October 2015

Dear First-Year Students:

On behalf of the students, faculty, and staff of the College of Engineering & Computer Science, I am delighted to have this opportunity to welcome you into our community. We are all looking forward to working alongside you to help make sure that your experience as an E&CS student is both rewarding and successful.

The next several years will be a challenging and exciting time for you. As you embark on an E&CS undergraduate program that will help prepare you to become a future leader in engineering and computer science, you can look forward to receiving the enthusiastic support of faculty and staff who are firmly committed to your success.

Your success as an E&CS student will be based, in part, upon the choices that you make over the course of the next several years. With that in mind, we have assembled this handbook for your use. Please think of this handbook as a resource guide that is available to you and your faculty advisor as you meet to discuss your academic goals and plans.

Inside this handbook, you will find information on rules, regulations, procedures, and worksheets that relate to your program of study. These materials will help you to keep track of your academic progress and will also provide you with important guidelines for registration, advising, and program-of-study adjustments. You will find that sections of this handbook refer you to a separate document, The University Bulletin: Academic Rules and Regulations, which is available online http://coursecatalog.syr.edu/content.php?catoid=3&navoid=270 .

Perhaps the most important and valuable resource that is available to you is the assistance and support that you find from your advisor and from the staff members of your department and the E&CS Student Records Office. Our door is always open to your thoughts, ideas, concerns, and accomplishments - please feel free to share them with us at any time. For your information, our office is located at 130 Link Hall; telephone number 315-443-5191.

We all wish you the very best for continued success, good health, and happiness.

Warm regards,

Can Isik, Ph.D.
Senior Associate Dean
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Computer & Information Technology Services

The College of Engineering & Computer Science (E&CS) provides an extensive list of computing resources for its students. There are E&CS customized PCs in numerous faculty labs and in several public labs. In addition to the standard office productivity tools like word processors and spreadsheet programs, there are a broad range of the latest engineering tools (CAD, FEA, math and simulation) and software development tools. The E&CS Windows computing labs use the campus NetID and password and a home directory quota of 1GB. All PCs have DVD Optical Drives and USB ports for portable storage. They are located as follows:

- Link 011 (“MADlab”) – 30 PCs
- Link 201 - 18 PCs
- Link 202 – 33 PCs
- Link 274 – 35 PCs
- CST 3-116 – 40 PCs
- CST 3-231 – 35 MACs

All E&CS students who need an “E&CS” account for Unix access Unix with 500MB of storage available. This account can be requested online. The Unix lab is located in:

- CST 1-242 – (SUN/Synopsys lab) 15 Solaris -OS Thin Client terminals

Please visit the Online Services at http://listserv.syr.edu and review your ListServ subscriptions by using the "Subscriber’s Corner". It is to your advantage to be subscribed to your class list, so please ensure that you are.

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- All E&CS Graduates  ECS-grad@listserv.syr.edu
- All E&CS Undergraduates  ECS-undergrad@listserv.syr.edu
- All E&CS First Year  ECS-2019@listserv.syr.edu
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- All E&CS Seniors  ECS-2016@listserv.syr.edu
- All E&CS Fifth Year Seniors  ECS-2015@listserv.syr.edu

***NOTE:*** Subscribing to any of the class lists automatically subscribes you to E&CS UNDERGRAD and ECS-STUDENTS where appropriate. You only need to subscribe to your class' mailing list.

For frequently asked questions and other information about E&CS computing, please visit http://helpdesk.lcs.syr.edu. Email questions and requests can be sent help@ecs.syr.edu or by visiting the CIT Help Desk in 204 Link Hall during business hours.
# E&CS Student Societies

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Information about any Student Organizations, including all non-honor societies above, contact the Office Student Activities:
126 Schine Student Center – [http://studentlife.syr.edu](http://studentlife.syr.edu) – (315) 443-2718
# Academic Calendar

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## Summer 2016

| UC Summer Session                            | May 16 – August 12           |
E&CS Academic Integrity

All formal education is a partnership between teachers and students. This partnership works best when all involved share common values and goals. To achieve this, students must clearly understand what is expected of them (and what they should expect of themselves) and teachers must reciprocate by making their educational objectives and expectations clear. When these objectives and expectations are fulfilled, all involved can have a rewarding and empowering experience.

Engineering and Computer Science are professions. The possession of a B.S. in an engineering or computer science discipline asserts that not only has its possessor mastered core educational requirements but also has experience of working in teams and presenting the resulting data to varied audiences. It is important that understanding of the privileges and responsibilities of an engineering or computer science degree be communicated by faculty and understood by student.

The college follows the Syracuse University Academic Integrity Policies and Procedures, which can be found at the following link. The college Committee on Academic Affairs manages the academic integrity hearings and the chair of that committee serves as the college's Academic Integrity Officer.

View the Academic Integrity Office http://academicintegrity.syr.edu/
First-Year Programs and Programs Rooted In Developing Excellence (PRIDE)

At Syracuse University's College of Engineering and Computer Science (E&CS), we are committed to the success of each individual. This commitment to student success is at the heart of E&CS First-Year Programs and Programs Rooted In Developing Excellence (PRIDE). It is a commitment that is found not only in our classrooms, but also in the programs and experiences that we provide to our students. These opportunities support our students' development in the academic, personal, and professional skills that are so critical for success and leadership in today's society.

PRIDE
PRIDE supports all undergraduate students in the College of Engineering and Computer Science, with an emphasis on supporting and including women and students of color. PRIDE Programs challenge, inspire, and encourage students to pursue and achieve academic, personal, and professional excellence. The programs offered under the umbrella of PRIDE assure opportunities for success through every stage of a student's college - before, during, and after life on campus.

PRIDE gives students the opportunity to develop a strategy for success that will lift them through their studies at Syracuse University and that will last a lifetime. The PRIDE Program is a key to the success of E&CS students in the first semester and beyond.

Academic Excellence Workshop (AEW)
The Academic Excellence Workshop (AEW) is an optional active-learning program offered to students taking Pre-Calculus, Calculus I, II, and III. It has also been expanded to several key engineering foundation courses and higher level mathematics courses.

AEW delivers a unique approach to calculus instruction by supplementing classroom teaching through a highly interactive, small-group session. Trained undergraduate facilitators, who excelled in the course previously, work with six to eight students who have volunteered for the extra time commitment week required by AEW. The facilitators present the AEW participants with a worksheet developed in conjunction with the course instructor that reinforces key principles recently taught in class. The facilitator is trained not to do the work for the students, but to encourage them to work in teams, using the language of the course to solve the problems.

The result is a lively, interactive session where students work together to solve problems that enhance their understanding of the subject material. The goal of AEW is to encourage subject mastery, and not merely memorization. At the same time, students develop strengths in other areas to, including their communication, teamwork, problem solving, and presentation skills.

Pathfinders
Students helping students. That is the goal of the Pathfinders, a group of upperclassmen who assist first-year and transfer students in their transition to life as new members of the SU community. Pathfinders offer guidance, support, and friendship to new students in the first semester and beyond. The Pathfinder program is designed to facilitate positive interaction as well as provide new students with the tools to be successful as a college student in E&CS and at Syracuse University.
Success Coaching Program
Our Success Coaches are here to help you define, clarify, and achieve your personal and academic goals! Your appointments with a Success Coach are tailored to YOU: your interests, grades, goals, and talents. Whether you're tackling current academic struggles or seeking ways to enhance your learning experiences, your Success Coach will help you maximize your options. Success Coaches are here to help you make the most of your college experience. The Success Coaches offer both group and individual sessions on an array of topics, such as, how to improve academic performance through study habit development, better time management and improved organizational skills.

Professional Engineering Societies
Student chapters of professional engineering societies focus on student success by providing academic support to members, including tutoring, study circles, and mentoring.

Student societies also promote professional development by hosting guest speakers from industry, and by sponsoring visits to area companies. Other activities include participation in regional and national conferences and competitions where students enjoy additional opportunities to network with their peers from other schools and with professionals from industry. Students often join several societies to share common interests, network, and prepare for life beyond college.

Additional information on E&CS Student Societies can be found at http://studentactivities.syr.edu.

Study Groups & Tutoring Services
Study Groups and Tutoring Services are available to help students achieve academic excellence in E&CS through study groups and tutoring for various courses. You can get current information about these groups in the Student Success Center in 121 Link Hall or by viewing the E&CS Student Success Center Guide on the SU Guides app available at http://guidebook.com.

It is important for all E&CS students to recognize that good study technique includes studying together. You master course content more thoroughly, with better retention when you explain it to others. Successful students not only join study groups, they start them. We encourage all E&CS students to do both. It is one of our priorities to help students interested in forming study groups. If you would like some assistance, please stop by and let us know of your interest.

For Additional Information Contact:
Kate Pynn, Director
First-Year and PRIDE Programs
Student Success Center
121 Link Hall
(315) 443-2582
1styear@ecs.syr.edu
Student Career Opportunities

Cooperative Education Program
The E&CS Cooperative Education program (Co-op) empowers undergraduate students to take advantage of experiential learning opportunities that have proven to aid them in successfully reaching their post graduate goals. The Co-op program consists of full-time professional work primarily during the summer. This design allows students the opportunity to gain more than six months of paid work experience in their field of study and still graduate in four years. Working during the academic year is an option that students may choose, with the understanding that their ability to graduate on time may be affected. To be eligible, students must be enrolled full time in the College of Engineering and Computer Science.

For Additional Co-Op Information Contact:
Karen Davis, Director
121 Link Hall
(315) 443-2239
Study Abroad Program

In a time of rapidly growing global complexity and opportunity, international study is an increasingly important and relevant component of undergraduate study, especially for students preparing for careers in engineering or computer science. Of all the major professions, engineering and computer science are the most likely to involve international activity. In addition to strong technical skills, employers are increasingly looking for international experience, cross-cultural skills and perspectives, and an understanding of the world's diversity.

For over 20 years, E&CS in a partnership with SU Abroad, has been a national leader in providing distinctive international study opportunities. These opportunities include:

- Year Abroad Program in London
- Spring Semester in Madrid, Turkey & Santiago
- Fall and Spring semester in Hong Kong, Sydney and Dublin
- Summer Research through SU Abroad in France & Spain
- Spring Semester in Florence – sophomores only in the following majors:
  Aerospace, Civil, Environmental, Mechanical Engineering and Chemical Engineering

E&CS international study programs give students the opportunity to gain global experience, develop new ways of viewing the world, form lasting friendships abroad, and deepen their connection to other countries, languages and cultures. Students with these experiences gain a competitive edge in today's multinational, multicultural environment.

To participate, students must be in good academic standing with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 and in one of Syracuse University's engineering or computer science programs or in an equivalent program elsewhere. Participants must also meet any language requirements of the host country.

For further information, contact the College of Engineering and Computer Science Study Abroad Office in 130 Link Hall or Syracuse University Abroad or, SU Abroad office at 106 Walnut Place (suabroad.syr.edu).

For Additional Information Contact:
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129 Link Hall
Syracuse, NY 13244
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mcmarse@syr.edu
Women in Science and Engineering at Syracuse University

The WiSE program fosters current and future success of women in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) through programs designed to address their unique strengths and challenges at every stage from entering freshman to accomplished professional.

Student and faculty involvement and commitment make WiSE one of the most successful women’s programs at Syracuse University.

Key Goals of WiSE
• Positively impact persistence in STEM for undergraduate women through an emphasis on research.
• Support professional development, degree completion and/or career preparation for women graduate students and post-doctoral fellows.
• Increase resilience, support advancement and improve career and personal productivity and balance for women STEM faculty.
• Build a strong community and social network for women in STEM.

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Sharon Alestalo
WiSE Program Manager
335 Link Hall
(315) 443-3419
swalesta@syr.edu
www.suwise.syr.edu

Stephanie Wyatt
WiSE Program Assistant
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smwyatt@syr.edu
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General Information Number
Main Campus
315-443-1870

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School of Architecture
201 Slocum Hall
315-443-2256
soa.syr.edu

The College of Arts and Sciences
329 Hall of Languages
315-443-3150
thecollege.syr.edu

School of Education
111 Waverly Avenue, Suite 230
315-443-2506
soe.syr.edu

College of Engineering
and Computer Science
223 Link Hall
315-443-2545
eng-cs.syr.edu

David B. Falk College of
Sport and Human Dynamics
340 Sims Hall
315-443-3144
falk.syr.edu

School of Information Studies
343 Hinds Hall
315-443-2911
ischool.syr.edu

Martin J. Whitman
School of Management
721 University Avenue
315-443-2361
whitman.syr.edu

S.I. Newhouse School of
Public Communications
316 Newhouse 3
315-443-4722
newhouse.syr.edu

University College
700 University Avenue
315-443-YeSU (9378)
yesu.syr.edu

College of Visual and Performing Arts
200 Crouse College
315-443-2517
vpa.syr.edu

Campus Offices

The Advocacy Center
111 Waverly Avenue, Suite 006J
315-443-7273
advocacycenter.syr.edu

Bookstore
Schine Student Center
303 University Place
315-443-9900
bookweb.syr.edu

Bursar Operations
102 Archbold North Basement
315-443-2444
bursar@syr.edu
bursar.syr.edu

Career Services
235 Schine Student Center
315-443-3616
careers@syr.edu
careerservices.syr.edu

Counseling Center
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315-443-4715
counselingcenter.syr.edu

Department of Public Safety
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005 Sims Hall
315-443-2224,
On-Campus Emergency 711
publicsafety.syr.edu

Office of Disability Services
804 University Avenue, Suite 309
315-443-4498
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Financial Aid and Scholarship Programs
200 Archbold North
315-443-1513
finmail@syr.edu
financialaid.syr.edu

Health Services
111 Waverly Avenue
315-443-9005
health.syr.edu

Hendricks Chapel
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Higher Education Opportunity Program
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Housing, Meal Plan, and
ID Card Service Center
206 Steele Hall
315-443-2721, #1
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housingmealplans.syr.edu

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Academic Advising

Academic advising is an essential component of a Syracuse University education. The University is committed to providing the individual advice and assistance that students need at every step throughout their degree programs. A successful system of academic advising is highly dependent upon a shared commitment of students, faculty, and staff to process and availability of timely, accurate information.

**Students** are responsible for scheduling, preparing for, and keeping advising appointments; for seeking out contacts and information; and for knowing the basic requirements of their individual degree programs. Students bear the final responsibility for making their own decisions based on the best information and advice available and, ultimately, on their own judgment.

**Advisors** are responsible for developing a thorough knowledge of the degree requirements within the student’s program of study and a working knowledge of academic options and resources throughout the University. Advisors are expected to involve students by encouraging them to ask questions, gather information, and explore options so that they may develop a meaningful academic plan. Advisors will be available to students on a regular basis, monitor their advisees’ progress, assist in considering career options, and make appropriate referrals to other campus offices.

**The University**, through its schools and colleges, pledges to support a campus-wide network of faculty, staff, and student peer advisors by providing them with a clear and firm foundation of information regarding policies, procedures, resources, and programs. The University is committed to help faculty and staff develop effective advising and support services, and to make improvements where necessary. The University also acknowledges the important contribution advisors make to the community through appropriate recognition within the institutional reward system.

Academic Dishonesty

The following statement is drawn from the General Academic Rules and Regulations of Syracuse University.

**Please see Pg 15 for the College of Engineering & Computer Science Academic Integrity Policy**

**Academic Standard – Plagiarism**

The submission of any work by a student is taken as a guarantee that the thoughts and expressions in it are the student’s own except when properly credited to another.

Violations of this principles include giving or receiving aid in an exam or where otherwise prohibited, fraud, plagiarism, the falsification or forgery of any record, or any other deceptive act in connection with academic work. Plagiarism is the representation of another’s words, ideas, programs, formulae, opinions, or other products of the work as one’s own, either overtly or by failing to attribute them to their true source. Sanctions for violations will be imposed by the dean, faculty, or Student Standards Committee of the appropriate school or college. Documentation of such academic dishonesty may be included in an appropriate student file at the recommendation of the academic dean.
In keeping with this University regulation, the College of Engineering and Computer Science has adopted the following statement of policy concerning academic dishonesty:

An instructor may respond to a suspected infraction by one of two means:

A. When the infraction is confined to the limits of the course s/he may handle it personally or s/he may refer to the matter to the Associate Dean.

The maximum sanction, which may be assigned by the instructor, is a course grade of F. Lesser sanctions related to evaluation of course work may be assigned by the instructor at his/her discretion. An instructor assigning any sanction will notify the student of his/her right to appeal to the Associate Dean of the College. When the grade, “F”, for the course is assigned, it must be reported to the Department Chair and to the Associate Dean who will also notify the student by letter of his/her right to appeal.

It is desirable that a charge of cheating or some other infraction be made in the presence of either the Associate Dean or some other responsible witness.

This is to protect the rights both of the student and of the faculty member involved.

B. When the infraction involves the purchase, distribution, or the sale of the papers, examinations or answers, the matter must be referred to the Associate Dean.

More serious infractions, such as illegal entry or forgery of University documents, will be handled as outlined in the General and Undergraduate Academic Rules Regulations.
Academic Policies and Procedures

Academic Probation and Suspension Policy

Students are placed on academic probation when their academic records fail to meet specific **minimum criteria for progress** toward degree completion.

1) Term or cumulative GPA less than 2.0
2) Less than 2.0 Mathematics, Science and E&CS course GPA (IST courses for SIS majors)
3) Completion of less than 12 credits hours in one semester or 24 credits hours within any 12-month period
4) Failure to complete at least 6 credits and term GPA less than 1.5, will result in immediate suspension
5) Failure to complete calculus sequence by the end of the sophomore year (MAT 295, 296, & 397) (Does not apply to SIS majors)
6) In addition to the above conditions, computer science students only: GPA of less than 2.667 in core courses
7) Failure to maintain satisfactory progress toward your degree

Students may be suspended from the College of Engineering and Computer Science if they do not achieve the minimum GPA.

**HOURS COMPLETED** refers to credit hours toward the degree program and includes all transfer credits. Minimum GPA refers to the cumulative grade point average for courses taken at Syracuse University. Students classified as Juniors or Seniors (54 credit hours or more) must have at least a 2.00 cumulative average, whether or not they are transfer students.

For **GRADUATION**, students must have at least a 2.00 cumulative GPA and at least a 2.00 GPA in all E&CS, mathematics, and science course taken at Syracuse University. In addition, students must meet all degree requirements specific to the chosen major.

Students are placed on academic probation when their academic records fail to meet specific minimum criteria for progress toward degree completion. Probationary status is determined by the Associate Dean for Academic Programs in consultation with program directors. The classifications of probation are listed on the next page.
Probationary status is indicated on the student’s record maintained in the Student Records Office. The following are the various levels of probation status:

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<td>Complete academic self-assessment. During fall semester, you must meet with your advisor or Program Director during first 10 days of classes.</td>
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Advising
All Engineering and Computer Science students are assigned professional or faculty advisors. The advisor signs all academic forms (add/drops, petitions). Each semester, prior to registration, students meet with their advisors to discuss the upcoming semester and to prepare for registration. It is important to plan carefully for this meeting to be sure that you will be taking the appropriate courses. You should also feel free to meet regularly with your advisor during the term to discuss program plans for the next term as well as any problems or concerns you may have.

Please feel free to let your advisor know about the good things that are happening to you (scholarships, awards, activities). The more an advisor knows about you, the better equipped they will be able to advise and to make suggestions and recommendations.

Professional or faculty advisor assignments may be changed for the following reasons:

1. **Student Request** – A student who prefers another advisor should see the Student Records Office in 130 Link Hall.
2. **Student Change of Major** – A student who changes his/her major will have a professional faculty advisor from the new academic unit assigned to them.
3. **Advisor Department** – When faculty advisors leave their academic units or the University, their advisees are reassigned to another advisor in the same program. The new advisor will advise these students until they complete their degree requirements.
4. **Advisor on Leave of Absence** – If faculty advisors are unable to meet with their advisees during registration or during the academic year, their students are assigned temporary advisors. This is not a permanent assignment; when regular advisors return they will resume their advising duties.

Advanced Credit Examinations
Matriculated Syracuse University students may earn credit in an SU course by taking an Advanced Credit Examination. The examination must be approved by the department chair concerned, the student’s advisor, and the Associate Dean. It is administered and graded by a member of the faculty. Only A, B, and C grades are acceptable as passing grades. Both credits and grade points are recorded on the student’s transcript. By University policy, this option may not be used to repeat a course and flag the first course grade.


Advanced Placement Examinations
Syracuse University is authorized to award academic credit to students who have successfully passed examinations administered by Advanced Placement Program of the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB). Scores from these examinations must be sent from the agency administering the examination directly to the College. Since the award of credit for AP courses depends on academic major, students should contact their academic advisors or the Student Records Office (130 Link Hall) for additional information.

Academic credit for AP examinations is indicated in the student’s record. Advanced Placement Examinations are scored 1 through 5. A score of at least 4 is required for the award of up to 8 credits. These credits count just as if the student has taken the corresponding course while in
college although no grades are assigned. The credits are counted toward the total required for the degree.

**Please see page 40 for the AP Table.**

**Auditing Courses**
Students may audit courses with the approval of the appropriate department and subject to the restrictions made by the instructor.

Students auditing courses may not be responsible for fulfilling the academic requirements of the course and, therefore, do not receive academic credit for auditing courses. Audited courses appear on student transcripts with a grade of AU, which means no academic credit was earned. Audited courses do not affect the calculation of the grade point average, nor do they count toward hours for graduation. Tuition charges for audited courses are published annually by the Bursar’s Office in the booklet [http://bursar.syr.edu/bursar/uploads/2015-2016%20Tuition%20fees%20booklet.pdf](http://bursar.syr.edu/bursar/uploads/2015-2016%20Tuition%20fees%20booklet.pdf).

Students must decide by the end of the second week of classes whether or not they wish to audit a course. They may not rescind their selection of the audit option after the first two weeks of classes. Students may drop or withdraw from an audited course in accordance with standard procedures. See the Student Records Office in 130 Link Hall if you need assistance.

**Change of Major**
In order to select or change a major, students must obtain a formal approval from the department chair or program director of the new major. Students may do this by obtaining a Change of Major Petition in the Student Records Office or the E&CS [http://eng.cs.syr.edu](http://eng.cs.syr.edu), and following the procedure below:

1. Meet with Chairperson or Program Director of the new major.
2. Complete a Petition Form clearly stating the current Major and the new major.
3. Obtain the signature of the Chairperson or the Program Director of the new major. A review of the student’s file may be necessary before making a decision. If the petition is approved, the Chairperson will assign a new faculty advisor to the student.

**Corrected Grades**
Once a grade has been reported, it may not be changed except to correct a clerical error. If an error has been made in reporting the grade, the instructor must submit a Change of Grade Form with accompanying documentation of the need for the change to the Chair of department in which the course was taught. The form will then be sent to the student’s home college and finally submitted to the Registrar’s Office. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MAY A STUDENT HAND-CARRY A CHANGE OF GRADE FORM**

**Dean’s List**
The minimum semester grade point average for the Dean’s list is 3.40. Students earning Dean’s List standing are notified each semester by a congratulatory notice from the Dean’s Office; the name will be posted in their hometown local newspaper and will be posted online. The Dean’s List will be generated one week after semester grades are posted on Myslice. To be eligible for Dean’s List recognition, the students must have earned a minimum of 12 graded credits and must have no missing or incomplete grades.
Flagging Courses
Students who transfer into the College of Engineering and Computer Science and who have accumulated courses that cannot be included in the new program of study may petition to have these courses flagged for exclusion from the calculation of the grade point average (GPA) following admission to the College. The flagged courses and grades are not deleted from the transcript. Students should be aware such action could affect their eligibility for TAP awards. The consequences with regard to TAP eligibility could be positive or negative. Students are advised to consult with a financial aid counselor BEFORE initiating the action of flagging courses.

Any course with a D or F may be retaken. A course may be flagged up to two times: the higher of the two (or three) grades will be counted in the GPA. For courses retaken more than once, the lower grade may be flagged by petition.

Graduate Level Courses
E&CS students may register for graduate level courses (600 level) under the following conditions:

1. A senior whose overall academic record normally would qualify him or her for admission to the Graduate School may enroll in a 600-level course for undergraduate credit by petition and must have the approval of:
   Instructor, Department Chairperson and Associate Dean
2. Graduating seniors who anticipate enrolling in the Graduate School of Syracuse University may submit a petition to the Graduate School to request graduate credit. Courses taken for graduate credit may not be applied toward an undergraduate degree.

Graduation Honors
Graduation honors are based on the following cumulative grade point averages:
Cum Laude.........................3.400
Magna Cum Laude............3.600
Summa Cum Laude.........3.800

Students must complete at least 60 credit hours at Syracuse University in order to be eligible for graduation honors.

Incompletes
The symbol of I (Incomplete) may be granted to a student only if it can be demonstrated that it would be unfair to hold the student to the normal time limits of the course. Illness or other exceptional circumstances are the usual basis for consideration. To receive an Incomplete, a student must complete a Request for Incomplete Form, available in the Student Records Office. The form becomes a contract between the student and the course instructor, specifying the reasons for granting the Incomplete and the conditions and time limit for removing it.

An Incomplete grade is calculated as an F in the grade point average immediately. A student may graduate with Incompletes outstanding provided the cumulative average equals or exceeds 2.0 and the number of earned credits meets the requirements for the degree. This decision should be made with great care; once a student has graduated, s/he can not remove the Incomplete from her/his transcript. It remains a part of the permanent record.
Incompletes are not removed by re-registering for the course. Even though an instructor may require a student to repeat certain elements of a course to remove an Incomplete, the student should not register for the course a second time.

Further information concerning the removal of an incomplete can be found in the Academic Rules and Regulations, in the Undergraduate course catalog.

**Independent Study**

Students who wish to explore a special problem or study an area in which a formal course does not exist must submit a plan of study using the Proposal for Independent Study Form. The plan must be approved by the supervising instructor or faculty sponsor, the student's faculty advisor, the course department chair, and the Associate Dean for Academic Programs. The form must be submitted to the Registrar’s Office in 106 Steele Hall. Students should check carefully with their faculty advisors and with the Associate Dean prior to registering for an Independent Study to be sure that the course will be accepted toward the completion of requirements for a degree.
Intra-University Transfer (IUT)
1) Transfer Into the College of Engineering and Computer Science. (IUT-IN)

Students who wish to transfer to any program within the College of Engineering and Computer Science should have a strong record of achievement and demonstrated success in key technical courses. Specifically, it is critical for the applicant to excel in following and meet GPA requirements:

- Complete at least one of MAT 295, 296 or 397 with a grade of B or better
- Complete at least one set of PHY 211/221 or CHE 150/151 with a grade of B or better
- A minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average

2) Transfer into Computer Science (CIS) programs only:

Students who wish to major in CIS must also complete the following:

- CIS 252 with a grade of at least a B (3.0), along with the above requirements

Obtain an Intra-University Transfer Form (IUT) from the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall or online: [http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html](http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html)

Submit the completed IUT Form. If there are any special circumstances that should be noted at the time the application is reviewed, they should be attached to the application.

At the end of each semester and following receipt of the latest grades, applications are reviewed by the Associate Dean and the appropriate Academic Chair. The schedule for review is as follows:

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3) Transfer Out of the College of Engineering and Computer Science. (IUT-OUT)

- Obtain an Intra-University Transfer Form (IUT) from the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall or online: [http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html](http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html)
- Check with the college/school into which you wish to transfer. Many have special requirements and application deadlines.
- Obtain the signature of the accepting (new) Dean.
- Submit the IUT form to the Registrar’s Office, 106 Steele Hall

4) Transfer To University College (Part-time Study)

Please note the following special rules and regulations regarding an IUT into University College (UC).

- Students registered on the Main Campus during the spring semester may not transfer to UC for the purpose of summer study.
- Students who have completed eight regular semesters as a full-time student may petition to complete the remaining eleven or less credit hours at UC tuition rates and still receive a Main Campus diploma. These students do not transfer to UC.
**Leave Of Absence and Withdrawal**

Students desiring to take a Leave of Absence from the University must initiate such action in the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall. Students should indicate the approximate date they intend to return to the University.

If a student takes a Leave of Absence before midterm, all courses are dropped from the transcript. Only the effective date of the leave of absence is recorded on the transcript.

After midterm, courses for which the student was registered remain on the transcript and grades of WD are recorded. Following the deadline to receive a WD, an F grade is recorded for all courses unless an approved petition has been filed with the Registrar’s Office. Students who take a leave of absence may not receive incomplete grades in courses for which they were registered. Only grades of WD or F can be recorded on the transcript.

**Missing Grades**

Missing grades (grades not reported by the instructor) do not calculate into the student's grade point average. The student should contact his/her instructor to determine why a grade is missing from the record. If the instructor cannot be located, the student should see the Chair of the department in which the course was taught.

To report a missing grade, the instructor submits a Missing Grade Report to the Chair of the department in which the course was taught. The form will then be sent to the student's home college and finally submitted to the Registrar’s Office. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MAY A STUDENT HAND-CARRY A MISSING GRADE REPORT.**

**Never Attended- (NA)**

The grading symbol “NA” is used when a student has registered for a course and one of the following conditions applies:

- the student never attended the course
- the student stopped attending the course so early in the semester that no basis for evaluation exists.

The “NA” means that student failed to exercise his/her responsibility to withdraw officially from the course.

**Pass/Fail Option**

For students in Engineering majors: only social science, humanities, and free elective courses at the 300 level or higher may be taken pass/fail. Elective courses that must be taken from a specified list may not be taken pass/fail. The total hours of pass/fail courses permitted cannot exceed 18 credit hours.

For students in Computer Science major: only free elective courses may be taken pass/fail.
**Petitions**

Petition forms may be obtained in the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall or online [http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html](http://www.syr.edu/registrar/forms/index.html). When petitioning, students must obtain the following signatures (in this order), unless otherwise noted below:

1. Faculty Advisor
2. Department Chair or Program Director
3. Associate Dean

*Example:* you may petition to take a course in place of another; or you may petition to take an overload of courses, more than 19 credits; or you may petition to fulfill your Social Science/Humanities requirements with only Social Sciences, etc.

Students are responsible for checking with the Registrar’s Office and/or the Student Records Office to make sure the petition has been processed.

Petitions should be written as clearly and concisely as possible. They should contain all pertinent information since, in many cases, they are used in place of an interview. If the intention of the petition is not clear, it may be returned to the student for further clarification, and thus, delay the processing.

**Readmission/Termination of Leave of Absence**

Students who have taken a leave of absence or been withdrawn from the University must apply for readmission through the E&CS Student Records office 130 Link Hall, Syracuse, NY 13244, (315) 443-5191. **Readmission** is contingent on space availability in the college and in the program to which the student seeks readmission. It is also dependent on the student's ability to demonstrate potential for completing the program of study successfully.

A student suspended for academic reasons is eligible to apply for readmission after at least one calendar year has elapsed from the date of the suspension. A student suspended for other reasons is eligible to apply for readmission according to the terms of the suspension. Students may be placed on academic probation for the first semester after reentering the University.

If the Leave of Absence from the University was for health reasons, the attending physician must submit a medical evaluation of the student's present state of health to the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs, 306 Steele Hall, Syracuse, NY 13244-1120, (315) 443-4357. Health clearance must be granted by Student Affairs before an application for readmission can be considered.

**Registration**

Syracuse University uses a computerized registration system known as MySlice. E&CS undergraduate students are put on Advising Hold and must meet with their advisor before they can register.

**Repeating a Course**

It is not necessary to petition to retake a course that was failed. Equivalent courses taken at other institutions are not counted as repeated courses. Courses may not be repeated after a student receives an undergraduate degree.
Any course with a D or F may be retaken. A course may be flagged up to two times: the higher of the two (or three) grades will be counted in the GPA. For courses taken more than once, the two earlier grades may be flagged by petition.

New York State TAP Recipients
**REPEATED COURSES/TAP ELIGIBILITY**
For purposes of TAP eligibility, a student must be enrolled full time (a minimum of 12 credits per semester). In some circumstances, the credits for repeating a course in which a student has already received a passing grade may not be included in the determination of full time enrollment for TAP purposes. If you have questions about this determination, you may contact the TAP coordinator in the Bursar's Office, 443-2444.

Please Note:
WE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED BY THE OFFICE OF STUDENT ASSISTANCE TO ALERT STUDENTS TO THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT REGARDING REASONABLE ACADEMIC PROGRESS:

"University, state, and federal regulations require that students receiving financial aid make reasonable academic progress toward a degree. This entails completing one-sixth of the program of study for each year of attendance. Financial aid progress regulations are established separately and may differ from your college's academic progress regulations. If you suspect your aid could be in jeopardy you should make an appointment with your Financial Aid Counselor."

**Registration for More Than 19 Credit Hours (overload)**
Undergraduate students who wish to register for more than 19 credits must present an approved petition to the Bursar’s Office. The petition, available from the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall, must be approved by the student's advisor and the Associate Dean.

Juniors and seniors with a grade point average of at least 3.5 or higher cum GPA, with no outstanding incomplete grades and registered as a fulltime student at Syracuse University for the preceding two semesters, may take an overload without added tuition by completing the above petition.

Honors students may sign up for this credit overload in the Honors Office. (For more information see the most current version of Tuition, Fees, and Related Policies).

**Schedule Adjustment**
**Adding Courses during the first week of classes**
During the first week of the semester (see Academic Deadlines in section I), students may change their schedules (adding and/or dropping courses) using MySlice on the web at www.MySlice.syr.edu. If a student is on advising hold, he/she must meet with his/her advisor, and fill out and advising form. These forms are available in the Student Records Office.

The Faculty or Professional Advisor signature is required on the E&CS Advising Form for all undergraduate students in E&CS programs of study.

The advisor will keep a copy of the form in the student’s folder. Student will drop off a copy of the E&CS Advising Form to the Student Records Office who will then process the removal of the advising hold within a 24 hour period.
Dropping a Course after the first week of classes
Students may drop courses up to the Academic Deadline for Dropping Courses. The add/drop form is used for this purpose. Forms are available at the Student Records Office, or from the Registrar’s Office, 106 Steele Hall.

The following signatures/stamps are required on the add/drop form:

1. Advisor
2. Course Instructor
3. E&CS stamp, provided by Student Records Office in 130 Link Hall

The form must be delivered to the Registrar’s Office, 106 Steele Hall. Courses dropped by the deadline date are not recorded on the student's transcript and are not counted in the calculation of the grade point average.

PLEASE NOTE: If you fail to complete a course (as a result of dropping, withdrawing, failing, or receiving an incomplete grade) you will not be able to register for additional courses for which the uncompleted course is a prerequisite.

ALSO NOTE: Courses with start and end dates different from those published in the Time Schedule of Classes may have different add/drop deadlines. For example, during the summer sessions, the last day to drop a course with a tuition refund is one week after the first day of classes. See the booklet, "Tuition, Fees, and Related Policies" for a complete statement of the University's policy regarding the effect of add/drops on tuition charges.
**Summer Courses**
Students wishing to take summer courses at Syracuse University should contact University College, Division of Continuing Education, 700 University Ave, Syracuse, NY 13244, (315) 443-4174 for enrollment information.

Students wishing to obtain transfer credit for summer courses taken at another university must meet the requirements below:

1. Complete a Transfer Credit Approval Petition prior to taking the course
   - The Petition must contain:
     - The name of the school
     - The Name, number of the course & number of credits for each course
     - A description of each course from an official catalog, bulletin, or school website.
     - The equivalent S.U. course.
     - Any special circumstances, i.e., students who plan to transfer into the college of E&CS should state this clearly
   - Obtain the advisor’s and department chairperson of the students major signature
   - Return the petition to the Student Records Office

2. Receive a grade of C or better (pass/fail grades are not acceptable)

3. No petition is needed if the course has been previously approved. See the list of approved courses in the Transfer Credit database [http://lcs3.syr.edu/forms/transfer_credit.asp](http://lcs3.syr.edu/forms/transfer_credit.asp).

4. Have an official transcript showing the course taken sent to:

   **Syracuse University**
   College of Engineering & Computer Science
   Student Records Office
   130 Link Hall
   Syracuse, New York
   13244-1240
   P:315-443-5191 *** F:315-443-4459
   Attn: Maria Marceau

Students should check the regulations of the school they are planning to attend as early as possible since many schools require written permission for non-matriculated students to register.

**Withdrawal from a Course**
Students may withdraw from a course up until two weeks before the last day of classes. A WD will appear on the student’s record but will not be counted in the grade point average.

Withdrawal petitions are available in the Student Records Office. The petition must be completed by the student and then the following signatures must be obtained:

1. Course Instructor
2. Student’s Advisor
3. Associate Dean for Academic Programs

Submit a withdrawal petition to the Registrar’s Office, 106 Steele Hall.

**Withdrawal petitions will not be accepted after the deadline.**
All University Requirements

English Courses for Foreign Students
All international students (and all students whose English is not their primary language) must take the English Language Assessment (ELA) upon arrival at Syracuse University. The results will determine what sequence of Writing or English courses must be taken. The sequence becomes a requirement for graduation in the College of Engineering and Computer Science and meets the University writing requirement. This sequence may result in extra credit hours required for graduation.

NOTE: Remedial English courses (ENL 201,202,203,205,207) do not count towards degree requirements.

Writing Courses
Writing Studio I and II (WRT 105,205) are required for all students. Some students may satisfy the requirement by scoring 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement English Language & Composition Exam of the CEEB or by earning 6 credits in SU’s Project Advance English course.

ENL 211 and 213, fulfill Syracuse University’s writing requirement for undergraduate students. Thus, after completing these courses, a student has taken the equivalent of WRT 105 and 205 and is ready to enroll in any other writing course that may be required.

All-College Requirements

Introduction to Engineering and Computer Science
All first-year E&CS students are required to complete ECS 101, Introduction to Engineering and Computer Science. You will be registered for a section of this course by the major you have chosen or by the designation, undeclared. The section for each major is taught by a faculty member from that major; the sections for undeclared students are taught by senior faculty members in the College who have a broad, general knowledge of the majors. In the course, you will receive an introduction to each major offered in the College. In addition, you will spend the semester working with other students and a faculty instructor in developing a baseline of mathematical and scientific skills which you will apply in future course work.

Mathematics
All E&CS students except Comp E & Comp Sci are required to complete the following calculus courses, MAT 295, MAT 296, and MAT 397. All programs of study require additional mathematics courses beyond these three courses.

Natural Sciences
All E&CS students are required to complete at least one semester of calculus-based physics. All programs of study require additional natural science courses beyond the physics course.

Physical Education Courses (PED)
Physical Education Courses are not required. For CIS Majors: PED courses may be used for free-elective credit only.
Remedial Courses
The following courses are considered by the College Faculty to be remedial and credit for these courses will not be counted toward the total credit hour requirement for graduation:

ENL 201 – Intermediate English for Non-Native Speakers  
ENL 202 – Intermediate English for Non-Native Speakers  
ENL 203 – Speaking and Listening for Non-Native Speakers of English  
ENL 205 – Intensive Intermediate English for Non-Native Speakers  
ENL 207 – Advanced Integrated Skills for Non-Native Speakers of English  
MAT 193 – Algebra Infused Pre-Calculus  
MAT 194 – Pre-Calculus

ROTC Courses
An ROTC course, which is cross-listed, with another Syracuse University course is treated in the same manner as the cross-listed course and may thus be used to satisfy degree requirements. ROTC courses, which are not cross-listed, will not count toward degree requirements. For CIS students, the courses, which are not cross-listed, may be used for free-elective credit.

Senior Year
Academic Advisement Report is available on MySlice, this is not an official contract. Responsibility for the verification of information in this report rests with you, the student. Final verification of all degree requirements are done by your department and Student Records Office.

This should be done prior to registration for the final semester. It is advisable that you do a preliminary check before registration for the final two semesters.

File Diploma Request
When an undergraduate student attains Junior standing (54 credits or more), the File Diploma Request link becomes available under Student Services in MySlice. Students must use this link to specify the term in which they intend to graduate and to provide information for their diploma. Students must also contact their home school or college to review all graduation requirements.

Diplomas & Status Verification
Graduating students notify the University of their intent to graduate through the File Diploma Request process, accessed through MySlice. This process must be completed to ensure inclusion in the degree certification review process and receipt of commencement information and, eventually, a diploma. Any questions or problems about diplomas should be directed to the Diploma Office, 106 Steele Hall, (315)443-2222.

During the interim period between certification and the receipt of the diploma, students may request a letter verifying their degree from the Student Records Office, 130 Link Hall. After you have received your diploma your degree can be verified through the National Clearinghouse.

Graduation
All students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 and at least a 2.00 GPA in all ECS, Math & Science courses taken at Syracuse University. In addition, students must meet all degree requirements specific to their chosen major. Seniors graduating in May or August may attend the May Commencement Ceremony. December graduates attend graduation ceremonies held in the
following May. For more information concerning commencement, contact the Special Events Office, 210 Women’s Building, 443-4631.

In addition to commencement, there is an annual College Convocation for seniors and their parents. All graduates are welcome to attend this event. Information about the E&CS Convocation will be available during the Spring Semester.

Professional Engineer Exam
The fundamentals of Engineering Exam is the first part of the licensing process in New York State. The exam is given twice a year. For more information please visit the Student Success Center, 121 Link Hall, 443-2582.

Undesignated/Free Electives
Any course approved by the faculty advisor may be assigned to the undesignated or free area. These may be technical or social science/humanities courses. For engineering majors, physical education and remedial courses may not be included.
## Advance Placement Examinations

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Partial List of acceptable Social Science/ Humanities courses:

**Social Sciences Division**
- AAS (African American Studies)
- HST (History)
- PSY (Psychology)
- *ANT (Anthropology)
- MAX (Maxwell)
- SOC (Sociology)
- ECN (Economics)
- PAF (Public Affairs)
- *HNR (Honors)
- *GEO (Geography)
- PSC (Political Science)
- SAS (South Asian Studies)
- MES (Middle Eastern Studies)
- NAT (Native American Studies)
- WGS (Women’s & Gender Studies)
- LAS (Latin American Studies)

**Humanities Division**
- AAS (African American Studies)
- HST (History)
- PHI (Philosophy)
- *ANT (Anthropology)
- HUM (Humanities)
- QSX (LGBT)
- ETS (English Textual Studies)
- LIN (Linguistics)
- REL (Religion)
- LIT (Literature)
- All Foreign Languages
- WGS (Women’s & Gender Studies)
- HOM & HOA (Art & Music Histories)
- LAS (Latin American Studies)
- MES (Middle Eastern Studies)
- NAT (Native American Studies)
- SAS (South Asian Studies)

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**Option 1:** A student may complete any University minor that requires at least 12 credit hours beyond the core AEE curriculum. In addition to, or as part of, this minor, at least 9 credit hours must be taken from the social sciences or humanities (SS/H). Excluding those courses that count towards the minor, a maximum of 6 credit hours that are neither SS/H nor technical electives may be taken as part of the 24 elective credits.

**Option 2:** A student who does not complete a University minor must take at least 9 credits from the social sciences or humanities (SS/H), at least 6 credits of technical electives, and a maximum of 6 credit hours that are neither SS/H nor technical electives.

2. Technical electives consist of all 300 level and above courses offered by any department within the college of engineering and computer science or by the math or physics departments, except for ECS 391, ECS 392 and any course numbered 300, 400 or 500 that is offered outside of the MAE department. However, in some instances, these courses may be approved by petition. In addition, no more than 3 credit hours of technical electives may be taken outside of the MAE department.

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Social Science/Humanities Requirements:
Bioengineering students must complete 18 credit hours in the Social Science/Humanities using any one of the following options:

**Option 1:** Complete the Social Science division* (minimum of 12 credits) AND complete 6 credits of courses from the Humanities list.

**Option 2:** Complete the Humanities division* (minimum of 12 credits) AND complete 6 credits of courses from the Social Science list.

**Option 3:** Complete the Social Science division* (minimum of 12 credits) AND complete a minimum of 6 credits of a foreign language sequence (must not be student’s native language).

**Option 4:** Students may elect to complete 18 credits of Social Science and Humanities courses by petition. Students pursuing this option must petition early in their degree program, before the end of their third year. The petition must be endorsed by the student’s advisor and Department Chair. Students are encouraged to adopt an 18 credit minor in humanities or social sciences.

* A division is defined as a collection of four 3- or 4-credit courses from the Social Sciences or Humanities lists, as appropriate for the division type. In a division, two of the courses must constitute a sequence, a pair of courses with related content. The divisional perspective is drawn from the College of Arts and Sciences policy, which is described with lists of appropriate courses and approved sequences in the Undergraduate Course Catalog 2011-2012 on page 84 (page 43 in the abridged catalog for advising.) Sequences not appearing on this list, including pairs of thematically related courses from multiple departments, may be approved by petition.

Technical electives:
Technical electives broadly encompass Math, Science (excluding Social Science), or Engineering courses not included in the required bioengineering curriculum. These courses are intended to be challenging (200-level or higher), although relevant AP credits and introductory biology courses (BIO 121 and BIO 123/124) may also count towards the technical elective requirement. The breadth of technical elective options is intended to be flexible to allow students to develop skill-sets for their chosen careers. It is highly recommended that students work with academic advisors to identify technical electives to build towards their long-term career objectives. Technical electives are subject to academic advisor and program director approval, and courses not included in the description above may be approved by petition if found to have sufficient technical content.
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1. Chemical engineering students must complete a minimum of **12 credits of technical electives** from mathematics, natural sciences, and engineering courses not included in the required chemical engineering curriculum. All technical electives are subject to approval by the student’s academic advisor and program director. Courses not included in the description above may be approved by petition if found to have sufficient technical content. **At least one technical elective must be in chemical engineering.**

2. Chemical engineering students must complete a minimum of **18 credits in the Social Science or Humanities disciplines** using any one of the following options:

   **Option 1:** Complete the Social Sciences Division* (minimum of 12 credits) **AND** complete 6 credits of courses from the Humanities List or 6 credits of a foreign language sequence (must not be student’s native language).

   **Option 2:** Complete the Humanities Division* (minimum of 12 credits) **AND** complete 6 credits of courses from the Social Sciences List or 6 credits of a foreign language sequence (must not be student’s native language).

   **Option 3:** Petition to complete an established non-technical minor of at least 18 credits or the Engineering and Computer Science Management minor.

   **Option 4:** Petition to complete 18 credits of Social Sciences and Humanities courses with a unifying theme. **Students pursuing this option must petition by the end of their third year.** A petition for this option will not be approved simply because care has not been taken to follow another acceptable option in prior course selection.

   Students may substitute ECS 392- *Engineering Ethics* for three (3) Division credits under Option 1 or Option 2.

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*The Social Sciences Division and Humanities Division are drawn from the College of Arts and Sciences policy, which includes the Humanities List and Social Sciences List of appropriate courses and approved sequences in the Undergraduate Catalog for Advising (coursecatalog.syr.edu).

- A Division is defined as a collection of four 3- or 4-credit courses from the Social Sciences List or the Humanities List, as appropriate for the Division type.

- Two of the courses from the Division must constitute a sequence: a pair of courses with related content. If a student follows Option 1, the sequence must be in the Social Sciences List; if a student follows Option 2, the sequence must be in the Humanities List. Pre-approved sequences are designated in the Social Sciences and Humanities Lists by hyphens (–).

- Sequences composed of a pair of thematically related courses not specifically approved of in the Social Sciences or Humanities Lists may be approved by petition.

- Foreign language courses only count toward the Humanities Division (Option 2) if numbered 202 or above. Sequential foreign language courses of lower number count as a foreign language sequence, which does not replace the Divisional sequence.
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SS/HUM ELECTIVES
All CIE students are required to complete at least 18 credits of SS/HUM electives. A *minimum* of one course (or 3 credits) must be chosen from each of the three groups of designated courses listed below. The remaining three SS/HUM electives (or 9 credits) can be selected from the lists below or, in addition to the lists, may be chosen from:

- any College of Arts and Sciences courses that are listed on their Humanities and Social Sciences lists in the SU Bulletin – Undergraduate Course Catalog
- any foreign language courses (except student’s native language)
- ECS 391 – Legal Aspects of ECS
- ECS 392 – Ethical Aspects of ECS.

**Group 1: Economics and Social Issues**
- ECN 203 – Economics Ideas and Issues
- ECN 301* – Intermediate Microeconomics
- ECN 302* – Intermediate Macroeconomics
- ECN 365* – The World Economy
- GEO 353 – Environmental Justice
- PSC 383 – Civil Society and Democracy
- SOC 101 – Introduction to Sociology
- SOC 102 – Social Problems
- SOC 363 – Urban Sociology
- STS/BPS 101 – Introduction to Science, Technology and Society

* requires ECN203 as prerequisite

**Group 2: Global Affairs**
- ECN 365 – The World Economy
- GEO 103 – Environment and Society
- GEO 105 – World Geography
- GEO 215 – Global Environmental Change
- GEO 272 – World Cultures
- GEO 273 – World Political Economy
- MAX 123 – Critical Issues for the U.S.
- MAX 132 – Global Community
- PAF 351 – Global Social Problems
- PSC 124 – International Relations
- PSC 355 – International Political Economy

**Group 3: Public Policy and Policy Studies**
- ECN/WGS 358 – Economics of US Poverty & Discrimination
- GEO 203 – Society and the Politics of Nature
- GEO 314 – Hazardous geographic Environments
- GEO 356 – Environmental Ideas & Policy
- PAF 101 – An Introduction to the Analysis of Public Policy
- PAF 409* – Intermediate Analysis of Public Policy
- PAF 451 – Environmental Policy
- PSC 302 – Environmental Politics and Policy
- PSC 305 – Congressional Politics
- PSC 308 – The Politics of US Public Policy
- PSC 312 – Urban Government & Politics
- PSC 318 – Technology, Politics & Environment

* requires PAF101 as prerequisite
## Description

The document outlines a curriculum for Computer Engineering, detailing prerequisites, courses, and credit requirements for various semesters. It includes sections for Mathematics, Sciences, writing skills, English, and computer engineering, among others. The curriculum is structured to include mandatory courses, technical electives, and non-engineering/science electives.

### Mathematics (21)

- PHI 251 Logic (3)
- MAT 295 Calculus 1 (4)
- MAT 296 Calculus 2 (pr: MAT 295 min C-) (4)
- MAT 331 1st Course in Linear Algebra (pr: MAT 296) (3)
- CIS 375 Intro to Discrete Mathematics (pr: PHI 251) (3)
- CIS 321 Intro to Probability and Statistics (pr: MAT 295) (4)

### Sciences (12)

- CHE 150 General Chem. for Engineers (3)
- CHE 151 General Chem. for Engineers Lab (co: CHE 150) (1)
- PHY 211 General Physics 1 (co: PHY 221, MAT 295) (3)
- PHY 221 General Physics Lab 1 (co: PHY 211) (1)
- PHY 212 General Physics 2 (pr: PHY 211, 221, co: PHY 222, MAT 296) (3)
- PHY 222 General Physics Lab 2 (co: PHY 212) (1)

### Writing Skills (9)

- WRT 105 Studio 1: Practices of Academic Writing (3)
- WRT 205 Studio 2: Critical Research and Writing (pr: WRT 105) (3)
- WRT 401 Technical Comm. Design Methodology (pr: WRT 105, 205) (3)
- WRT 402 Technical Comm. Prototyping & Constr (pr: WRT 105, 205, 401) (1)

### Social Science/Humanities/General Ed. (9)

- ECS 392 Ethical Aspects of ECS (3)
- SSH Elective (3)
- SSH Elective (3)

### Engineering (14)

- ECS 101 Intro. to Engr. & Comp. Sci. (3)
- ECS 102 Intro. to Computing (3)
- ELE 231 Electrical Engr. Fundamentals I (pr: MAT 295) (3)
- ELE 232 Electrical Engr. Fundamentals II (pr: ELE 231) (3)
- ELE 291 Electrical Lab. 1 (co: ELE 231) (1)
- ELE 292 Electrical Lab. 2 (co: ELE 232) (1)

### Computer Engineering (35)

- CSE 261 Digital Logic Design (3)
- CSE 262 Digital System Design and Simulation (1)
- CSE 283 Intro. To Object-Oriented Design (pr: ECS 102) (3)
- CSE 281 Computer Architecture (pr: CSE 261, CSE 281) (3)
- CSE 382 Algorithms & Data Structures (pr: CSE 283) (3)
- CSE 384 Systems Programming (pr: CSE 281 or CSE 283) (3)
- CSE 389 Web Sys Arch, and Programming (pr: CIS 351 or CSE 382) (3)
- CSE 397 Computer Laboratory 1 (pr: CSE 261, ELE 292) (3)
- CSE 398 Computer Laboratory 2 (pr:CSE 397) (1)
- CSE 486 Design of Operating Systems (pr: CSE 341,342, 351 or CSE 281, 382) (3)
- CSE 491 Senior Design Project I (pr: CSE 398) (1)
- CSE 492 Senior Design Project II (pr: CSE 491) (3)

### Technical Electives (18)**

- Tech Elective (3)
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- Tech Elective (3)
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### Non-Eng./Comp. Science Electives (12)**

- Arts & Science Elective (3)
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- Non-Eng./Comp. Sci. Elective (3)
- Non-Eng./Comp. Sci. Elective (3)

### Total Credits

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* CIS 321 can be waived if a student takes both MAT 521 and MAT 525. ** Every year, three courses will be selected as Group A courses, at least two of them have to be selected. *** At least 6 of the 9 credits must be from the College of Arts & Sciences.
Technical Electives
Students fulfill 18 credits of technical electives by completing at least 6 credits from group A technical electives and the remaining from group B technical electives. Special topic technical courses, which from time to time are offered, may be assigned to either group A or group B as determined by Computer Engineering program committee. Every year the computer engineering program committee will review the list and may make change(s).

Group A (at least 6 credits):
- Please see the Program Director for a list of courses.

Group B (remaining credits):
- Any CSE, ELE, CIS course 300 Level or above can be considered as a Group B elective

The Computer Engineering Program Committee will determine if a specific ‘special topics’ course can be used to fulfill the technical elective requirement.

Social Sciences and Humanities Electives
This 6-credit requirement for SSH electives may be fulfilled by any combination of courses whose contents are in the social science and humanities area. A glossary of course designations with such contents can be found in the Humanities Division and the Social Sciences Division of the College of Arts and Sciences with the exception of the following Anthropology - Physical courses: ANT 131, 331, 431, 432, and 433. These glossaries are given in The College of Arts and Sciences section of the Undergraduate Catalog.

Non-Engineering/Computer Science Electives
The purpose of this 12-credit requirement of non-engineering/computer science elective courses is to provide students with a broad educational experience in a diversity of subjects.

More specifically, technical courses offered by (or crosslisted with) the College of Engineering and Computer Science (ECS), courses with pass/fail grades, CPS courses, and 100-level courses in CHE, MAT, and PHY cannot be used to satisfy this requirement. IST courses will require permissions from academic advisors.

General Information
Note that you cannot take CIS 554 – Object-Oriented Programming in C++, to fulfill any requirement in the Computer Engineering undergraduate program. This is because a considerable amount of material covered in this course overlaps with the material covered in the core course CSE 283 – Introduction to Object-Oriented Design.

Note that CPS courses cannot be taken to fulfill any of the requirements for the Computer Engineering undergraduate program. These courses are designed for non-majors in Computer Engineering or in Computer Science.

Minors
In order to promote interdisciplinary study and facilitate the pursuit of minors, students may use up to 6 credits of technical electives towards completing minor requirements (in programs other than MAT and ELE). In this case, at least 6 credits of technical electives have to be from Group A (shown above). This special rule applies only when a student actually completes a minor requirement.
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1. Electrical Engineering (EE) students must complete 18 credit hours in social sciences/humanities/Non-Technical electives using any one of the following options:

   **Option 1:** Students may use their electives to complete a non-technical minor. Students pursuing this option must plan early in their degree program.

   **Option 2:** Complete the divisional perspective requirements of humanities division and take the remaining electives from the social sciences division.

   **Option 3:** Complete the divisional perspective requirements of social sciences division and take the remaining electives from the humanities division.

2. In the EE program, tracks of specialization (described in the 2014-2015 Syracuse University online Undergraduate Course Catalog: http://coursecatalog.syr.edu/2014/programs/electrical_engineering) and minors are used to regulate technical electives. A student must complete four technical elective courses in Electrical Engineering or Computer Engineering. At a minimum, two of these courses must complete one EE track. Students need to complete only one EE track (two EE elective courses). If a student chooses to complete two tracks, there are 12 credits of technical electives. If a student chooses to complete one EE track and a technical ECS minor, the technical electives are increased to 21 credits. Courses that are not required for students who complete a technical minor are ELE 346, 325, and 312.

3. First year courses in Physics, Mathematics and computer programming may not be used as unspecified electives.

**Footnotes to the Curriculum Table:**

* Students who choose to complete a technical ECS minor may replace these courses with technical electives.

**Tracks (Technical Electives)**

Tracks are intended to provide a cohesive set of technical electives for electrical engineering students. A track usually consists of a group of four courses (12 credits). In the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science there are three tracks in electrical engineering.

**Communications Track:**

ELE 351 System and Signal Analysis 3  
ELE 352 Digital Signal Processing 3  
And two of the following:  
ELE 551 Communication Systems 3  
ELE 458 Data Networks: Basic Principles 3  
ELE 591 Special Topics in Communications 3  
ELE 452 Digital Audio Signal Processing 3

**Electromagnetics Track:**

ELE 324 Electromagnetics I 3  
ELE 325 Electromagnetics II* 3  
And two of the following:  
ELE 424 Fundamentals of RF & Microwaves 3  
ELE 425 Microwave Engineering 3  
ELE 525 Electromagnetics Compatibility 3  
ELE 524 Intro to Applied Optics 3

**Power Track:**

ELE 324 Electromagnetics I 3  
ELE 333 Analog Circuits 3  
And two of the following:  
ELE 416 Electromechanical Devices 3  
ELE 514 Electric Power Systems 3  
ELE 417 Power Electronics 3  
ELE 418 Sensors and Measurements 3  
ELE 591 Distributed Source & Integration in Smart Grid 3

* Students who choose to complete a technical ECS minor may replace these courses (ELE346, ELE325, and ELE312) with technical electives.
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SS/HUM ELECTIVES
All CIE students are required to complete at least 18 credits of SS/HUM electives. A minimum of one course (or 3 credits) must be chosen from each of the three groups of designated courses listed below. The remaining three SS/HUM electives (or 9 credits) can be selected from the lists below or, in addition to the lists, may be chosen from:

- any College of Arts and Sciences courses that are listed on their Humanities and Social Sciences lists in the SU Bulletin – Undergraduate Course Catalog
- any foreign language courses (except student’s native language)
- ECS 391 – Legal Aspects of ECS
- ECS 392 – Ethical Aspects of ECS.

**Group 1: Economics and Social Issues**
- ECN 203 – Economics Ideas and Issues
- ECN 301* – Intermediate Microeconomics
- ECN 302* – Intermediate Macroeconomics
- ECN 365* – The World Economy
- GEO 353 – Environmental Justice
- PSC 383 – Civil Society and Democracy
- SOC 101 – Introduction to Sociology
- SOC 102 – Social Problems
- SOC 363 – Urban Sociology
- STS/BPS 101 – Introduction to Science, Technology and Society
* requires ECN203 as prerequisite

**Group 2: Global Affairs**
- ECN 365 – The World Economy
- GEO 103 – Environment and Society
- GEO 105 – World Geography
- GEO 215 – Global Environmental Change
- GEO 272 – World Cultures
- GEO 273 – World Political Economy
- MAX 123 – Critical Issues for the U.S.
- MAX 132 – Global Community
- PAF 351 – Global Social Problems
- PSC 124 – International Relations
- PSC 355 – International Political Economy

**Group 3: Public Policy and Policy Studies**
- ECN/WGS 358 – Economics of US Poverty & Discrimination
- GEO 203 – Society and the Politics of Nature
- GEO 314 – Hazardous Geographic Environments
- GEO 356 – Environmental Ideas & Policy
- PAF 101 – An Introduction to the Analysis of Public Policy
- PAF 409* – Intermediate Analysis of Public Policy
- PAF 451 – Environmental Policy
- PSC 302: Environmental Politics and Policy
- PSC 305 – Congressional Politics
- PSC 308 – The Politics of US Public Policy
- PSC 312 – Urban Government & Politics
- PSC 318 – Technology, Politics & Environment
* requires PAF101 as prerequisite

PROFESSIONAL ELECTIVES
Professional Electives are courses that advance a student’s professional abilities and form a cohesive and meaningful addition to the required CIE coursework. They are designed to develop and enhance a student’s role as a professional civil or environmental engineer. Professional Electives are *upper-level courses* (300 and above; as well as ECS 222, ELE 231, and MAE 251 that have not been used for degree credits), generally from professional schools at SU and SUNY-ESF, and must be selected in consultation with the student’s academic advisor. Many Professional Electives can be used towards completion of a minor. Approved Professional Electives are courses offered in the following schools/colleges with the indicated prefixes that meet the above stated criteria.

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1. Mechanical Engineering students must take at least 3 credit hours in the Social Science/ Humanities in addition to ECN203. Further, they must take two Technical Electives (6 credits), one of which must be either MAE430, MAE571, or MAE573, as well as complete one of the following two 18-credit options, for a total of nine (9) Electives (27 credit hours):

   **Option 1:** A University Minor – typically 18 credits coordinated by the offering department; the minor must have fewer than 12 credits of overlap with required MEE courses.

   **Option 2:** A Distribution of Electives – an additional 6 credits of Social Sciences/Humanities, 9 credits of Technical Electives, and a 3-credit Free Elective.

2. Technical Electives are courses at the 300 level or higher taken within the Mechanical and Aerospace (MAE) department. Selected courses from other ECS departments, mathematics, or natural sciences may be accepted as Technical Electives, but no more than 3 credit hours of the Technical Electives can be taken outside the MAE department.

3. Many technical electives in the MAE Department are scheduled on a 2-year rotation, so students should check availability of Technical Electives starting in their third year.

4. Mechanical Engineering students seeking to complete a Mathematics Minor can take a mathematics course as a Free Elective but must still complete one of the 2 options listed above.

5. Mechanical Engineering students seeking to complete the Energy Systems Minor (15 credits) must take an additional 3-credit Social Sciences/Humanities Elective.
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Select one of the following three courses:

- CRS/CAS325 Presentational Speaking (3)
- IST 444 Info. Reporting & Presentations (3)

Arts & Sciences Elec (39 cr) 6 cr Hum, 6 cr SS, 6 cr Nat Sci. & Math, 21 cr (in total) SS and/or Hum and/or VPA

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Free Electives (3 cr)

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Mathematics Foundations (13 cr)

| MAT194 Pre-Calculus | (4) | 4 |
| PHI 251 Logic | (3) | 3 |
| CIS 375 Intro to Discrete Math (pr: PHI 251) | (3) | 3 |
| CIS 223 Statistical Reasoning and Practice (pr: MAT 194) | (3) | 3 |

SIS Core (32 cr)

| SIS 100 Freshman Forum | (3) | 3 |

Computing Core (20 Cr)

| ECS102 Intro to Computing | (3) | 3 |
| CIS 252 Intro to Computer Science | (4) | 4 |
| CIS 351 Data Structures (pr: CIS 252) | (4) | 4 |
| CIS/CSE 386 Princ of Computer Systems Des. (pr: ECS 102, CIS 351) | (3) | 3 |
| CIS 453 Software Specifications & Design (pr: CIS 351 or CSE 382) | (3) | 3 |
| CIS 454 Software Implementations (pr: CIS 453) | (3) | 3 |

Information Management Core (9 cr)

| IST 335 Intro to Information-Based Organ. | (3) | 3 |
| IST 352 Information Analysis of Organ Sys. | (3) | 3 |
| IST 445 Managing Information Sys Projects | (3) | 3 |

Short Technical Sequence (6 cr)

| Tech Spec | (3) | 3 |
| Tech Spec | (3) | 3 |

Focus Area (18 cr)

| Elective | (3) | 3 |
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TOTAL CREDITS | 120 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 12 |
SIS Specializations
All SIS students must complete both a Short Technical Sequence (6 credits) and a Focus Area (18 credits).

The Short Technical Sequence requires a two-course sequence in one of several applied-technology areas: Database Management, Networking, Security Management, Systems, and Web Design Management.

The Focus Area requires 18 credits in a specific domain, which represents a potential area for the application of a student’s information management and computing skills.

Students may not count the same course towards both their Short Technical Sequence and their Focus Area.

Short Technical Sequence
Students must complete one of the following short technical sequences:

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Focus Areas
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Note: Students who take the Information Assurance & Security focus area cannot take the Security Management short technical sequence.

Any minor (of at least 18 credits) throughout the University, with the following exceptions:
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Information Management and Technology

Any major throughout the University, with the following exceptions:
- Computer Science
- Information Management and Technology
Computer Science Students

Summary
The current Computer Science (CS) undergraduate curriculum was approved by the faculty of the department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science in the Spring of 2011.

The requirements for the program of study are divided into three categories: general education, mathematics and major. The general education category has requirements in writing, presentation skills, natural science and engineering, and a requirement for courses offered by the College of Arts and Sciences or the College of Visual and Performing Arts. The major category has two parts—the computer science core, and the upper-division electives.

GENERAL EDUCATION
6 Writing (WRT 105, WRT 205)
3 Presentation Skills
18 Natural Science and Engineering (including ECS 101, 102 and PHY 211, 221)
21 Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences (including PHI 251, ECS 392)
9 free electives

MATHEMATICS
15 or 16 Mathematics

MAJOR
33 Computer and Information Science core courses
18 upper-division courses
123 or 124 Credit hours total

Table 1: Credit hours required for the CS Bachelor’s program.

Important Notes on Course Restrictions
The restrictions on courses listed below are not comprehensive. Students unclear about the appropriateness of courses for meeting a distribution requirement must petition for acceptance of the course(s) through the CIS program committee before taking the course.

Prior to registration each semester, students must meet with their faculty advisors for assistance in choosing appropriate courses.

General-Education Requirements
The intent of the general-education requirements is to ensure that students graduate with knowledge of subjects beyond Computer Science, with particular emphasis on writing skills.

Writing Requirements
The following two courses are required (no grade below C- is acceptable):

WRT 105 Writing Studio I
WRT 205 Writing Studio II
**Presentation Skills Requirement**

Students must successfully complete at least one of the following courses:

- CRS 255  *Public Advocacy*
- CAS 325/CRS 325  *Presentational Speaking*
- IST 444  *Information Reporting and Presentation*

**Natural Science and Engineering Requirements**

Eighteen credits of natural science and engineering courses are required: six in engineering and twelve in science. These engineering courses are required:

- ECS 101  *Introduction to Engineering and Computer Science*
- ECS 102  *Introduction to Computing*

The twelve credits of science must include a two-semester sequence in a laboratory science, as well as the following courses:

- PHY 211  *General Physics*
- PHY 221  *General Physics Lab*

A student may take the second physics course (PHY 212) and its associated lab (PHY 222) to satisfy the two-semester requirement; the student would still have to take an additional four credits of science. Possible two-course sequences include the following:

- PHY 211/221  *General Physics I and Laboratory* and
- PHY 212/222  *General Physics II and Laboratory*
- CHE 106/107  *General Chemistry Lecture and Laboratory* and
- CHE 116/117  *General Chemistry Lecture II and Laboratory*
- BIO 121  *General Biology* and
- BIO 123/124  *General Biology II and General Biology II Laboratory*

Additional courses that may be used to complete the science requirement include those in the following departments, except those courses specifically excluded or whose content relates primarily to computing and/or mathematics, or to social and historical issues. Such courses may be appropriate for other distribution requirements.

- Anthropology, Physical (ANT 131, 331, 431, 432, 433)
- Biology (BIO)
- Chemistry (CHE)
- Earth Sciences (EAR)
- Materials Science (MTS)
- Physics (PHY)

The following courses **do not** satisfy the science requirement:

- Social, Cultural Anthropology (ANT 211)
- Astronomy (AST 215)
- CHE 103, 113
- Geography (GEO)
- EAR 102, 105
- NEU 211
- PHY 101/111, 102/112, 105, 106
Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Requirements

Students are required to take PHI 251 (Logic), ECS 392 (Ethical Aspects of Engineering and Computer Science), and fifteen additional credit hours of courses in fine arts, humanities, and/or social sciences. These courses (A/H/SS) are to be drawn from the offerings of the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Visual and Performing Arts. In general, courses from the following departments may be used:

Art Photography (APH)  
African American Studies (AAS)  
Applied Music (AMC) American Studies (AMS)  
Anthropology–Social and Cultural (ANT)  
Arabic (ARB)  
Art (ART)  
Ceramics (CER)  
Chinese (CHI)  
Communications Design (CMD)  
Communication and Rhetorical Studies (CRS)  
Drama (DRA)  
Economics (ECN)  
English and Textual Studies (ETS)  
Fine Arts (FIA)  
Fiber Arts (FIB)  
Film (FIL)  
Foundation (FND)  
French (FRE)  
Fashion Illustration (FSH)  
Geography (GEO)  
German (GER)  
Greek (GRE)  
Hebrew (HEB)  
Hindi (HIN)  
History (HST)  
History of Art (HOA)  
History of Music (HOM)  
Humanities (HUM)  
Illustration (ILL)  
International Relations (IRP)  
Interior Design (ISD)  
Italian (ITA)  
Japanese (JPS)  
Jewish Studies Program (JSP)  
Korean (KOR)  
Latin (LAT)  
Latin American Studies (LAS)  
Linguistics (LIN)  
Literature in Translation (LIT)  
Middle Eastern Studies (MES)  
Museum Studies (MUS)  
Music History & Literature (MHL)  
Native American Studies (NAT)  
Public Affairs & Citizenship (PAF) Philosophy (PHI)  
Polish (POL)  
Political Science (PSC)  
Psychology (PSY)  
Printmaking (PRT)  
Painting (PTG)  
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Studies (QSX)  
Persian (PRS)  
Portuguese (POR)  
Religion (REL)  
Sculpture (SCU)  
Sociology (SOC)  
Social Science (SOS)  
South Asian Studies (SAS)  
Spanish (SPA)  
Surface Pattern Design (SPD)  
Studio Arts (STA)  
Swahili (SWA)  
Turkish (TRK)  
Art Video (VID)  
Women’s and Gender Studies (WGS)  
Writing (WRT)
The following courses/departments cannot be used:

Art Education (AED)  Earth Sciences (EAR)
Astronomy (AST)  Industrial Design (IND)
Advertising Design (ADD)  Mathematics (MAT)
Anthropology – Physical (see above)  Music Education (MUE)
Biology (BIO)  Non-departmental AS (NAS)
Chemistry (CHE)  Physics (PHY)
Cognitive Science COG)  Science Teaching (SCI)
Communication Sciences & Disorders (CSD)  Undergraduate Research Program (URP)
Computer Art (CAR)  WRT 105, WRT 205

Also excluded are any courses cross-listed in the College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Education, as well as the following courses:

ANT 131, 431, 433  HNR 250, 255, 350, 355, 450, 455  CFS courses  PSY 223, 252, 323, 324, 334
GEO 155, 215, 316, 326, 455, 482, 583

Free Electives
Any and all courses may be taken as free electives, with the following exceptions:

• CPS courses do not count as free-elective credits for CS majors.
• ENL courses do not count as free-elective credits.

Mathematics Requirements
Fifteen or sixteen credit hours of Mathematics courses are required. No grade below C- is acceptable. Students must take the following three courses:

MAT 295  Calculus I  4 credits
MAT 296  Calculus II  4 credits
CIS 321  Introduction to Probability and Statistics  4 credits

In addition, students must also take at least one of the following courses:

MAT 397  Calculus III  (4 credits)
MAT 331  Linear Algebra  (3 credits)

Note: Students may petition to satisfy the 4-credit CIS 321 requirement by completing the 6-credit combination of MAT 521 and MAT 525. This option may be preferable for students pursuing a dual major or minor in mathematics.
Course Requirements for the Major

CIS Core Course Requirements
The following ten courses (33 credit hours) are required. These courses must be completed with a core GPA of at least 2.667. No grade below C– is acceptable for a core course.

- CIS 252 Introduction to Computer Science
- CIS 375 Introduction to Discrete Mathematics
- CIS 341 Computer Organization and Programming Systems
- CIS 342 Introduction to Systems Programming
- CIS 351 Data Structures
- CIS 352 Programming Languages: Theory and Practice
- CIS 453 Software Specification and Design
- CIS 454 Software Implementation
- CIS 473 Computability Theory
- CIS 477 Introduction to Analysis of Algorithms
- CIS 486 Design of Operating Systems

The diagram on the right shows the prerequisite structure of the core courses. As always, check with the course catalog and the course instructor for details.

Upper-Division Course Restrictions
Eighteen credit hours of upper-division courses are required: at least 9 of the 18 credits must be computer science or computer engineering courses. No grade below C– is acceptable for an upper-division elective. Upper-division courses include the following:

- CIS 400 Selected Topics
- CIS 425 Intro to Computer Graphics
- CIS 428 Intro to Cryptography
- CIS 444 Mobile Application Programming
- CIS 458 Data Networks: Basic Principles
- CIS 467 Intro to Artificial Intelligence
- CIS 468 Natural Language Processing
- CIS 471 Optimization Methods
- CIS 478 Intro to Quantum Computing
- CIS 483 Intro to Computer and Network Security
- CIS 487 Access Control, Security, and Trust
- CIS 488 Intro to Internet Security CIS
- CIS/MAT 545 Finite Mathematics
- CIS 551 Modern Programming in Java
- CIS 554 Object Oriented Programming in C++

- CSE 381 Computer Architecture
- CSE 397 Computer Laboratory I
- CSE 398 Computer Laboratory II
- CSE 483 C# and Windows Programming
- CSE 489 Web System Architecture & Programming
- CSE 491 Senior Design Project I
- CSE 492 Senior Design Project II
- CSE 561 Digital Machine Design
- CSE 581 Intro to Database Management Systems
- PHI 378 Minds and Machines
- PHI 551 Symbolic Logic
- PHI 552 Modal Logic
In general, students may choose any other CIS course numbered above 300, except those that carry no credit hours. However, the following courses do not qualify as upper-division electives:

- CIS 470 *Experience Credit*
- CIS 490 *Independent Study*

CS students may also choose any MAT courses at the 400 level or higher, except for the following:

- MAT 421 *Applied Probability and Statistics*
- MAT 485 *Differential Equations and Matrix Algebra for Engineers*
- MAT 521 *Introduction to Probability*

CS students may also choose topics courses (e.g., PHI 460 *Logic and Foundations of Mathematics*); however, they must petition the CIS program committee to have the specific course accepted before taking the course.

**Representative CIS Undergraduate Programs**

Here is a fairly typical CIS undergraduate program for a student who initially places into MAT 295.

**First Year**
- **Fall**
  - ECS 101
  - ECS 102
  - MAT 295
  - WRT 105
  - A/H/SS elective*
- **Spring**
  - CIS 252
  - MAT 296
  - PHY 211, PHY 221
  - PHI 251

**Second Year**
- **CIS 375**
- **CIS 351**
- **MAT 397 or MAT 331**
- **A/H/SS elective**
- **CIS 321**
- **CIS 341, CIS 342**
- **CIS 352**
- **WRT 205**
- **free elective**

**Third Year**
- **CIS 453**
- **CIS 477**
- **CIS 486**
- **presentation-skills elective**
- **science elective**
- **CIS 454**
- **CIS 473**
- **upper-division course**
- **A/H/SS elective**
- **science elective**

**Fourth Year**
- **upper-division course**
- **upper-division course**
- **upper-division course ECS 392**
- **A/H/SS elective**
- **upper-division course**
- **A/H/SS elective**
- **free elective**
- **free elective**

*Students wishing to preserve the option of transferring to an engineering major at the end of the first semester should take CHE 106/107 in place of the A/H/SS elective.*
Here is a fairly typical CIS undergraduate program for a student who initially places into MAT 194.

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|            | CIS 351       | CIS 341, CIS 342|
|            | MAT 296       | WRT 205         |
|            | A/H/SS elective |                 |
|            |               | MAT 397 or MAT 331 |
|            |               | free elective   |

| Third Year  | CIS 453       | CIS 454         |
|            | CIS 477 CIS486| CIS 473         |
|            | presentation-skill elective science elective | CIS 352         |
|            |               | A/H/SS elective science elective |

| Fourth Year | upper-division course | upper-division course |
|            | upper-division course | upper-division course |
|            | ECS 392            | A/H/SS elective      |
|            | A/H/SS elective    | free elective        |

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**GPA WORKSHEET**

**REQUIREMENTS:** Minimum grade of C- in English, Mathematics, Core, and Upper Division Courses
- 123 credits to graduate
- 2.0 Overall GPA to graduate
- 2.667 Core Course GPA
- Restrictions/exclusions as noted in the Undergraduate Handbook

**CORE GPA TALLY SHEET:**

2) Divide Total Grade Points by Total Course Credits for Core Grade Point Average (GPA).

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