academic class and one-and-a-half hours of leadership laboratory each week. In combination, these two courses survey the roles of the Department of Defense and the U.S. Air Force in society.

GMC courses are open to all freshman and sophomore students. Only those interested in entering the POC attend the leadership laboratories.

Professional Officer Course (POC)

Junior year: Leadership and Management I/II—AFSC 310 (fall) and AFSC 311 (spring). Each of these three-credit courses consists of two-and-a-half hours of academic classes and two hours of leadership laboratory each week. Here the student is introduced to leadership and management concepts. The courses are designed to provide a foundation for basic leadership and management skills, with emphasis on communications.

Senior year: National Security Forces in U.S. Society I/II—AFSC 410 (fall) and AFSC 411 (spring). Each of these three-credit courses consists of two-and-a-half hours of academic classes and two hours of leadership laboratory each week. These courses focus on our national security policy—its evolution, actors, processes, and current issues. Emphasis is also given to military professionalism, military justice, and communication skills.

POC courses are open to all juniors and seniors without regard to enrollment in the AFROTC program. Only the POC cadets attend the leadership laboratories.

Scholarships Available. The AFROTC College Scholarship Program provides four- to eight-semester scholarships to students on a competitive basis. Scholarships are available in technical and nontechnical fields and are based on the whole-person concept. Any University of Delaware student may apply for these scholarships. Opportunity for scholarship selection is enhanced by enrolling in AFROTC. Those selected receive full tuition, lab expenses, incidental and textbook fees, plus a $100 monthly, nontaxable allowance during the schol year. Students who accept a scholarship enter the AFROTC program as a contract cadet.

Air Force ROTC Nurse Program. Air Force ROTC makes it possible for qualified nursing school applicants to enroll in its programs and, upon completion of all academic requirements, receive a commission as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Air Force Medical Corps. Four- to eight-semester scholarships are available to highly qualified applicants.