Since it welcomed its first engineering students more than 65 years ago, the UCLA Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science has been at the forefront of advanced interdisciplinary research. Among its notable achievements, the school is well-known as the birthplace of the Internet, for developing the first reverse-osmosis membrane for the desalination of water, and for many other activities that have led to new technologies and changed the way we interact with the world around us.

Our faculty members and students are leaders in new frontiers of applied science and engineering research, in emerging areas such as clean and renewable energy, clean water technology, personalized healthcare, wireless sensing and sensor systems, cybersecurity, information technology, bioengineering, nanomanufacturing, microelectromechanical and nanoelectromechanical systems, and nanoelectronics.

UCLA Engineering is ideally situated to engage in interdisciplinary research and educational initiatives with others on campus and across Southern California. It benefits from proximity to the world-renowned David Geffen School of Medicine and the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management, as well as the Los Angeles entertainment and media industries, Silicon Valley, the defense and aerospace industries, and a growing biotechnology sector.

Our curriculum — with its emphasis on breadth of knowledge as well as depth — prepares our students for success in meeting the ever-changing demands of the engineering profession. In addition, undergraduate student research opportunities are widely available, and we encourage our students to take advantage of them.

Students may choose to work with individual faculty members or to participate in any of the school’s world-class interdisciplinary research centers. These include the NSF Center for Embedded Networked Sensing, NIH Center for Cell Control, Center on Functional Engineered Nano Architectonics, NRI Western Institute of Nanoelectronics, DOE-funded Center for Molecularly Engineered Energy Materials, NSF Center for Domain-Specific Computing, Smart Grid Energy Research Center, Wireless Health Institute, and Named Data Networking Project. We encourage students to spend one summer as interns in industry. Our faculty members and students are also active partners in the California NanoSystems Institute located at UCLA. In addition, the school is developing its research breakthroughs into the commercial sector through the off-campus Institute for Technology Advancement (ITA).

Our distinguished faculty is composed of recognized experts in their fields, including 21 members of the National Academy of Engineering, and many junior faculty who are widely acclaimed for their work. Many faculty members are award-winning educators, and every faculty member, no matter how senior, teaches at least one undergraduate course each year.

UCLA Engineering is also committed deeply to public service. This includes translating research discoveries made here into applications and innovations that benefit the state and nation. It also includes partnerships in the community and with K-12 schools to inspire more young people to take an interest in science and engineering careers.

The UCLA Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science is seeking exceptional and dedicated students who share our desire to positively contribute to the engineering profession and society. I invite you to consider becoming a UCLA engineer.
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The Campus
UCLA is a large urban university situated between the city and the sea at the foot of the Santa Monica Mountains. Less than six miles from the Pacific, it is bordered by Sunset and Wilshire Boulevards. As the city has grown physically and culturally, so has the campus, whose students and faculty mirror the cultural and racial diversity of today’s Los Angeles. UCLA is one of the most widely respected and recognized universities in the world, and its impact on society can be felt into the far reaches of the globe. Students come from around the world to receive a UCLA education, and our alumni go on to become leaders in their fields, from elected officials to heads of international corporations.

UCLA is recognized as the West’s leading center for the arts, culture, and medical research. Each year, more than half a million people attend visual and performing arts programs on campus, while more than 300,000 patients from around the world come to the Ronald Reagan UCLAMedical Center for treatment. The university’s 419-acre campus houses the College of Letters and Science and 11 professional schools. There are more than 39,593 students enrolled in 128 undergraduate and 198 graduate degree programs. Nearly one in every 140 Californians holds a UCLA degree.

UCLA is rated one of the best public research universities in the U.S. and among a handful of top U.S. research universities, public and private. The chief executive of the University is Chancellor Gene D. Block. He oversees all aspects of the University’s three-part mission of education, research, and service.

Southern California has grown to become one of the nation’s dominant industrial centers, and the UCLA Henry Samuel School of Engineering and Applied Science (HSSEAS) is uniquely situated as a hub of engineering research and professional training for this region.

The School
The UCLA College of Engineering (as it was known then) was established in 1943 when California Governor Earl Warren signed a bill to provide instruction in engineering at the UCLA campus. It welcomed its first students in 1945 and was dedicated as the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science in 2000. The school ranks among the top 10 engineering schools in public universities nationwide.

UCLA engineering faculty members are active participants in many interdisciplinary research centers. The Center for Embedded Networked Sensing (CENS) develops embedded networking sensing systems and applies this revolutionary technology to critical scientific and social applications. The Center for Cell Control (CCC) applies advanced engineering techniques and life sciences knowledge to control and understand how the cell works at the most basic level, with the goal of improving human health. The Center on Functional Engineered Nano Architectonics (FENA) leverages the latest advances in nanotechnology, molecular electronics, and quantum computing to extend semiconductor technology further into the realm of the nanoscale. The Western Institute of Nanoelectronics (WIN), among the world’s largest joint research programs focusing on spintronics, brings together nearly 30 eminent researchers to explore critically needed innovations in semiconductor technology. The Center for Molecularly Engineered Energy Materials (MEEM) focuses on the creation and production of nanoscale materials for use in converting solar energy into electricity and electrical energy storage, and capturing and separating greenhouse gases. The Center for Domain-Specific Computing (CDSC) is developing high-performance, energy efficient, customizable computing that could revolutionize the way computers are used in healthcare and other important applications. The Smart Grid Energy Research Center (SMERC) conducts research, creates innovations, and demonstrates advanced wireless/communications, Internet, and sense-and-control technologies to enable the development of the next generation of the electric utility grid. The Wireless Health Institute (WHI) is a community of UCLA experts and innovators from a variety of disciplines dedicated to improving healthcare delivery through the development and application of wireless network-enabled technologies integrated with current and next-generation medical enterprise computing. The Named Data Networking (NDN) Project is investigating the future of the Internet’s architecture, capitalizing on its strengths and addressing weaknesses, to accommodate emerging patterns of communication. Finally, the California NanoSystems Institute (CNSI)—a joint endeavor with UC Santa Barbara—develops the information, biomedical, and manufacturing technologies of the twenty-first century.

In addition, the school has identified critical areas for collaborative research that will have a major impact on the future of California and the world. Among these are biomedical informatics; alternative energy solutions; secure electronic transfer of information; new tools for the entertainment industry; systems, dynamics, and controls; advanced technologies for water reclamation; and new approaches and technologies for aerospace engineering.

And the school recently established the Institute for Technology Advancement (ITA), an off-campus institute dedicated to the effective transition of high-impact innovative research from UCLA to product
development and commercialization. ITA nurtures and incubates breakthrough ideas to create new industrial products, as well as provides a learning platform for faculty members and students to engage in transitional technology research.

The school offers 29 academic and professional degree programs, including an interdepartmental graduate degree program in biomedical engineering. The Bachelor of Science degree is offered in Aerospace Engineering, Bioengineering, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science, Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Materials Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering. The undergraduate curricula leading to these degrees provide students with a solid foundation in engineering and applied science and prepare graduates for immediate practice of the profession as well as advanced studies. In addition to engineering courses, students complete about one year of study in the humanities, social sciences, and/or fine arts.

Master of Science and Ph.D. degrees are offered in Aerospace Engineering, Bioengineering, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Manufacturing Engineering (M.S. only), Materials Science and Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering. A schoolwide online Master of Science in Engineering degree program was approved in June 2006. The Engineer degree is a more advanced degree than the M.S. but does not require the research effort and orientation involved in a Ph.D. dissertation. For information on the Engineer degree, see Graduate Programs on page 24. A one-year program leading to a Certificate of Specialization is offered in various fields of engineering and applied science.

Endowed Chairs
Endowed professorships or chairs, funded by gifts from individuals or corporations, support the research and educational activities of distinguished members of the faculty. The following endowed chairs have been established in the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science.

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Rockwell Collins Chair in Engineering
William Frederick Seyer Chair in Materials Science
Symantec Chair in Computer Science
Carol and Lawrence E. Tannas, Jr., Endowed Chair in Engineering
William D. Van Vorst Chair in Chemical Engineering Education
Wintek Endowed Chair in Electrical Engineering

The Engineering Profession
The following describes the challenging types of work HSSEAS graduates might perform based on their program of study.

Aerospace Engineering
Aerospace engineers conceive, design, develop, test, and supervise the construction of aerospace vehicle systems such as commercial and military aircraft, helicopters and other types of rotorcraft, and space vehicles and satellites, including launch systems. They are employed by aerospace companies, airframe and engine manufacturers, government agencies such as NASA and the military services, and research and development organizations.

Working in a high-technology industry, aerospace engineers are generally well versed in applied mathematics and the fundamental engineering sciences, particularly fluid mechanics and thermodynamics, dynamics and control, and structural and solid mechanics. Aerospace vehicles are complex systems. Proper design and construction involves the coordinated application of technical disciplines, including aerodynamics, structural analysis and design, stability and control, aeroelasticity, performance analysis, and propulsion systems technology.

Aerospace engineers use computer systems and programs extensively and should have at least an elementary understanding of modern electronics. They work in a challenging and highly technical atmosphere and are likely to operate at the forefront of scientific discoveries, often stimulating these discoveries and providing the inspiration for the creation of new scientific concepts.

The B.S. program in Aerospace Engineering emphasizes fundamental disciplines and therefore provides a solid base for professional career development in industry and graduate study in aerospace engineering. Graduate education prepares students for careers at the forefront of aerospace technology. The Ph.D. degree provides a strong background for employment by government laboratories, such as NASA, and industrial research laboratories supported by the major aerospace companies. It also provides the appropriate background for academic careers.

Bioengineering
At the interface of medical sciences, basic sciences, and engineering, bioengineering has emerged internationally as an established engineering discipline. As these disciplines converge in the twenty-first century, bioengineers solve problems in biology and medicine by applying principles of physical sciences and engineering while applying biological principles to create new engineering paradigms, such as biomimetic materials, DNA computing, and neural networking. The genomic and proteomic revolution will drive a new era in the bioengineering industry, and future bioengineers must combine proficiency in traditional engineering, basic sciences, and molecular sciences to function as effective leaders of multidisciplinary teams.

UCLA has a long history of fostering interdisciplinary training and is a superb environment for bioengineers. UCLA boasts the top hospital in the western U.S., nationally ranked medical and engineering schools, and numerous nationally recognized programs in basic sciences. Rigorously trained bioengineers are needed
in research institutions, academia, and industry. Their careers may follow their bioengineering concentration (e.g., tissue engineering, bioMEMs, bioinformatics, image and signal processing, neuroengineering, cellular engineering, molecular engineering, biomechanics, nanofabrication, bioacoustics, biomaterials, etc.), but the ability of bioengineers to cut across traditional field boundaries will facilitate their innovation in new areas. For example, a bioengineer with an emphasis in tissue engineering may begin a career by leading a team to engineer an anterior cruciate ligament for a large orthopedic company, and later join a research institute to investigate the effects of zero gravity on mechanical signal transduction pathways of bone cells.

Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering
Chemical and biomolecular engineers use their knowledge of mathematics, physics, chemistry, biology, and engineering to meet the needs of our technological society. They design, research, develop, operate, and manage within the biochemical and chemical industries and are leaders in the fields of energy and the environment, nanotechnology, systems engineering, biotechnology, and biomolecular engineering, and advanced materials processing. They are in charge of the chemical processes used by virtually all industries, including the pharmaceutical, biotechnology, food, paper, aerospace, automotive, water production and treatment, and semiconductor industries. Architectural, engineering, and construction firms employ chemical engineers for equipment and process design. It is also their mission to develop the clean and environmentally friendly technologies of the future.

Major areas of fundamental interest within chemical engineering are

1. **Applied chemical kinetics**, which involves the design of chemical reaction processes and reactors, including combustion systems,
2. **Transport phenomena**, which involves the exchange of momentum, heat, and mass across interfaces and has applications in the separation of valuable materials from mixtures, or of pollutants from gas and liquid streams,
3. **Thermodynamics**, which is fundamental to both separation processes and chemical reactor design, and
4. **Plant and process design**, synthesis, optimization, simulation, and control, which provide the overall framework for integrating chemical engineering knowledge into industrial application and practice.

Civil and Environmental Engineering
Civil engineers plan, design, construct, and manage a range of physical systems, such as buildings, bridges, dams and tunnels, transportation systems, water and wastewater treatment systems, coastal and ocean engineering facilities, and environmental engineering projects, related to public works and private enterprises. Thus, civil and environmental engineering embraces activities in traditional areas and in emerging problem areas associated with modern industrial and social development.

The civil engineering profession demands rigorous scientific training and a capacity for creativity and growth into developing fields. In Southern California, besides employment in civil engineering firms and governmental agencies for public works, civil engineering graduates often choose the aerospace industry for assignments based on their structural engineering background. Graduates are also qualified for positions outside engineering where their broad engineering education is a valuable asset.

The curriculum leading to a B.S. in Civil Engineering provides an excellent foundation for entry into professional practice, as well as for graduate study in civil engineering and other related fields.

Computer Science and Engineering
Students specializing in the computer science and engineering undergraduate program are educated in a range of computer system concepts. As a result, students at the B.S. level are qualified for employment as applications programmers, systems programmers, digital system designers, digital system marketing engineers, and project engineers.

Undergraduates can major either in the computer science and engineering program or in the computer science program.

Graduate degree programs in computer science prepare students for leadership positions in the computer field. In addition, they prepare graduates to deal with the most difficult problems facing the computer science field. University or college teaching generally requires the graduate degree.

Electrical Engineering
The electrical engineering discipline deals primarily with the sensing, analysis, and processing of information. It develops circuits, devices, algorithms, and theories that can be used to sense data, analyze data, extrapolate data, communicate data, and take action in response to the data collected. The Electrical Engineering Department is a recognized leader in education and research related to these subjects.

Manufacturing Engineering
Manufacturing engineering is an interdisciplinary field that integrates the basic knowledge of materials, design, processes, computers, and system analysis. The manufacturing engineering program is part of the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department.

Specialized areas are generally classified as manufacturing processes, manufacturing planning and control, and computer-aided manufacturing.

Manufacturing engineering as an engineering specialty requires the education and experience necessary to understand, apply, and control engineering procedures in manufacturing processes and production methods of industrial commodities and products. It involves the generation of manufacturing systems, the development of novel and specialized equipment, research into the phenomena of fabricating technologies, and manufacturing feasibility of new products.

Coursework, independent studies, and research are offered in the manufacturing processes area, leading to an M.S. degree. This includes computer-aided design and computer-aided manufacturing, robotics, metal forming and metal cutting analysis, nondestructive evaluation, and design and optimization of manufacturing processes.

Materials Engineering
Materials engineering is concerned with the structure and properties of materials used in modern technology. Advances in technology are often limited by available materials. Solutions to energy problems depend largely on new materials, such as solar cells or materials for batteries for electric cars.

Two programs within materials engineering are available at UCLA:
1. In the materials engineering program, students become acquainted with metals, ceramics, polymers, and composites. Such expertise is highly sought by the aerospace and manufacturing industries. Materials engineers are responsible for the selection and testing of materials for specific applications. Traditional fields of metallurgy and ceramics have been merged in industry, and this program reflects the change.

2. In the electronic materials option of the materials engineering program, students learn the basics of materials engineering with a concentration in electronic materials and processing. The optional program requires additional coursework which includes five to eight electrical engineering courses.

In order to enter a career in research and development of new materials (such as new energy devices), an M.S. or Ph.D. degree is desirable.

**Mechanical Engineering**

Mechanical engineering is a broad discipline finding application in virtually all industries and manufactured products. The mechanical engineer applies principles of mechanics, dynamics, and energy transfer to the design, analysis, testing, and manufacture of consumer and industrial products. A mechanical engineer usually has specialized knowledge in areas such as design, materials, fluid dynamics, solid mechanics, heat transfer, thermodynamics, dynamics, control systems, manufacturing methods, and human factors. Applications of mechanical engineering include design of machines used in the manufacturing and processing industries, mechanical components of electronic and data processing equipment, engines and power-generating equipment, components and vehicles for land, sea, air, and space, and artificial components for the human body. Mechanical engineers are employed throughout the engineering community as individual consultants in small firms providing specialized products or services, as designers and managers in large corporations, and as public officials in government agencies.

Mechanical engineers apply their knowledge to a wealth of systems, products, and processes, including energy generation, utilization and conservation, power and propulsion systems (power plants, engines), and commercial products found in the automotive, aerospace, chemical, or electronics industries.

The B.S. program in Mechanical Engineering at UCLA provides excellent preparation for a career in mechanical engineering and a foundation for advanced graduate studies. Graduate studies in one of the specialized fields of mechanical engineering prepare students for a career at the forefront of technology. The Ph.D. degree provides a strong background for employment by government laboratories, industrial research laboratories, and academia.
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General Information

Facilities and Services

Teaching and research facilities at HSSEAS are in Boelter Hall, Engineering I, Engineering IV, and Engineering V, located in the southern part of the UCLA campus. Boelter Hall houses classrooms and laboratories for undergraduate and graduate instruction, the Office of Academic and Student Affairs (http://www.seas.oasa.ucla.edu), the SEASnet computer facility (http://www.seas.ucla.edu/SEASnet/), and offices of faculty and administration. The SEL/Engineering and Mathematical Sciences Library is also in Boelter Hall. The Shop Services Center and the Student and Faculty Shop are in the Engineering I building. The California NanoSystems Institute (CNSI) building hosts additional HSSEAS collaborative research activities.

Library Facilities

University Library System

The UCLA Library, a campuswide network of libraries serving programs of study and research in many fields, is among the top 10 ranked research libraries in the U.S. Total collections number more than 8 million volumes, and nearly 80,000 serial titles are received regularly. Some 15,000 serials and databases are electronically available, and the UCLA Library Catalog is linked to the library's homepage at http://www.library.ucla.edu.

Science and Engineering Library

The SEL/Engineering and Mathematical Sciences Collection in Boelter Hall houses the engineering, mathematics, statistics, astronomy, and atmospheric and oceanic sciences collections, as well as most library and staff offices. In addition, the library provides laptop checkout, four group study rooms, a representation rehearsal studio, and a research commons for collaborative projects. Librarians provide reference assistance from 11 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday in person, by e-mail, and through online chat. Faculty, students, and staff can e-mail questions to the library at sel-ref@library.ucla.edu.

The SEL/Chemistry collection in the Biomedical Library, located in the Center for Health Sciences, contains complementary materials in chemistry and physics. The SEL/Geology-Geophysics Collection, located at 4697 Geology Building, focuses on earth and space sciences with materials in geochemistry, geology, hydrology, tectonics, water resources, geophysics, and space physics.

The SEL collection contains over 585,000 print volumes, subscribes to almost 4,900 current serials in print and/or electronic formats, and includes over 4 million technical reports. In addition to e-journals, the library provides Web access to article databases covering each discipline and several thousand e-books.

The SEL website, located at http://www.library.ucla.edu/libraries/sel/, highlights other library services including course reserves, laptop lending, interlibrary loan, document delivery and other services, the SEL blog, and others useful engineering Web resources. Librarians are available for consultations and to provide course-related instruction.

Services

Instructional Computer Facility

HSSEAS maintains a network of over 130 enterprise servers that provide a wide array of critical services for School of Engineering students, faculty, and staff. Eight Network Appliance NFS servers supply reliable storage for user's personal data and e-mail, and offer nearly instant recovery of deleted files through regular snapshots.

More than 100 Unix servers, including 25 virtual machines, provide administrative and instructional support to ensure smooth operation of approximately 700 Linux and Windows workstations. The Unix servers provide back-end services such as DNS, authentication, virtualization, software licensing, web servers, interactive log-in, database, e-mail, class applications, and security monitoring.

Twelve Windows servers make up the backbone for all instructional computing labs and allow students to work remotely with computationally and resource-intensive applications. There are three computer labs and one instructional computer lab with 183 Windows workstations, and an additional computer lab with 16 Linux workstations.

A high-speed network that links the entire infrastructure ensures a latency-free operation for users from UCLA and around the world. It consists of dual fiber uplinks to a Cisco core router that feeds and routes 20 networks, over 150 switches, and 50 Cisco wireless access points. The network serves over 8,000 users across four buildings.

For backup and disaster recovery, large capacity LTO tapes are used to back up servers and selected user workstations regularly, and incremental backups are done to online disk storage. The LTO tapes are sent to off-site storage for disaster recovery.

The servers are protected by two UPS units for short-term power outages, and campus emergency power keeps critical equipment running during extended downtime.

Students and faculty have access to retail Microsoft software through the Microsoft Developer Network Academic Alliance (MSDNAA) program, and MathType software through an HSSEAS download service, at no charge. Faculty and staff have access to Microsoft Office software at no charge through the HSSEAS download service and the Microsoft Consolidated Campus Agreement (MCCA). Autodesk and Dreamspark programs offer additional software at no charge to all UCLA students.

UCLA Academic Technology Services (ATS) operates high-performance computer clusters that offer cluster hosting services to campus researchers in a way that effectively manages the limited high-end data center space on campus. They offer help to researchers who need assistance in numerically intensive computing by speeding up long-running serial or parallel programs or by parallelizing existing serial code. A UCLA Grid Portal and other high-performance computing resources are also available.

The school's manufacturing engineering program operates a group of workstations dedicated to CAD/CAM instruction, and the Computer Science Department operates a network of SUN, PC, and Macintosh computers. The school is connected via high-speed networks to the Internet, and computing resources at the national supercomputer centers are available.

Shop Services Center

The Shop Services Center is available to faculty, staff, and students for projects.
Continuing Education

UCLA Extension
Department of Engineering and Technology

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The UCLA Extension (UNEX) Department of Engineering and Technology (540 UNEX, 10995 Le Conte Avenue) provides one of the nation’s largest selections of continuing engineering education programs. A short course program of 150 annual offerings draws participants from around the world for two- to four-day intensive programs. Many of these short courses are also offered on-site at companies and government agencies; see https://www.uclaextension.edu/shortcourses/. The acclaimed Technical Management Program holds its 82nd offering in September 2011 and 83rd in March 2012. See https://www.uclaextension.edu/tmp/. The Information Systems program offers over 100 courses annually in systems analysis, applications programming, database management, Linux/UNIX, operating systems, and web technology. The engineering program offers over 200 courses annually, including 10 certificate programs in astronautical engineering, construction management, communication systems, digital signal processing, manufacturing engineering, project management, contract management, government cost estimating and pricing, supply chain management, and recycling and solid waste management. In addition, the department offers EIT and PE review courses in mechanical, civil, and chemical engineering. Most engineering and technical management courses are offered evenings on the UCLA campus, or are available online. See https://www.uclaextension.edu/engineering/.

Career Services

The UCLA Career Center assists HSSEAS undergraduate and graduate students and alumni in exploring career possibilities, preparing for graduate and professional school, obtaining employment and internship leads, and developing skills for conducting a successful job search. Several sections of the Education 150 course Strategic Career Decision-Making are offered through the Career Center each quarter. Services include career consulting and counseling, skills assessments, workshops, employer information sessions, and a multimedia collection of career planning and job search resources. Bruinview™ provides undergraduate and graduate students with opportunities to meet one-on-one with employers seeking entry-level job candidates and offers 24-hour access to thousands of current full-time, part-time, seasonal, and internship positions. The annual engineering and technical fairs are held in Fall and Winter quarters, and HSSEAS students are also welcomed at all Career Center-sponsored job fairs.

The Career Center staff also provides consultation services to HSSEAS student organizations. Career services are available at the UCLA Career Center, 501 Westwood Plaza, Strathmore Building, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, by appointment and for drop-in counseling sessions. For more information call (310) 206-1915 or see http://career.ucla.edu.

Arthur Ashe Student Health and Wellness Center

The Arthur Ashe Student Health and Wellness Center is a full-service medical clinic available to all registered UCLA students. Its clinical staff of physicians, nurse practitioners, and nurses is board-certified. It offers primary care, specialty clinics, and physical and occupational therapy. The center has its own pharmacy, optometry, radiology, and laboratory. Visit, core laboratory test, X-ray exams, and preventive immunizations are all pre-paid for students with the University of California Student Health Insurance Plan (UCSHIP). Students with UCHSHIP pay lower co-pays for prescriptions filled at the Ashe Center pharmacy. UCHSHIP students must begin all non-emergency medical care at the Ashe Center. All fees incurred at the Ashe Center are billed directly to students’ BruinBill accounts.

For emergency care when the Ashe Center is closed, students may call nurse line telephone triage services at (866) 704-9660, or obtain treatment at the UCLA Medical Center Emergency Room or the nearest emergency room on a fee-for-service basis. It is the student’s responsibility to have insurance billed. A student with UCHSHIP must have follow-up visits, after emergencies, in the Ashe Center. If care cannot be provided in the Ashe Center, the Ashe Center clinician will give the student a written referral to a network provider.

The Ashe Center website processes students’ proof of immunity to Hepatitis B prior to enrollment. Information about this requirement is available on the Ashe website; for questions, send e-mail to shshepb@ashe.ucla.edu.

Office hours during the academic year are weekdays 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. except Friday, when service begins at 9 a.m. Located at 221 Westwood Plaza (next to John Wooden Center), (310) 825-4073; see http://www.studenthealth.ucla.edu.

Services for Students with Disabilities

The Office for Students with Disabilities (OSD) is the only campus entity authorized to determine a student’s eligibility for disability-related accommodations and services. Academic support services are determined for each regularly enrolled student with documented permanent or temporary disabilities based on specific disability-based requirements. OSD policies and practices comply with all applicable federal and state laws, including Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, and are consistent with University policy.

Services include campus orientation and accessibility, note takers, reader service, sign language interpreters, Learning Disability Program, registration assistance, test-taking facilitation, special parking assistance, real-time captioning, assistive listening devices, on-campus transportation, adaptive equipment, support groups and workshops, tutorial referral, special materials, housing appeals, referral to UCLA’s Disabilities and Computing Program, and processing of California Department of Rehabilitation authorizations. There is no fee for any of these services. All contacts and assistance are handled confidentially. Located at A255 Murphy Hall, voice
Fees and Expenses

The 2011-12 annual UCLA student fees shown are current as of publication. See the quarterly Schedule of Classes for breakdown by term or see http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/fees/ for updates.

Students who are not legal residents of California (out-of-state and international students) pay nonresident supplemental tuition. See the UCLA General Catalog appendix or the frequent questions residence section at http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/faq/residencefaq.htm for information on how to determine residence for tuition purposes; further inquiries may be directed to the Residence Deputy, 1113 Murphy Hall, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA 90024-1429.

In addition to the fees listed, students should be prepared to pay living expenses for the academic period.

Living Accommodations

Housing in Los Angeles, both on and off campus, is in great demand. Students should make arrangements early.

The Community Housing Office, 360 De Neve Drive, Box 951495, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1495, (310) 825-4491, http://www.cho.ucla.edu, provides information and current listings for University-owned apartments, cooperatives, private apartments, roommates, rooms in private homes, room and board in exchange for work, and short-term housing. A current BruinCard or a letter of acceptance and valid photo identification card are required for service.

For information on residence halls and suites, contact UCLA Housing Services, 360 De Neve Drive, Box 951381, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1381, (310) 206-7011; see http://www.housing.ucla.edu. Newly admitted students are sent UCLA Housing, which describes costs, locations, and eligibility for both private and UCLA-sponsored housing.

Financial Aid

Undergraduate Students

Financial aid at UCLA includes scholarships, grants, loans, and work-study programs. Applications for each academic year are available in January. The priority application deadline for financial aid for the 2012-13 academic year is March 2, 2012.

With the exception of certain scholarships, awards are based on need as determined by national financial aid criteria. California residents must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). International students in their first year are ineligible for aid. Continuing undergraduate international students are asked to submit a separate Financial Aid Application for International Students.

Information on UCLA financial aid programs is available at the Financial Aid Office, A129J Murphy Hall, (310) 206-0400; see http://www.fao.ucla.edu.

Scholarships

All UCLA undergraduate scholarship awards are made on a competitive basis, with consideration given to academic excellence, achievement, scholaristic promise, and financial need. Scholarships are awarded to entering and continuing undergraduates. The term and amount of the award vary; students are expected to maintain academic excellence in their coursework.

Regents Scholarships are awarded to students with an outstanding academic record and a high degree of promise. Regents Scholars receive a yearly honorarium if they have no financial need. If financial need is established, other scholarships and/or grants are awarded to cover that need.

HSSEAS Scholarships are awarded to entering and continuing undergraduate students based on criteria including financial need, academic excellence, community service, extracurricular activities, and research achievement. The school works with alumni, industry, and individual donors to establish scholarships to benefit engineering students. In 2010-11, HSSEAS awarded more than 120 undergraduate scholarship awards totaling more than $280,000. The majority of these scholarships are publicized in the Fall, with additional scholarships promoted throughout the academic year as applicable. For more information on all available scholarships, see http://seasoasa.ucla.edu/student-
opportunities/scholarships for under graduates.

**Grants**

Cal Grants A and B are awarded by the California Student Aid Commission to entering and continuing undergraduate students who are U.S. citizens or eligible noncitizens and California residents. Based on financial need and academic achievement, these awards are applied toward tuition and fees.

**Federal Pell Grants** are federal aid awards designed to provide financial assistance to U.S. citizens or eligible noncitizen undergraduates in exceptional need of funds to attend post-high school educational institutions. Students who file a FAFSA are automatically considered for a Pell Grant.

Detailed information on other grants for students with demonstrated need is available from the Financial Aid Office.

**Federal Family Education Loan Program**

Federal loans are available to undergraduate or graduate students who are U.S. citizens or eligible noncitizens and who carry at least a half-time academic workload. Information on loan programs is available from the Financial Aid Office, A129J Murphy Hall, or on the web at http://www.fao.ucla.edu.

All loan recipients must complete an exit interview with Student Loan Services and Collections before leaving UCLA for any reason. This interview helps students understand their loan agreement and plan for loan repayment. Failure to complete an exit interview results in a hold being placed on all university services and records. In addition, if the campus-based loans become delinquent following separation from UCLA, all university services and records will be withheld. For further information concerning loan repayment, visit Student Loan Services and Collections, A227 Murphy Hall, (310) 206-8864; see http://www.loans.ucla.edu.

**Work-Study Programs**

Under Federal Work-Study, the federal government pays a portion of the student’s wage and the employer pays the balance. When possible, work is related to student educational objectives. Hourly pay rates comply with minimum wage laws and vary with the nature of the work, experience, and capabilities. Employment may be on or off campus. To be eligible, undergraduate and graduate students must demonstrate financial need and be a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen. Submission of the FAFSA is required.

Students must be enrolled at least half-time (6 units for undergraduates, 4 for graduate students) and not be appointed at more than 50 percent time while employed at UCLA. Students not meeting these requirements are subject to Social Security and Medicare taxation.

**Community Service** is a component of the Federal Work-Study program. Students who secure a community service position are eligible to petition for an increase in work-study funds up to a total of $5,000 while at the same time reducing their Perkins and/or Stafford loan by the amount of the increase. Most community service positions are located off campus.

**Graduate Students**

A high percentage of HSSEAS graduate students receive departmental financial support.

**Merit-Based Support**

Three major types of merit-based support are available in the school:

1. Fellowships from University, private, or corporate funds.
2. Employment as a teaching assistant.
3. Employment as a graduate student researcher.

**Fellowships** usually provide stipends competitive with those of other major universities, plus tuition and nonresident supplemental tuition (where applicable). These stipends may be supplemented by a teaching assistantship or graduate student researcher appointment. The awards are generally reserved for new students.

**Teaching assistantships** are awarded to students on the basis of scholarship and promise as teachers. Appointees serve under the supervision of regular faculty members.

**Graduate student researcher (GSR)** appointments are awarded to students on the basis of scholastic achievement and promise as creative scholars. Appointees perform research under the supervision of a faculty member in research work. Full-time employment in summer and interterm breaks is possible, depending on the availability of research funds from contracts or grants.

Since a graduate student researcher appointment constitutes employment in the service of a particular faculty member who has a grant, students must take the initiative in obtaining desired positions.

GSR appointments are generally awarded after one year of study at UCLA.

Applicants for departmental financial support must be accepted for admission to HSSEAS in order to be considered in the 2011-12 competition. Applicants should check the deadline for submitting the UCLA Application for Graduate Admission and the Fellowship Application for Entering Graduate Students with their preferred department.

**Need-Based Aid**

Unlike the awards above, which are based solely on merit and administered by HSSEAS, the University also provides work-study and low-interest loans based on financial need exclusively.

Need-based awards are administered by the Financial Aid Office in A129J Murphy Hall. Financial aid applicants must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Continuing graduate students should contact the Financial Aid Office in December 2011 for information on 2012-13 application procedures.

International graduate students are not eligible for need-based University financial aid or for long-term student loans.

**School of Engineering Fellowships**

Fellowship packages offered by HSSEAS may include fellowship contributions from the following sources:

**AT&T Fellowships.** Supports doctoral study in electrical engineering; must be U.S. citizen or permanent resident; optional summer research at AT&T

**Atlantic Richfield Company (ARCO) Fellowship.** Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering; supports study in chemical engineering

**William and Mary Beedle Fellowship.** Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering; supports study in chemical engineering

**John J. and Clara C. Boelter Fellowship.** Supports study in engineering

**Leon and Alyne Camp Fellowship.** Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; supports study in engineering; must be U.S. citizen

**Deutsch Company Fellowship.** Supports engineering research on problems that aid “small business” in Southern California
IBM Doctoral Fellowship. Supports doctoral study in computer science
Intel Fellowship. Department of Computer Science; supports doctoral study in selected areas of computer science
Intel Fellowship. Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; supports doctoral students
Les Knesel Scholarship Fund. Department of Materials Science and Engineering; supports master’s or doctoral students in ceramic engineering
T.H. Lin Graduate Fellowship. Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering; supports study in the area of structures
Microsoft Fellowship. Supports doctoral study in computer science
National Consortium for Graduate Degrees for Minorities in Engineering and Science (GEM) Fellowships. Supports study in engineering and science to highly qualified individuals from communities where human capital is virtually untapped
NCR Fellowship. Department of Computer Science; supports doctoral study in computer science
Martin Rubin Scholarship. Supports two undergraduate or graduate students pursuing a degree in civil engineering with an emphasis in structural engineering
Henry Samueli Fellowship. Department of Electrical Engineering; supports master’s and doctoral students
Henry Samueli Fellowship. Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; supports master’s and doctoral students
Sun Microsystems Fellowship. Department of Computer Science; supports incoming graduate students in computer science
Texaco Scholarship. Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering; supports research in the area of environmental engineering
Many other companies in the area also make arrangements for their employees to work part-time and to study at UCLA for advanced degrees in engineering or computer science. In addition, the Graduate Division offers other fellowship packages including the Dissertation Year, the Eugene V. Cota-Robles, and Graduate Opportunity Fellowships.

Special Programs, Activities, and Awards

Center for Excellence in Engineering and Diversity
The HSSEAS Center for Excellence in Engineering and Diversity (CEED) seeks to create a community of collaborative and sustainable partnerships that increase academic opportunities for urban, disadvantaged, and underrepresented students. CEED supports precollege students in science, engineering, mathematics, and technology curricula, and focuses on engineering and computer science at the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Precollege Outreach Programs
Science and Mathematics Achievement and Research Training for Students (SMARTS). A six-week commuter summer program, SMARTS provides a diverse group of up to 50 10th and 11th graders with rigorous inquiry-based engineering, mathematics, and science enrichment. Students receive an introduction to the scientific process and to laboratory-based investigation through the Research Apprentice Program, sponsored by faculty and graduate research mentors in engineering.

MESA Schools Program (MSP). Through CEED, HSSEAS partners with middle and high school principals to implement MSP services, which focus on outreach and student development in engineering, mathematics, science, and technology. At individual school sites, four mathematics and science teachers serve as MSP advisors and coordinate the activities and instruction for 917 students. Advisers work as a team to deliver services that include SAT preparation. MSP prepares students for regional engineering and science competitions and provides an individual academic planning program, academic excellence workshops, CEED undergraduate mentors, field trips, and exposure to high-tech careers. The MSP goal is to increase the numbers of urban and educationally underserved students who are competitively eligible for UC admission, particularly in engineering and computer science.

Students are provided academic planning, SAT preparation, career exploration, and other services starting at the elementary school level through college. HSSEAS/CEED currently serves 18 schools in the Los Angeles Unified School District and four schools in the Inglewood Unified School District.

Undergraduate Programs
CEED currently supports some 260 underrepresented and educationally disadvantaged engineering students. Components of the undergraduate program include

CEED Summer Bridge. A two-week intensive residential summer program, CEED Summer Bridge provides advanced preparation and exposure for Fall Quarter classes in mathematics, chemistry, and computer science.

Freshman Orientation Course. Designed to give CEED freshmen exposure to the engineering profession, “Engineering 87—Engineering Disciplines” also teaches the

CEED students participate in a professional development workshop.
principles of effective study and team/community-building skills, and research experiences.

**Academic Excellence Workshops (AEW).** Providing an intensive mathematics/science approach to achieving mastery through collaborative learning and facilitated study groups, workshops meet twice a week for two hours and are facilitated by a Ph.D. student.

**Bridge Review for Enhancing Engineering Students (BREES).** Sponsored by the National Science Foundation (NSF). A 14-day intensive summer program designed to provide CEED students with the skills and knowledge to gain sufficient mastery, understanding, and problem-solving skills in the core engineering courses. Current CEED students and incoming CEED transfer students take part in lectures and collaborative, problem-solving workshops facilitated by UCLA graduate students.

**Research Intensive Series in Engineering for Underrepresented Populations (RISE-UP).** During the summer of 2005, UCLA CEED began its Research Intensive Series in Engineering for Underrepresented Populations (RISE-UP). The purpose of this program is to keep engineering and computing students, particularly from underrepresented groups, interested in the fun of learning through a process in which faculty participate. The ultimate goal of this program is to encourage these young scholars to go on to graduate school and perhaps the professoriate.

**Academic Advising and Counseling.** A CEED counselor assists in the selection of course combinations, professors, and course loads and meets regularly with students to assess progress and discuss individual concerns.

**Tutoring.** Review sessions and tutoring are provided for several upper division engineering courses.

**Career Development.** Presentations by corporate representatives and field trips to major company locations are offered. Other services include summer and full-time job placement and assistance.

**Cluster Systems.** Common class sections that team students, Cluster Systems facilitate group study and successful academic excellence workshops.

**Student Study Center:** A complex with a study area open 24 hours a day, the Student Study Center also houses a computer room and is used for tutoring, presentations, and engineering student organizations.

**STEP-UP Funded by the National Science Foundation, STEP for Underutilized Populations (STEP-UP) is a regional initiative designed to increase the number of students from Los Angeles urban core populations obtaining baccalaureate degrees in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). Awarded in Fall 2004, this five-year, $1.8 million inter-institutional and multi-disciplinary initiative is led by the UCLA Center for Excellence in Engineering and Diversity in the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science. Regional partners include California State University, Los Angeles (CSULA) and a number of community colleges in the Los Angeles metropolitan area. The U.S. production of domestic engineers and physicists with high point of the mid-1980s, while that of other countries has increased dramatically. The fastest-growing segments of the U.S. population need to be prepared to enter these vital fields.

Nearly 82 percent of the 740,000 K-12 students in the Los Angeles Unified School District are African-American and Latino, yet a miniscule number of these students attempt post-secondary STEM fields, and fewer enroll in and complete degrees in these areas. The UCLA STEP-UP project provides academic learning communities and career-oriented intervention programs to improve access, counseling, and preparation for students with high interest in these subjects. The NSF has funded over 30 STEP projects across the country to address the growing imbalance between the need for technical talent and the U.S. production of engineers and computer and physical scientists. The NSF goal is to strengthen national and economic security by increasing the number of engineers from populations that under-participate in these fields.

**Scholarships/Financial Aid**

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science also participates in the NACME and GEM scholarships. The CEED Industry Advisory Board and support network provide significant contributions to program services and scholarships. Information may be obtained from the CEED director.

**Student Organizations**

UCLA CEED supports student chapters of three engineering organizations: the American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES), the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE), and the Society of Latino Engineers and Scientists (SOLES), the UCLA chapter of the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE). These organizations are vital elements of the program.

**American Indian Science and Engineering Society**

Entering its 20th year on campus, AISES encourages American Indians to pursue careers as scientists and engineers while preserving their cultural heritage. The goal of AISES is to promote unity and cooperation and to provide a basis for the advancement of American Indians while providing financial assistance and educational opportunities. AISES devotes most of its energy to its outreach program where members conduct monthly science academies with elementary and precollege students from Indian Reservations. Serving as mentors and role models for younger students enables UCLA AISES students to further develop professionalism and responsibility while maintaining a high level of academics and increasing cultural awareness.

**National Society of Black Engineers**

Chartered in 1980 to respond to the shortage of blacks in science and engineering fields and to promote academic excellence among black students in these disciplines, NSBE provides academic assistance, tutoring, and study groups while sponsoring ongoing activities such as guest speakers, company tours, and participation in UCLA events such as Career Day and Engineers Week. NSBE also assists students with employment. Through the various activities sponsored by NSBE, students develop leadership and interpersonal skills while enjoying the college experience. UCLA NSBE was recently named national chapter of the year for small chapters by the national organization. See http://sites.google.com/site/uclansbe/.

**Society of Latino Engineers and Scientists**

Recognized as the national chapter of the year five times over the past ten years by the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE), SOLES promotes engineering as a viable career option for Latino students. SOLES is committed to the advancement of Latinos in engineering and science through endeavors to stimulate intellectual pursuit through group studying, tutoring, and peer counseling for
all members. This spirit is carried into the community with active recruitment of high school students into the field of engineering. SOLES also strives to familiarize the UCLA community with the richness and diversity of the Latino culture and the scientific accomplishments of Latinos. SOLES organizes cultural events such as Latinos in Science, Cinco de Mayo, and cosponsors the Women in Science and Engineering (WISE) Day with AISES and NSBE. By participating in campus events such as Career Day and Engineers Week, the organization's growing membership strives to fulfill the needs of the individual and the community. See http://www.uclasoles.com.

Women in Engineering
Women make up about 20 percent of the HSSEAS undergraduate and graduate enrollment. Today's opportunities for women in engineering are excellent, as both employers and educators try to change the image of engineering as a "males only" field. Women engineers are in great demand in all fields of engineering.

Society of Women Engineers
The Society of Women Engineers (SWE), recognizing that women in engineering are still a minority, has established a UCLA student chapter that sponsors field trips and engineering-related speakers (often professional women) to introduce the various options available to women engineers. The UCLA chapter of SWE, in conjunction with other Los Angeles schools, also publishes an annual résumé book to help women students find jobs and presents a career day for women high school students. See http://www.seas.ucla.edu/swe/.

Student and Honorary Societies
Professionally related societies and activities at UCLA provide valuable experience in leadership, service, recreation, and personal satisfaction. The faculty of the school encourages students to participate in such societies and activities where they can learn more about the engineering profession in a more informal setting than the classroom. For more information, see http://www.engineer.ucla.edu/visitor-links/current-students/student-organizations.

EGSA Engineering Graduate Students Association
ESUC Engineering Society, University of California. Umbrella organization for all the engineering and technical societies at UCLA

ACM Association for Computing Machinery
AIAA American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics
AIChE American Institute of Chemical Engineers
AISES American Indian Science and Engineering Society
AMOE Amateur Radio Club
ASCE American Society of Civil Engineers
ASME American Society of Mechanical Engineers
BMES Biomedical Engineering Society
Chi Epsilon Civil Engineering Honor Society
CSGSC Computer Science Graduate Student Committee
Eta Kappa Nu Electrical engineering honor society
EWB Engineers Without Borders
FEED Forum for Energy Economics and Development
IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers
ISPE International Society for Pharmaceutical Engineering
LUG Linux Users Group
MRS Materials Research Society
NSBE National Society of Black Engineers
Phi Sigma Rho Engineering social sorority
Pie Pilipinos in Engineering
Rho Robotics Club
SAE Society of Automotive Engineers
SOLES Society of Latino Engineers and Scientists
SWE Society of Women Engineers
Triangle Engineering honor society
Upsilon Pi Engineering honor society for the computing and information disciplines

Student Representation
The student body takes an active part in shaping policies of the school through elected student representatives on the school's Executive Committee.

Prizes and Awards
Each year, certificates and award monies are presented at the HSSEAS annual commencement ceremony to recognize outstanding students who have contributed to the school.

The Russell R. O'Neill Distinguished Service Award is presented annually to an upper division student in good academic standing who has made outstanding contributions through service to the undergraduate student body, student organizations, the school, and to the advancement of the undergraduate engineering program, through service and participation in extracurricular activities.

The Harry M. Showman Engineering Prize is awarded to a UCLA engineering student or students who most effectively communicate the achievements, research results, or social significance of any aspect of engineering to a student audience, the engineering professions, or the general public.

The Engineering Achievement Award for Student Welfare is given to undergraduate and graduate engineering students who have made outstanding contributions to student welfare through participation in extracurricular activities and who have given outstanding service to the campus community.

Additional awards may be given to those degree candidates who have achieved academic excellence. Criteria may include such items as grade-point average, creativity, research, and community service.

Departmental Scholar Program
The school may nominate exceptionally promising juniors and seniors as Departmental Scholars to pursue bachelor's and master's degree programs simultaneously. Minimum qualifications include the completion of 24 courses (96 quarter units) at UCLA, or the equivalent at a similar institution, the current minimum grade-point average required for honors at graduation, and the requirements in preparation for the major. To obtain both the bachelor's and master's degrees, Departmental Scholars fulfill the requirements for each program.
Students may not use any one course to fulfill requirements for both degrees. For details, consult the Office of Academic and Student Affairs in 6426 Boelter Hall well in advance of application dates for admission to graduate standing.

Official Publications
This Announcement of the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science contains detailed information about the school, areas of study, degree programs, and course listings. The UCLA General Catalog (http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/catalog/), however, is the official and binding document for the guidance of students. UCLA students are responsible for complying with all University rules, regulations, policies, and procedures described in the catalog.

For rules and regulations on graduate study, see http://www.gcdnet.ucla.edu.

Grading Policy
Instructors should announce their complete grading policy in writing at the beginning of the term, along with the syllabus and other course information, and make that policy available on the course website. Once the policy is announced, it should be applied consistently for the entire term.

Grade Disputes
If students believe that they have been graded unfairly, they should first discuss the issue with the instructor of the course. If the dispute cannot be resolved between the student and the instructor, the student may refer the issue to the Associate Dean for Academic and Student Affairs, 6426 Boelter Hall.

The associate dean may form an ad hoc committee to review the complaint. The ad hoc committee members are recommended by the appropriate department chair and the associate dean. The student receives a copy of the ad hoc committee's report as well as a copy of the associate dean's recommendation. The student's file will contain no reference to the dispute. The associate dean informs the students of their rights with respect to complaints and appeals at UCLA.

Nondiscrimination
The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State Laws and University Policies, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy (including pregnancy, childbirth, and medical conditions related to pregnancy and childbirth), physical or mental disability, medical condition (cancer-related or genetic characteristics), ancestry, marital status, age, sexual orientation, citizenship, or service in the uniformed services (including membership, application for membership, performance of service, application for service, or obligation for service in the uniformed services). The University also prohibits sexual harassment. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission, access, and treatment in University programs and activities.

Inquiries regarding the University's student-related nondiscrimination policies may be directed to the UCLA Campus Counsel, 3149 Murphy Hall, Box 951405, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1405, (310) 206-3349.

Inquiries regarding nondiscrimination on the basis of disability covered by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 may be directed to Monroe Gordon, ADA and 504 Compliance, A239 Murphy Hall, UCLA, Box 951405, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1405, voice (310) 825-1514, TTY (310) 206-3349. See http://www.ada.ucla.edu.

Students may complain of any action which they believe discriminates against them on the ground of race, color, national origin, marital status, sex, sexual orientation, disability, or age and may contact the Office of the Dean of Students, 1206 Murphy Hall, and/or refer to Section 111.00 of the University of California Policies Applying to Campus Activities, Organizations, and Students (available in 1206 Murphy Hall or at http://www.ucop.edu/ucophome/coordrev/ucpolicies/aos/toc.html) for further information and procedures.

Harassment
Sexual Harassment
The University of California is committed to creating and maintaining a community where all persons who participate in University programs and activities can work and learn together in an atmosphere free from all forms of harassment, exploitation, or intimidation. Every member of the University community should be aware that the University is strongly opposed to sexual harassment and that such behavior is prohibited both by law and by University policy. The University will respond promptly and effectively to reports of sexual harassment and will take appropriate action to prevent, correct and, if necessary, discipline behavior that violates this policy. See http://www.sexualharassment.ucla.edu.

Definitions
Sexual, racial, and other forms of harassment, are defined as follows:
Harassment is defined as conduct that is so severe and/or pervasive, and objectively offensive, in that so substantially impairs a person's access to University programs or activities, that the person is effectively denied equal access to the University's resources and opportunities on the basis of her or his race, color, national or ethnic origin, alien niche, sex, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, veteran status, physical or mental disability, or perceived membership in any of these classifications.

When employed by the University of California, and acting within the course and scope of that employment, students are subject to the University of California Policy on Sexual Harassment. Otherwise, the above paragraph is the applicable standard for harassment by students.

For both student and/or employee sexual harassment, refer to the University of California Procedures for Responding to Reports of Sexual Harassment.

Complaint Resolution
Experience has demonstrated that many complaints of sexual harassment can be effectively resolved through informal intervention. Individuals who experience what they consider to be sexual harassment are advised to confront the alleged offender immediately and firmly.

Additionally, an individual who believes that she or he has been sexually harassed may contact the Sexual Harassment Coordinator in 2241 Murphy Hall or a Sexual Harassment Information Center counselor for help and information regarding sexual harassment complaint resolution or grievance procedures at one of the locations listed below as determined by the complainant's status at the University at the time of the alleged incident:
1. Campus Human Resources/Employee and Labor Relations, Manager, 200 UCLA Wilshire Center, (310) 794-0860
2. Campus Human Resources/Staff and Faculty Counseling Center, Coordinator, 380 UCLA Wilshire Center, (310) 794-0248
Office of Residential Life, Judicial Affairs

6. David Geffen School of Medicine, Dean's Office, Special Projects Director, 12-138 Center for the Health Sciences, (310) 794-1958

7. Graduate Division, Office Manager, 1237 Murphy Hall, (310) 206-3269

8. Healthcare Human Resources, Employee Relations Manager, 400 UCLA Wilshire Center, (310) 794-0500

9. Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Campus Resource Center, Director, B36 Student Activities Center, (310) 206-3628

10. Office of the Dean of Students, Assistant Dean of Students, 1206 Murphy Hall, (310) 825-3871

11. Office of Ombuds Services, 105 Strathmore Building, (310) 825-7627, 52-025 Center for the Health Sciences, (310) 206-2427

12. Office of Residential Life, Judicial Affairs Coordinator, 205 Bradley Hall, (310) 825-3401

13. Resnick Neuropsychiatric Hospital, Administration/Human Resources Associate Director, B7-370 Semel Institute, (310) 206-5258

14. School of Dentistry, Assistant Dean, Student Affairs, 40-111 Dentistry, (310) 825-2615

15. Student Legal Services, Director, A239 Murphy Hall, (310) 825-9894

16. UCLA Extension, Human Resources Director, 629 UNEX Building, (310) 825-4287; Student Services Director, 214 UNEX Building, (310) 825-2656

Other Forms of Harassment

The University strives to create an environment that fosters the values of mutual respect and tolerance and is free from discrimination based on race, ethnicity, sex, religion, sexual orientation, disability, age, and other personal characteristics. Certainly, harassment, in its many forms, works against those values and often corrodes a person's sense of worth and interferes with one's ability to participate in University programs or activities. While the University is committed to the free exchange of ideas and the full protection of free expression, the University also recognizes that words can be used in such a way that they no longer express an idea, but rather injure and intimidate, thus undermining the ability of individuals to participate in the University community. The University of California Policies Applying to Campus Activities, Organizations, and Students (hereafter referred to as Policies; http://www.ucop.edu/ucophome/coordrev/ucpolicies/aos/toc.html) presently prohibit a variety of conduct by students which, in certain contexts, may be regarded as harassment or intimidation.

For example, harassing expression which is accompanied by physical abuse, threats of violence, or conduct that threatens the health or safety of any person on University property or in connection with official University functions may subject an offending student to University discipline under the provisions of Section 102.08 of the Policies. Similarly, harassing conduct, including symbolic expression, which also involves conduct resulting in damage to or destruction of any property of the University or property of others while on University premises may subject a student violator to University discipline under the provisions of Section 102.04 of the Policies.

Further, under specific circumstances described in the Universitywide Student Conduct Harassment Policy (http://www.deanofstudents.ucla.edu), students may be subject to University discipline for misconduct which may consist solely of expression. Copies of this Policy are available in the Office of the Dean of Students, 1206 Murphy Hall, or in any of the Harassment Information Centers listed below:

1. Counseling and Psychological Services, 221 Wooden Center West, (310) 825-0768, http://www.counseling.ucla.edu

2. Dashew Center for International Students and Scholars, 106 Bradley Hall, (310) 825-1681, http://www.internationalcenter.ucla.edu


Complaint Resolution

One of the necessary measures in our efforts to assure an atmosphere of civility and mutual respect is the establishment of procedures which provide effective informal and formal mechanisms for those who believe that they have been victims of any of the above misconduct.

Many incidents of harassment and intimidation can be effectively resolved through informal means. For example, an individual may wish to confront the alleged offender immediately and firmly. An individual who chooses not to confront the alleged offender and who wishes help, advice, or information is urged to contact any of the Harassment Information Centers listed immediately above.

In addition to providing support for those who believe they have been victims of harassment, Harassment Information Centers offer persons the opportunity to learn about the phenomena of harassment and intimidation; to understand the formal and informal mechanisms by which misunderstandings may be corrected and, when appropriate, student perpetrators may be disciplined; and to consider which of the available options is the most useful for the particular circumstances.

With regard to the Universitywide Student Conduct Harassment Policy, complainants should be aware that not all conduct which is offensive may be regarded as a violation of this Policy and may, in fact, be protected expression. Thus, the application of formal institutional discipline to such protected expression may not be legally permissible. Nevertheless, the University is committed to reviewing any complaint of harassing or intimidating conduct by a student and intervening on behalf of the complainant to the extent possible.
The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science (HSSEAS) offers nine four-year curricula listed below (see the departmental listings for complete descriptions of the programs), in addition to an undergraduate minor in Environmental Engineering.

1. Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering, B.S. A.E.
2. Bachelor of Science in Bioengineering, B.S. B.E.
3. Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering, B.S. Ch.E.
4. Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, B.S. C.E.
5. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, B.S. C.S.
6. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Engineering, B.S. C.S.&E.
7. Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, B.S. E.E.
8. Bachelor of Science in Materials Engineering, B.S. Mat.E.
9. Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering, B.S. M.E.

The following curricula are accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET), the nationally recognized accrediting body for engineering programs: aerospace engineering, chemical engineering, civil engineering, computer science and engineering, electrical engineering, materials engineering, and mechanical engineering. The computer science and computer science and engineering curricula are accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET, 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012, (410) 347-7700.

Admission

Applicants to HSSEAS must satisfy the general admission requirements of the University. See the Office of Admissions and Relations with Schools (UARS) website at http://www.admissions.ucla.edu for details. Applicants must select a major within the school when applying for admission. In the selection process many elements are considered, including grades, test scores, and academic preparation.

Students applying as freshmen or transfers must submit their applications during the November 1 through 30 filing period. In addition, it is essential that official test scores be received no later than the date in January when the December test scores are normally reported.

Applicants must submit scores from an approved core test of mathematics, language arts, and writing. This requirement may be satisfied by taking either (1) the ACT Assessment plus Writing Tests or (2) the SAT Reasoning Test. Applicants to the school are strongly encouraged to also take the following SAT Subject Tests: Mathematics Level 2 and a laboratory science test (Biology E/M, Chemistry, or Physics) that is closely related to the intended major.

Filling the admission requirements, however, does not assure admission to the school. Limits have had to be set for the enrollment of new undergraduate students. Thus, not every applicant who meets the minimum requirements can be admitted.

Although applicants may qualify for admission to HSSEAS in freshman standing, many students take their first two years in engineering at a community college and apply to the school at the junior level. Students who begin their college work at a California community college are expected to remain at the community college to complete the lower division requirements in chemistry, computer programming, English composition, mathematics, physics, and the recommended engineering courses before transferring to UCLA.

Admission as a Freshman

University requirements specify a minimum of three years of mathematics, including the topics covered in elementary and advanced algebra and two- and three-dimensional geometry. Additional study in mathematics, concluding with calculus or precalculus in the senior year, is strongly recommended and typical for applicants to HSSEAS.

Freshman applicants must meet the University subject, scholarship, and examination requirements described at http://www.admissions.ucla.edu.

Credit for Advanced Placement Tests

Students may fulfill part of the school requirements with credit allowed at the time of admission for College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Tests with scores of 3, 4, or 5. Students with AP Test credit may exceed the 213-unit maximum by the amount of this credit. AP Test credit for freshmen entering Fall Quarter 2011 fulfills HSSEAS requirements as indicated on the AP chart.

Students who have completed 36 quarter units after high school graduation at the time of the examination receive no AP Test credit.

Admission as a Transfer Student

Admission as a junior-level transfer student is competitive. The University requires applicants to have completed a minimum of 60 transferable semester units (90 quarter units) and two transferable English courses prior to enrolling at UCLA. In addition, to be considered all applicants to HSSEAS majors must have at least a 3.3 grade-point average in their college work. Many of the majors in the school are impacted. Excellent grades, especially for courses in preparation for the major, are expected.

Completion of the required courses in preparation for the major is critical for admission. Articulation agreements between California community colleges and HSSEAS include college-specific course numbers for these requirements and can be found at http://www.assist.org. Applicants who are lacking two or more of the courses are unlikely to be admitted.

Required preparation for HSSEAS majors:

1. Mathematics, including calculus I and II, calculus III (multivariable), differential equations, and linear algebra
2. Calculus-based physics courses in mechanics, electricity and magnetism, and waves, sound, heat, optics, and modern physics
3. Chemistry, including two terms of general chemistry. The Computer Science and Computer Science and Engineering majors and the electrical engineering and computer engineering options of the Electrical Engineering major require only one term of chemistry
4. Computer programming, including either Java, C, or C++. Applicants to the Computer Science, Computer Science and Engineering, and Electrical Engineering majors must take C++
## Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science
### Advanced Placement Credit

All units and course equivalents to AP Tests are lower division. If an AP Test has been given UCLA course equivalency (e.g., Economics 2), it may not be repeated at UCLA for units or grade points.

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5. Biology, including one year of biology only for applicants to the Bioengineering major

6. English composition courses, including one course equivalent to UCLA's English Composition 3 and a second UC-transferable English composition course

Transfer applicants may complete courses in addition to those above that satisfy degree requirements. Engineering and computer science courses appropriate for each major may be found at http://www assistir.org.

Lower Division Courses in Other Departments

Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A. Chemical Structure (4 units)
Chemistry and Biochemistry 20B. Chemical Energetics and Change (4 units)
Chemistry and Biochemistry 20L. General Chemistry Laboratory (3 units)
English Composition 3. English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language (5 units)
Mathematics 31A. Differential and Integral Calculus (4 units)
Mathematics 31B. Integration and Infinite Series (4 units)
Mathematics 32A, 32B. Calculus of Several Variables (4 units each)
Mathematics 33A. Linear Algebra and Applications (4 units)
Mathematics 33B. Differential Equations (4 units)
Physics 1A. Physics for Scientists and Engineers: Mechanics (5 units)
Physics 1B. Physics for Scientists and Engineers: Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields (5 units)
Physics 1C. Physics for Scientists and Engineers: Electricity and Magnetism (2 units)
Physics 4AL. Physics Laboratory for Scientists and Engineers: Mechanics (2 units)
Physics 4BL. Physics Laboratory for Scientists and Engineers: Electricity and Magnetism (2 units)
The courses in chemistry, mathematics, and physics are those required as preparation for majors in these subjects. Transfer students should select equivalent courses required for engineering or physical sciences majors.

Requirements for B.S. Degrees

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science awards B.S. degrees to students who have satisfactorily completed four-year programs in engineering studies.

Students must meet three types of requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree:

1. University requirements
2. School requirements
3. Department requirements

University Requirements

The University of California has two requirements that undergraduate students must satisfy in order to graduate: (1) Entry-Level Writing or English as a Second Language and (2) American History and Institutions. These requirements are discussed in detail in the Undergraduate Study section of the UCLA General Catalog.

School Requirements

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science has seven requirements that must be satisfied for the award of the degree: unit, scholarship, academic residence, writing, technical breadth, ethics, and general education.

Unit Requirement

The minimum units allowed for HSSEAS students is between 185 and 190, depending on the program. The maximum allowed is 213 units.

After 213 quarter units, enrollment may not normally be continued in the school without special permission from the associate dean. This regulation does not apply to Departmental Scholars.

Scholarship Requirement

In addition to the University requirement of at least a C (2.0) grade-point average in all courses taken at any University of California campus, students must achieve at least a 2.0 grade-point average in all upper division University courses offered in satisfaction of the subject and elective requirements of the curriculum. A 2.0 minimum grade-point average in upper division mathematics, upper division core courses, and the major field is also required for graduation.

Academic Residence Requirement

Of the last 48 units completed for the B.S. degree, 36 must be earned in residence in HSSEAS on this campus. No more than 16 of the 36 units may be completed in Summer Sessions at UCLA.

Writing Requirement

Students must complete the University's Entry-Level Writing or English as a Second Language (ESL) requirement prior to completing the school writing requirement. Students admitted to the school are required to complete a two-term writing requirement—Writing I and engineering writing. Both courses must be taken for letter grades, and students must receive grades of C or better (C– grades are not acceptable).

Writing I

The Writing I requirement must be satisfied by completing English Composition 3 or 3H with a grade of C or better (C– or a Passed grade is not acceptable) by the end of the second year of enrollment.

The Writing I requirement may also be satisfied by scoring 4 or 5 on one of the College Board Advanced Placement Tests in English or a combination of a score of 720 or higher on the SAT Reasoning Test Writing Section and superior performance on the English Composition 3 Proficiency Examination.

Students whose native language is not English may satisfy the Writing I requirement by completing English Composition 3 with a grade of C or better (C– or a Passed grade is not acceptable). Admission into the course is determined by completion of English as a Second Language 35 with a passing grade or proficiency demonstrated on the English as a Second Language Placement Examination (ESLPE).

Engineering Writing

The engineering writing requirement is satisfied by selecting one approved engineering writing (EW) course from the HSSEAS writing course list or by selecting one approved Writing II (W) course. The course must be completed with a grade of C or better (C– or a Passed grade is not acceptable). Writing courses are listed in the Schedule of Classes at http://www registrar.ucla.edu/soc/writing.htm.

Writing courses also approved for general education credit may be applied toward the relevant general education foundational area.
Technical Breadth Requirement
The technical breadth requirement consists of a set of three courses providing sufficient breadth outside the student’s core program. A list of HSSEAS Faculty Executive Committee-approved technical breadth requirement courses is available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs, and deviations from that list are subject to approval by the associate dean for Academic and Student Affairs. None of the technical breadth requirement courses selected by students can be used to satisfy other major course requirements.

Ethics Requirement
The ethics and professionalism requirement is satisfied by completing one course from Engineering 183EW or 185EW with a grade of C or better (C– or a Passed grade is not acceptable). The course may be applied toward the engineering writing requirement.

General Education Requirements
General education (GE) is more than a checklist of required courses. It is a program of study that (1) reveals to students the ways that research scholars in the arts, humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences create and evaluate new knowledge, (2) introduces students to the important ideas and themes of human cultures, (3) fosters appreciation for the many perspectives and the diverse voices that may be heard in a democratic society, and (4) develops the intellectual skills that give students the dexterity they need to function in a rapidly changing world.

This entails the ability to make critical and logical assessments of information, both traditional and digital; deliver reasoned and persuasive arguments; and identify, acquire, and use the knowledge necessary to solve problems.

Students may take one GE course per term on a Passed/Not Passed basis if they are in good academic standing and are enrolled in at least three and one-half courses (14 units) for the term. For details on P/NP grading, see Grading in the Academic Policies section of the UCLA General Catalog or consult the Office of Academic and Student Affairs.

GE courses used to satisfy the engineering writing and/or ethics requirements must be taken for a letter grade.

Requirements for Students Who Entered Fall Quarter 2005 and Thereafter

Foundations of Knowledge
General education courses are grouped into three foundational areas: Foundations of the Arts and Humanities, Foundations of Society and Culture, and Foundations of Scientific Inquiry.

Five courses (24 units minimum) are required. Engineering writing and ethics requirement courses also approved for GE credit may be applied toward the relevant GE foundational areas.

Students must meet with a counselor in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs to determine the applicability of GE Cluster courses toward the engineering writing or GE requirements.

Courses listed in more than one category can fulfill GE requirements in only one of the cross-listed categories.

Foundations of the Arts and Humanities
Two 5-unit courses selected from two different subgroups:
- Literary and Cultural Analysis
- Philosophical and Linguistic Analysis
- Visual and Performance Arts Analysis and Practice

The aim of courses in this area is to provide perspectives and intellectual skills necessary to comprehend and think critically about our situation in the world as human beings. In particular, the courses provide the basic means to appreciate and evaluate the ongoing efforts of humans to explain, translate, and transform their diverse experiences of the world through such media as language, literature, philosophical systems, images, sounds, and performances. The courses introduce students to the historical development and fundamental intellectual and ethical issues associated with the arts and humanities and may also investigate the complex relations between artistic and humanistic expression and other facets of society and culture.

Foundations of Society and Culture
Two 5-unit courses, one from each subgroup:
- Historical Analysis
- Social Analysis

The aim of courses in this area is to introduce students to the ways in which humans organize, structure, rationalize, and govern their diverse societies and cultures over time. The courses focus on a particular historical question, societal prob-

Foundations of Scientific Inquiry
One course (4 units minimum) from the Life Sciences subgroup or one course from Biomedical Engineering CM145/Chemical Engineering CM145, Chemistry and Biochemistry 153A, or Civil and Environmental Engineering M166/Environmental Health Sciences M166:
- Life Sciences

This requirement is automatically satisfied for Bioengineering majors, Chemical Engineering majors, and the biomedical engineering option of the Electrical Engineering major. The requirement may be satisfied for Civil Engineering majors if students select an approved major field elective that is also a course approved under Foundations of Scientific Inquiry.

The aim of courses in this area is to ensure that students gain a fundamental understanding of how scientists formulate and answer questions about the operation of both the physical and biological world. The courses also deal with some of the most important issues, developments, and methodologies in contemporary science, addressing such topics as the origin of the universe, environmental degradation, and the decoding of the human genome. Through lectures, laboratory experiences, writing, and intensive discussions, students consider the important roles played by the laws of physics and chemistry in society, biology, Earth and environmental sciences, and astrophysics and cosmology.

Foundations Course Lists
Creating and maintaining a general education curriculum is a dynamic process; consequently, courses are frequently added to the list. For the most current list of approved courses that satisfy the Foundations of Knowledge GE plan, consult an academic counselor or see http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Requirements for Students Who Entered Prior to Fall Quarter 2005
For the approved list of courses, see http://www.seasoasa.ucla.edu/undergraduates/general-education-requirements/prior-to-fall-2005-ge-list/.
Department Requirements

Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science departments generally set two types of requirements that must be satisfied for the award of the degree: (1) Preparation for the Major (lower division courses) and (2) the Major (upper division courses). Preparation for the Major courses should be completed before beginning upper division work.

Preparation for the Major

A major requires completion of a set of courses known as Preparation for the Major. Each department sets its own Preparation for the Major requirements; see the Departments and Programs section of this announcement.

The Major

Students must complete their major with a scholarship average of at least 2.0 (C) in all courses in order to remain in the major. Each course in the major department must be taken for a letter grade. Students should take advantage of academic support resources, but they are ultimately responsible for keeping informed of and complying with the rules, regulations, and policies affecting their academic standing.

Study List

Study Lists require approval of the dean of the school or a designated representative. It is the student's responsibility to present a Study List that reflects satisfactory progress toward the Bachelor of Science degree, according to standards set by the faculty. Study Lists or programs of study that do not comply with these standards may result in enforced withdrawal from the University or other academic action.

Undergraduate students in the school are expected to enroll in at least 12 units each term. Students enrolling in less than 12 units must obtain approval by petition to the dean prior to enrollment in courses. The normal program is 16 units per term. Students may not enroll in more than 21 units per term unless an Excess Unit Petition is approved in advance by the dean.

Minimum Progress

Full-time HSSEAS undergraduate students must complete a minimum of 36 units in three consecutive terms in which they are registered.

Credit Limitations

Advanced Placement Tests

Some portions of Advanced Placement (AP) Test credit are evaluated by corresponding UCLA course number. If students take the equivalent UCLA course, a deduction of UCLA unit credit is made prior to graduation. See the AP chart.

College Level Examination Program

Credit earned through the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) may not be applied toward the bachelor's degree.

Community College Unit Limit

After students have completed 105 quarter units (regardless of where the units are completed), they do not receive unit credit or subject credit for courses completed at a community college.

Foreign Language

No credit is granted toward the bachelor's degree for college foreign language courses equivalent to quarter levels one and two if the equivalent of level two of the same language was completed with satisfactory grades in high school.

Double Majors

Students in good academic standing may be permitted to have a double major consisting of a major within HSSEAS and a major outside the school (e.g., Electrical Engineering and Economics). Students are not permitted to have a double major within the school (e.g., Chemical Engineering and Civil Engineering). Contact the Office of Academic and Student Affairs for details.

Advising

It is mandatory for all students entering undergraduate programs to have their course of study approved by an academic counselor. After the first term, curricular and career advising is accomplished on a formal basis. Students are assigned a faculty adviser in their particular specialization in their freshman year.

In addition, all undergraduate students are assigned, by major, to an academic counselor in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs who provides them with advice regarding general requirements for the degrees and University and school regulations and procedures. It is the students’ responsibility to periodically meet with their academic counselor in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs, as well as with their faculty adviser, to discuss curriculum requirements, programs of study, and any other academic matters of concern.

Curricula Planning Procedure

Students normally follow the curriculum in effect when they enter the school. California community college transfer students may also select the curriculum in the catalog in effect at the time they began their community college work in an engineering program, providing attendance has been continuous since that time.

Students following the 2005-06 catalog year and thereafter use the program called Degree Audit Reporting System (DARS) and are able to view the credit they have received and determine which of their degree requirements are left to complete. See http://www.seasoasa.ucla.edu/undergraduates/DARS/.

HSSEAS undergraduate students following a catalog year prior to 2005-06 should schedule an appointment with their academic counselor in 6426 Boelter Hall or by calling (310) 825-9580 to review course credit and degree requirements and for program planning.

The student's regular faculty adviser is available to assist in planning electives and for discussions regarding career objectives. Students should discuss their elective plan with the adviser and obtain the adviser's approval.

Students should also see any member or members of the faculty specially qualified in their major for advice in working out a program of major courses.

Students are assigned to advisers by majors and major fields of interest. A specific adviser or an adviser in a particular engineering department may be requested by submitting a Request for Assignment to Faculty Adviser form available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs.

Academic counselors in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs assist students with University procedures and answer questions related to general requirements.
Honors

Dean’s Honors List
Students following the engineering curricula are eligible to be named to the Dean’s Honors List each term. Minimum requirements are a course load of at least 15 units (12 units of letter grade) with a grade-point average equal to or greater than 3.7. Students are not eligible for the Dean’s Honors List if they receive an Incomplete (I) or Not Passed (NP) grade or repeat a course. Only courses applicable to an undergraduate degree are considered toward eligibility for Dean’s Honors.

Latin Honors
Students who have achieved scholastic distinction may be awarded the bachelor’s degree with honors. Students eligible for 2011-12 University honors at graduation must have completed 90 or more units for a letter grade at the University of California and must have attained a cumulative grade-point average at graduation which places them in the top five percent of the school (GPA of 3.858 or better) for summa cum laude, the next five percent (GPA of 3.737 or better) for magna cum laude, and the next 10 percent (GPA of 3.583 or better) for cum laude. The minimum GPAs required are subject to change on an annual basis. Required GPAs in effect in the graduating year determine student eligibility.

Based on grades achieved in upper division courses, engineering students must have a 3.858 grade-point average for summa cum laude, a 3.737 for magna cum laude, and a 3.583 for cum laude. For all designations of honors, students must have a minimum 3.25 GPA in their major field courses. To be eligible for an award, students should have completed at least 80 upper division units at the University of California.
Graduate Programs

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science (HSSEAS) offers courses leading to the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees, to the Master of Science in Engineering online degree, to the Master of Engineering degree, and to the Engineer degree. The school is divided into seven departments that encompass the major engineering disciplines: aerospace engineering, bioengineering, chemical engineering, civil engineering, computer science, electrical engineering, manufacturing engineering, materials science and engineering, and mechanical engineering. It also offers a graduate interdepartmental degree program in biomedical engineering. Graduate students are not required to limit their studies to a particular department and are encouraged to consider related offerings in several departments.

Also, a one-year program leading to a Certificate of Specialization is offered in various fields of engineering and applied science.

Master of Science Degrees

The Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science offers the M.S. degree in Aerospace Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Manufacturing Engineering, Materials Science and Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering. The thesis plan requires seven formal courses and a thesis, which may be written while the student is enrolled in two individual study courses. The comprehensive examination plan requires nine formal courses and a comprehensive examination. In some fields students may be allowed to use the Ph.D. major field examination to satisfy the M.S. comprehensive examination requirement. Full-time students complete M.S. programs in an average of five terms of study (about a year and a half). To remain in good academic standing, an M.S. student must obtain a 3.0 grade-point average overall and a 3.0 GPA in graduate courses.

Master of Science in Engineering Online Degree

The primary purpose of the Master of Science in Engineering online degree program is to enable employed engineers and computer scientists to augment their technical education beyond the Bachelor of Science degree and to enhance their value to the technical organizations in which they are employed. For further information, see http://msengrol.seas.ucla.edu.

Master of Engineering Degree

The Master of Engineering (M.Engr.) degree is granted to graduates of the Engineering Executive Program, a two-year work-study program consisting of graduate-level professional courses in the management of technological enterprises. For details, write to the HSSEAS Office of Academic and Student Affairs, 6426 Boelter Hall, UCLA, Box 951601, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1601, (310) 825-2514.

Engineer Degree

The Engineer (Engr.) degree is similar to the Ph.D. degree in that the program of study is built around a major and two minor fields, and the preliminary written and oral examinations are the same. However, a dissertation is not required. Unlike the Ph.D. degree, the Engineer degree does have a formal course requirement of a minimum of 15 (at least nine graduate) courses beyond the bachelor’s degree, with at least six courses in the major field (minimum of four graduate courses) and at least three in each minor field (minimum of two graduate courses in each).

Ph.D. Degrees

The Ph.D. programs prepare students for advanced study and research in the major areas of engineering and computer science. To complete the Ph.D. all candidates must fulfill the minimum requirements of the Graduate Division. Major and minor fields may have additional course and examination requirements. For further information, contact the individual departments. To remain in good academic standing, a Ph.D. student must obtain an overall grade-point average of 3.25.

Established Fields of Study for the Ph.D.

Students may propose other fields of study when the established fields do not meet their educational objectives.

Biomedical Engineering Interdepartmental Program

Biomaterials, tissue engineering, and biomechanics
Biomedical instrumentation
Biomedical signal and image processing
Biosystem science and engineering
Medical imaging informatics
Molecular and cellular bioengineering
Neuroengineering

Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department

Chemical engineering

Civil and Environmental Engineering Department

Environmental engineering
Geotechnical engineering
Hydrology and water resources engineering
Structures (structural mechanics and earthquake engineering)

Computer Science Department

Artificial intelligence
Computational systems biology
Computer network systems
Computer science theory
Computer system architecture
Graphics and vision
Information and data management
Software systems

Electrical Engineering Department

Circuits and embedded systems
Physical and wave electronics
Signals and systems

Materials Science and Engineering Department

Ceramics and ceramic processing
Electronic and optical materials
Structural materials

Medical and Aerospace Engineering Department

Applied mathematics (established minor field only)
Applied plasma physics (minor field only)
Dynamics
Fluid mechanics
Heat and mass transfer
Manufacturing and design
Nanoelectromechanical/microelectromechanical systems (NEMS/MEMS)
Structural and solid mechanics
Systems and control
For more information on specific research areas, contact the individual faculty member in the field that most closely matches the area of interest.

Admission
Applications for admission are invited from graduates of recognized colleges and universities. Selection is based on promise of success in the work proposed, which is judged largely on the previous college record.

Candidates whose engineering background is judged to be deficient may be required to take additional coursework that may not be applied toward the degree. The adviser helps plan a program to remedy any such deficiencies, after students arrive at UCLA.

Entering students normally are expected to have completed the B.S. degree requirements with at least a 3.0 grade-point average in all coursework taken in the junior and senior years.

Students entering the Engineer/Ph.D. program normally are expected to have completed the requirements for the master’s degree with at least a 3.25 grade-point average and to have demonstrated creative ability. Normally the M.S. degree is required for admission to the Ph.D. program. Exceptional students, however, can be admitted to the Ph.D. program without having an M.S. degree.

For information on the proficiency in English requirements for international graduate students, see Graduate Admission in the Graduate Study section of the UCLA General Catalog or refer to http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/admissions/INTLREQT.HTM.

To submit a graduate application, see http://www.seasoasa.ucla.edu/admissions/graduate-admissions/. From there connect to the site of the preferred department or program and go to the online graduate application.

Graduate Record Examination
Applicants to the HSSEAS graduate programs are required to take the General Test of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). Specific information about the GRE may be obtained from the department of interest.

Obtain applications for the GRE by contacting the Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 6000, Princeton, NJ 08541-6000. See http://www.gre.org.
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James Dunn, M.D., Ph.D.
Warren S. Grundfest, M.D., FACS
Chih-Ming Ho, Ph.D. (Ben Rich Lockheed Martin Professor of Aeronautics)
Gerard C.L. Wong, Ph.D.
Benjamin M. Wu, D.D.S., Ph.D.

Professors Emeriti
Hooshang Kangarloo, Ph.D.
Edward F.B. McCabe, M.D., Ph.D. (Mattel Executive Endowed Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics)

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Scope and Objectives
Faculty members in the Department of Bioengineering believe that the interface between biology and the physical sciences represents an exciting area for science in the twenty-first century. Bioengineering has established itself as an independent field and engineering discipline, resulting in the formation of many new bioengineering departments and the redefinition of established programs. Faculty members have embraced this unique opportunity by developing an innovative curriculum, creating state-of-the-art facilities, and performing cutting-edge research.

Instead of treating bioengineering as an application of traditional engineering, it is taught as an applied science discipline in its own right. The bioengineering program is a structured compilation of unique forward-looking courses dedicated to producing graduates who are well-grounded in the fundamental sciences and highly proficient in rigorous analytical engineering tools necessary for lifelong success in the wide range of possible bioengineering careers. The program provides a unique engineering educational experience that responds to the growing needs and demands of bioengineering.

Department Mission
Bioengineering is a diverse multidisciplinary field that has established itself as an independent engineering discipline. The school has developed an innovative Bioengineering Department that is dedicated to producing graduates who are well-grounded in fundamental sciences and the rigorous analytical engineering tools necessary for lifelong success in the many possible bioengineering careers.

Undergraduate Program Objectives
The goal of the bioengineering curriculum is to train future leaders by providing students with the fundamental scientific knowledge and engineering tools necessary for graduate study in engineering or scientific disciplines, continued education in health professional schools, or employment in industry. There are six main objectives: to provide students with (1) rigorous training in engineering and fundamental sciences, (2) education in social and ethical issues, (3) knowledge and experience in state-of-the-art research in bioengineering, (4) experience in oral and written communications, (5) problem-solving and team-building skills to succeed in a career in bioengineering, and (6) information to help them continue lifelong learning as the diverse, interdisciplinary field of bioengineering evolves.

Undergraduate Study
The Bioengineering major is a designated capstone major. Utilizing knowledge from previous courses and new techniques learned from the capstone courses, undergraduate students work in teams to apply advanced knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering principles to address problems at the interface of biology and engineering and to develop innovative bioengineering solutions to meet specific sets of design criteria. Coursework entails construction of student designs, project updates, presentation of projects in written and oral format, and team competition.

Bioengineering B.S.
Capstone Major
Preparation for the Major
Required: Bioengineering 10; Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 30A, 30AL, 30B, 30BL; Computer Science 31; Life Sciences 2 (satisfies HSSEAS GE life sciences requirement), 3, 4, 23L; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

The Major
Required: Bioengineering 100, M106, 110, 120, 165EW (or Engineering 183EW or 185EW), 167L, 176, 180, Chemistry and Biochemistry 153A, Electrical Engineering 100;
three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; two capstone design courses (Bioengineering 177A, 177B); and three major field elective courses (12 units) from Bioengineering M104, M105, M131, 180L, 181, 181L, 199 (8 units maximum), Biomedical Engineering C101, CM102, CM103, CM140, CM145, C147, CM150, CM150L, C170, C171, CM180, C181, CM183, C185, CM186, CM187.

The three technical breadth and three major field elective courses may also be selected from one of the following tracks. Bioengineering majors cannot take bioengineering technical breadth courses to fulfill the technical breadth requirement.

**Biomaterials and Regenerative Medicine:** Bioengineering M104, M105, 199 (8 units maximum), Biomedical Engineering CM140, C147, CM183, C185, Chemistry and Biochemistry C140, C181, Materials Science and Engineering 104, 110, 111, 120, 130, 132, 140, 143A, 150, 151, 160, 161, Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology 168.

The above materials science and engineering courses may be used to satisfy the technical breadth requirement.

**Biomedical Devices:** Bioengineering M131, 199 (8 units maximum), Biomedical Engineering CM172, Electrical Engineering 102, CM150 (or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM180), CM150L (or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM180L), Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering C187L. The electrical engineering or mechanical and aerospace engineering courses listed above may be used to satisfy the technical breadth requirement.

For Bioengineering 199 to fulfill a track requirement, the research project must fit within the scope of the track field, and the research report must be approved by the supervisor and vice chair.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/.

### Graduate Study

Although the graduate program in bioengineering is currently being developed, individuals who would like to conduct research in the laboratories of the professors in the Bioengineering Department should apply to the graduate program in the Biomedical Engineering Interdepartmental Program (http://www.bme.ucla.edu).

### Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance

#### Professors

- **Denise Aberle, M.D.** (Kansas, 1979)
  - Medical imaging informatics: imaging-based clinical trials, medical visualization

- **Mark S. Cohen, Ph.D.** (Rockefeller, 1985)
  - Rapid methods of MR imaging, fusion of electrophysiology and fMRI, advanced approaches to MR data analysis, ultra-low field MRI using SQUID detection, low energy focused ultrasound for neurostimulation

- **Timothy J. Deming, Ph.D.** (UC Berkeley, 1993)
  - Polymer synthesis, tissue engineering, supramolecular polymers, organogelant catalysis, biomimetic materials, polypeptides

- **James Dunn, M.D., Ph.D.** (Harvard, MIT, 1992)
  - Tissue engineering, stem cell therapy, regenerative medicine

- **Warren S. Grundfest, M.D., FACS** (Columbia, 1980)
  - Extracorporeal, minimally invasive surgery, biological spectroscopy

- **Chin-Ming Ho, Ph.D.** (Johns Hopkins, 1974)
  - Molecular mechanics, nanofluidics, and biophysics research

- **Gerald C.L. Wong, Ph.D.** (UC Berkeley, 1994)
  - Antimicrobials and antibiotic-resistant pathogens, bacterial communities, cystic fibrosis, apoptosis proteins, and the mechanisms of chemotherapy and apoptosis detection, dissection, and purification

  - Biomedical engineering, tissue engineering, prosthetic and regenerative dentistry

#### Professors Emeriti

- **Hooshang Kangarloo, M.D.** (Tehran, 1970)
  - Tissue engineering, healthcare process modeling and evaluation, and imaging informatics

- **Edward R.B. McCabe, Ph.D.** (USC, 1972, M.D. (USC, 1974)
  - Stem cell identification, regenerative medicine, systems biology

#### Associate Professors

- **Daniel T. Kamei, Ph.D.** (MIT, 2001)
  - Molecular cell bioengineering, rational design of molecular therapeutics, systems-level analysis of cellular processes, drug delivery, diagnostics

- **Jacob J. Schmidt, Ph.D.** (Minnesota, 1999)
  - Bioengineering and biophysics at micro and nanoscales, membrane protein engineering, biological-inorganic hybrid devices

#### Assistant Professors

- **Dino Di Carlo, Ph.D.** (UC Berkeley, 2006)
  - Microfluidics, biomedical microdevices, cellular diagnostics, cell analysis and engineering

- **Andrea M. Kasko, Ph.D.** (U. Akron, 2004)
  - Polymer synthesis, biomaterials, tissue engineering, cell material interactions

#### Adjunct Professor

- **Debiao Li, Ph.D.** (U. Virginia, 1992)
  - Development and clinical application of fast MR imaging techniques for the evaluation of the vascular system

#### Adjunct Assistant Professors

- **Kayvan Niazi, Ph.D.** (UCLA, 2000)
  - Molecular and cellular bioengineering, immunotherapeutics

- **Shahrroz Rabizadeh, Ph.D.** (UCLA, 1999)
  - Molecular and cellular bioengineering, drug discovery in cancer and neurodegeneration

#### Skin tissue engineering, bone tissue engineering, vascular tissue engineering, wound healing

#### Lower Division Courses

10. **Introduction to Bioengineering.** (2) Lecture, two hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, three hours. Preparation: high school biology, chemistry, mathematics, physics. Introduction to scientific and technological bases for established and emerging fields of bioengineering, including biosensors, bioinstrumentation, and biosignal processing, biomechanics, biomaterials, tissue engineering, biotechnology, biological imaging, biomedical optics and lasers, neuroengineering, and biomolecular machines. Letter grading.

- **Mr. Deming (F)**

#### Flat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of and critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many paths of discovery at UCLA. P/NP grading.

99. **Student Research Program.** (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week per unit. Entry-level research for lower division students under guidance of faculty mentor. Students must be in good academic standing and enrolled in a minimum of 12 units (excluding this course). Individual contract required; consult Undergraduate Research Center. May be repeated. P/NP grading.

### Upper Division Courses

100. **Bioengineering Fundamentals.** (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Mathematics 32A, Physics 1B. Fundamental basis for analysis and design of biotechnical devices. Introduction to the subfields of bioengineering, including biosensors, bioinstrumentation, and biosignal processing, biomechanics, biomaterials, tissue engineering, biotechnology, biological imaging, biomedical optics and lasers, neuroengineering, and biomolecular machines. Letter grading.

- **Mr. Kamei (W)**

101. **Physical Chemistry of Biomacromolecules.** (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM104.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20C, 130A, Life Sciences 2, 3. To understand biological materials and design synthetic replacements, it is imperative to understand their physical chemistry. Biomacromolecules such as protein or DNA can be analyzed and characterized by applying fundamental techniques of polymer physical chemistry, investigation of polymer structure and conformation, bulk and solution thermodynamics and phase behavior, polymer networks, and viscoelasticity. Application of engineering principles to problems involving biomacromolecules such as protein conformation, solvation of charged species, and separation and characterization of biomacromolecules. Letter grading.

- **Ms. Kasko (F)**

M105. **Biophysical Chemistry and Bioconjugates.** (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM105.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L. Highly recommended: one organic chemistry course. Bioconjugate chemistry is science of coupling biomolecules for wide range of applications. Oligonucleotides may be coupled to one surface in gene chip, or one protein may be coupled to one polymer to enhance its stability in serum. Wide variety of bioconjugates are used in delivery of pharmaceuticals, in sensors, in medical diagnostics, and in tissue engineering. Basic concepts of chemical ligation, including choice and design of conjugate linkers depending on type of biomolecule and desired application, such as degradable versus nondegradable linkers. Presentation and discussion of design and synthesis of synthetic bioconjugates for some sample applications. Letter grading.

- **Mr. Deming (F)**
M106. Topics in Biophysics, Channels, and Membranes. (4) (Chemical Engineering CM106.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20B, Life Sciences 2, 3, 4, Mathematics 33B, Physics 104B. Course covers depictions of physical processes associated with biological membranes and channel proteins, with specific emphasis on electrophysiology. Basic physical principles governing electronic media, building on complexity to ultimately address action potentials and signal propagation in nerves. Topics include Nernst/Planck and Poisson/Boltzmann equations, Nernst/Poisson equation, cable equation, action potentials, Hodgkin/Huxley equations, impulse propagation, axon geometry and conduction, dendritic integration. Letter grading. Mr. Schmidt (F)

M107. Polymer Chemistry for Biologists. (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM107.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course M104 or M105. Fundamental concepts of polymer synthesis, including step-growth, chain growth (ionic, radical, metal catalyzed), and ring-opening, with focus on factors that can be used to control chain length, chain length distribution, and chain-end functionality, chain copolymerization, and stereoregularizations. Presentation of applications of use of different polymerization techniques. Concepts of step-growth, chain-growth, ring-opening, and coordination polymerization, and effects of structure on polymer properties. Lectures include both theory and practical issues demonstrated through examples. Letter grading. Mr. Deming (W)

110. Bistramport and Bioreaction Processes. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: course 100, Mathematics 33B. Introduction to analysis of fluid flow, heat transfer, mass transfer, binding events, and biochemistry of chemical reactions and surfaces in terms of interest to biomedical engineers, including cells, tissues, organs, human body, extracorporeal devices, tissue engineering systems, and bioartificial organs. Introduction to pharmacokinetic analysis. Letter grading. Mr. Kamei (Sp)

120. Biomedical Transducers. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 30A, Electrical Engineering 1 or Physics 1C, Electrical Engineering 100, Mathematics 33B. Overview of translation-sign characteristics for different measurements, reliability and performance characteristics, and data processing and recording. Emphasis on silicon-based microfabricated and integrated sensors. Novel materials, biocompatibility, biostability. Safety of electronic interfaces. Actuator design and interfacing control. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest, Mr. Schmidt (W)

M131. Nanopore Sensing. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM131.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: courses 100, 120, Life Sciences 2, 3, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C. Analysis of sensors based on measurement of fluctuating ionic conductance through artificial or protein nanopores. Physics of pore conductance. Applications to single molecule detection and DNA sequencing. Review of current literature and technologies applicable to instrumentation and instrumentation of resistive pulse sensing, theory and instrumentation of electrical measurements in electrophoresis. Nanopore fabrication, ionic conduction through pores and GHK equation, patch clamp and single channel measurements and instrumentation, noise issues, protein engineering, molecular sensing, DNA sequencing, membrane engineering, and future directions of nanomachines. Mr. Shendruk (F)

165EW. Bioengineering Ethics. (4) (Formerly numbered 165.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, three hours; outside study, five hours. All professions have ethical rules that derive from moral theory. Bioethics is well-established discipline that addresses ethical problems about life, such as when do fertilized eggs become people? Should ending of life ever be assisted? At what cost should it be maintained? Unlike physicians, bioengineers do not make these decisions in practice. Engineering ethics addresses ethical problem concerning build bridges, such as when do concerns about risk outweigh concerns about cost? When are weapons too dangerous to design? At what point does benefit of building devices outweigh need to wait for more scientific confirmation of its effectiveness? Bioengineers must be aware of consequences of applying such devices to all living systems. Emphasis on principles of engineering ethics and engineering environments. Satisfies engineering technology requirement. Letter grading. Mr. Di Carlo, Mr. Wong (Sp)

167L. Bioengineering Laboratory. (Formerly numbered 182A.) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; discussion, one hour. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20L. Laboratory experiments in fluoroscopy microscopy, bioconjugation, soft lithography, and cell culture culminate in design of engineered surfaces. Introduction to techniques used in laboratories and their underlying physical or chemical principles. Case studies connect laboratory techniques to current biomedical engineering research and reinforce experimental design skills. Letter grading. Mr. Di Carlo, Mr. Wong (Sp)

M172. Design of Minimally Invasive Surgical Tools. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM172.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, four hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 30B, Life Sciences 2, 3, Mathematics 32A. Introduction to design principles and engineering concepts used in design and manufacture of tools for minimally invasive surgery. Coverage of FDA regulatory policy and surgical procedures. Topics include optical devices, endoscopes and laparoscopes, biopsy devices, laparoscopic tools, cardiovascular and interventional radiology devices, orthopedic instrumentation, and integration of devices with therapy. Examination of complex process of tool design, fabrication, testing, and validation, Preparation of drawings and consideration of development of new and novel devices. Letter grading. Mr. Di Carlo, Mr. Wong (Sp)

176. Principles of Biocompatibility. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisites: course 100, Electrical Engineering 1 or Physics 1C, Mathematics 33B. Biocompatibility at systemic, tissue, cellular, and molecular levels. Biomechanical compatibility, stress/strain constitutive equations, cellular and molecular response to mechanical signals, biochemical and cellular compatibility, immune response, Letter grading. Mr. Wu (Sp)

177A. Bioengineering Capstone Design I. (Formerly numbered 182B.) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; outside study, four hours. Enforced requisites: courses 120, 128, 129, and discussion on aspects of biomedical device and therapeutic design, including topics such as need finding, intellectual property, entrepreneurship, regulation, and project management. Working in teams, students develop innovative solutions to address current problems in medicine and biology. Source and ordering of materials and supplies relevant to student projects. Exploration of different experimental and computational methods. Scientific presentation of progress. Letter grading. Mr. Di Carlo, Mr. Wong (F)

177B. Bioengineering Capstone Design II. (Formerly numbered 182C.) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, five hours; outside study, four hours. Enforced requisites: course 177A. Lectures, seminars, and discussions on aspects of biomedical device and therapeutic design, including meetings with scientific/clinical advisers and guest lectures from scientists in industry. Working in teams, students develop innovative solutions to address current problems in medicine and biology. Student directed experiment and computational modeling, give oral presentations, write reports, and participate in bioengineering competition design. Letter grading. Mr. Di Carlo, Mr. Wong (F)

180. System Integration Biology, Engineering, and Medicine I. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: courses 100, 110, 120, Life Sciences 3, Physics 4BL. Corequisite: course 180L. Part I of two-part series. Molecular basis of normal physiology and pathophysiology, and engineering principles of cardiovascular and pulmonary systems. Fundamental engineering principles of selected medical therapeutic devices. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn, Mr. Wu (W)

180L. System Integration in Biology, Engineering, and Medicine I Laboratory. (3) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; clinical visits, three hours; outside study, one hour. Corequisite: course 180. Hands-on experimentation and clinical applications of selected medical therapeutic devices associated with cardiovascular and pulmonary disorders. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn, Mr. Wu (Sp)

181. System Integration in Biology, Engineering, and Medicine II. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 180L. Part II of two-part series. Molecular basis of normal physiology and pathophysiology of selected organ systems; engineering design principles of digestive and urinary systems. Fundamental engineering principles of selected medical therapeutic devices. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn, Mr. Wu (W)

181L. System Integration in Biology, Engineering, and Medicine II Laboratory. (3) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; clinical visits, three hours; outside study, one hour. Corequisite: course 181. Hands-on experimentation and clinical applications of molecular basis of normal physiology and pathophysiology of selected organ systems; engineering design principles of digestive and urinary systems. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn, Mr. Wu (W)

M183. Targeted Drug Delivery and Controlled Drug Release. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM183.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L. New therapeutics require comprehensive understanding of basic modern biology, physiology, biomaterials, and engineering. Targeted delivery of drugs and their controlled release are important in treatment of challenging diseases and relevant to tissue engineering and regenerative medicine. Drug pharmacodynamics and clinical pharmacokinetics. Application of engineering principles (diffusion, transport, kinetics) to problems in drug formulation and delivery to establish rationale for design and development of novel drug delivery systems that can provide spatial and temporal control of drug release. Introduction to biomaterials and medical devices. Exploration of both chemistry of materials and physical presentation of devices and compounds used in delivery and their applications. Mr. Kasko (F)

188. Special Courses in Bioengineering. Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Special topics in bioengineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated once for credit with topic or instructor change. Letter grading.

194. Research Group Seminars: Bioengineering. (4) Seminar, three hours. Limited to bioengineering undergraduate students who, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Wu (F). Group study and analysis of current topics in bioengineering. Discussion of current research literature in research specialty of faculty member teaching course. Student presentation of projects in research specialty. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.

199. Directed Research in Bioengineering. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised individual research or investigation under guidance of faculty mentor. Culminating paper or project required. May be repeated for credit with school approval. Individual contract required; enrollment petitions available in Office of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading.
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Scope and Objectives

The Biomedical Engineering Interdepartmental Program focuses on further expanding on the knowledge base of the entering scientists and engineers to enable them to become leaders in the rapidly growing field of biomedical engineering. Since biomedical engineering encompasses many fields,
the curricula have been tailored to include courses that cover the appropriate core body of knowledge in the respective fields, as well as electives that build on this knowledge.

In addition to the courses, thesis research provides invaluable training in solving open-ended problems and education in specific areas to allow specialization. Fostering careers in industry, academia, or government laboratories, the program offers M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Biomedical Engineering. Several faculty members with principal appointments in departments across campus who participate in biomedical engineering research accept graduate students into their state-of-the-art laboratories.

Graduate Study

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the detailed degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Biomedical Engineering Program offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Biomedical Engineering.

Biomedical Engineering M.S.

Students are expected to complete 42 units, which in most cases include either Biomedical Engineering C201, CM202, and CM203, or C204, C205, and C206, and two courses from their area of study. The M.S. degree is offered under both the thesis plan and comprehensive examination plan. Under the thesis plan, 8 units of thesis work may be applied toward the unit requirements for the degree. The comprehensive examination plan consists entirely of coursework (12 courses) and a comprehensive examination. Eight of the 12 courses must be graduate (200-level) courses, and students must maintain a grade-point average of B or better in both upper division and graduate courses. Three Biomedical Engineering 299 courses (6 units total) are also required.

Biomedical Engineering Ph.D.

The Ph.D. program prepares students for advanced study and research in biomedical engineering. The Ph.D. preliminary examination typically consists of both written and oral parts. To receive a pass on the examination, students must receive a pass on both parts. An oral qualifying/advancement to candidacy examination, coursework for two minor fields of study, and defense of the dissertation are also required. The major field consists of six courses, and each minor field consists of three 4-unit courses, of which two must be graduate (200-level) courses. One minor must be in another field of biomedical engineering. Students must maintain a grade-point average of 3.25 or better in all courses.

Fields of Study

Biomaterials, Tissue Engineering, and Biomechanics

Three subfields—biomechanics, biomaterials, and tissue engineering—encompass this broad field. The properties of bone, muscles, and tissues, the replacement of natural materials with artificial compatible and functional materials such as polymer composites, ceramics, and metals, and the complex interactions between implants and the body are studied.

Course Requirements

Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering C201, C204, C205, and C206, and two courses from CM240, CM280, C283, C285, Bioengineering 176, Molecular, Cell, and Developmental Biology 100, 104, 138, M140, 165A, 168.

Electives. Students are expected to fulfill the remaining course requirements from courses in this group listed on the Biomedical Engineering website at http://www.bme.ucla.edu/academics/programs.

Biomedical Instrumentation

The biomedical instrumentation field trains biomedical engineers in the applications and development of instrumentation used in medicine and biotechnology. Examples include the use of lasers in surgery and diagnostics, sensors for detection and monitoring of disease, and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) devices for controlled drug delivery, surgery, or genetics. The principles underlying each instrument and the specific needs in medical applications are emphasized.

Course Requirements

Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering C201, C204, C205, C206, CM250A, Electrical Engineering 100.

Electives. Students are expected to fulfill the remaining course requirements from courses in this group listed on the Biomedical Engineering website at http://www.bme.ucla.edu/academics/programs.

Biomedical Signal and Image Processing

The biomedical signal and image processing field encompasses techniques for the acquisition, processing, classification, and analysis of digital biomedical signals, images, and related information, classification and analysis of biomedical data, and decision support of clinical processes. Sample applications include (1) digital imaging research utilizing modalities such as X-ray imaging, computed tomography (CT), and magnetic resonance (MR), positron emission tomography (PET) and SPECT, optical microscopy, and combinations such as PET/MR, (2) signal processing research on hearing to voice recognition to wireless sensors, and (3) bioinformatics research ranging from image segmentation for content-based retrieval from databases to correlating clinical findings with genomic markers. Graduates of the program integrate advanced digital processing and artificial intelligence technologies with healthcare activities and

Graduate student Garrett Mosley examines a high-performance liquid chromatography unit for purifying proteins.
biomedical research. They are prepared for careers involving innovation in the fields of signal processing, medical imaging, and medical-related informatics in either industry or academia.

Course Requirements
Students selecting biomedical signal and image processing as a minor field must take three courses, of which at least two must be graduate (200-level) courses.

Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering C201, CM202, CM203, M214A, Electrical Engineering 113, 211A.


Remedial Courses. Electrical Engineering 102, Program in Computing 10A, 10B.

Biosystem Science and Engineering
Graduate study in biosystem science and engineering is intended for science or engineering students interested in systems biology biosystems or biomedical systems, with an emphasis on systems and integration. This encompasses the systems engineering/cybernetics-based integrative properties or behavior of living systems, including their regulation, control, integration, and intercommunication mechanisms, and their associated measurement, visualization, and mathematical and computer modeling.

The program provides directed interdisciplinary biosystem studies to establish a foundation in systems and information science, mathematical modeling, measurement and integrative biosystem science, as well as related specialized life sciences domain studies. It fosters careers in research and teaching in systems biology engineering, medicine, and/or the biomedical sciences, or research and development in the biomedical or pharmaceutical industry. At the system and integration level, bio-cybernetics methodology is quite broadly applicable to a large spectrum of biomedical problems.

Typical research areas include basic and clinical problems in biomedical systems, systems biology, all types of biocontrol systems, imaging systems, pharmaceutical systems, biotechnology systems, bioinformatics, genomics, neuroscience, and remote sensing systems for the life sciences.

Faculty research areas include computational biology, computational biochemistry, and metabolism; computational cardiology and neuroendocrinology; biomodeling of diseases, cellular processes, metabolic control systems, and gene networks; modeling in genomics, pharmacokinetics, and pharmacodynamics; vision, robotics, speech processing, neuroscience, artificial and real neural network modeling, normative expert systems, wireless remote sensing systems, telemedicine, visualization, and virtual clinical environments.

Course Requirements
Biosystem science and engineering can serve as a minor field for other Ph.D. majors if students complete the following courses with a grade-point average of B+: Biomedical Engineering CM286, M296A, and one additional graduate-level elective from the additional foundations or electives list.

Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering C201, CM202, CM203, CM286, CM287, and either M296A or Biomathematics 220.


Medical Imaging Informatics
The objective of the medical imaging informatics field is to train students in imaging-based medical informatics. Specifically, the program’s aims are to enable (1) students from engineering backgrounds to become familiar with aspects of clinical and medical environments, such that they are able to appropriately apply their skills and knowledge in these domains, (2) students from medical backgrounds to learn sufficient expertise in current information and engineering technologies to address specific problems within clinical environments, (3) all students to be experts within the field of imaging-based medical informatics, becoming experienced in dealing with diverse biomedical data (imaging and text), and (4) all students to learn to work in a multidisciplinary group of researchers and individuals, enabling new developments within the field.

The underlying goal is to foster a community for students and faculty members from multiple disciplines (represented by individuals from the Schools of Engineering, Education and Information Studies, Medicine, and Public Health) to participate in the growing area of medical imaging informatics.

Course Requirements


Molecular and Cellular Bioengineering
The field of molecular and cellular bioengineering encompasses the engineering of enzymes, cellular metabolism, biological signal transduction, and cell-cell interactions. Research emphasizes the fundamental basis for diagnosis, disease treatment, and redesign of cellular functions at the molecular level. The field interacts closely with the fields of bioinstrumentation (MEMS), tissue engineering, and bioengineering. Graduates of the program are targeted principally for employment in academia, in government research laboratories, and in the biotechnology, pharmaceutical, and biomedical industries.

Course Requirements
Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering C201, C204, C205, C206, and two courses from M184, M215, M225, CM245, CM283, CM286, CM287, Bioengineering 100, Biomathematics 220, M270, M271, Computer Science 170A, Mathematics 146, 151A, Physiological Science 134, Statistics 200B.

Electives. Students are expected to fulfill the remaining course requirements from courses in this group listed on the Biomedical Engineering website at http://www.bme.ucla.edu/academics/programs.

Neuroengineering
The neuroengineering field is a joint endeavor between the Neuroscience Interdepartmental Ph.D. Program in the Geffen School of Medicine and the Biomedical Engineering Interdepartmental Graduate Program in HSSSEAS.

The objectives of the neuroengineering field are to enable (1) students with a background in engineering to develop and execute projects that address problems that have a neuroscience base, (2) students with a background in biological sciences to develop and execute projects that make use of state-of-the-art technology, and (3) all trainees to develop the capacity for the multidisciplinary teamwork that is necessary for new scientific insights and dramatic technological progress. Courses and research projects are cosponsored by faculty mem-
bers in both HSSEAS and the Brain Research Institute (BRI).

Requisites for Admission. Students entering the neuroengineering program have graduated with undergraduate degrees in engineering, physics, chemistry, or one of the life sciences (for example, biology, microbiology, immunology, and molecular genetics, molecular, cell, and developmental biology, neuroscience, physiology, or psychology). Engineering students must have taken at least one undergraduate course in biology, one course in chemistry, and a year of physics. Students from nonengineering backgrounds are required to have taken courses in undergraduate calculus, differential equations, and linear algebra, in addition to at least a year of undergraduate courses in each of the following: organic chemistry and biochemistry, physics, and biology. Students lacking one or more requisite courses, if they are otherwise admissible, are provided an opportunity for appropriate coursework or tutorial during the summer before they enter the neuroengineering program.

Written Preliminary Examination. The Ph.D. preliminary examination typically consists of three written parts—two in neuroscience and one in neuroengineering. To receive a pass on the examination, students must receive a pass on all parts. Students who fail the examination may repeat it only once, subject to approval of the faculty examination committee.

Students who are in a field other than neuroengineering and who select neuroengineering as a minor must take Biomedical Engineering M260, M263, and Neuroscience 205.

Core Courses (Required). Biomedical Engineering M260, Neuroscience M202, and either Biomedical Engineering M263 or Neuroscience 205.

Electives. During the first and second years, students take at least three courses selected from a menu of new and existing courses.

Biomedical engineering category: Biomedical Engineering C201, M261A, M261B, M261C.

Microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) category. Biomedical Engineering CM250A, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM280L, 284.

Neuroscience category: Neuroscience M201, M273.


Students without previous exposure to MEMS should take Biomedical Engineering CM150L; those without previous exposure to neuroscience should take Physiological Science 111A; those without previous exposure to signal processing should take Electrical Engineering 102 and 113. Both courses are offered every term.

Seminars (First-Year). Two seminars in problem-based approaches to neuroengineering are required. All first-year students take a new graduate seminar series in Winter and Spring Quarters which is co-taught each term by one instructor from HSSEAS and one from the Brain Research Institute. Each seminar introduces students to a single area of neuroengineering and challenges them to develop critical skills in evaluating primary research papers and to design new approaches to current problems. Topics include pattern generation, sensory signal processing, initiation and control of movement, microsensors, neural networks, photonics, and robotics.

Research Seminars. In addition to the formal coursework listed above, all students attend a series of weekly research seminars that allow both students and faculty members to become more conversant with the broad range of subjects in neuro-engineering.

Seminars (Second-Year). All second-year students take a seminar course each term specifically designed for the neuroengineering program. Each course is co-taught by one faculty member from the Brain Research Institute and one from HSSEAS and often include outside UCLA faculty speakers or members of the Industrial Advisory Board.

Lower Division Courses

19. Fiat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of and critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many paths of discovery at UCLA. P/NP grading.

99. Student Research Program. (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week. (For low-semester students) Students take a seminar course each term specifically designed for the neuroengineering program. Each course is co-taught by one faculty member from the Brain Research Institute and one from HSSEAS and often include outside UCLA faculty speakers or members of the Industrial Advisory Board.

Upper Division Courses

C101. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering. (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, three hours. Out- side study, six hours. Designed for physical sciences, life sciences, and engineering students. Introduction to wide scope of biomedical engineering via treat- ment of selected important individual topics by small team of specialists. Concurrently scheduled with course C201. Letter grading.

Mr. Kamei (F) CM102. Basic Human Biology for Biomedical En- gineers I. (4) (Same as Physiology Science C102.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours. Preparation: human molecular biology, biochemistry, and cell biology. Not open for credit to Physiological Science majors. Broad overview of basic biological activities and organization of human body in system (organ/tissue) to system basis, with particular em- phasis on molecular basis. Modeling/simulation of functional aspect of biological system included. Actu- al demonstration of biomedical instruments as well as visits to biomedical facilities. Concurrently sched- uled with course CM202. Letter grading.

Mr. Grundfest (F)

CM103. Basic Human Biology for Biomedical En- gineers II. (4) (Same as Physiology Science C103.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours. Preparation: human molecular biology, biochemistry, and cell biology. Not open for credit to Physiological Science majors. Molecules and fundamental concepts of hu- man anatomy and physiology in selected organ sys- tems (digestive, skin, musculoskeletal, endocrine, im- mune, urinary, reproductive). System-specific model- izations (immune regulation, wound healing, muscle mechanics and energetics, acid-base bal- ance, excretion). Functional basis of biomedical in- strumentation (dialysis, artificial skin, pathogen de- tectors, artificial limbs, biocompatible delivery). Con- currently scheduled with course CM202. Letter grading.

Mr. Grundfest (W)

CM104. Physical Chemistry of Biomacromole- cules. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M104.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 30A, Life Sciences 2, 3. To understand biological materials and design synthetic replacements, it is imperative to understand their physical chemistry. Biomacromole- cules such as protein or DNA can be analyzed and characterized by applying fundamentals of polymer physical chemistry. Investigation of polymer structure and conformation, bulk and solution thermodynamics and phase behavior, polymer networks, and visco- elasticity. Application of engineering principles to problems involving biomacromolecules such as pro- tein conformation, solvation of charged species, and separation and characterization of biomacromole- cules. Concurrently scheduled with course C204. Letter grading.

Ms. Kasko (F)

CM105. Biopolymer Chemistry and Bioconju- gation. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M105.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L. Highly recommended: one organic chemistry course. Bioconjugate chemistry is science of cou- pling biomolecules for wide range of applications. Oli- gonucleotides may be coupled to one surface in gene chip, or one protein may be coupled to one polymer to enhance its stability in serum. Wide variety of bio- conjugates are used in delivery of pharmaceuticals, in sensors, in medial diagnostics, and in tissue engi- neering. Basic concepts of chemical ligation, includ- ing choice and design of conjugate linkers depending on type of biomolecule and desired application, such as degradable versus nondegradable linkers. Presen- tation and discussion of design and synthesis of syn- thetic bioconjugates for some sample applications. Concurrently scheduled with course C205. Letter grading.

Mr. Deming (W)

CM106. Topics in Biophysics, Channels, and Membranes. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M106.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20B, Life Sciences 2, 3, 4, Mathematics 33B, Physics 1C, 4A, 4BL. Coverage in depth of physical process- es associated with biological membranes and chan- nel proteins, with specific emphasis on electrophysi- ology. Basic physical principles governing electric- itics in dielectric media, building on complexity to ultimately address action potentials and signal propa- gation in nerves. Topics include Nernst/Planck and Poisson/Boltzmann equations, Nernst potential, Don- nand equilibrium, GHK equations, energy barriers in ion channels, cable equation, action potentials, Hodgkin-Huxley equations, impulse propagation, axon geometry and conduction, dendritic integration. Concurrently scheduled with course C206. Letter grading.

Mr. Schmidt (W)

CM107. Polymer Chemistry for Biologists. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M107.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course CM104 or CM105. Fundamental concepts of polymer synthesis, including step- growth, chain growth (ionic, radical, metal catalyzed),
and ring-opening, with focus on factors that can be used to control cellular and macromolecular chain-length, chain-end functionality, chain copolymerization, and stereochirality in polymerizations. Presentation of applications of use of different polymerization techniques. Coverage of step-growth, chain-growth, ring-opening, and coordination polymerization, and effects of synthesis route on polymer properties. Lectures include both theory and practical issues demonstrated in experiments. Concurrently scheduled with course CM207. Letter grading. Mr. Deming (W)

CM131. Nanopore Sensing. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M131.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Bioengineering 100, 120, Life Sciences 2, 3, 5, Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 1B, 1C. Analysis of sensors based on measurements of fluctuating ionic conductance through artificial or protein nanopores. Physics of pore conductance. Applications to single molecule detection and single cell sensing. Review of current literature and technological applications. History and instrumentation of resistive pulse sensing, theory and instrumentation of electrical measurements in electrolytes, nanopore fabrication, ionic conductance through pores and GHK equation, patch clamp and single channel measurements and instrumentation, noise issues, protein engineering, molecular sensing, DNA sequencing, membrane permeability, and future directions of field. Concurrently scheduled with course C231. Letter grading. Mr. Schmidt (F)

CM140. Introduction to Biomechanics. (4) (Same as Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM140.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisites: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101, 102, 156A. Introduction to mechanical functions of human body: skeletal adaption to optimize load transfer, mobility, and function. Dynamics and kinematics. Fluid mechanics applications. Heat and mass transfer. Power generation. Laboratory simulations and tests. Concurrently scheduled with course CM240. Letter grading. Mr. Gupta (W)

CM145. Molecular Biotechnology for Engineers. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering CM145.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Selected topics in molecular biology that form foundation of biotechnology and biomedical industry today. Topics include recombinant DNA technology, molecular research tools, manipulation of gene expression, directed mutations as tools for protein engineering, DNA-based diagnostics and DNA microarrays, antibody and protein-based diagnostics, genomics and bioinformatics, isolation of human genes, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course CM245. Letter grading. Mr. Liao (F)

C147. Applied Tissue Engineering: Clinical and Industrial Perspective. (4) (Formerly numbered C187.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course CM102, Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, Life Sciences 1 or 2. Overview of central topics of tissue engineering, with focus on how to build artificial tissues into clinically viable products. Topics include biomaterials selection, cell source, delivery methods, FDA approval processes, and physical/chemical and biological properties of tissues and cell sources. Students will design micromachining and micromachined systems (MEMS) laboratory. Methods of micromachining and how these methods can be used to produce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students design micromachining processes capable of achieving desired MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM250L. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (F)

CM150L. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Laboratory. (2) (Same as Electrical Engineering CM150L and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM190L.) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, one hour. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL. Corequisite: course CM102, Electrical and Computer Engineering, microelectromechanical systems and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) laboratory. Methods of micromachining and how these methods can be used to produce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students go through process of fabricating MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM250L. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (F)

C170. Energy-Tissue Interactions. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisites: Electrical Engineering 172, 175, Life Sciences 3, Physics 17. Corequisite: course C170L. Introduction to therapeutic and diagnostic use of energy delivery devices. Focus on physical and electrical properties with emphasis on understanding fundamental mechanisms underlying various types of energy-tissue interactions. Concurrently scheduled with course C270. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (W)

C170L. Introduction to Techniques in Studying Laser-Tissue Interaction. (2) Laboratory, four hours; outside study, two hours. Corequisite: course C170. Introduction to simulation and experimental techniques used in studying laser-tissue interactions. Topics include computer simulations of light propagation in tissue, measuring absorption spectra of tissue/tissue phantoms, making tissue phantoms, determination of optical properties, techniques of temperature distribution measurements. Concurrently scheduled with course C270L. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (W)


CM172. Design of Minimally Invasive Surgical Tools. (4) (Same as M172.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 3OB, Life Sciences 2, 3, Mathematics 32A. Introduction to design principles and engineering concepts used in design and manufacture of tools for minimally invasive surgery. Coverage of FDA regulatory policy and surgical procedures. Topics include optical devices, endoscopes and laparoscopes, biopsy devices, laparoscopic tools, cardiovascular and interventional radiology devices, orthopedic instrumentation, and integration of devices with therapy. Examination of complex process of tool design, fabrication, testing, and validation. Preparation of drawings and consideration of development of new and novel devices. Concurrently scheduled with course C272L. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (F)

CM180. Introduction to Biomaterials. (4) (Same as Materials Science CM180.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, and 20L, or Materials Science 1A, Biological Engineering 20A, and 20L. Engineering and physical principles of the selection, characterization, and performance of medical devices and for repair and/or restoration of damaged natural tissues. Topics include relationships between material properties, suitability to task, surface chemistry, processing and treatment methods, and bio-compatibility. Concurrently scheduled with course CM280. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (W)

C181. Biomaterials-Tissue Interactions. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course CM180. In-depth exploration of host cellular response to biomaterials: vascular response, interface, and clotting, biocompatibility, animal models, infection, inflammation, cell adhesion, and role of mechanical forces. Concurrently scheduled with course C281. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (Sp)

CM183. Targeted Drug Delivery and Controlled Drug Release. (4) (Same as Bioengineering M183.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L. New therapeutics require comprehensive understanding of modern biomaterials, microtechnologies and microengineering. Targeted delivery of genes and drugs and their controlled release are important in treatment of challenging diseases and relevant to tissue engineering and regenerative medicine: drug pharmacodynamics and clinical pharmacokinetics. Application of engineering principles (diffusion, transport, kinetics) to problems in drug formulation and delivery to establish rational design and development of novel drug delivery systems that can provide spatial and temporal control of drug release. Introduction to biomaterials with specialized structural and functional properties. Exploration of both chemistry of molecules and physical phenomena of transport of vaccines and compounds used in delivery and release. Concurrently scheduled with course C283. Letter grading. Ms. Kasko (F)

M184. Introduction to Computational and Systems Biology. (2) (Formerly numbered M186A.) (Same as Computational and Systems Biology M184 and Computer Science M184.) Lecture, two hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: Computer Science 31 (or Program in Computing 10A), Mathematics 31A, 31B. Survey course designed to introduce students to computational and systems modeling and simulation in biology and medicine, providing methods flexibility, culture, and content. Presentation of six of three basic components for tissue engineering: cells, scaffolds, and molecular signals. Concurrently scheduled with course C285. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (Sp)

CM186. Computational Systems Biology: Modeling and Analysis of Biological Systems. (5) (Formerly numbered CM186B.) (Same as Computational and Systems Biology M186 and Computer Science CM186.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, eight hours. Corequisite: Electrical Engineering 102. Dynamic biosystems modeling and computer simulation methods for studying biological/medical processes and systems at multiple levels of organization. Organization, metabolism, predator-prey, pharmacokinetic (PK), pharmacodynamic (PD), and other structural modeling methods applied to life sciences problems at molecular, cellular (biomedical pathways/networks), organ, and organismic levels. Both theory- and data-driven modeling, with focus on translating biomodeling goals and data into mathematics models and implementing them for simulation and analysis. Basics of numerical simulation algorithms, with modeling software exercises in class and PC laboratory assignments. Concurrently scheduled with course CM286. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano (W)

CM187. Thesis Research and Research Communication in Computational and Systems Biology. (2 to 4) (Formerly numbered CM186C.) (Same as Computational and Systems Biology M187 and Computer Science CM187.) Lecture, one hour; discussion
sion, two hours; laboratory, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisites: course CM106. Closely directed, interactive, and real research experience in active quantitative systems biology research laboratory. Direction on how to focus on topics of current interest in scientific community, appropriate to student interests and capabilities. Critiques of oral presentations and written progress reports explain how to proceed with search for research results. Major emphasis on effective research reporting, both oral and written. Concurrently scheduled with course CM207. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano (Sp)

188. Special Courses in Biomedical Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in biomedical engineering under graduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.

Graduate Courses

C201. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering. (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study. Required for physics, life science, life sciences, and engineering students. Introduction to wide scope of biomedical engineering via treatment of selected important individual topics by small teams of students. Concurrently scheduled with course C101. Letter grading. Mr. Kamei (F)

CM202. Basic Human Biology for Biomedical Engineers I, (4) (Same as Physiology Science CM204.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours. Preparation: human molecular biology, biochemistry, and cell biology. Not open for credit to Physiological Science majors. Broad overview of basic biological activities and organization of human body in system (organ/tissue) to system basis, with particular emphasis on molecular biology. Modeling/coordinates of functional aspect of biological system included. Actual demonstration of biomedical instruments, as well as visits to biomedical facilities. Concurrently scheduled with course CM102. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (W)

CM203. Basic Human Biology for Biomedical Engineers II. (4) (Same as Physiology Science CM203.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours. Preparation: human molecular biology, biochemistry, and cell biology. Not open for credit to Physiological Science majors. Broad overview of basic biological activities and organization of human body in system (organ/tissue) to system basis, with particular emphasis on molecular biology. Modeling/coordinates of functional aspect of biological system included. Actual demonstration of biomedical instruments, as well as visits to biomedical facilities. Concurrently scheduled with course CM103. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (W)

C204. Physical Chemistry of Biomacromolecules. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20A, Life Sciences 2, 3. To understand biological materials and design synthetic replacements, it is imperative to understand their physical chemistry. Biomacromolecules such as protein or DNA can be analyzed and characterized by applying fundamentals of polymer physical chemistry. Investigation of polymer structure and conformation, bulk and solution thermodynamics and phase behavior, polymer networks, and viscoelasticity. Application of engineering principles to treatment biomacromolecules such as protein conformation, solvation of charged species, and separation and characterization of biomacromolecules. Concurrently scheduled with course CM204. Letter grading. Ms. Kasko (Sp)

C205. Biopolymer Chemistry and Bioconjugates. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L. Highly recommended: one organic chemistry course. Bioc conjugate chemistry is science of coupling biomolecules for wide range of applica-
tions. Oligonucleotides may be coupled to one sur-ace to be functionalized, and can be used to make one polymer to enhance its stability in serum. Wide variety of bioconjugates are used in delivery of phar-
macueticals, in sensors, in medial diagnostics, and in tissue engineering. Class incorporates chemical lig-
ating, including choice and design of conjugate linkers depending on type of biomolecule and desired appli-
cation, such as degradable versus nondegradable linkers. Preparation and design of chemical lig-
ation and synthesis of synthetic bioconjugates for some sample applications. Concurrently scheduled with course CM105. Letter grading. Mr. Deming (W)

CM206. Topics in Biophysics, Channels, and Mem-
branes. Concurrently scheduled with course CM206. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20B, Life Sciences 2, 3, 4, Mathematics 33B, Physics 1C, 4A, 4BL. Coverage in depth of physical processes associated with biological mem-
branes and channel proteins, with specific emphasis on electrophysiology. Basic physical principles gov-
erning electrostatics in dielectric media, building on complex to ultimately address action potentials and signal propagation in nerves. Topics include Nernst-Planck and Poisson/Boltzmann equations, Nernst po-
tential, Donnan equilibrium, GHK equations, energy barriers in ion channels, cable equation, action po-
tentials in Hodgkin/Huxley. Incorporation of propaga-
tion, axon geometry and conduction, dendritic inte-
gration. Concurrently scheduled with course CM106. Letter grading. Mr. Schmidt (W)

C207. Polymer Chemistry for Biologists. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: course C204 or C205. Fundamental concepts of polymer synthesis, includ-
ing step-growth, chain growth (ionic, radical, metal-
catalyzed), and ring-opening, with focus on factors that can be used to control chain length, chain length distribution, and chain-end functionality, chain copoly-
merization, and stereochemistry in polymerizations. Presentations of types of polymerization and poly-
merization techniques. Concepts of step-grow, chain-
growth, chain, ring-opening, and coordination polymeriza-
tion, and effects of synthesis route on polymer prop-
er ties. Lectures include both theory and practical is-
sues demonstrated through examples. Concurrently scheduled with course CM107. Letter grading. Mr. Deming (W)

CM214A. Digital Speech Processing. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M214A.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Electrical Engineering 113. Theory and applications of digital processing of speech signals. Mathematical tools of human speech production and perception mechanisms, speech analysis/syn-
thesis. Techniques include linear prediction, filter-
bank models, and homomorphic filtering. Applica-
tions to speech processing, automatic speech recognition, and hearing aids. Letter grading. Ms. Alwan (W)

CM215. Biochemical Reaction Engineering. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering CM215.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemical Engineering 101C. Use of previously learned concepts of biophysical chemistry, thermodynamics, transport phenomena, and reaction kinetics to develop tools needed for technique design and computer analysis of biological reactors. Letter grading. Mr. Liao (Sp)

CM217. Biomedical Imaging. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M217.) Lecture, three hours; outside study, one hour. Enforced requisites: Electrical Engineering 114 or 211A. Optical imaging modalities in biomed-
cine. Other nonoptical imaging modalities discussed briefly for comparison purposes. Letter grading.

CM219. Principles and Applications of Magnetic Resonance Imaging. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering Physics M219.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour. Basic principles of magnetic resonance (MR), physics, and image formation. Emphasis on hard-
ware, Bloch equations, analytic expressions, image con-
trast, current and future clinical applications of magnetic re-
contrast mechanisms, computer tomography, ultrasound, computed radiography) to provide context for imaging modalities predominantly used to view human anato-
my. Geared toward nonphysicians who require more focused understanding of basic anatomical knowledge in computerized clinical applications. Top-
ics include chest, cardiac, neurology, gastrointestinal/ genitourinary, endocrine, and musculoskeletal sys-
tems. Introduction to basic medical physics concepts and imaging Informatics I, II, III. (4-4-4) Letter grading. Mr. El-Saden (F)

223A-223B-223C. Programming Laboratories for Medical and Imaging Informatics I, II, III. (4-4-4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Programming laboratories to support coursework in other medical and imaging informatics core curricu-
um. Exposure to programming concepts for medical applications, with focus on basic abstraction techniques used in image processing and medical in-
formation system infrastructures. Letter grading. Mr. Meng (F)
224B. Advances in Imaging Informatics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 224A. Overview of information retrieval techniques and computational methods for applications of imaging, with focus on various advances in field. Introduction to core concepts in information retrieval (IR), reviewing seminal papers on evaluating IR systems and their use in medicine (e.g., teaching files, case-based retrieval, etc.). Medical content-based image retrieval (CBIR) as motivating application, with examination of core works in this area. Technological advances in CBIR, including image feature extraction and processing, feature representation, classification schemes (via machine learning), image indexing, image querying methods, and visualization issues, e.g., perception. Discussion of more advanced methods now being pursued by researchers. Letter grading.

Mr. Morikoa (W)

M225. Biooperations and Bioprocess Engineering. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering CM225.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Corequisite: Chemical Engineering 101C. Separation strategies, unit operations, and economic considerations of design processes involving purifying and manufacturing materials like whole cells, enzymes, food additives, or pharmaceuticals that are products of biological reactors. Letter grading.

Mr. Monbuquet (W)

M226. Medical Knowledge Representation. (4) (Formerly numbered 226.) (Same as Information Studies M223.) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Issues related to medical knowledge representation and its application in healthcare processes. Topics include data structures used for representing knowledge (conceptual graphs, frame-based models), different data mining strategies, spatio-temporal reasoning, rule-based implementations, current statistical methods for discovery of knowledge (data mining, statistical classifiers, and hierarchical classification), and basic information retrieval. Review of work in constructing ontologies, with focus on problems in implementation and definition. Common medical ontologies, coding schemes, and standardized indexes/terminologies (SNOMED, UMLS). Letter grading.

Mr. Maia (Sp)

M227. Medical Information Infrastructures and Internet Technologies. (4) (Formerly numbered 227.) (Same as Information Studies M224.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Issues related to medical knowledge representation and its application in healthcare processes. Topics include data structures used for representing knowledge (conceptual graphs, frame-based models), different data mining strategies, spatio-temporal reasoning, rule-based implementations, current statistical methods for discovery of knowledge (data mining, statistical classifiers, and hierarchical classification), and basic information retrieval. Review of work in constructing ontologies, with focus on problems in implementation and definition. Common medical ontologies, coding schemes, and standardized indexes/terminologies (SNOMED, UMLS). Letter grading.

Mr. Maia (Sp)

M228. Medical Decision Making. (4) (Formerly numbered 228.) (Same as Information Studies M225.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Issues related to medical decision making. Introduction to concept of evidence-based medicine and decision processes related to process of care and outcomes. Basic probability and statistics to understand research studies, data analysis, and application of methods for decision-making processes (Bayes theorem, decision trees). Study design, hypothesis testing, and estimation. Focus on technical advances in medical information systems and expert systems, with review of classic and current research. Introduction to common statistical and decision-making software packages to familiarize students with current tools. Letter grading.

Mr. Kangaroo (W)

C231. Nanopore Sensing. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: Bioengineering 100, 120, Life Sciences 2, 3, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C. Analysis of sensors based on measurements of fluctuating ionic conductance through nanopores or proteins. Prerequisites: basic knowledge of pore conductance. Applications to single molecule detection and DNA sequencing. Review of current literature and technological applications. History and instrumentation of nanopore sensing, theory and instrumentation of electrical measurements in electrolytes, nanopore fabrication, ionic conductance through pores and GHK equation, patch clamp and single channel measurements and instrumentation, noise issues, protein engineering, and the application of nanoscale DNA sequencing, membrane engineering, and future directions of field. Concurrently scheduled with course CM131. Letter grading.

Mr. Schmidt (F)

M240. Introduction to Biomechanics. (4) (Same as Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM240.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101, 102, 156A. Introduction to mechanical functions of human body: skeletal adaptation to optimize load transfer, mobility, and function. Dynamics and kinematics. Fluid mechanics applications. Heat and mass transfer. Power generation. Laboratory gives hands-on experience in conjunction with related course CM140. Letter grading.

Mr. Gupta (W)

CM245. Molecular Biotechnology for Engineers. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering CM245.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Selected topics in molecular biology that form foundation of biotechnology and biomedical industry today. Topics include recombinant DNA technology, molecular research tools, manipulation of gene expression, directed mutagenesis and protein engineering, DNA-based diagnostics and DNA microarrays, antibody and protein-based diagnostics, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course CM145. Letter grading.

Mr. Liao (F)

C247. Applied Tissue Engineering: Clinical and Industrial Perspective. (4) (Formerly numbered 228B.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course CM202, Chemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, Life Sciences 1 or 2. Overview of tissue engineering, with focus on how to build artificial tissues into regulated clinically viable products. Topics include biomaterials selection, cell source, delivery methods, FDA approval processes, and physical and biological testing. Case studies include skin and artifical skin, bone and cartilage, blood vessels, neurotissue engineering, and liver, kidney, and other organs. Clinical and industrial perspectives of tissue engineering products. Manufacturing constraints, clinical limitations, and regulatory challenges in design and development of tissue-engineering devices. Concurrently scheduled with course C147. Letter grading.

Mr. Wu (F)

M248. Introduction to Biological Imaging. (4) (Same as Biomedical Physics M248 and Pharmacology M246.) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, one hour; outside study, five hours. Introduction to role of biological imaging in modern biology and medicine, including imaging physics, instrumentation, image processing, and applications of imaging for range of modalities. Practical experience provided through series of imaging laboratories. Letter grading.

M250A. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering E250A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4A, 4B, 4L. Corequisites: course CM250L. Introduction to micromachining technologies and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS). Methods of micromachining and how these methods can be used to produce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students design microfabrication processes capable of achieving desired MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM150. Letter grading.

Mr. Judy (W)

M250B. Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Fabrication. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering E250B and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM250B) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course CM150 or CM250A. Overview of micro-machining processes used to construct MEMS. Coverage of many lithographic, deposition, and etching processes, as well as their combination in process techniques. Materials include biological resist, corrosion, mechanical properties, and residual stress. Letter grading.

Mr. Judy (Sp)

CM250L. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Laboratory (2) (Same as Electrical Engineering CM250L and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM250L) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, one hour. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C. Hands-on introduction to micromachining technologies and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) laboratory. Methods of micromachining and hands-on methods can be used to build variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students go through process of fabricating MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM150L. Letter grading.

Mr. Judy (F)

M252. Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Device Physics and Design. (4) (Formerly numbered CM252B) (Same as Electrical Engineering E252 and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM252) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Introduction to MEMS design. Design methods, design rules, sensing and actuation mechanisms, microsensors, and microactuators. Designing MEMS that produce the output of desired processes. Computer-aided design for MEMS. Design project required. Letter grading.

Mr. Wu (Sp)


M260. Neuroengineering. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering E265 and Neuroscience M260.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, five hours. Requisites: Mathematics 32A, Physics 1B or 6B. Introduction to principles and technologies of bioelectricity and neural signal recording, processing, and stimulation. Topics include bioelectricity, electrophysiology (action potentials, local field potentials, EEG, ECOG), intracellular and extracellular recording, microelectrode technology, neural signal processing (neural signal frequency bands, filtering, spike detection, spike sorting, stimulation artifact removal), brain-computer interfaces, deep-brain stimulation, and prosthetics. Letter grading.

Mr. Judy (Sp)


M263. Neuroanatomy: Structure and Function of Nervous System. (4) (Same as Neuroscience M203.) Lecture, three hours; discussion/laboratory, three hours. Anatomy of central and peripheral ner-
C270. Energy-Tissue Interactions. (4) Lecture; four hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisites: Electrical Engineering 172, 175, Life Sciences 3, Physics 17. Introduction to therapeutic and diagnostic use of energy delivery devices in medical and dental applications, with emphasis on understanding fundamental mechanisms underlying various types of energy-tissue interactions. Concurrently scheduled with course C170. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (F).

C270L. Introduction to Techniques in Studying Laser-Tissue Interaction. (2) Laboratory, four hours; outside study, two hours. Corequisite: course C270. Introduction to simulation and experimental techniques used in studying laser-tissue interactions. Topics include computer simulations of light propagation in tissue, measuring absorption spectra of tissue/ tumor phantoms, measuring tissue phantoms, determination of optical properties of different tissues, techniques of temperature distribution measurements. Concurrently scheduled with course C170L. Letter grading. Mr. Grundfest (F).


C272. Design of Minimally Invasive Surgical Tools. (4) Lecture; three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 30B, Life Sciences 2, 3, Mathematics 32A. Introduction to design principles and design concepts used in design and manufacture of tools for minimally invasive surgery. Coverage of FDA regulatory policy and surgical procedures. Topics include optical devices, endoscopes and laparoscopes, bioprocess devices, laparoscopic tools, cardiovascular and interventional radiology devices, orthopedic instrumentation, and integration of devices with therapy. Examination of new tools, device design, fabrication, testing, and validation. Preparation of drawings and consideration of development of new and novel devices. Concurrently scheduled with course CM172L. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (W).

CM280. Introduction to Biomaterials. (4) Materials Science and Engineering 104. Lecture; three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B, and 20L, or Materials Science 104. Engineering materials used in medicine and dentistry for repair and restoration of damaged natural tissues. Topics include relationships between material properties, suitability to task, surface chemistry, processing, and treatment methods, and biocompatibility. Concurrently scheduled with course CM180. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (W).


CM283. Targeted Drug Delivery and Controlled Drug Release. (4) Lecture; three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B. Concurrently require comprehensive understanding of modern biology, physiology, biomaterials, and engineering. Targeted delivery of drugs and their controlled release are important in treatment of challenging diseases and relevant to tissue engineering and regenerative medicine. Drug pharmacodynamics and clinical pharmacokinetics. Application of engineering principals and basic scientific knowledge (tools) to problems in drug formulation and delivery to establish rationale for design and development of novel drug delivery systems that can provide spatial and temporal control of drug release. Introduction to biomaterials with specialized structural and interfacial properties. Exploration of both chemistries of materials and physical presentation of devices and compounds used in delivery and release. Concurrently scheduled with course CM183L. Letter grading. Ms. Kasko (F).

CM284. Functional Neuroimaging: Techniques and Applications. (3) (Same as Biomedical Physics M285, Neuroscience M285, Psychiatry M286, and Psychology M287.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, nine hours. In-depth examination of activation imaging, including MRI and electrophysiological methods, data acquisition and analysis, experimental design, and results obtained thus far in human systems. Strong focus on understanding technologies, how to design activation imaging paradigms, and how to interpret results. Laboratory visits and design and implementation of functional MRI experiment. S/U or letter grading. Ms. Maynard (W).

CM285. Introduction to Tissue Engineering. (4) Lecture; three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course CM102 or CM202, Chemistry 20A, 20B, and 20L. Tissue engineering applies principles of physical sciences with engineering approach to regenerate tissues and organs. Guiding principles for proper selection of three basic components for tissue engineering: cells, scaffolds, and molecular signals. Concurrently scheduled with course CM185L. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (Sp).

CM286. Computational Systems Biology: Modeling and Simulation of Biological Systems. (5) (Formerly numbered CM286B.) (Same as Computer Science M298.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, eight hours. Corequisite: Electrical Engineering 102. Dynamic biosystems modeling and computer simulation methods for studying biological/biomedical processes and systems and multiple timescales of control systems. Study of computational models, models of culture, cell culture, (biomedical pathways/networks), organ, and organo, and organ systems. Both theory and data-driven modeling, with focus on translating biomodeling goals and data into mathem- atical models and implementing them for simulation and analysis. Basics of numerical simulation algorithms, with modeling software exercises in class and PC laboratory assignments. Concurrently scheduled with course CM186. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano (F).

CM287. Thesis Research and Research Communication in Computational and Systems Biology. (2 to 4) (Formerly numbered CM286C.) (Same as Computer Science M287.) Lecture, one hour; discussion, two hours; laboratory, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course CM286. Closely directed, interactive, and real research experience in active laboratory research. Emphasis on research laboratory. Direction on how to focus on topics of current interest in scientific community, appropriate to student interests and capabilities. Critiques of oral presentations and written papers. Emphasis on training in how to proceed with research for search results. Major emphases on effective research reporting, both oral and written. Concurrently scheduled with course CM187. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano (Sp).

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Scope and Objectives

The Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering conducts undergraduate and graduate programs of teaching and research that focus on the areas of cellular and biomolecular engineering, systems engineering, and advanced materials processing and span the general themes of energy/environment and nanotechnology. From the fundamentals of chemical engineering (applied mathematics, thermodynamics, transport phenomena, kinetics, reactor engineering and separations), particular emphasis is given to metabolic engineering, protein engineering, systems biology, synthetic biology, bio-nano-technology, biomaterials, air pollution, water production and treatment, environmental multimedia modeling, pollution prevention, combinatorial catalysis, molecular simulation, process systems engineering, membrane science, semiconductor processing, chemical vapor deposition, plasma processing, and simulation, electrochemistry and corrosion, polymer engineering, and hydrogen production.

Students are trained in the fundamental principles of these fields while acquiring sensitivity to society’s needs—a crucial combination needed to address the challenge of continued industrial growth and innovation in an era of economic, environmental, and energy constraints.

The undergraduate curriculum leads to a B.S. in Chemical Engineering, is accredited by ABET and AIChE, and includes the standard core curriculum, as well as biomedical engineering, biomolecular engineering, environmental engineering, and semiconductor manufacturing engineering options. The department also offers graduate courses and research leading to M.S. and Ph.D. degrees. Both graduate and undergraduate programs closely relate teaching and research to important industrial problems.

Undergraduate Mission and Program Objectives

The mission of the undergraduate program is to educate future leaders in chemical and biomolecular engineering who effectively combine their broad knowledge of mathematics, physics, chemistry, and biology with their engineering analysis and design skills for the creative solution of problems in chemical and biological technology and for the synthesis of innovative (bio)chemical processes and products. This goal is achieved by producing chemical and biomolecular engineering alumni who (1) draw readily on a rigorous education in mathematics, physics, chemistry, and biology in addition to the fundamentals of chemical engineering to creatively solve problems in chemical and biological technology, (2) incorporate social, ethical, environmental, and economical considerations, including the concept of sustainable development, into chemical and biomolecular engineering practice, (3) lead or participate successfully on multidisciplinary teams assembled to tackle complex multifaceted problems that may require implementation of both experimental and computational approaches and a broad array of analytical tools, and (4) pursue graduate study and achieve an M.S. or Ph.D. degree in the sciences and engineering and/or achieve success as professionals in chemical and biomolecular engineering as well as related fields, including business, medicine, and environmental protection.

Undergraduate Study

The Chemical Engineering major is a designated capstone major. The capstone project...
Biomedical Engineering Option

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 10; Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 30A, 30AL, 30B; Computer Science 31; Life Sciences 2, 3, 23L; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL.

The Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 100, 101A, 101B, 101C, 102A, 102B, 103, 104AL, 104B, 106, 107, 109, Chemistry and Biochemistry 113A, 153A; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; two capstone analysis and design courses (Chemical Engineering 108A, 108B); and one biomedical elective course (4 units) from Chemical Engineering C115, C125, CM145 (another chemical engineering elective may be substituted for one of these with approval of the faculty adviser).

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Biomolecular Engineering Option

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 10; Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 30A, 30AL, 30B; Computer Science 31; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

The Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 100, 101A, 101B, 101C, 102A, 102B, 103, 104AL, 104B, 106, 107, 109, Chemistry and Biochemistry 113A, 153A; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; two capstone analysis and design courses (Chemical Engineering 108A, 108B); and one biomedical elective course (4 units — Chemical Engineering CM145 is recommended; another chemical engineering elective may be substituted with approval of the faculty adviser).

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Semiconductor Manufacturing Engineering Option

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 10; Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 30A, 30AL, 30B; Computer Science 31; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

The Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 100, 101A, 101B, 101C, 102A, 102B, 103, 104AL, 104C, 104CL, 106, 107, 109, C116, Chemistry and Biochemistry 113A, 153A; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; two capstone analysis and design courses (Chemical Engineering 108A, 108B); and one elective course (4 units) from Materials Science and Engineering 104, 120, 121, 122, or 150 plus one elective course (4 units) from Electrical Engineering 2, 100, 121B, 123A, or 123B.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Graduate Study

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

For additional information regarding the B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering, refer to the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department brochure.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program
Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the detailed degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Chemical Engineering.

Chemical Engineering M.S.

Areas of Study
Consult the department.

For the semiconductor manufacturing field, the program requires that students have advanced knowledge, assessed in a comprehensive examination, of processing semiconductor devices on the nanoscale.

Course Requirements
The requirements for an M.S. degree are a thesis, nine courses (36 units), and a 3.0 grade-point average in the graduate courses. Chemical Engineering 200, 210, and 220 are required for all M.S. degree candidates. Two courses must be taken from offerings in the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department, while two Chemical Engineering 598 courses involving work on the thesis may also be selected. The remaining two courses may be taken from those offered by the department or any other field in life sciences, physical sciences, mathematics, or engineering. At least 24 units must be in letter-graded 200-level courses.

All M.S. students are required to enroll in the seminar, Chemical Engineering 299, during each term in residence.

A program of study that encompasses these requirements must be submitted to the departmental Student Affairs Office for approval before the end of the student’s second term in residence.

Undergraduate Courses. No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 199; Computer Science M152A, 152B, 199; Electrical Engineering 100, 101, 102, 103, 110L, M116L, 199; Materials Science and Engineering 110, 120, 130, 131, 131L, 132, 150, 160, 161L, 199; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 199.

Semiconductor Manufacturing
The requirements for the M.S. degree in the field of semiconductor manufacturing are 10 courses (44 units) and a minimum 3.0 grade-point average overall and in the graduate courses. Students are required to take Chemical Engineering 104C/104CL, C216, 270, 270R, Electrical Engineering 123A, Materials Science and Engineering 121. In addition, two departmental elective courses and two electrical engineering or materials science and engineering electives must be selected, with a minimum of two at the 200 level. A total of at least five graduate (200-level) courses is required. Approved elective courses include Chemical Engineering C214, C218, C219, 223, C240, Electrical Engineering 124, 221A, 221B, 223, 224, Materials Science and Engineering 210, 223.

Courses taken by students who are not enrolled in the semiconductor manufacturing field may not be applied toward the 10-course requirement for the degree. A program of study encompassing the course requirements and/or substitutions must be submitted to the graduate adviser for approval before the end of the first term in residence.

Field Experience. Students may take Chemical Engineering 270R in the field, working at an industrial semiconductor fabrication facility. This option must meet all course requirements and must be approved by the graduate adviser and the industrial sponsor of the research.

Comprehensive Examination Plan
The comprehensive examination plan is not available for fields other than semiconductor manufacturing.

For the semiconductor manufacturing field, when all coursework is completed, students should enroll in Chemical Engineering 597A to prepare for the comprehensive examination, which tests their knowledge of the engineering principles of semiconductor manufacturing. In case of failure, the examination may be repeated once with the consent of the graduate adviser.

Thesis Plan
Consult the graduate adviser. The thesis plan is not available for the semiconductor manufacturing field.

Chemical Engineering Ph.D.

Major Fields or Subdisciplines
Consult the department.

Course Requirements
All Ph.D. students must take six courses (24 units), including Chemical Engineering 200, 210, and 220. Two additional courses must be taken from those offered by the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department. The third course can be selected from offerings in life sciences, physical sciences, mathematics, or engineering. All of these units must be in letter-graded 200-level courses. Students are encouraged to take more courses in their field of specialization. The minor field courses should be selected in consultation with the research adviser. A 3.33 grade-point average in graduate courses is required. A program of study to fulfill the course requirements must be submitted for approval to the departmental Student Affairs Office no later than one term after successful completion of the preliminary oral examination.

All Ph.D. students are required to enroll in the seminar, Chemical Engineering 299, during each term in residence.
For information on completing the Engineer degree, see Engineering Schoolwide Programs.

**Preliminary and Qualifying Examinations**

All Ph.D. students must take a preliminary oral examination that tests their understanding of chemical engineering fundamentals in the areas of thermodynamics, transport phenomena, and chemical kinetics and reactor design. The examination normally is taken during the second term in residence, and a 3.33 grade-point average in graduate coursework is required to be eligible to take the examination. Students are asked to solve the examination problems in writing and then present them orally to a faculty committee. Students whose first degree is not in chemical engineering may petition to postpone the examination to the following year. Any student failing the Ph.D. preliminary examination may petition to reenter the Ph.D. program after successfully completing the requirements for the M.S., including an M.S. thesis. If the petition is granted, the student may be approved to take the preliminary examination concurrently with the master’s thesis defense.

After successfully completing the required courses and the preliminary oral examination, students must pass the written and oral qualifying examinations. These examinations focus on the dissertation research and are conducted by a doctoral committee consisting of at least four faculty members nominated by the Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, in accordance with University regulations.

The written qualifying examination consists of a dissertation research proposal that provides a clear description of the problem considered, a literature review of the current state of the art, and a detailed research plan that is to be followed to solve the problem. Students submit their dissertation research proposals to their doctoral committees. The written examination is due in the seventh week of the Winter Quarter of the second year in residence.

The University Oral Qualifying Examination consists of an oral defense of the dissertation research proposal and is administered by the doctoral committee. The oral examination is held no less than two weeks after submitting the written examination.

**Note:** Doctoral Committees. A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, are “inside” members and must hold appointments in the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department at UCLA. The “outside” member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Department.

**Facilities**

**Biomolecular Engineering Laboratories**

The Biomolecular Engineering laboratories are equipped for cutting-edge genetic, molecular, and cellular engineering teaching and research. Facilities and equipment include (1) DNA microarray printing and scanning facility, (2) fluorescence microcopy, (3) real-time PCR thermocycler, (4) UV-visible and fluorescence spectrophotometers, (5) HPLC and LC-mass spectrometer, (6) aerobic and anaerobic bioreactors from bench top to 100-liter pilot scale, (7) protein purification facility, (8) potentiostat/galvanostat and impedance analyzer for electroenzymology, (9) membrane extruder and multiance laser light scattering for production and characterization of biological and semi-synthetic colloids such as micelles and vesicles, and (10) phosphomimicry for biochemical assays involving radiolabeled compounds.

Microbial cells are genetically and metabolically engineered to produce novel compounds that are used as drugs, specialty chemicals, and food additives. Novel genetic metabolic circuits are designed and constructed in microbial cells to perform complex and non-native cellular behavior. These designer cells are cultured in bioreactors, and intracellular states are monitored using DNA microarrays and RT-PCR. Such investigations are coupled with genomic and proteomic efforts, and mathematical modeling, to achieve system-wide understanding of the cell.

Protein engineering is being used to generate completely novel compounds that have important pharmaceutical value. Bacteria are being custom-designed to synthesize important therapeutic compounds that have anticancer, cholesterol-lowering, and/or anti-biotic activities. Biosensors are being micro-machined for detecting neurotransmitters in vivo. New biosensing schemes also are being invented for the detection of endocrine disrupting chemicals in the environment and for the high-throughput screening of drug candidates. Naturally occurring protein nanocapsules are being redesigned at the genetic level for applications in drug delivery and materials synthesis. Finally, the enzymology of extremely thermophilic microbes is being explored for applications in specialty chemical synthesis.

**Chemical Kinetics, Catalysis, Reaction Engineering, and Combustion Laboratory**

The Chemical Kinetics, Catalysis, Reaction Engineering, and Combustion Laboratory is equipped with advanced research tools for experimental and computational studies in chemical kinetics, catalytic materials, and combustion, including quadrupole mass spectrometer (QMS) systems to sample reactive systems with electron impact and photoionization capabilities; several fully computerized gas chromatograph/mass spectrometer (GC/MS) systems for gas analysis; fully computerized array channel microreactors for catalyst discovery and optimization; several flat premixed and diffusion flame burners and flow reactors to study combustion and other fast reactions; a laser photoionization (LP) time-of-flight (TOF) mass spectrometer for the ultrasensitive, real-time detection of trace pollutants in the gas phase; a gravimetric microbiome to study heterogeneous reactions; and several state-of-the-art supermicro workstations for numerical investigations in fluid mechanics, detailed chemical kinetic modeling, and computational quantum chemistry.

**Electrochemical Engineering and Catalysis Laboratories**

With instrumentation such as rotating ring-disc electrodes, electrochemical packed-bed flow reactors, gas chromatographs, potentiostats, and function generators, the Electrochemical Engineering and Catalysis Laboratories are used to study metal, alloy, and semiconductor corrosion processes, electro-deposition and electroless deposition of metals, alloys, and semiconductors for GMR and MEMS applications, electrochemical energy conversion (fuel cells) and storage (batteries), and bioelectrochemical processes and biomedical systems.

The electroorganic synthesis facility is for the development of electrochemical processes to transform biomass-derived organic compounds into useful chemicals, fuels, and pharmaceuticals. The catalysis facility is equipped to support various types of catalysis projects, including catalytic hydrocarbon oxidation, selective catalytic reduction of NOx, and Fischer-Tropsch synthesis.

**Electronic Materials Processing Laboratory**

The Electronic Materials Processing Laboratory focuses on the synthesis and patterning of multifunctional complex oxide films and nanostructures with tailored electronic, chemical, thermal, mechanical, and biological properties. Experimental and theoretical studies are combined to understand the process chemistry and surface kinetics in...
atomic layer deposition, plasma etching and deposition processes, gas-phase surface functionalization, and solution phase synthesis. Novel devices including advanced microelectronics, optoelectronics, chemical sensors, and energy storage devices are realized at nano-dimensions as the technologies become more enabling based on these fundamental studies.

The laboratory is equipped with a state-of-the-art advanced rapid thermal processing facility with in-situ vapor phase processing and atomic layer deposition capabilities; advanced plasma processing tools including thin film deposition and etching; and diagnostics including optical emissions spectroscopy, Langmuir probe, and quadrupole mass spectrometry; a surface analytical facility including X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy, Auger electron spectroscopy, ultra-violet photoelectron spectroscopy, reflection high energy electron diffraction, spectroscopic ellipsometry, photoluminescence, and infrared spectroscopy; and a complete set of processing tools available for microelectronics and MEMS fabrication in the Nanoelectronic Research Facility. With the combined material characterization and electronic device fabrication, the reaction kinetics including composition and morphology, and the electrical property of these materials can be realized for applications in the next generation electronic devices and chemical or biological MEMS.

Materials and Plasma Chemistry Laboratory

The Materials and Plasma Chemistry Laboratory is equipped with state-of-the-art instruments for studying the molecular processes that occur during chemical vapor deposition (CVD) and plasma processing. CVD is a key technology for synthesizing advanced electronic and optical devices, including solid-state lasers, infrared, visible, and ultraviolet detectors and emitters, solar cells, heterojunction bipolar transistors, and high-electron mobility transistors. The laboratory houses a commercial CVD reactor for the synthesis of III-V compound semiconductors. This tool is interfaced to an ultrahigh vacuum system equipped with scanning tunneling microscopy, low-energy electron diffraction; infrared spectroscopy and X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy. This apparatus characterizes the atomic structure of compound semiconductor heterojunction interfaces and determines the kinetics of CVD reactions on these surfaces. The atmospheric plasma laboratory is equipped with multiple plasma sources and state-of-the-art diagnostic tools. The plasmas generate, at low temperature, beams of atoms and radicals well-suited for surface treatment, cleaning, etching, deposition, and sterilization. Applications are in the biomedical, electronics, and aerospace fields. The laboratory is unique in that it characterizes the reactive species generated in atmospheric plasmas and their chemical interactions with surfaces.

Nanoparticle Technology and Air Quality Engineering Laboratory

Modern particle technology focuses on particles in the nanometer (nm) size range with applications to air pollution control and commercial production of fine particles. Particles with diameters between 1 and 100 nm are of interest both as individual particles and in the form of aggregate structures. The Nanoparticle Technology and Air Quality Engineering Laboratory is equipped with instrumentation for online measurement of aerosols, including optical particle counters, electrical aerosol analyzers, and condensation particle counters. A novel low-pressure impactor designed in the laboratory is used to fractionate particles for morphological analysis in size ranges down to 50 nm (0.05 micron). Also available is a high-volumetric flow rate impactor suitable for collecting particulate matter for chemical analysis. Several types of specially designed aerosol generators are also available, including a laser ablation chamber, tube furnaces, and a specially designed aerosol microreactor. Concern with nanoscale phenomena requires the use of advanced systems for particle observation and manipulation. Students have direct access to modern facilities for transmission and scanning electron microscopy. Located near the laboratory, the Electron Microscopy facilities staff provide instruction and assistance in the use of these instruments. Advanced electron microscopy has recently been used in the laboratory to make the first systematic studies of atmospheric nanoparticle chain aggregates. Such aggregate structures have been linked to public health effects and to the absorption of solar radiation. A novel nanostructure manipulation device, designed and built in the laboratory, makes it possible to probe the behavior of nanoparticle chain aggregates of a type produced commercially for use in nanocomposite materials; these aggregates are also released by sources of pollution such as diesel engines and incinerators.

Process Systems Engineering Laboratory

The Process Systems Engineering Laboratory is equipped with state-of-the-art computer hardware and software used for the simulation, design, optimization, control, and integration of chemical processes. Several personal computers and workstations, as well as an 8-node dual-processor cluster, are available for teaching and research. SEASnet and campuswide computational facilities are also available to the laboratory’s members. Software for simulation and optimization of general systems includes MINOS, GAMS, MATLAB, CPLEX, and Lindo. Software for simulation of chemical engineering systems includes HYSYS for process simulation and CACHE-FUJITSU for molecular calculations. UCLA-developed software for heat/power integration and reactor network attainable region construction are also available.
Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance

Professors

Jane P. Chang, Ph.D. (MIT, 1998)
Materials processing, gas- phase and surface reaction, plasma enhanced chemistries, atomic layer deposition, chemical microelectronics, and computational surface chemistry

Yoram Cohen, Ph.D. (Delaware, 1981)
Separation processes, graft polymerization, surface nanostructurizing, macromolecular dynamics, pollutant transport and exposure assessment

James F. Davis, Ph.D. (Northwestern, 1981)
Intelligent systems in process, control operations and design, decision support, manifolds, electrochemical energy conversion, simulation, optimization, and control

Robert F. Hicks, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1984)
Chemical valence bond and atmospheric plasma processing

Louis J. Ignarro, Ph.D. (Minnesota, 1966)
Regulation and modulation of NO production

James C. Liao, Ph.D. (Wisconsin, Madison, 1987)
Biochemical engineering, metabolic reaction engineering, reaction pathway analysis and control

Yunfeng Lu, Ph.D. (University of New Mexico, 1998)
Semiconductor manufacturing and nanotechnology

Vasilios I. Manousiouthakis, Ph.D. (Rensselaer, 1987)
Process systems engineering: modeling, simulation, design, optimization, and control

Harold G. Monbouquette, Ph.D. (North Carolina State, 1987)
Biochemical engineering, biosensors, nanotechnology

Selim M. Senkan, Ph.D. (MIT, 1977)
Reaction engineering, combinatorial catalysis, combustion, laser photoinitiation, real-time detection, quantum chemistry

Ya Tang, Ph.D. (Caltech, 2000)
Biosynthesis of proteins/polypeptides with unnatural amino acids, synthesis of novel antibiotics/antitumor products

Professors Emeriti

Eldon L. Knuth, Ph.D. (Caltech, 1953)
Molecular dynamics, thermodynamics, combustion, applications to air pollution control and combustion efficiency

Ken Nobe, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1956)
Electrochemistry, corrosion, electrochemical kinetics, electrochemical energy conversion, electrodeposition of metals and alloys, electrochemical treatment of toxic wastes, bioelectrochemistry

William D. Van Vorst, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1953)
Chemical engineering: thermodynamics, energy conversion, alternative energy systems, hydrogen- and alcohol-fueled engines

A.R. Frank Wazzan, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1963)
Fast reactors, nuclear fuel element modeling, stability and transition of boundary layers, heat transfer

Assistant Professors

Gerasimos Orkoulas, Ph.D. (Cornell, 1998)
Molecular simulation, critical phenomena in ionic fluids, thermodynamics of complex fluids

Tatiana S. Sinitsina, Ph.D. (Princeton, 2004)
Gene therapy, tissue engineering, substrate-mediated non-viral DNA delivery

Lower Division Courses

2. Technology and Environment. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Natural and anthropogenic flows of materials at global and regional scales. Case studies of natural cycles include global warming (CO2, carbon capture and sequestration), atmospheric pollution (chlorine and ozone cycles), and global nitrogen cycles. Flow of materials in industrial economies compared and contrasted with natural flows; presentation of lifecycle analysis and environmental impact of processes and products. P/NP or letter grading.

Mr. Manousiouthakis (Not offered 2011-12)

10. Introduction to Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering. (1) Lecture, one hour; outside study, two hours. General introduction to fields of chemical and biomolecular engineering. Description of how chemical and biomolecular engineering analysis and design skills are applied for creative solution of current one-hour, outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 102A. Fundamentals of chemical and biomolecular thermodynamics in chemical and biological sciences. Phase equilibria in single and multicomponent systems. Thermodynamics of ideal and nonideal solutions. Chemical reaction equilibrium. Statistical ensembles and partition functions. Statistical thermodynamics of ideal gases. Intermolecular interactions and liquid state. Thermodynamics of polymers and biological macromolecules. Letter grading.

Mr. Lu, Mr. Orkoulas (Sp)

103. Separation Processes. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 100, 101B. Application of principles of heat, mass, and momentum transport to design and operation of separation processes such as distillation, gas absorption, filtration, and reverse osmosis. Letter grading.

Ms. Chang, Mr. Senkan (Sp)

104AL. Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Laboratory I. (4) Laboratory, six hours; outside study, one hour; outside study, five hours. Requisite: course 100. Corequisite: course 101B. Recommended: course 102B. Not open for credit to students with credit for former course 104AL. Measurements of temperature, pressure, flow rate, viscosity, and fluid composition in chemical processes. Methods of data acquisition, equipment selection and fabrication, and laboratory safety. Completion of senior design project. Development of written and oral communication skills. Letter grading.

Mr. Monbouquette (W,Sp)

104B. Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Laboratory II. (6) Lecture, two hours; outside study, eight hours; outside study, four hours; other, four hours. Requisites: courses 101C, 103, 104AL. Course consists of four experiments in chemical engineering unit operations, each of two weeks duration. Students present their results both written and orally. Written report includes sections on theory, experimental procedures, scaleup and process design, and error analysis. Letter grading.

Mr. Senkan (F,W)

104C. Semiconductor Processing. (3) Lecture, four hours; outside study, five hours. Requisite: course 101C. Corequisite: course 104CL. Basic engineering principles of semiconductor unit operations, including masking and characterization of semiconductor devices. Investigation of processing steps used to make CMOS devices, including wafer cleaning, oxidation, diffusion, lithography, chemical vapor deposition, plasma etching, metalization, and statistical design of experiments and error analysis. Presentation of student results in both written and oral form. Letter grading.

Ms. Chang, Mr. Hicks (Sp)

104CL. Semiconductor Processing Laboratory. (3) Laboratory, four hours; outside study, five hours. Requisite: course 101C. Corequisite: course 104C. Series of experiments that emphasize basic engineering principles of semiconductor unit operations, including fabrication and characterization of semiconductor devices. Investigation of processing steps used to make CMOS devices, including wafer cleaning, oxidation, diffusion, lithography, chemical vapor deposition, plasma etching, metalization, and statistical design of experiments and error analysis. Letter grading.

Ms. Chang, Mr. Hicks (Sp)


Mr. Liao, Ms. Segura (FW)
104DL. Molecular Biotechnology Laboratory: From Genes to Proteins. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, four hours. Requisites: courses 101C, C125. Corequisite: course 104D. Integration of molecular and engineering techniques in modern biotechnology. Cloning of protein-encoding genes, gene expression, transformation of constructs into E. coli, production of gene product in bioreactor, downstream processing of bioreactor broth to purified recombinant protein, characterization of recombinant protein. Letter grading. Mr. Liao, Ms. Segura (FW)

106. Chemical Reaction Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 100, 101C, 102B. Fundamentals of chemical engineering fundamentals such as transport phenomena, thermodynamics, separation operations, and reaction engineering and simple economic principles for process design and economic evaluation. Chemical and biomolecular engineers are particularly concerned with the design and operation of chemical processes. The emphasis is on understanding the relationship between structure/morphology of dense and porous membranes and their separation characteristics. Use of nanotechnology to design selective membranes and models of membrane transport (flux and selectivity). Examples provided from various fields/applications, including biotechnology, microelectronics, sensors, and drug delivery. Concurrently scheduled with course C221. Letter grading. Mr. Cohen (Not offered 2011-12)

C124. Cell Material Interactions. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course C145, Life Sciences 2, 3. Introduction to design and synthesis of biomaterials for regenerative medicine, in vitro cell culture, and drug delivery. Biological interactions of surfaces, in vivo environment and design of extracellular matrix analogs using biological and engineering principles. Biomaterials for growth factor, and DNA and siRNA delivery and tissue regeneration. Use of stem cells in tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course C224. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

C125. Bioseparations and Bioprocess Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Corequisite: course 101C. Separation strategies, unit operations, and economic factors used to design processes for isolating active materials from cell cultures, fermentation broths, and other sources. Production of advanced biofuels involves designing and constructing novel metabolic networks in cells. Such efforts require profound understanding of biochemistry and protein structure. Use of biological regulations and are aided by tools in bioinformatics, systems biology, and molecular biology. Fundamentals of metabolic biochemistry, protein structure and function, and bioinformatics. Use of systems modeling for metabolic networks to design microorganisms for energy applications. Concurrently scheduled with course C225. Letter grading. Mr. Tang (Sp)

CM127. Synthetic Biology for Biofuels. (4) Same as Chemistry CM127. Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Corequisites: Chemistry 153A, Life Sciences 3. Microorganisms for complex phenotype is common goal of synthetic biology. Production of advanced biofuels involves designing and constructing novel metabolic networks in cells. Such efforts require profound understanding of biochemistry and protein structure. Use of biological regulations and are aided by tools in bioinformatics, systems biology, and molecular biology. Fundamentals of metabolic biochemistry, protein structure and function, and bioinformatics. Use of systems modeling for metabolic networks to design microorganisms for energy applications. Concurrently scheduled with course C227. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

C133. Frontiers in Biotechnology. (2) Same as Microbiology CM133. Lecture, two hours. Requisites: Chemistry 153A and 153B, or Life Sciences 3 and 4, with grades of B or better. Integration of science and business in biotechnology. Coevolution with pharmaceutical, agricultural, and other key industries, microelectronics, and other industry sectors. Academic research leading to licensing and founding of companies that turn research breakthroughs into marketable products. Staged financials, business development, staged financing and growth: private offerings, deals, collaborations, outsourcing, intellectual property, regulation, pricing, profits, risks, public perception. Building value, exit strategies, mergers and acquisitions. Concurrently scheduled with course CM233. P/NP or letter grading.

C135. Advanced Process Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Corequisites: course C145, 110D. Introduction to advanced process control. Topics include (1) Lapunov stability for autonomous nonlinear systems including converse theorems, (2) input to state stability, interconnected systems, and small gain theorems, (3) design of nonlinear and robust controllers for various classes of nonlinear systems, (4) model predictive control of linear and nonlinear systems, (5) advanced methods for training neural controllers, and (6) introduction to control of distributed parameter systems. Concurrently scheduled with course C235. Letter grading. Mr. Christodoulis (Sp)

C140. Fundamentals of Aerosol Technology. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Corequisite: course 101C. Technology of particle/gas systems with applications to gas cleaning, commercial production of fine particles, and catalysis.
transport and deposition, optical properties, experimental methods, dynamics and control of particle formation processes. Concurrently scheduled with course C240. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

CM145. Molecular Biotechnology for Engineers. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM145.) Lecture, four hours; discussion one hour; outside study, eight hours. Selected topics in molecular biology that form foundation of biotechnology and biomedical industry today. Topics include recombinant DNA technology, experimental research tools, manipulation of gene expression, directed mutagenesis and protein engineering, DNA-based diagnostics and DNA microarrays, antibody and protein-based diagnostics, genomics and bioinformatics, isolation of human genes, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course CM245. Letter grading.

Mr. Liao, Mr. Tang (F)

188. Special Courses in Chemical Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in chemical engineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated once for credit with topic or instructor change. Letter grading.

194. Research Group Seminars: Chemical Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for undergraduate students who are part of research group. Selection of research topics and current literature in field. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.

199. Directed Research in Chemical Engineering. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised individual research or investigation of selected topic under guidance of faculty mentor. Culminating paper or project required. May be repeated for credit with school approval. Individual contract required; availability in Office of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading. (FW,Sp)

Graduate Courses

200. Advanced Engineering Thermodynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 102B. Phenomenological and statistical thermodynamics of chemical and physical systems and applications. Presentation of role of atomic and molecular spectra and intermolecular forces in interpretation of thermodynamic properties of gases, liquids, solids, and plasmas. Letter grading.

Mr. Nobe (F)

201. Methods of Molecular Simulation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 200 or Chemistry C223A or Physics 215A. Modern simulation techniques for classical molecular systems. Monte Carlo and molecular dynamics in various ensembles. Applications to liquids, solids, and polymers. Letter grading.


Mr. Senkan (F)

C211. Cryogenics and Low-Temperature Processes. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 102A, 102B (or Materials Science 130). Fundamentals of cryogenics and cryogenic engineering science pertaining to industrial low-temperature processes. Basic approach to analysis of cryofluids and envelopes needed for these systems. Low-temperature behavior of material, optimization of cryosystems and other special conditions. Concurrently scheduled with course C111. Letter grading.

Mr. Manousiouthakis (F)

C212. Polymer Processes. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 101A, Chemistry 30A. Formation of polymers, criteria for selecting reaction scheme, polymerization techniques, polymer characterization, Materials and characterization of monomers, polymers, polymer process engineering. Diffusion in polymeric systems. Polymers in biomedical applications and in microelectronics. Concurrently scheduled with course C214. Letter grading. Mr. Lu (W)

C214. Electrochemical Processes and Corrosion. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 102A, 102B (or Materials Science 130). Fundamentals of electrochemistry and engineering applications to industrial electrochemical processes and metallic corrosion. Primary emphasis on fundamental approach to analysis of electrochemical and corrosion processes. Special topics include corrosion of metals and semiconductors, electrochemical metal and semiconductor surface finishing, passivity, electrodeposition, electroless deposition, batteries and fuel cells, electroosmosis and biosensor chemical processes. May be concurrently scheduled with course C114. Letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)

CM215. Biochemical Reaction Engineering. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M215.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 101C. Use of previously learned concepts of biophysical chemistry, thermodynamics, transport phenomena, and reaction kinetics to several tools necessary for chemical and biotechnological systems. Use of nanotechnology for design of separative membranes and current literature in field. Limited to juniors/seniors. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

CM216. Surface and Interface Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 101C. Introduction to surfaces and interfaces of engineering materials, particularly catalytic surface and thin films for solid-state electronic devices. Topics include classification of crystals and surfaces, analysis of structure and composition of crystals and their surfaces and interfaces. Examination of engineering applications, including catalytic surfaces, interfaces, materials science and engineering, and solid-state laser. May be concurrently scheduled with course C116. Letter grading.

Mr. Hicks, Mr. Lu (Sp)

C217. Electrochemical Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course C114. Transport phenomena in electrochemical systems; relationships between molecular transport, convection, and electrode kinetics, along with applications to industry, energy, and modern fuel cell design, and modern battery technology. Letter grading.

Mr. Nobe (Not offered 2011-12)


Mr. Cohen (W)


Mr. Cohen (W)

CM220. Advanced Mass Transfer. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 101C. Advanced treatment of mass transfer, with applications to industrial separation processes, gas cleaning, pulmonary bioengineering, perlmutin, fuel cell design, and modern battery technology. Letter grading.

Mr. Manousiouthakis (Sp)

CM221. Membrane Science and Technology. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 101A, 101C, 103. Fundamentals of membrane science and technology, with emphasis on separations at micro, nano, and molecular/nanometer scale with membranes. Relationship between structure/phenotype of dense and porous membranes and their separation characteristics. Use of nanotechnology for design of selective membranes and membrane transport (flux and selectivity). Examples provided from various fields/applications, including biotechnology, microelectronics, chemical processes, sensors, and biomedical devices. Concurrently scheduled with course C121. Letter grading.

Mr. Cohen (Not offered 2011-12)

CM222A. Stochastic Modeling and Simulation of Chemical Processes. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Introduction to and linear and nonlinear systems theory and estimation theory. Prediction, Kalman filter, smoothing of discrete and continuous systems. Stochastic control, systems with multiplicative noise. Applications to control of chemical processes. Stochastic optimization, stochastic linear and dynamic programming. S/U or letter grading.

Mr. Manousiouthakis (Not offered 2011-12)

CM223. Design for Environment. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Limited to graduate chemical engineering, masters of engineering, or Master of Engineering program students. Design of products for meeting environmental objectives; lifecycle inventories; lifecycle impact assessment; design for energy efficiency; design for waste minimization, computer-aided design tools, materials selection methods. Letter grading.


(Not offered 2011-12)

CM225. Bioseparations and Bioprocess Engineering. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M225.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 2, 3. Introduction to design and synthesis of biomaterials for regenerative medicine, in vitro cell culture, and drug delivery. Biological principles of cellular micro-environment and design of extracellular matrix analogues using biological and synthetic approaches. Bio-materials for growth factor, and DNA and siRNA delivery as therapeutics and to facilitate tissue regeneration. Use of stem cells in tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course C124. Letter grading.

Mr. Cohen (Not offered 2011-12)

CM231. Synthetic Biology for Biofuels. (4) (Same as Chemistry CM227.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 101C, 103. Separation strategies, unit operations, and economic factors used to design processes for isolating and purifying materials like whole cells, enzymes, fermentation products, or pharmaceuticals that are products of biological reactors. Concurrently scheduled with course C125. Letter grading.

Mr. Tang (Sp)

CM237. Synthetic Biology for Biofuels. (4) (Same as Chemistry CM227.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 101C, 103. Life Sciences 313, 315. Engineering microorganisms for complex phenotype is common challenge in metabolic and protein engineering. Production of advanced biofuels involves designing and constructing novel metabolic networks in cells. Such efforts require profound understanding of biochemistry, protein structure, and biological regulation and are aided by tools in systems biology, systems biology, and molecular biology. Fundamentals of metabolic biochemistry, protein structure and function, and bioinformatics. Use of systems modeling for
metabolic networks to design microorganisms for energy applications. Concurrently scheduled with course CM127. S/U or letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)


CM245. Molecular Biotechnology for Engineers. (4) Same as Biomedical Engineering C245A. Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Selected topics in molecular biology that form foundation of biotechnology and biomedical industry. Topics include DNA and RNA technology, molecular research tools, manipulation of gene expression, directed mutagenesis and protein engineering, DNA-based diagnostics and DNA microarrays, antibody and protein-based diagnostics in genomics and bioinformatics, isolation of human genes, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Concurrently scheduled with course CM145. Letter grading. Mr. Liao, Mr. Tang (F)


250. Computer-Aided Chemical Process Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 108B. Application of optimization methods in chemical process design; computer aids in process engineering; process modeling; systematic flow-sheet invention; process synthesis; optimal design and operation of large-scale chemical processing systems. Letter grading. Mr. Manoussakis


270. Principles of Reaction and Transport Phenomena. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, eight hours. Fundamentals in transport phenomena, chemical reactions and transport. Basic mathematics for molecular and ionic phenomena involved in plasma and ion-beam processing of semiconductors, etc. Letter grading. Ms. Chang, Mr. Hicks

C235. Advanced Process Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 107. Introduction to advanced process control. Topics include (1) Lyapunov stability for autonomous nonlinear systems including converse theorems, (2) input to state stability, small gain theorems, and nonlinear stability, (3) design of nonlinear and robust controllers for various classes of nonlinear systems, (4) model predictive control of linear and nonlinear systems, (5) advanced methods for tuning of classical controllers, and (6) introduction to control of distributed parameter systems. Concurrently scheduled with course C135. Letter grading. Mr. Christofides (Sp)

C236. Computer-Aided Process Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 210, 218. Chemical vapor deposition is widely used to deposit thin films that comprise microelectronic devices. Topics include design, transport phenomena, gas and surface chemical kinetics, structure and composition of deposited films, and relationship between process conditions and film properties. Letter grading.


M284A. Optimization in Vector Spaces. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses M280A, M282A. Designed for graduate students. Introduction to advanced dynamical analysis and controller synthesis methods for nonlinear and infinite-dimensional systems. Topics include (1) linear operator and stability theory (basic results on Banach and Hilbert spaces, semigroup theory, convergence theory in function spaces), (2) nonlinear model reduction (linear and nonlinear Galerkin method, proper orthogonal decomposition), (3) nonlinear and robust control of nonlinear hyperbolic and parabolic partial differential equations (PDEs), (4) applications to transport-reaction processes. Letter grading. Mr. Christofides

285A, 285B. Research Seminar. (2 to 4 each) Seminar, four hours. Requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Advanced and current study of one or more aspects of chemical engineering, such as chemical reaction engineering, transport and batteries, membrane transport, advanced chemical engineering analysis, polymers, optimization in chemical process design. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading.

M286. Linear Systems, Signals and Control Topics. (2) Same as Electrical Engineering M246S and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M299A.) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Limited to graduate engineering students. Presentations of research topics by leading academic and industrial researchers from fields of systems, dynamics, and control. Students who work in these fields present their papers and results. S/U grading.

M293A-M293E. Special Topics. (2 to 4) Seminar, four hours. Requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Advanced and current study of one or more aspects of chemical engineering, such as chemical reaction engineering, transport and batteries, membrane transport, advanced chemical engineering analysis, polymers, optimization in chemical process design. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading.

M375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Lectures, discussions, student presentations, and projects in academic or current interest. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

299. Departmental Seminar. (2) Seminar, two hours. Limited to graduate chemical engineering students. Seminars by leading academic and industrial chemical engineers on development or application of recent technological advances in discipline. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personal employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.
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Scope and Objectives

The objectives of the ABET-accredited civil engineering curriculums at UCLA are to (1) provide graduates with a solid foundation in basic mathematics, science, and humanities, as well as fundamental knowledge of relevant engineering principles, (2) provide students with the capability for critical thinking, engineering reasoning, problem solving, experimentation, and teamwork, (3) prepare graduates for advanced study and/ or professional employment within a wide array of industries or governmental agencies, (4) produce graduates who under-
stand ethical issues associated with their profession and who are able to apply their acquired knowledge and skills to the betterment of society, and (5) foster in students a respect for the educational process that is manifest by a lifelong pursuit of learning.

Undergraduate Study

The Civil Engineering major is a designated capstone major. In each of the major field design courses, students work individually and in groups to complete design projects. To do so, they draw on their prior coursework, research the needed materials and possible approaches to creating their device or system, and come up with creative solutions. This process enables them to integrate many of the principles they have learned previously and apply them to real systems. In completing their projects, students are also expected to demonstrate effective oral and written communication skills, as well as their ability to work productively with others as part of a team.

Civil Engineering B.S.

Capstone Major

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Civil and Environmental Engineering 1, 15; Computer Science 31 (or another programming course approved by the Faculty Executive Committee), Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C (or Electrical Engineering 1), 4AL.

The Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 102A or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 105A, Civil and Environmental Engineering 101, 103, 108, 110, 120, 135A, 150, 153, Materials Science and Engineering 104, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103, 182A; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; and at least nine major field elective courses (36 units) that must include the required courses in two of the following tracks and at least two laboratory courses, one of which must be from one of the two selected tracks and the other from any separate track:

Environmental Engineering: Required: One capstone design course from Civil and Environmental Engineering 157B or 157C, recommended courses: 154, 155, 163, 164, M166; laboratory courses: 156A, 156B.

Geotechnical Engineering: Required: One capstone design course (Civil and Environmental Engineering 121), recommended courses: 123, 125, Earth and Space Sciences 139, laboratory courses: 128L, 129.

Hydrology and Water Resources Engineering: Required: One capstone design course from Civil and Environmental Engineering 151 or 157L; recommended courses: 151, 157A, 157M; laboratory courses: 157L, 157M.

Structural Engineering and Mechanics: Required: Civil and Environmental Engineering 135B, one lecture course from 130, M135C, 137, 141, or 142, and one capstone design course from 135L, 142L, 144, or 147; recommended courses: 121, 125, 130, 137, 141, 142, 143, 144, 147; laboratory courses: 130L, 135L, 137L, 140L, 142L.

Additional Elective Options: Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences 141, Civil and Environmental Engineering 105, 106A, 180, 181, Earth and Space Sciences 100, 101, Environmental 157, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 166C, M168.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Environmental Engineering Minor

The Environmental Engineering minor is designed for students who wish to augment their major program of study with courses addressing issues central to the application of environmental engineering to important environmental problems facing modern society in developed and developing countries. The minor provides students with a greater depth of experience and understanding of the role that environmental engineering can play in dealing with environmental issues.

To enter the minor, students must be in good academic standing (2.0 grade-point average or better) and file a petition in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs, 6426 Boelter Hall.

Required Lower Division Course (5 units): Mathematics 3C or 32A.

Required Upper Division Courses (24 units minimum): Civil and Environmental Engineering 153 and five courses from 151, 154, 155, 156A, M166, Chemical Engineering C118, Environmental Health Sciences C125, C164.

No more than two upper division courses may be applied toward both this minor and a major or minor in another department or program, and at least 16 units applied toward the minor must be taken in residence at UCLA. Transfer credit for any of the above is subject to departmental approval; consult the undergraduate counselors before enrolling in any courses for the minor.

Each minor course must be taken for a letter grade, and students must have a minimum grade of C (2.0) in each and an overall grade-point average of 2.0 or better. Successful completion of the minor is indicated on the transcript and diploma.

Graduate Study

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.ogndnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmreqintro.htm. Students are subject to the detailed degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Civil Engineering.

Civil Engineering M.S.

Course Requirements

Students may select either the thesis plan or comprehensive examination plan. At least nine courses are required, a majority of which must be in the Civil and Environmental Engineering Department. At least five of the courses must be at the 200 level. In the thesis plan, seven of the nine must be formal 100- or 200-series courses. The remaining two may be 598 courses involving work on the thesis. In the comprehensive examination plan, 500-series courses may not be applied toward the nine-course requirement. A minimum 3.0 grade-point average is required in all coursework.

Each major field has a set of required preparatory courses which are normally completed during undergraduate studies. Equivalent courses taken at other institutions can satisfy the preparatory course requirements. The preparatory courses cannot be used to satisfy course requirements for the M.S. degree; courses must be selected in accordance with the lists of required graduate and elective courses for each major field.

Undergraduate Courses. No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 199; Computer Science
Students in CEE128L (Soil Mechanics Laboratory) at a geotechnical site investigation demonstration provided by Gregg Drilling.


The M.S. degree offers four fields of specialization that have specific course requirements.

Environmental Engineering

Required Preparatory Courses. Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Civil and Environmental Engineering 153; Mathematics 32A, 33A; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103, 105A; Physics 1A, 1B, 4AL, 4BL.

Required Graduate Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 254A, 255A, 255B, 266.


Geotechnical Engineering

Required Preparatory Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 108, 120, 121.

Required Graduate Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 220, 221, 223, 224.

Major Field Elective Courses. Minimum of three courses must be selected from Civil and Environmental Engineering 123, 128L, 222, 225, 226, 227, 245.


Hydrology and Water Resources Engineering

Required Preparatory Courses. Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Civil and Environmental Engineering 151, 153; Mathematics 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103, 105A; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

Required Graduate Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 250A through 250D.

Major Elective Courses. Minimum of three courses must be selected from Civil and Environmental Engineering 251A through 251D, 252, 253, 260.


Structural/Earthquake Engineering

Required Preparatory Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 135A, 135B, and 141 (or 142).

Required Graduate Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 235A, 246, and at least three courses from 235B, 241, 243A, 245, 247.


Structural Mechanics

Required Preparatory Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 130, 135A, 135B.

Required Graduate Courses. Civil and Environmental Engineering 232, 235A, 235B, 236, M237A.


Comprehensive Examination Plan

In addition to the course requirements, under this plan there is a comprehensive written examination covering the subject matter contained in the program of study. The examination is administered by a comprehensive examination committee, which may conduct an oral examination in addition to the written examination. In case of failure, the examination may be repeated once with the consent of the graduate adviser.
Thesis Plan
In addition to the course requirements, under this plan students are required to write a thesis on a research topic in civil and environmental engineering supervised by the thesis adviser. An M.S. thesis committee reviews and approves the thesis. No oral examination is required.

Civil Engineering Ph.D.
Major Fields or Subdisciplines
Environmental engineering, geotechnical engineering, hydrology and water resources engineering, structural/earthquake engineering, and structural mechanics.

Course Requirements
There is no formal course requirement for the Ph.D. degree, and students may theoretically substitute coursework by examinations. However, students normally take courses to acquire the knowledge needed for the required written and oral preliminary examinations. The basic program of study for the Ph.D. degree is built around one major field and two minor fields. The major field has a scope corresponding to a body of knowledge contained in a detailed Ph.D. field syllabus available on request from the department office. Each minor field normally embraces a body of knowledge equivalent to three courses from the selected field, at least two of which are graduate courses. Grades of B– or better, with a grade-point average of at least 3.33 in all courses included in the minor field, are required. If students fail to satisfy the minor field requirements through coursework, a minor field examination may be taken (once only). The minor fields are selected to support the major field and are usually subsets of other major fields.

Written and Oral Qualifying Examinations
After mastering the body of knowledge defined in the major field, students take a written preliminary examination. When the examination is passed and all coursework is completed, students take an oral preliminary examination that encompasses the major and minor fields. Both preliminary examinations should be completed within the first two years of full-time enrollment in the Ph.D. program. Students may not take an examination more than twice.

After passing both preliminary examinations, students take the University Oral Qualifying Examination. The nature and content of the examination are at the discretion of the doctoral committee, but ordinarily include a broad inquiry into the student’s preparation for research. The doctoral committee also reviews the prospectus of the dissertation at the oral qualifying examination.

Note: Doctoral Committees. A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, must be “inside” members who hold full-time faculty appointments in the Civil and Environmental Engineering Department at UCLA. The “outside” member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Civil and Environmental Engineering Department.

Fields of Study
Environmental Engineering
Research in environmental engineering focuses on the understanding and management of physical, chemical, and biological processes in the environment and in engineering systems. Areas of research include process development for water and wastewater treatment systems and the investigation of the fate and transport of contaminants in the environment.

Geotechnical Engineering
Research in geotechnical engineering focuses on understanding and advancing the state of knowledge on the effects that soils and soil deposits have on the performance, stability, and safety of civil engineering structures. Areas of research include laboratory investigations of soil behavior under static and dynamic loads, constitutive modeling of soil behavior, behavior of structural foundations under static and dynamic loads, soil improvement techniques, response of soil deposits and earth structures to earthquake loads, and the investigation of geotechnical aspects of environmental engineering.

Hydrology and Water Resources Engineering
Ongoing research in hydrology and water resources deals with surface and groundwater processes, hydrometeorology and hydroclimatology, watershed response to disturbance, remote sensing, data assimilation, hydrologic modeling and parameter estimation, multiobjective resource planning and management, numerical modeling of solute transport in groundwater, and optimization of conjunctive use of surface water and groundwater.

Structures (Structural Mechanics and Earthquake Engineering)
Research in structural mechanics is directed toward improving the ability of engineers to understand and interpret structural behavior through experiments and computer analyses. Areas of special interest include computer analysis using finite-element techniques, computational mechanics, structural dynamics, nonlinear behavior, plasticity, micromechanics of composites, damage and fracture mechanics, structural optimization, probabilistic static and dynamic analysis of structures, and experimental stress analysis.

Designing structural systems capable of surviving major earthquakes is the goal of experimental studies on the strength of full-scale reinforced concrete structures, computer analysis of soils/structural systems, design of earthquake resistant masonry, and design of seismic-resistant buildings and bridges.

Teaching and research areas in structural/earthquake engineering involve assessing the performance of new and existing structures subjected to earthquake ground motions. Specific interests include assessing the behavior of reinforced concrete buildings and bridges, as well as structural steel, masonry, and timber structures. Integration of analytical studies with laboratory and field experiments is emphasized to assist in the development of robust analysis and design tools, as well as design recommendations. Reliability-based design and performance assessment methodologies are also an important field of study.

Facilities
The Civil and Environmental Engineering Department has a number of laboratories to support its teaching and research:

Instructional Laboratories
Advanced Soil Mechanics Laboratory
The Advanced Soil Mechanics Laboratory is used for presenting and performing advanced triaxial, simple shear, and consolidation tests. It is also used for demonstration of cyclic soil testing techniques and advanced data acquisition and processing.

Environmental Engineering Laboratories
The Environmental Engineering Laboratories are used for the study of basic laboratory techniques for characterizing water and wastewaters. Selected experiments include measurement of biochemical oxygen demand, suspended solids, dissolved oxygen hardness, and other parameters used in water quality control.

Experimental Fracture Mechanics Laboratory
The Experimental Fracture Mechanics Laboratory is used for preparing and testing specimens using modern dynamic testing machines to develop an understanding of fracture mechanics and to become familiar with experimental techniques available to
study crack tip stress fields, strain energy release rate, surface flaws, and crack growth in laboratory samples.

**Hydrology Laboratory**
The Hydrology Laboratory is used for studying basic surface water processes and characterizing a range of geochemical parameters. Basic experiments include measurements of suspended solids, turbidity, dissolved oxygen, sediment distributions, and other basic water quality constituents. The laboratory also includes an extensive suite of equipment for measuring surface water processes in situ, including precipitation, stage height, discharge, channel geomorphology, and other physical parameters.

**Mechanical Vibrations Laboratory**
The Mechanical Vibrations Laboratory is used for conducting free and forced vibration and earthquake response experiments on small model structures such as a three-story building, a portal frame, and a water intake/outlet tower for a reservoir. Two electromagnetic exciters, each with a 30-pound dynamic force rating, are available for generating steady state forced vibrations. A number of accelerometers, LVDTs (displacement transducers), and potentiometers are available for measuring the motions of the structure. A laboratory view-based computer-controlled dynamic data acquisition system, an oscilloscope, and a spectrum analyzer are used to visualize and record the motion of the model structures.

Two small electromagnetic and servohydraulic shaking tables (1.5 ft. x 1.5 ft. and 2 ft. x 4 ft.) are available to simulate the dynamic response of structures to base excitation such as earthquake ground motions.

**Reinforced Concrete Laboratory**
The Reinforced Concrete Laboratory is available for students to conduct monotonic and cyclic loading to verify analysis and design methods for moderate-scale reinforced concrete slabs, beams, columns, and joints, which are tested to failure.

**Soil Mechanics Laboratory**
The Soil Mechanics Laboratory is used for performing experiments to establish data required for soil classification, soil compaction, shear strength of soils, soil settlement, and consolidation characteristics of soils.

**Structural Design and Testing Laboratory**
The Structural Design and Testing Laboratory is used for the design/optimization, construction, instrumentation, and testing of small-scale structural models to compare theoretical and observed behavior. Projects provide integrated design/laboratory experience involving synthesis of structural systems and procedures for measuring and analyzing response under load.

**Research Laboratories**

**Building Earthquake Instrumentation Network**
The Building Earthquake Instrumentation Network consists of more than 100 earthquake strong motion instruments in three campus buildings to measure the response of actual buildings during earthquakes. When combined with over 50 instruments placed in four Century City high-rises and retail buildings, this network, which is maintained by the U.S. Geological Society and State of California Division of Mines and Geology Strong Motion Program, represents the most detailed building instrumentation network in the world. The goal of the research conducted using the response of these buildings is to improve computer modeling methods and the ability of structural engineers to predict the performance of buildings during earthquakes.

**Environmental Engineering Laboratories**
The Environmental Engineering Laboratories are used for conducting water and wastewater analysis, including instrumental techniques such as GC, GC/MS, HPLC, TOC, IC, and particle counting instruments. A wide range of wet chemical analysis can be made in this facility with 6,000 square feet of laboratory space and an accompanying 4,000-square-foot rooftop facility where large pilot scale experiments can be conducted. Additionally, electron microscopy is available in another laboratory.

Recently studies have been conducted on oxygen transfer, storm water toxicity, transport of pollutants in soil, membrane fouling, removal from drinking water, and computer simulation of a variety of environmental processes.

**Experimental Mechanics Laboratory**
The Experimental Mechanics Laboratory supports two major activities: the Optical Metrology Laboratory and the Experimental Fracture Mechanics Laboratory.

In the Optical Metrology Laboratory, tools of modern optics are applied to engineering problems. Such techniques as holography, speckle-interferometry, Moiré analysis, and fluorescence-photo mechanics are used for obtaining displacement, stress, strain, or velocity fields in either solids or liquids. Recently, real-time video digital processors have been combined with these modern optical technical techniques, allowing direct interfacing with computer-based systems such as computer-aided testing or robotic manufacturing.

The Experimental Fracture Mechanics Laboratory is currently involved in computer-aided testing (CAT) of the fatigue fracture mechanics of ductile material. An online dedicated computer controls the experiment as well as records and manipulates data.

**Large-Scale Structure Test Facility**
The Large-Scale Structure Test Facility allows investigation of the behavior of large-scale structural components and systems subjected to gravity and earthquake loadings. The facility consists of a high-bay area with a 20 ft. x 50 ft. strong floor with anchor points at 3 ft. on center. Actuators with servohydraulic controllers are used to apply monotonic or cyclic loads. The area is serviced by two cranes. The facilities are capable of testing large-scale structural components under a variety of axial and lateral loadings.

Associated with the laboratory is an electro-hydraulic universal testing machine with force capacity of 100 tons. The machine is used mainly to apply tensile and compressive loads to specimens so that the properties of the materials from which the specimens are made can be determined. It can also be used in fatigue-testing of small components.

**Soil Mechanics Laboratory**
The Soil Mechanics Laboratory is used for standard experiments and advanced research in geotechnical engineering, with equipment for static and dynamic triaxial and simple shear testing. Modern computer-controlled servohydraulic closed-loop system supports triaxial and simple shear devices. The system is connected to state-of-the-art data acquisition equipment. The laboratory also includes special simple shear apparatuses for small-strain static and cyclic testing and for one-dimensional or two-dimensional cyclic loading across a wide range of frequencies. A humidity room is available for storing soil samples.

**Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance**

**Professors**

Jiun-Shyan (J-S) Chen, Ph.D. (Northwestern, 1989)

Finite element methods, meshfree methods, large deformation mechanics, inelasticity, contact problems, structural dynamics


Damage mechanics, mechanics of composite materials, computational plasticity, micromechanics, concrete modeling and durability, computational mechanics

Michael K. Stenstrom, Ph.D. (Clemson, 1976)

Process development and control for water and wastewater treatment plants
Jonathan P. Stewart, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1996)
Geotechnical engineering, earthquake engineering
Keith D. Stolzenbach, Ph.D. (MIT, 1971)
Environmental fluid mechanics, fatigue and transport of pollutants, dynamics of particles
Mladen Vucetic, Ph.D. (Rensselaer, 1986)
Geotechnical engineering, soil dynamics, geotechnical earthquake engineering, experimental studies of static and cyclic soil properties
John W. Wallace, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1988)
Earthquake engineering, design methodologies, seismic evaluation and retrofit, large-scale testing and field testing
William W-G. Yeh, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1967)
Hydrology and optimization of water resources systems

Professors Emeriti
Stanley B. Dong, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1962)
Structural mechanics, structural dynamics, finite element methods, numerical methods and mechanics of composite materials
Lewis P. Felton, Ph.D. (Carnegie Institute of Technology, 1964)
Structural analysis, structural mechanics, automated optimum structural design, including reliability-based design
Michael E. Fourney, Ph.D. (Caltech, 1963)
Experiential mechanics, special emphasis on application of modern optical techniques
Gary C. Hart, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1968)
Structural engineering analysis and design of buildings for earthquake and wind loads, structural dynamics, and uncertainty and risk analysis of structures
Poul V. Lade, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1972)
Soil mechanics, stress-strain and strength characteristics of soils, deformation and stability analyses of foundation engineering problems
Chung Yen Liu, Ph.D. (Caltech, 1962)
Fluid mechanics, environmental, numerical
Richard L. Perrine, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1953)
Resource and environmental problems—chemical, petroleum, or hydrological, physics of flow through porous media, transport phenomena, kinetics
Moshe F. Rubinstein, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1961)
Systems analysis and design, problem-solving and decision-making models
Lucien A. Schmit, Jr., M.S. (MIT, 1950)
Structural mechanics, optimization, automated design methods for structural systems and computerized solution of finite element analysis techniques and mathematical programming algorithms in structural design, analysis and synthesis methods for fiber composite structural components
Lawrence G. Selna, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1967)
Reinforced concrete, earthquake engineering

Associate Professors
Scott J. Brandenberg, Ph.D. (UC Davis, 2005)
Geotechnical earthquake engineering, soil-structure interaction, liquefaction, data acquisition and processing, numerical analysis
Eric M.V. Hoek, Ph.D. (Yale, 2001)
Physical and chemical environmental processes, colloidal and interfacial phenomena, environmental membrane separations, biodegradation and bio-adsorption
Terri S. Hogue, Ph.D. (Arizona, 2003)
Surface hydrology, watershed characterization (physical and chemical), remote sensing, hydrodynamics and surface modeling, and parameter estimation
Jennifer A. Jay, Ph.D. (MIT, 1999)
Aquatic chemistry, environmental microbiology
Steven A. Margulis, Ph.D. (MIT, 2002)
Surface hydrology, hydrometeorology, remote sensing, data assimilation

Assistant Professors
Shailly Mahendra, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 2007)
Environmental microbiology, biodegradation of groundwater contaminants, microbiomaterial interactions, nanotechnology, applications of molecular biological and isotopic tools in environmental engineering
Gaurav Sant, Ph.D. (Purdue, 2009)
Cementitious materials and porous media with focus on structure-property relationships, geochemical modeling, shrinkage and cracking, thermodynamics of interfaces, durability prediction and extension, and carbon footprint minimization of construction materials
Jian Zhang, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 2002)
Earthquake engineering, structural dynamics and mechanics, seismic protective devices and strategies, soil-structure interaction, and bridge engineering

Senior Lecturer
Christopher Tu, Ph.D. (UC Davis, 1975)
Groundwater movement and surface water hydrology

Adjunct Professor
Ne-Zheng Sun, Ph.D. (Shandong, 1965)
Mathematical modeling of groundwater flow and contaminant transport, water resources management, numerical analysis and optimization

Adjunct Associate Professors
Issam Najm, Ph.D. (Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, 1990)
Water chemistry; physical and chemical processes in drinking water treatment
Daniel E. Pradel, Ph.D. (U. Tokyo, 1987)
Soil mechanics and foundation engineering Thomas Sabil, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1985)
Seismic performance and structural design issues for steel and concrete seismic force resisting systems. Application of probabilistic methods to earthquake damage quantification

Lower Division Courses

1. Introduction to Civil Engineering. (2) Lecture, two hours; outside study, four hours. Introduction to scope of civil engineering profession, including environmental, geotechnical, structural, transportation, and water resources engineering. P/NP grading.
   Mr. Chen (F)
2. 15. Introduction to Computing for Civil Engineers. (2) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, two hours. Introduction to computer programming using MATLAB. Selected topics in programming, with emphasis on numerical techniques and methodology as applied to civil engineering programs. Letter grading.
   Mr. Chen, Mr. Ju (W)
3. 19. Fiat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many paths of discovery at UCLA. P/NP grading.
4. 58SL. Climate Change, Water Quality, and Ecosystem Functioning. (5) Lecture, four hours; service learning, two hours; outside study, nine hours. Science related to climate change, water quality, and ecosystem health. Topics include carbon and nutrient cycling, hydrologic cycle, ecosystem structure and services, biodiversity, basic aquatic chemistry, and impacts of climate change on ecosystem functioning and water quality. Participation in series of science education projects to elementary or middle school audience. Letter grading.
   Ms. Jay (Not offered 2011-12)

85. Professional Practice Issues in Structural Engineering. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Introduction to issues of professional practice in structural engineering. Context and organization of model building codes and material-specific reference standards. Interpretation of architectural and structural design drawings and specifications. Material-dependent structural calculations such as tributary area, multistory column loads, and estimation of simple seismic and wind loads. P/NP grading.
   Mr. Wallace

97. Variable Topics in Civil and Environmental Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, two hours. Current topics and research methods in civil and environmental engineering. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.
   99. Student Research Program. (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week per unit. Entry-level research for lower division students under guidance of faculty mentor. Students must be in good academic standing and enrolled in minimum of 12 units (excluding this course). Individual contract required. Undergraduate Research Center. May be repeated. P/NP grading.
   Mr. Ju (FW)

Upper Division Courses

   Mr. Ju (FW)

103. Applied Numerical Computing and Modeling in Civil and Environmental Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course 15, Mathematics 33B (may be taken concurrently). Introduction to numerical computing with specific applications in civil and environmental engineering. Topics include error and computer arithmetic, root finding, curve fitting, numerical integration and differentiation, solution of systems of linear and nonlinear equations, numerical solution of ordinary and partial differential equations. Letter grading.
   Mr. Margulis, Mr. Taciroglu (Sp)

   Mr. Sant (W)

105. Technical Communication. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Techniques for effecting communication of technical material accurately, clearly, and briefly, with emphasis on writing and development of oral presentation skills. How to write clearly and concisely, organize material logically, present it in readable style, edit work accurately, and apply sound writing principles to technical documents. Topics include organization of information; application of techniques to achieve unity, coherence, and development; use of parallel grammatical struc-

Mr. Yeh (F)  

108. Introduction to Mechanics of Deformable Solids. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: Mathematics 33A, 33B. Recommended: course 121. Course 121 or 125. Topics include: stress and strain. Stress-strain relations with focus on linear elasticity. Transformation of stress and strain. Deformations and stresses caused by tension, compression, bending, shear, and torsion. Failure of materials. Introduction to the principles of mechanics of deformable solids. Letter grading.

Mr. Stewart (W)  

121. Design of Foundations and Earth Structures. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 120. Design of soil foundation and structural systems using computer and analytical modeling; design of slopes and earth retaining structures. Letter grading.

Mr. Vucetic (F)  

123. Advanced Geotechnical Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; computer laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 121. Analysis and design of earth dams, including seepage, piping, and slope stability. Use of rigid frame computer programs. Letter grading.

Mr. Stewart (W)  


Mr. Stewart (Sp)  

128L. Soil Mechanics Laboratory. (4) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, eight hours; outside study, three hours. Requisite or corequisite: course 120. Laboratory experiments to obtain soil parameters required for assigned design problems. Soil classification, grain size distribution, Atterberg limits, specific gravity, compaction, expansion of expansive soils, shear stress determinations. Design problems, laboratory report writing. Letter grading.

Mr. Brandenberg, Mr. Vucetic (FSp)  

129. Engineering Geometrics. (4) Lecture, two hours; recitation, two hours; fieldwork, four hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 120, 125. Topics include: Linear analysis of geospatial data. Ellipsoidal and geoid models of shape of Earth. Sea level, height, and geopotential surfaces. Elements and usage of topographic data. Advanced global positioning systems (GPS) for high-precision mapping. Advanced laser-based light detection and ranging (LiDAR) mapping. Quantitative terrain analysis and change detection. Hydrogeometrics: seafloor mapping. Letter grading.

Mr. Stewart (W)  


Mr. Taciroglu (W)  

130L. Experimental Structural Mechanics. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite or corequisite: course 130. Lectures and laboratory experiments in various structural mechanics testing of metals, plastics, and concrete. Design problems, laboratory report writing. Letter grading.

Mr. Ju (W)  

135A. Intermediate Structural Analysis. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: courses 103, 105, 108. Introduction to structural analysis; classification of structural elements; analysis of trusses, beams, and frames; deflections in elementary structures; virtual work; analysis of indeterminate structures using force method; introduction to displacement method and energy concepts. Letter grading.

Mr. Ju (F)  

135B. Intermediate Structural Analysis. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 135A. Analysis of trusses and frame structures using matrix methods; matrix force methods; matrix displacement method; analysis concepts based on theorem of virtual work; moment distribution. Letter grading.

Mr. Ju (W)  

M135C. Introduction to Finite Element Methods. (4) (Same as Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M168.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 130 or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 156A or 166A. Introduction to basic concepts of finite element methods (FEM) and applications to structural and solid mechanics and heat transfer. Direct matrix structural analysis: weighted residual, least squares, and energy principles. Finite element shape functions; convergence properties; isoparametric formulation of multidimensional heat flow and elasticity; numerical integration. Practical use of FEM software; geometric and linear element modeling; preprocessing and postprocessing techniques; term projects with computers. Letter grading.

Mr. Chen, Mr. Klug (Sp)  


Mr. Ju (FSp)  

137. Elementary Structural Dynamics. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite or corequisite: course 130. Basic structural dynamics course for civil engineering students. Elastic free, forced vibration, and earthquake response analysis for single and coupled free- and forced vibration systems. Axial, bending, and torsional vibration of beams. Letter grading.

Mr. Ju (F)  


Mr. Ju (Not offered 2011–12)  

140L. Structural Components and Systems Testing Laboratory. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course 142. Comparison of experimental results with analytical results and code requirements to assess accuracies and limitations of calculation procedures used in structural design. Tests include quasi-static tests of structural elements (beams, columns) and systems (slab-column, beam-column) and dynamic tests of simple building systems. Quasi-static tests focus on assessment of system stiffness, strength, and deformation capacity, where-as dynamic tests focus on assessment of periods, mode shapes, and damping. Development of communication skills through preparation of laboratory reports and oral presentations. Letter grading.

Mr. Wallace (Sp)  

141. Steel Structures. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 135A. Introduction to structural mechanics and flexibility concepts, fundamentals of load and resistance factor design of steel elements. Design of tension and compression members. Design of beams and beam columns. Simple connection design. Introduction to computer modeling methods and design process. Letter grading.

Mr. Wallace (F)  


Mr. Wallace (Not offered 2011–12)  

142L. Reinforced Concrete Structural Laboratory. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, six hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: courses 135B, 142. Limited enrollment. Design considerations used for reinforced concrete beams, columns, slabs, and joints evaluated using analysis and experiments. Links between theory, building codes, and experimental results. Students demonstrate accuracies and limitations of calculation procedures used in design of reinforced concrete elements. Development of skills for written and oral presentations. Letter grading.

Mr. Wallace (Not offered 2011–12)  


Mr. Wallace (Sp)  

144. Structural Systems Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 141 or 142. Design course for civil engineering stu-

Ms. Zhang (Sp)


Mr. Wallace (W)

150. Introduction to Hydrology. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisites: course 15, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103. Study of hydrologic cycle and relevant atmospheric processes, water and energy balance, radiation, precipitation formation, infiltration, percolation, groundwater flow, storm runoff, and flood processes. Letter grading.

Mr. Margulis (F)

151. Introduction to Water Resources Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisites: courses 150, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103. Recommended: courses 103, 110. Principles of hydraulics, flow of water in open channels and pressure conduits, conduits, and design of hydraulic structures. Hydraulic design, hydroelectric power. Introduction to system analysis and design applied to water resources engineering. Letter grading.

Mr. Margulis (W)

153. Introduction to Environmental Engineering Science. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour (when scheduled); outside study, seven hours. Recommended requisite: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103. Water, air, and soil pollution: sources, transmission, and effect on health. Control and abatement of pollutants. Water quality, water and wastewater treatment, waste disposal, air pollution, global environmental problems. Field trip. Letter grading.

Ms. Jay (Sp)

154. Chemical Fate and Transport in Aquatic Environments. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended requisite: course 153. Fundamental physical, chemical, and biological principles of migration and fate of chemicals in surface and groundwater. Topics include physical transport in various aquatic environments, air-water exchange, acid-base equilibria, oxidation-reduction potential, sorption, biodegradation, and bioaccumulation. Practical quantitative problems solved considering both reaction and transport of chemicals in environment. Letter grading.

Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 153. Biological, chemical, and physical methods used to study the environment. Fundamental concepts of phenomena governing design of engineered systems for water and wastewater treatment systems. Field trip. Letter grading.

Mr. Hoek (F)

156A. Environmental Chemistry Laboratory. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: courses 153, 203. Chemical and physical processes used to study the environment. Fundamental concepts of phenomena governing design of engineered systems for water and wastewater treatment systems. Field trip. Letter grading.

Mr. Stolzenbach (F;Sp)

156B. Environmental Engineering Unit Operations and Processes Laboratory. (4) Laboratory, six hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20B. Characterization and analysis of typical natural waters and wastewaters for inorganic and organic constituents. Selection of appropriate analytical techniques: metals, nitro- gen, oxygen demand, and chloride residues, that are used in unit operation experiments that in- clude reactor dynamics, aeration, gas stripping, coagulation, flocculation, and membrane processes. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (W)

157A. Hydrologic Modeling. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 103, 150, 151. Introduction to hydrologic modeling of surface water runoff and streamflow. Concepts and techniques of (1) one-dimensional steady flow, unsteady flow, and sediment transport, (2) pipe flow and water distribution systems, (3) rainfall-runoff modeling, and (4) groundwater modeling, with a focus on use of industry and/or research standard models with locally relevant applications. Letter grading.

Mr. Yeh (Sp)

157B. Design of Water Treatment Plants. (4) Lect- ture, two hours; discussion, two hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course 155. Water quality standards and regulations, overview of water treatment plants, design of unit oper- ations, prediction of pollutant treatment plants, hydromechanics of plants, process control, and cost estimation. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (Not offered 2011-12)

157C. Design of Wastewater Treatment Plants. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 103, 150, 151. Design of wastewater treatment plants, including primary and secondary treatment, detailed design review of existing plants, process control, and economics. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (W)

157L. Hydrologic Analysis and Design. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 150 and/or 151. Collection, compilation, and interpretation of data for quantification of surface water components of hydromet- eric cycle, including precipitation, evaporation, infil- tration, and runoff. Use of hydrologic variables and parameters for development, construction, and appli- cation of analytical models for selected systems in hydrology and water resources. Field trip required. Letter grading.

Ms. Hogue (W)

157M. Hydrology of Mountain Watersheds. (4) Lecture, one hour; fieldwork, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, four hours; one field trip. Requisite: course 150 or 157L. Advanced field- and laboratory-based course with focus on study of hydrologic and geochemical processes in snow-domi- nated terrestrial environments. Topics include mea- sure and quantify snowpack properties, snowmelt, dis- charge, evaporation, infiltration, soil properties, and local meteorology, as well as investigate geochemical processes in the hydrologic system. Ex- ploration of rating curves, stream classification, and flooding potential. Extended field trip required. Letter grading.

Ms. Hogue (Sp)

163. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry and Air Pollution. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 153, Chemistry 20A, 20B, Mathematics 31A, 31B, Physics 1A, 1B. Description of processes affecting chemical composition of the atmosphere, including photochemistry, interac- tion of particulates, urban and regional ozone, aerosol pollution, formation/deposition of acid precipitation, fate of an- thropic/toxic/natural organic and inorganic compo- nds, selected global chemical cycle(s). Control technologies. Letter grading.

Mr. Stolzenbach (Not offered 2011-12)


Ms. Jay (Not offered 2011-12)


Ms. Mahendra (W)

M166L. Environmental Microbiology and Biotechnol- ogy Laboratory. (1) (Same as Earth and Planetary Sciences M166L.) Laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enrolled in course M166 may take laboratory alone for the price of one course. General laboratory practice with environmental mi- crobiology, sampling of environmental samples, clas- sical and modern molecular techniques for enumera- tion of microbes from environmental samples, tech- niques for determination of microbial activity in standard environmental samples, laboratory setups for study- ing environmental biotechnology. Letter grading.

Ms. Mahendra (Not offered 2011-12)

180. Introduction to Transportation Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Designed for juniors/seniors. General characteristics of transportation systems, including streets and highways, rail, transit, air, and water. Capacity considerations including time-space dia- grams and queueing. Components of transportation system design, including horizontal and vertical align- ment, cross sections, earthwork, drainage, and pave- ments. Letter grading.

Mr. Stewart (Sp)

181. Traffic Engineering Systems: Operations and Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; fieldwork/laborato- ry, two hours; outside study, six hours. Designed for juniors/seniors. Application of traffic engineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated once for credit with topic or instructor change. Letter grading.

194. Research Group Seminars: Civil and Envi- ronmental Engineering. (2 to 6) Seminar, two to six hours; outside study, four to 16 hours. Designed for graduate students and research group. Discussion of research methods and current literature in field of or research of faculty members or students. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.

199. Directed Research in Civil and Environmental Engineering. (2 to 6) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised individual re- search or investigation under guidance of faculty mentor. Culminating paper or project required. May be repeated for credit with school approval. Individual contract required; enrollment petitions available in Of- fice of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading.

Graduate Courses


Mr. Stewart (F)


Mr. Brandenburg (W)

222. Introduction to Soil Dynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 120. Review of engineering problems involving soil dynamics. Fundamentals of theoretical soil
dynamics: response of sliding block-on-plane to cyclic earthquake loading. Elastic and inelastic, nonlinear, and confined concrete, moment-curvature analysis of sections, and design for shear. Design of slender and large reinforced concrete columns and walls, as well as design of eccentrically braced frames. Composite steel-concrete structures. Letter grading. Mr. Ju (F)


243A. Behavior and Design of Reinforced Concrete Structural Elements. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 142. Advanced topics on design of reinforced concrete structures, including stress-strain relationships for plain and confined concrete, moment-curvature analysis of sections, and design for shear. Design of slender and large reinforced concrete columns and walls, as well as design of eccentrically braced frames. Composite steel-concrete structures. Letter grading. Mr. Ju (F)

243B. Response and Design of Reinforced Concrete Structural Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: courses 243A, 246. Information on response and behavior of reinforced concrete buildings to earthquake ground motions. Topics include use of elastic and inelastic response spectra, role of strength, stiffness, and ductility in design, use of prescriptive versus performance-based design methodologies, and application of elastic and inelastic analysis techniques for new and existing construction. Letter grading. Mr. Wallace (W)

244. Structural Loads and Safety for Civil Structures. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 141 or 142 or 143 or 144. Methods for determining system-level loads and loads on structural and mechanical systems; structural safety analysis; and calculation of capacity reduction factors. Letter grading. Mr. Ju (Not offered 2011-12)

245. Earthquake Ground Motion Characterization. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Corequisite: course 137 or 246. Earthquake fundamentals, including plate tectonics, fault types, seismic waves, and magnitude scales. Characterization of earthquake sources, including magnitude range and rate of future earthquakes. Ground motion prediction equations and site effects on ground motion. Seismic hazard analysis. Ground motion selection and modification for response history analysis. Letter grading. Mr. Stewart (W)

Mr. Taciroglu (W)

247. Earthquake Hazard Mitigation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 130, and M237A or 246. Concept of seismic isolation, linear theory of base isolation, visco-elastic and hysteretic dampers, elasto-plastic bearings under compression and bending, buckling of bearings, sliding bearings, passive energy dissipation devices, response of structures with isolation and passive energy dissipation devices. Static and dynamic analysis procedures, code provisions and design methods for seismically isolated structures. Letter grading.

Ms. Zhang (Sp)


Mr. Ju (J)

249. Selected Topics in Structural Engineering, Mechanics, and Geotechnical Engineering. (2) Lecture, two hours; outside study, six hours. Review of recent research and developments in structural engineering, structural mechanics, and geotechnical engineering. Structural analysis, finite elements, structural stability, dynamics of structures, structural design, soil-structure interaction, geotechnical mechanics of composites, constitutive modeling, geomechanics, and geotechnical engineering. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

Mr. Ju, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Taciroglu, Mr. Wallace (F,W,Sp)

250A. Surface Water Hydrology. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 150. In-depth study of surface water hydrology, including discussion and interrelationship of major topics such as rainfall and evaporation, soils and infiltration properties, runoff and snowmelt processes. Introduction to rainfall-runoff modeling, floods, and policy issues related to surface water resource engineering. Management. Letter grading.

Ms. Hogue (F)


Mr. Yeh (W)

250C. Hydrometeorology. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 250A. In-depth study of hydrometeorological processes. Role of hydrology in climate system, precipitation and evaporation processes, atmospheric radiation, exchange of mass, heat, and momentum between soil and vegetation surface and overlying atmosphere, flux and transport in turbulent boundary layer, basic remote sensing principles. Letter grading.

Mr. Margulis (F)

250D. Water Resources Systems Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 151. Application of mathematical programming techniques to water resources systems. Topics include reservoir management and operation; optimal timing, sequencing and sizing of water resource projects; and multibjective planning and conjunctive use of surface water and groundwater. Emphasis on management of water quality. Letter grading.

Mr. Yeh (Sp)

251A. Rainfall-Runoff Modeling. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250A, 251B. Introduction to hydrologic modeling concepts, rainfall-runoff process, data, uncertainty analysis, lumped and distributed modeling, parameter estimation and sensitivity analysis, and application of models for flood forecasting and prediction of surface water resource applications. Letter grading.

Ms. Hogue (Sp)

251B. Contaminant Transport in Groundwater. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250B, 253. Phenomena and mechanisms of hydrodynamic dispersion, governing equations of mass transport in porous media, various analytical and numerical solutions, determination of dispersion parameters by laboratory and field experiments, biological and reactive transport in multiphase flow, remediation design, software packages and applications. Letter grading.

Mr. Yeh

251C. Remote Sensing with Hydrologic Applications. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250A, 250C. Introduction to basic concepts of remote sensing techniques as they relate to surface and atmospheric hydrologic processes. Applications include radiative transfer modeling and retrieval of relevant parameters such as topography, soil moisture, snow properties, vegetation, and precipitation. Letter grading.

Mr. Margulis (Sp)

251D. Hydrologic Data Assimilation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250A, 250C. Introduction to basic concepts of classical and Bayesian estimation theory for purposes of hydrologic data assimilation. Applications geared toward assimilating disparate observations into dynamic models of hydrologic systems. Letter grading.

Mr. Marquis (Sp)

252. Engineering Economic Analysis of Water and Environmental Planning. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 106A, or one or more courses from Economics 1, 2, 11, 100, 101. Economic theory and applications in analysis and management of water and environmental problems; application of price theory to water resource management and renewable resources; benefit-cost analysis with applications to water resources and environmental planning. Letter grading.

Mr. Yeh (Sp)


Mr. Stenstrom (F)

254A. Environmental Aquatic Inorganic Chemistry. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20B, Mathematics 31A, 31B, Physics 1A, 1B. Equilibrium and kinetic descriptions of chemical behavior of metals and inorganic ions in natural fresh-marine surface waters and in wastewater treatment. Processes include acid-base chemistry and alkalinity (carbonate system), complexation, precipitation/dissolution, absorption oxidation/reduction, and photochemistry. Letter grading.

Dr. Jay (F)

255A. Physical and Chemical Processes for Water and Wastewater Treatment. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 254A, 254B. Analysis of momentum and mass transfer, chemical reactions and transport, precipitation/flocculation, granular filtrations, sedimentation, carbon adsorption, gas transfer, disinfection, oxidation, and membrane processes. Letter grading.

Mr. Hoek (W)

255B. Biological Processes for Water and Wastewater Treatment. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 254A, 254B. Fundamentals of environmental engineering microbiology; kinetics of microbial growth and biological oxidation; applications for activated sludge, gas transfer, fixed-film processes, aerobic and anaerobic digester, sludge disposal, and biological nutrient removal. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (Sp)

258A. Membrane Separations in Aquatic Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 254A. Applications of membrane separation methods (ultrafiltration, microfiltration, nanofiltration, reverse osmosis, ultrafiltration, electrolysis, and ion exchange technologies from both practical and theoretical standpoints. Letter grading.

Mr. Hoek (W)

259A. Selected Topics in Environmental Engineering. (2) Lecture, two hours; outside study, four hours. Review of recent research and developments in environmental engineering. Water and wastewater treatment systems, nonpoint pollution, multimedia impacts. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

Mr. Stolzenbach (F,W,Sp)

259B. Selected Topics in Water Resources. (2 to 4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Review of recent research and developments in water resources. Water supply and hydrology, global climate change, economic planning, optimization of water supply systems. May be taken for maximum of 4 units. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (F,W,Sp)

260. Advanced Topics in Hydrology and Water Resources. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 259A, 259B, 250D. Current research topics in inverse problem of parameter estimation, experimental design, conjunctive use of surface and groundwater, multilobjective water resources planning, and optimization of water resource systems. Topics may vary from term to term. Letter grading.

Mr. Yeh (Sp)

261. Colloid Phenomena in Aquatic Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 259A, 259B, 250D. Current research topics in inverse problem of parameter estimation, experimental design, conjunctive use of surface and groundwater, multilobjective water resources planning, and optimization of water resource systems. Topics may vary from term to term. Letter grading.

Mr. Hoek (Not offered 2011-12)

261B. Advanced Biological Processes for Water and Wastewater Treatment. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 255B. In-depth treatment of selected topics related to biological treatment of waters and wastewaters, such as biodegradation of organic pollutants, emerging pollutants, toxicity, and nutrients. Discussion of theoretical aspects, experimental observations, and recent literature. Application to important emerging environmental problems. Letter grading.

Mr. Stenstrom (Sp)

M224A. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. (4) Same as Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences M224A.) Lecture, three hours. Requisite for undergraduates: Chemistry 20B. Principles of chemical kinetics, thermochernistry, spectroscopy, and photochemistry; chemical composition and history of Earth’s atmosphere, biogeochemical cycles of key atmospheric constituents; basic photochemistry of troposphere and stratosphere, upper atmosphere chemical processes; air pollution; chemistry and climate. S/U or letter grading.

M262A. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. (4) (Same as Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences M224A.) Lecture, three hours. Requisite for undergraduate: Chemistry 20B. Principles of chemical kinetics, thermochernistry, spectroscopy, and photochemistry; chemical composition and history of Earth’s atmosphere, biogeochemical cycles of key atmospheric constituents; basic photochemistry of troposphere and stratosphere, upper atmosphere chemical processes; air pollution; chemistry and climate. S/U or letter grading.

(W)

M262B. Atmospheric Diffusion and Air Pollution. (4) (Same as Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences M224B.) Lecture, three hours. Nature and sources of atmospheric pollution; diffusion from point, line, and area sources; pollution dispersion in urban complex environment; atmospheric chemical processes; meteorological aspects of air pollution. S/U or letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

263A. Physics of Environmental Transport. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Tracer flow in surface water, groundwater, and atmosphere. Emphasis on exchanges across phase boundaries: sediment/water interface; air/water gas exchange; particles, droplets, and bubbles; small-scale dispersion
263B. Advanced Topics in Transport at Environmental Interfaces. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 263A. In-depth treatment of selected topics involving transport phenomena at environmental interfaces between solid, fluid, and gas phases, such as aquatic sediments, porous aggregates, and vegetative canopies. Discussion of theoretical models and experimental observations. Application to important environmental engineering problems. Letter grading. Mr. Stolzenbach (Not offered 2011-12)

265A. Mass Transfer in Environmental Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; computer applications, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate environmental engineering program students. Physical chemistry and mass transfer fundamentals related to contaminant fate and transport in soil, air, and water systems, including soil/water sorption and desorption, contaminant retardation, vaporization and dissolution of nonaqueous phase liquids (NAPL), and other environmental systems. Letter grading. Mr. Stolzenbach (Not offered 2011-12)

265B. Contaminant Transport in Soils and Groundwater. (4) Lecture, four hours; computer applications, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 250B, 265A. Principles of mass transfer as they apply in soil and groundwater, independent estimation of transport model parameters; remediating hazardous waste sites. Letter grading. Mr. Stolzenbach (Not offered 2011-12)

266. Environmental Biotechnology. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 153, 254A. Environmental biotechnology — concept and potential, biotechnology of pollutional control, bioremediation, biomass conversion: composting, biogas and bioethanol production. Letter grading. Ms. Mahendra (Sp)

267. Environmental Applications of Geochemical Modeling. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 254A. Geochemical modeling is important tool for predicting environmental impacts of contamination. Hands-on experience in modeling using geochemical software packages commonly found in environmental consulting industry to gain better understanding of governing geochemical principles pertaining to movement and transformation of contaminants. Types of modeling include speciation, mineral solubility, surface complexation, reaction path, inverse mass balance, and reactive transport modeling. Case studies involve acid mine drainage, nuclear waste disposal, bioavailability and risk assessment, mine tailings and mining waste, deep well injection, landfill leachate, and microbial respiration. Research/modeling project required. Letter grading. Ms. Jay (Sp)

296. Advanced Topics in Civil Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Discussion of current research and literature in research specialty of faculty member teaching course. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

297. Seminar: Current Topics in Civil Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Lectures, discussions, and student presentations and projects in areas of current interest in civil engineering. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

298. Seminar: Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Seminars may be organized in advanced technical fields. If appropriate, field trips may be arranged. May be repeated with topic change. Letter grading.

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

495. Teaching Assistant Training Seminar. (2) Seminar, two hours. Preparation: appointment as teaching assistant in Civil and Environmental Engineering Department. Seminar on communication of civil engineering principles, concepts, and methods; teaching assistant preparation, organization, and presentation of material, including use of visual aids; grading, advising, and rapport with students. S/U grading. (F)

596. Directed Individual or Tutorial Studies. (2 to 4) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Supervised investigation of advanced technical problems. S/U grading.

597A. Preparation for M.S. Comprehensive Examination. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Reading and preparation for M.S. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597B. Preparation for Ph.D. Preliminary Examinations. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. S/U grading.

597C. Preparation for Ph.D. Oral Qualifying Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.

598. Research for and Preparation of M.S. Thesis. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Supervised independent research for M.S. candidates, including thesis prospectus. S/U grading.

599. Research for and Preparation of Ph.D. Dissertation. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate civil engineering students. Usually taken after students have been advanced to candidacy. S/U grading.
Scope and Objectives

Computer science is concerned with the design, modeling, analysis, and applications of computer-related systems. Its study at UCLA provides education at the undergraduate and graduate levels necessary to understand, design, implement, and use the software and hardware of digital computers and digital systems. The programs provide comprehensive and integrated studies of subjects in computer system architecture, computer networks, distributed computer systems, programming languages and software systems, information and data management, artificial intelligence, computer science theory, computational systems biology and bioinformatics, and computer vision and graphics.

The undergraduate and graduate studies and research projects in computer science are supported by significant computing resources. In addition to the departmental computing facility, there are over a dozen research laboratories specializing in areas such as distributed systems, multimedia computer communications, distributed sensor networks, VLSI systems, VLSI CAD, embedded and reconfigurable systems, computer graphics, bioinformatics, and artificial intelligence. Also, the Cognitive Systems Laboratory is engaged in studying computer systems that emulate or support human reasoning. The Biocybernetics Laboratory is devoted to multidisciplinary research involving the application of engineering and computer science methods to problems in biology and medicine.

The B.S. degree may be attained either through the Computer Science and Engineering major or through the Computer Science major described below.

In addition to the B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering and the B.S. in Computer Science, HSSEAS offers M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Computer Science, as well as minor fields for graduate students seeking engineering degrees. In cooperation with the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management, the Computer Science Department offers a concurrent degree program that enables students to obtain the M.S. in Computer Science and the M.B.A. (Master of Business Administration).

Department Mission

The Computer Science Department strives for excellence in creating, applying, and imparting knowledge in computer science and engineering through comprehensive educational programs, research in collaboration with industry and government, dissemination through scholarly publications, and service to professional societies, the community, state, and nation.

Computer Science and Engineering Undergraduate Program Objectives

The computer science and engineering undergraduate program educational objectives are that our alumni (1) make valuable technical contributions to design, development, and production in their practice of computer science and computer engineering, in related engineering or application areas, and at the interface of computers and physical systems, (2) demonstrate strong communication skills and the ability to function effectively as part of a team, (3) demonstrate a sense of societal and ethical responsibility in their professional endeavors, and (4) engage in professional development or postgraduate education to pursue flexible career paths amid future technological changes.

Computer Science Undergraduate Program Objectives

The computer science undergraduate program educational objectives are that our alumni (1) make valuable technical contributions to design, development, and production in their practice of computer science and related engineering or application areas, particularly in software systems and algorithmic methods, (2) demonstrate strong communication skills and the ability to function effectively as part of a team, (3) demonstrate a sense of societal and ethical responsibility in their professional endeavors, and (4) engage in professional development or postgraduate education to pursue flexible career paths amid future technological changes.

Undergraduate Study

The Computer Science and Engineering and Computer Science majors are designed capstone majors. Computer Science and Engineering students complete a major product design course, while Computer Science students complete either a software engineering or major product design course. Graduates are expected to apply the basic mathematical and scientific concepts that underlie modern computer science and engineering; design a software or digital hardware system, component, or process to meet desired needs within realistic constraints; function productively with others as part of a team; identify, formulate, and solve computer software- and hardware-related engineering problems; and demonstrate effective communication skills.

Computer Science and Engineering B.S.

Capstone Major

The ABET-accredited computer science and engineering curriculum at UCLA provides the education and training necessary to design, implement, test, and utilize the hardware and software of digital computers and digital systems. The curriculum has components spanning both the Computer Science and Electrical Engineering Departments. Within the curriculum students study all aspects of computer systems from electronic design through logic design, MSI, LSI, and VLSI concepts and device utilization, machine language design, implementation and programming, operating system concepts, systems programming, networking fundamentals, higher-level language skills, and application of these to systems. Students are prepared for employment in a wide spectrum of high-technology industries.

The computer science and engineering curriculum is accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission and the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012, (410) 347-7700.

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A; Computer Science 1, 31, 32, 33, 35L, M15A (or Electrical Engineering M16), Electrical Engineering 1, 2, 10; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B, 61; Physics 1A, 1B, 4A, 4B, 4AL.
ence 152B); and three upper division computer science elective courses (12 units), one of which must be selected from Computer Science 143 or 161 or 174A. The remaining two elective courses must be selected from Computer Science 112, 113, 114, M117 (or Electrical Engineering M117), CM121 (or Chemistry and Biochemistry CM160A), CM122 (or Chemistry and Biochemistry CM160B), CM124 (or Human Genetics CM124), 130, 132, 133, 136, 143, 144, 151C, 161, 170A, M171L (or Electrical Engineering M171L), 174A, 174B, C174C, 183, M184 (or Biomedical Engineering M184 or Computational and Systems Biology M184), CM186 (or Biomedical Engineering CM186 or Computational and Systems Biology M186), CM187 (or Biomedical Engineering CM187 or Computational and Systems Biology M187). Electrical Engineering 103 may be substituted for one elective (credit is not given for both Computer Science 170A and Electrical Engineering 103 unless one of the courses is included in the technical breadth area); 4 units of either Computer Science 194 or 199 may be applied as an elective by petition.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Computer Science B.S.

**Capstone Major**

The computer science curriculum is designed to accommodate students who want professional preparation in computer science but do not necessarily have a strong interest in computer systems hardware. The curriculum consists of components in computer science, a minor or technical support area, and a core of courses from the social sciences, life sciences, and humanities. Within the curriculum, students study subject matter in software engineering, principles of programming languages, data structures, computer architecture, theory of computation and formal languages, operating systems, distributed systems, computer modeling, computer networks, compiler construction, and artificial intelligence. Majors are prepared for employment in a wide range of industrial and business environments.

The computer science curriculum is accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET, 111 Market Place, Suite 1050, Baltimore, MD 21202-4012, (410) 347-7700.

**Preparation for the Major**

*Required:* Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A; Computer Science 1, 31, 32, 33, 35L, M51A (or Electrical Engineering M16); Electrical Engineering 1; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B, 61; Physics 1A, 1B, 4AL, 4BL.

**The Major**

*Required:* Computer Science 111, 118, 131, M151B (or Electrical Engineering M116C), M152A (or Electrical Engineering M116L), 180, 181, Statistics 100A; three science and technology courses (12 units) not used to satisfy other requirements, that may include three upper division computer science courses or three courses selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; one capstone software engineering or design course from Computer Science 130 or 152B, and six upper division computer science elective courses (24 units), two of which must be selected from Computer Science 143, 161, or 174A and one of which must be from 112 or 170A or Electrical Engineering 103 (credit is not given for both Computer Science 170A and Electrical Engineering 103 unless one of the courses is included in the technical breadth area). The remaining three elective courses must be selected from Computer Science 112, 113, 114, M117 (or Electrical Engineering M117), CM121 (or Chemistry and Biochemistry CM160A), CM122 (or Chemistry and Biochemistry CM160B), CM124 (or Human Genetics CM124), 130 (unless taken as a required course), 132, 133, 136, 143, 144, 151C, 152B (unless taken as a required course), 161, 170A, M171L (or Electrical Engineering M171L), 174A, 174B, C174C, 183, M184 (or Biomedical Engineering M184 or Computational and Systems Biology M184), CM186 (or Biomedical Engineering CM186 or Computational and Systems Biology M186), CM187 (or Biomedical Engineering CM187 or Computational and Systems Biology M187). If students have not taken Computer Science 130, one elective course must be 132; 4 units of either Computer Science 194 or 199 may be applied as an elective by petition.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

**Graduate Study**

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24. The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Department of Computer Science offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Computer Science and participates in a concurrent degree program (Computer Science M.S./Management M.B.A.) with the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management.

**Computer Science M.S.**

**Course Requirements**

*Course Requirement.* A total of nine courses is required for the M.S. degree, including a minimum of five graduate courses. No specific courses are required, but a majority of both the total number of formal courses and the total number of graduate courses must consist of courses offered by the Computer Science Department.

**Undergraduate Courses.** No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 199; Computer Science M152A, 152B, 199; Electrical Engineering 100, 101, 102, 103, 110L, M116L, 199; Materials Science and Engineering 110, 120, 130, 131, 131L, 132, 140, 141L, 150, 160, 161L, 199; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 199.

**Breadth Requirement.** M.S. degree students must satisfy the computer science breadth requirement by the end of the third term in graduate residence at UCLA. The requirement is satisfied by mastering the contents of five undergraduate courses or equivalent: Computer Science 180, two courses from 111, 118, and M151B, one course from 130, 131, or 132, and one course from 143, 161, or 174A. A UCLA undergraduate course taken by graduate students cannot be used to satisfy graduate degree requirements if students have already received a grade of B– or better for a course taken elsewhere that covers substantially the same material.

For the M.S. degree, students must also complete at least three terms of Computer Science 201 with grades of Satisfactory. Competence in any or all courses in breadth requirements may be demonstrated in one of three ways:

1. Satisfactory completion of the course at UCLA with a grade of B– or better
2. Satisfactory completion of an equivalent course at another university with a grade of B– or better

3. Satisfactory completion of a final examination in the course at UCLA

**Comprehensive Examination Plan**

In the comprehensive examination plan, at least five of the nine courses must be 200-series courses. The remaining four courses may be either 200-series or upper division courses. No units of 500-series courses may be applied toward the comprehensive examination plan requirements.

**Thesis Plan**

In the thesis plan, seven of the nine courses must be formal courses, including at least four from the 200 series. The remaining two courses may be 598 courses involving work on the thesis.

The thesis is a report on the results of student investigation of a problem in the major field of study under the supervision of the thesis committee, which approves the subject and plan of the thesis and reads and approves the complete manuscript. While the problem may be one of only limited scope, the thesis must exhibit a satisfactory style, organization, and depth of understanding of the subject. Students should normally start to plan the thesis at least one year before the award of the M.S. degree is expected. There is no examination under the thesis plan.

**Computer Science M.S./Management M.B.A.**

The Department of Computer Science and the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management offer a concurrent degree program that enables students to complete the requirements for the M.S. in Computer Science and the M.B.A. (Master of Business Administration) in three academic years. Students should request application materials from both the M.B.A. Admissions Office, John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management, and the Department of Computer Science.

**Computer Science Ph.D.**

**Major Fields or Subdisciplines**

Artificial intelligence; computational systems biology; computer networks; computer science theory; computer system architecture; graphics and vision; information and data management; and software systems.

**Course Requirements**

Normally, students take courses to acquire the knowledge needed to prepare for the written and oral examinations and for conducting Ph.D. research. The basic program of study for the Ph.D. degree is built around the major field requirement and two minor fields. The major field and at least one minor field must be in computer science.

The fundamental examination is common for all Ph.D. candidates in the department and is also known as the written qualifying examination.

To satisfy the major field requirement, students are expected to attain a body of knowledge contained in six courses, as well as the current literature in the area of specialization. In particular, students are required to take a minimum of four graduate courses in the major field of Ph.D. research, selecting these courses in accordance with guidelines specific to the major field. Guidelines for course selection in each major field are available from the departmental Student Affairs Office. Grades of B– or better, with a grade-point average of at least 3.33 in all courses used to satisfy the major field requirement, are required. Students are required to satisfy the major field requirement within the first nine terms after enrolling in the graduate program.

Each minor field normally embraces a body of knowledge equivalent to three courses, at least two of which are graduate courses. Grades of B– or better, with a grade-point average of at least 3.33 in all courses included in the minor field, are required. By petition and administrative approval, a minor field may be satisfied by examination.

**Breadth Requirement**

Ph.D. degree students must satisfy the computer science breadth requirement by the end of the third term in graduate residence at UCLA. The requirement is satisfied by mastering the contents of five undergraduate courses or equivalent: Computer Science 180, two courses from 111, 118, and M151B, one course from 130, 131, or 132, and one course from 143, 161, or 174A. A UCLA undergraduate course taken by graduate students cannot be used to satisfy graduate degree requirements if students have already received a grade of B– or better for a course taken elsewhere that covers substantially the same material.

For the Ph.D. degree, students must also complete at least three terms of Computer Science 201 with grades of Satisfactory (in addition to the three terms of 201 that may have been completed for the M.S. degree).

**Written and Oral Qualifying Examinations**

The written qualifying examination consists of a high-quality paper, solely authored by the student. The paper can be either a research paper containing an original contribution or a focused critical survey paper. The paper should demonstrate that the stu-
dent understands and can integrate and communicate ideas clearly and concisely. It should be approximately 10 pages single-spaced, and the style should be suitable for submission to a first-rate technical conference or journal. The paper must represent work that the student did as a graduate student at UCLA. Any contributions that are not the student's own, including those of the student's adviser, must be explicitly acknowledged in detail. Prior to submission, the paper must be reviewed by the student's adviser on a cover page with the adviser's signature indicating review. After submission, the paper must be reviewed and approved by at least two other members of the faculty. There are two deadlines a year for submission of papers.

After passing the preliminary examination and coursework for the major and minor fields, the student should form a doctoral committee and prepare to take the University Oral Qualifying Examination. A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, must hold appointments in the Computer Science Department at UCLA. The remaining member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Computer Science Department. The nature and content of the oral qualifying examination are at the discretion of the doctoral committee but ordinarily include a broad inquiry into the student's preparation for research. The doctoral committee also reviews the prospectus of the dissertation at the oral qualifying examination.

Fields of Study

Artificial Intelligence

Artificial intelligence (AI) is the study of intelligent behavior. While other fields such as philosophy, psychology, neuroscience, and linguistics are also concerned with the study of intelligence, the distinguishing feature of AI is that it deals primarily with information processing models. Thus the central scientific question of artificial intelligence is how intelligent behavior can be reduced to information processing. Since even the simplest computer is a completely general information processing device, the test of whether some behavior can be explained by information processing mechanisms is whether a computer can be programmed to produce the same behavior. Just as human intelligence involves gathering sensory input and producing physical action in the world, in addition to purely mental activity, the computer for AI purposes is extended to include sense organs such as cameras and microphones, and output devices such as wheels, robotic arms, and speakers.

The predominant research paradigm in artificial intelligence is to select some behavior that seems to require intelligence on the part of humans, to theorize about how the behavior might be accounted for, and to implement the theory in a computer program to produce the same behavior. If successful, such an experiment lends support to the claim that the selected behavior is reducible to information processing terms, and may suggest the program's architecture as a candidate explanation of the corresponding human process.

The UCLA Computer Science Department has active research in the following major subfields of artificial intelligence:

1. **Problem Solving.** Analysis of tasks, such as playing chess or proving theorems, that require reasoning about relatively long sequences of primitive actions, deductions, or inferences

2. **Knowledge representation and qualitative reasoning.** Analysis of tasks such as commonsense reasoning and qualitative physics. Here the deductive chains are short, but the amount of knowledge that potentially may be brought to bear is very large.

3. **Expert systems.** Study of large amounts of specialized or highly technical knowledge that is often probabilistic in nature. Typical domains include medical diagnosis and engineering design.

4. **Natural language processing.** Symbolic, statistical, and artificial neural network approaches to text comprehension and generation.

5. **Computer vision.** Processing of images, as from a TV camera, to infer spatial properties of the objects in the scene (three-dimensional shape), their dynamics (motion), their photometry (material and light), and their identity (recognition).

6. **Robotics.** Translation of a high-level command, such as picking up a particular object, into a sequence of low-level control signals that might move the joints of a robotic arm/hand combination to accomplish the task; often this involves using a computer vision system to locate objects and provide feedback.

7. **Machine learning.** Study of the means by which a computer can automatically improve its performance on a task by acquiring knowledge about the domain.

8. **Parallel architecture.** Design and programming of a machine with thousands or even millions of simple processing elements to produce intelligent behavior; the human brain is an example of such a machine.

**Computational Systems Biology**

The computational systems biology (CSB) field can be selected as a major or minor field for the Ph.D. or as a specialization area for the M.S. degree in Computer Science. Graduate studies and research in the CSB field are focused on computational modeling and analysis of biological systems and biological data.

Core coursework is concerned with the methods and tools development for computational, algorithmic, and dynamic systems network modeling of biological systems at molecular, cellular, organ, whole organism, or population levels—and leveraging them in biosystem and bioinformatics applications. Methodological studies include bioinformatics and systems biology modeling, with focus on genomics, proteomics, metabolomics, and higher levels of biological/physiological organization, as well as multi-scale approaches integrating the parts.

Typical research areas with a systems focus include molecular and cellular systems biology, organ systems physiology, medical, pharmacological, pharmacokinetic (PK), pharmacodynamic (PD), toxicokinetic (TK), physiologically based PBPK-PD, PBTK, and pharmacogenomic system studies; neurosystems, imaging and remote sensing systems, robotics, learning and knowledge-based systems, visualization, and virtual clinical environments. Typical research areas with a bioinformatics focus include development of computational methods for analysis of high-throughput molecular data, including genomic sequences, gene expression data, protein-protein interaction, and genetic variation. These computational methods leverage techniques from both statistics and algorithms.

**Computer Networks**

The computer networks field involves the study of computer networks of different types, in different media (wired, wireless), and for different applications. Besides the study of network architectures and protocols, this field also emphasizes distributed algorithms, distributed systems, and the ability to evaluate system performance at various levels of granularity (but principally at the systems level). In order to understand and predict systems behavior, mathematical models are pursued that lead to the evaluation of system throughput, response time, utilization of devices, flow of jobs and messages, bottlenecks, speedup, power, etc. In addition, students are taught to design and implement computer networks using formal design methodologies subject to appropriate cost and objective functions. The tools required to carry out this design include probability theory, queueing theory,
distributed systems theory, mathematical programming, control theory, operating systems design, simulation methods, measurement tools, and heuristic design procedures. The outcome of these studies provides the following:

1. An appropriate model of the computer system under study
2. An adequate (exact or approximate) analysis of the behavior of the model
3. The validation of the model as compared to simulation and/or measurement of the system
4. Interpretation of the analytical results in order to obtain behavioral patterns and key parameters of the system
5. Design methodology

**Resource Allocation**

A central problem in the design and evaluation of computer networks deals with the allocation of resources among competing demands (e.g., wireless channel bandwidth allocation to backlogged stations). In fact, resource allocation is a significant element in most of the technical (and nontechnical) problems we face today.

Most of our resource allocation problems arise from the unpredictability of the demand for the use of these resources, as well as from the fact that the resources are geographically distributed (as in computer networks). The computer networks field encounters such resource allocation problems in many forms and in many different computer system configurations. Our goal is to find allocation schemes that permit suitable concurrency in the use of devices (resources) so as to achieve efficiency and equitable allocation. A very popular approach in distributed systems is allocation on demand, as opposed to prescheduled allocation. On-demand allocation is found to be effective, since it takes advantage of statistical averaging effects. It comes in many forms in computer networks and is known by names such as asynchronous time division multiplexing, packet switching, frame relay, random access, and so forth.

**Computer Science Theory**

Computer science is in large measure concerned with information processing systems, their applications, and the corresponding problems of representation, transformation, and communication. The computer science fields are concerned with different aspects of such systems, and each has its own theoretical component with appropriate models for description and analysis, algorithms for solving the related problems, and mathematical tools. Thus in a certain sense computer science theory involves all of computer science and participates in all disciplines.

The term theoretical computer science has come to be applied nationally and intentionally to a certain body of knowledge emphasizing the intertwining themes of computability and algorithms, interpreted in the broadest sense. Under computability, one includes questions concerning which tasks can and cannot be performed by information systems of different types restricted in various ways, as well as the mathematical analysis of such systems, their computations, and the languages for communication with them. Under algorithms, one includes questions concerning (1) how a task can be performed efficiently under reasonable assumptions on available resources (e.g., time, storage, type of processor), (2) how efficiently a proposed system performs a task in terms of resources used, and (3) the limits on how efficiently a task can be performed. These questions are often addressed by first developing models of the relevant parts of an information processing system (e.g., the processors, their interconnections, their rules of operation, the means by which instructions are conveyed to the system, or the way the data is handled) or of the input/output behavior of the system as a whole. The properties of such models are studied both for their own interest and as tools for understanding the system and improving its performance or applications.

**Computer System Architecture**

Computer system architecture deals with the design, implementation, and evaluation of computer systems and their building blocks. It deals with general-purpose systems as well as embedded special-purpose systems. The field also encompasses the development of tools to enable system designers to describe, model, fabricate, and test highly complex computer systems.

Computer systems are implemented as a combination of hardware and software. Hence, research in the field of computer architecture often involves both hardware and software issues. The requirements of application software and operating systems, together with the capabilities of compilers, play a critical role in determining the features implemented in hardware. At the same time, the computer architect must also take into account the capabilities and limitations of the underlying implementation technology as well as of the design tools.

The goal of research in computer architecture is to develop building blocks, system organizations, design techniques, and design tools that lead to improved performance and reliability as well as reduced power consumption and cost.

Corresponding to the richness and diversity of computer systems architecture research at UCLA, a comprehensive set of courses is offered in the areas of advanced processor architecture, arithmetic processor systems, parallel and distributed architectures, fault-tolerant systems, reconfigurable systems, embedded systems, and computer-aided design of VLSI circuits and systems.

1. **Novel architectures** encompass the study of computations that are performed in ways that are quite different than those used by conventional machines. Examples include various domain-specific architectures characterized by high computational rates, low power, and reconfigurable hardware implementations.

2. The study of **high-performance processing algorithms** deals with algorithms for very high-performance numerical processing. Techniques such as redundant-digit representations of number systems, fast arithmetic, and the use of highly parallel arrays of processing elements are studied with the goal of providing the extremely high processing speeds required in a number of upcoming computer applications.

3. The study of **computational algorithms and structures** deals with the relationship between computational algorithms and the physical structures that can be employed to carry them out. It includes the study of interconnection networks, and the way that algorithms can be formulated for efficient implementation where regularity of structure and simplicity of interconnections are required.

4. **Computer-aided design of VLSI circuits and systems** is an active research area that develops techniques for the automated synthesis and analysis of large-scale systems. Topics include high-level and logic-level synthesis, technology mapping, physical design, interconnect modeling, and optimization of various VLSI technologies such as full-custom designs, standard cells, programmable logic devices (PLDs), multichip modules (MCMs), system-on-a-chip (SaCs), net-
work-on-a-chip (NoC), system-in-a-package (SiPs), and design for nanotechnologies.

5. **VLSI architectures and implementation** is an area of current interest and collaboration between the Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Departments that addresses the impact of large-scale integration on the issues of computer architecture. Application of these systems in medicine and healthcare, multimedia, and finance is being studied in collaboration with other schools on campus.

**Graphics and Vision**


**Information and Data Management**

The information and data management field focuses on basic problems of modeling and managing data and knowledge, and their relation with other fundamental areas of computer science, such as operating systems and networking, programming languages, and human-computer interface design.

A data management system embodies a collection of data, devices in which the data are stored, and logic or programs used to manipulate that data. Information management is a generalization of data management in which the data being stored are permitted to be arbitrarily complex data structures, such as rules and trees. In addition, information management goes beyond simple data manipulation and query and includes inference mechanisms, explanation facilities, and support for distributed and web-based access.

The need for rapid, accurate information is pervasive in all aspects of modern life. Modern systems are based on the coordination and integration of multiple levels of data representation, from characteristics of storage devices to conceptual and abstract levels. As human enterprises have become more complex, involving more complicated decisions and trade-offs among decisions, the need for sophisticated information and data management has become essential.

**Software Systems**

The programming languages and systems field is concerned with the study of theory and practice in the development of software systems. Well-engineered systems require appreciation of both principles and architectural trade-offs. Principles provide abstractions and rigor that lead to clean designs, while systems-level understanding is essential for effective design.

Principles here encompass the use of programming systems to achieve specified goals, the identification of useful programming abstractions or paradigms, the development of comprehensive models of software systems, and so forth. The thrust is to identify and clarify concepts that apply in many programming contexts.

Development of software systems requires an understanding of many methodological and architectural issues. The complex systems developed today rely on concepts and lessons that have been extracted from years of research on programming languages, operating systems, database systems, knowledge-based systems, real-time systems, and distributed and parallel systems.

**Facilities**

Departmental laboratory facilities for instruction and research include:

- **Artificial Intelligence Laboratories**

  **Artificial Intelligence Laboratory**
  The Artificial Intelligence Laboratory is used for investigating knowledge representation systems, pattern recognition, expert systems, intelligent user agents, planning, problem solving, heuristic search, and related areas.

- **Cognitive Systems Laboratory**
  The Cognitive Systems Laboratory is used for studying systems that emulate human cognition, especially learning, planning, and reasoning under uncertainty. Topics include causal reasoning, knowledge discovery, knowledge compilation, physical systems diagnosis, and automated explanation. See http://singapore.cs.ucla.edu.

- **Collaborative Design Laboratory**
  The Collaborative Design Laboratory is used for investigating methods for effective computer support of small teams involved in design and research.

- **Computational Systems Biology Laboratories**

  **Biocybernetics Laboratory**
  The Biocybernetics Laboratory emphasizes integrative, interdisciplinary computational biology and experimentation in life sciences, medicine, physiology, and pharmacology. Laboratory pedagogy involves development and exploitation of the synergistic and methodologic interface between modeling and laboratory data and experimentation, and integrated approaches for solving complex biosystem problems from sparse biodata. See http://biocyb.cs.ucla.edu.

**Biomedical Engineering Laboratory**

The Biomedical Engineering Laboratory was established jointly by HSSEAS and the School of Medicine to support courses and research projects in health care information systems, covering issues in user requirements specifications, image data processing and retrieval, feature abstraction, simulation and analysis, visualization, and systems integration.

**Computational Cardiology Laboratory**

The Computational Cardiology Laboratory is a computational laboratory for mathematical modeling and computer simulation of cardiac systems in normal and pathological conditions. The goals of laboratory researchers are twofold: to find the mechanism of heart fibrillation, the main cause of sudden cardiac death; and to improve the efficiency of computer simulation by using parallel computer architecture with specially-developed numerical algorithms. All research is carried out in collaboration with the UCLA Cardiology Department.

**Human/Computer Interface Laboratory**

The Human/Computer Interface Laboratory focuses on the use of cognitive science concepts to design more reliable user-friendly interfaces with computer and communication systems and the modeling and visualization of scientific data. See http://www.cs.ucla.edu/hcip/.

**Computer Graphics and Vision Laboratories**

**Center for Image and Vision Science (CIVS)**

The Center for Image and Vision Science supports interdisciplinary research between the departments of Statistics and Computer Science in various aspects of visual modeling and inference. See http://civs.stat.ucla.edu/research.html.

**W. M. Keck Laboratory for Computer Vision**

The laboratory, sponsored by a grant from the W. M. Keck Foundation, hosts a variety of high-end equipment for vision research including a full 360-degree light dome, 3-D laser scanners, cameras, lights, lenses, mobile robots, and virtual reality setup to support vision research in the departments of Statistics, Computer Science, Psychology, and Neuroscience.

**MAGIX: Modeling Animation and Graphics Laboratory**

The MAGIX: Modeling Animation and Graphics Laboratory is used for research on computer graphics, especially targeted towards the video game and motion picture...
industries, with emphasis on geometric, physics-based, and artificial life modeling and animation, including motion capture techniques, biomechanical simulation, behavioral animation, and graphics applications of machine learning, AI, and robotics. See http://www.magix.ucla.edu.

UCLA Collective on Vision and Image Sciences

UCLA Vision Laboratory
The UCLA Vision Laboratory is used for computer vision research, in particular the processing of sensory models of the environment in order for machines to interact with it. Applications include shape analysis, visual motion analysis, visual recognition, 3-D reconstruction, and vision-based control (for instance, autonomous vehicle navigation). See http://vision.ucla.edu.

Computer Networks Laboratories
CENS Systems Laboratory
The CENS Systems Laboratory is used for research on the architectural challenges posed by massively distributed, large-scale, physically coupled, and usually untethered and small-form-factor computing systems. Through prototype implementations and simulation, such issues as data diffusion protocols, localization, time synchronization, low-power wireless communications, and self-configuration are explored. See http://lecs.cs.ucla.edu.

Computer Communications Laboratory
The Computer Communications Laboratory is used for investigating local-area networks, packet-switching networks, and packet-radio networks.

High-Performance Internet Laboratory
The High-Performance Internet Laboratory is used for investigating high-performance quality of service (QoS) techniques in the Internet, including QoS routing in Internet domains, QoS fault-tolerant multicast, TCP congestion control, and gigabit network measurements. See http://www.cs.ucla.edu/NRL/hpl/.

Internet Research Laboratory
The Internet Research Laboratory (IRL) is used for exploring the forefront of current Internet architecture and protocol development, including quantifying the dynamics in large-scale networks and securing large-scale systems such as the Internet routing infrastructure and Domain Name System (DNS). See http://irl.cs.ucla.edu.

Network Research Laboratory
The Network Research Laboratory is used for investigating wireless local-area networks (with specific interest in ad-hoc networks, vehicular networks, and personal-area networks) and the interaction between wired and wireless network layers, middleware, and applications. Activities include protocol development, protocol analysis and simulation, and wireless TestBed experiments. See http://www.cs.ucla.edu/NRL/wireless/.

Computer Science Theory Laboratories
Center for Information and Computation Security (CICS)
The Center for Information and Computation Security (CICS) promotes all aspects of research and education in cryptography and computer security. See http://www.cs.ucla.edu/security/.

Theory Laboratory
The Theory Laboratory is used for developing theoretical foundations for all areas of computer science. Activities include fundamental research into algorithms, computational complexity, distributed computing, cryptography, hardware and software security, quantum computing, biological computing, machine learning, and computational geometry.

Computer Systems Architecture Laboratories
Concurrent Systems Laboratory
The Concurrent Systems Laboratory is used for investigating the design, implementation, and evaluation of computer systems that use state-of-the-art technology to achieve high performance and high reliability. Projects involve both software and hardware, and often focus on parallel and distributed systems in the context of general-purpose as well as embedded applications. See http://www.cs.ucla.edu/csd/research/labs/csl/.

Digital Arithmetic and Reconfigurable Architecture Laboratory
The Digital Arithmetic and Reconfigurable Architecture Laboratory is used for fast digital arithmetic (theory, algorithms, and design) and numerically intensive computing on reconfigurable hardware. Research includes floating-point arithmetic, online arithmetic, application-specific architectures, and design tools. See http://arith.cs.ucla.edu

Embedded and Reconfigurable System Design Laboratory
The Embedded and Reconfigurable System Design Laboratory is used for studying reconfigurable cores in embedded systems that provide the required adaptability and reconfigurability, and the design and CAD aspects of low-power embedded systems. See http://er.cs.ucla.edu.

VLSI CAD Laboratory
The VLSI CAD Laboratory is used for computer-aided design of VLSI circuits and systems. Areas include high-level and logic-level synthesis, technology mapping, physical design, interconnect modeling and optimization of various VLSI technologies such as full-custom designs, standard cells, programmable logic devices (PLDs), multichip modules (MCMs), system-on-a-chip (SOCs), system-in-a-package (SiPs), and design for nanotechnologies. See http://cadlab.cs.ucla.edu.

Information and Data Management Laboratories
Data Mining Laboratory
The Data Mining Laboratory is used for extraction of patterns, anomalies, concepts, classification rules, and other forms of high-level relationships that are latent in large commercial and scientific databases. See http://dml.cs.ucla.edu/main.html.

Knowledge-Based Multimedia Medical Distributed Database Systems Laboratory
The Knowledge-Based Multimedia Medical Distributed Database Systems Laboratory is used for developing new methodologies to access multimedia (numeric, text, image/picture) data by content and feature rather than by artificial keys such as patient ID. See http://www.kmed.cs.ucla.edu.

Multimedia Stream System Laboratory
The Multimedia Stream System Laboratory is used for investigation and development of stream-based data model constructs and the corresponding querying facilities in response to the growing requirements of advanced multimedia database applications. See http://www.mmss.cs.ucla.edu.

Multimedia Systems Laboratory
The Multimedia Systems Laboratory is used for research on all aspects of multimedia: physical and logical modeling of multimedia objects, real-time delivery of continuous multimedia, operating systems and networking issues in multimedia systems, and development of multimedia courseware. See http://www.mmsl.cs.ucla.edu.
UCLA Web Information Systems Laboratory
The UCLA Web Information Systems Laboratory is used for investigating Web-based information systems. The laboratory seeks to develop the enabling technology for such systems by integrating the Web with database systems. Current projects focus on the preservation and warehousing of XML and database information to support temporal queries on historical archives, and data systems management tools to support advanced queries and data mining applications on the massive streams of information that are continuously flowing through the Web. See http://wis.cs.ucla.edu.

Software Systems Laboratories

Compilers Laboratory
The Compilers Laboratory is used for research into compilers, embedded systems, and programming languages.

Distributed Simulation Laboratory
The Distributed Simulation Laboratory is used for research on operating system support and applications and utilization of special architectures such as the Intel Hypercube.

Laboratory for Advanced System Research
The Laboratory for Advanced System Research is used for developing advanced operating systems, distributed systems, and middleware and conducting research in systems security.

Parallel Computing Laboratory
The Parallel Computing Laboratory is used for research in scalable simulation, providing an efficient lightweight simulation language, as well as tools for large-scale parallel simulation on modern supercomputers. See http://pcl.cs.ucla.edu.

Software Systems Laboratory
The Software Systems Laboratory is used for research into the design, implementation, and evaluation of operating systems, networked systems, programming languages, and software engineering tools.

Some of these research laboratories also provide support for upper division and/or graduate courses.

Computing Resources
In summarizing the resources now available to conduct experimentally based research in the UCLA Computer Science Department, it is useful to identify the major components of the research environment: the departmental computing facility, other hardware and software systems, administrative structure, and technical support staff.

Hardware
Computing facilities range from large campus-operated supercomputers to a major local network of servers and workstations that are administered by the department computing facilities (DCF) or school network (SEASNet).

The departmental research network includes Sun servers and shared workstations, on the school’s own ethernet TCP/IP local network. A wide variety of peripheral equipment is also part of the facility, and many research-group workstations share the network; the total number of machines exceeds 700, the majority running the Linux operating system. The network consists of switched 10/100/1000 ethernet to the desktop with a gigabit backbone connection. The department LAN is connected to the campus gigabit backbone. An 802.11g wireless network is also available to faculty, staff, and graduate students.

Administrative Structure
The central facilities and wide-area networking are operated by the campuswide Communications Technology Services. Access to the departmental and SEASNets machines is controlled so as to maximize the usefulness of these computers for education and research, but no direct charges are involved.

Technical Support Staff
The support staff consists of hardware and software specialists. The hardware laboratory supports network connections, configures routers, switches, and network monitoring tools. The software group administers the department UNIX servers, providing storage space and backup for department users.

Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance

Professors
Alfonso F. Cardenas, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1969)
- Database management, distributed heterogeneous and multimedia (text, image/picture, video, voice) systems, information systems planning and development methodologies, software engineering, medical informatics, legal and intellectual property issues

Tony F.C. Chan, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1978)
- Image processing and computer vision, multi-level techniques for VLSI physical design, computational techniques for brain mapping

Jason (Jingshen) Cong, Ph.D. (Illinois, 1990)
- Computer-aided design of VLSI circuits, fault-tolerant design of VLSI systems, design and analysis of algorithms, computer architecture, reconfigurable computing, design for nano-technologies

Adrian Y. Darwiche, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1993)
- Knowledge representation and automated reasoning (symbolic and probabilistic), applications to diagnosis, prediction, planning, and verification

* Joseph J. DiStefano III, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1966)
- Biocybernetics; computational systems biology; dynamic biosystems modeling, simulation, clinical therapy and experimental design optimization methodologies, pharmacokinetic (PK), pharmacodynamics (PD), and physiologically-based PK (PKPD) modeling; knowledge-based (expert) systems for life science research

Michael G. Dyer, Ph.D. (Yale, 1982)
- Artificial intelligence; natural language processing; connectionist, cognitive, and animat-based modeling

Milos D. Ercegovac, Ph.D. (Illinois, 1975)
- Application-specific architectures, digital computer arithmetic, digital design, low-power systems, reconfigurable systems

Deborah L. Estrin, Ph.D. (MIT, 1986)
- Sensor networks, embedded network sensing, environmental monitoring, computer networks

Elizer M. Gaftin, Ph.D. (MIT, 1982)
- Computer communication networks, mathematical programming algorithms

Mario Gerla, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1973)
- Wireless ad-hoc networks: MAC, routing and transport protocols, vehicular communications, peer-to-peer mobile networks, personal-area networks (Bluetooth and Zigbee), underwater sensor networks, Internet transport protocols (TCP, streaming), Internet path characterization, capacity and bandwidth estimates, analytic and simulation models for network and protocol performance evaluation

- Problem solving, heuristic search, planning in artificial intelligence

Songwu Lu, Ph.D. (Illinois, 1999)
- Integrated-service support over heterogeneous networks, e.g. mobile computing environments, Internet and ActiveNet: networking and computing, wireless communications and networks, computer communication networks, dynamic game theory, dynamic systems, neural networks, and information economics

Rupak Majumdar, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 2003)
- Computer-aided verification of hardware and software systems; logic and automata theory; embedded, hybrid, and probabilistic systems

Stanley J. Osher, Ph.D. (NYU, 1966)
- Scientific computing and applied mathematics

Rafail Ostrovsky, Ph.D. (MIT, 1992)
- Theoretical computer science algorithms, cryptography, complexity theory, randomization, network protocols, geometric algorithms, data mining

Jens Palisberg, Ph.D. (Aarhus U., Denmark, 1992)
- Compilers, embedded systems, programming languages

D. Stott Parker, Jr., Ph.D. (Illinois, 1978)
- Data mining, information modeling, scientific computing, bioinformatics, databases and knowledge-based systems

Miodrag Potkonjak, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1991)
- Computer-aided analysis and synthesis of system level designs, behavioral synthesis, and interaction between high-performance application-specific computations and communications

Majid Sarrafzadeh, Ph.D. (Illinois, 1987)
- Computer engineering, embedded systems, VLSI CAD, algorithms

* Also Professor of Medicine
† Also Professor of Mathematics
Lecturers S.O.E.
Paul R. Eggert, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1980)
Programming languages, operating systems principles, compiler design.
David A. Smallberg, M.S. (UCLA, 1998)
Programming languages, software development.

Adjunct Professors
Alan Kay, Ph.D. (Utah, 1969)
Object-oriented programming, personal computing, graphical user interfaces.
Boris Kogan, Ph.D. (Moscow, Russia, 1962)
Mathematical modeling and computer simulation (using parallel supercomputers) of dynamical processes in biologically relevant systems, particularly mechanisms of heart arrhythmias, fibrillation and defibrillation.
Peter L. Reifer, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1987)
Computer and network security; ubiquitous computing; file systems; distributed systems.
M. Yahya Sanadidi, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1982)
Computer networking, path characteristics estimation and applications in flow control, adaptive streaming and overlays design, probability models of computing systems, algorithms and networks.

Lower Division Courses
1. Freshman Computer Science Seminar. (1) Seminar, one hour; discussion, one hour. Introduction to department resources and principal topics and key ideas in computer science and computer engineering. Assignments given to bolster independent study and writing skills. Letter grading. Mr. Cong (F)

2. Great Ideas in Computer Science. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Broad coverage for liberal arts and social sciences students of computer science theory, technology, and implications, including artificial and neural machine intelligence, computability limits, virtual reality, cellular automata, artificial life, programming languages survey, and philosophical and societal implications. P/NP or letter grading. Mr. Dyer (F, W, Sp)

19. Fiat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of and critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many paths of discovery at UCLA. P/NP grading.

31. Introduction to Computer Science I. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Introduction to computer science via theory, applications, and programming. Basic data types, operators and control structures. Input/output, proce dural and data abstraction. Introduction to object-oriented software development. Functions, recursion, arrays, strings, pointers. Abstract data types, object-oriented programming. Examples and exercises from computer science theory and applications. Letter grading. Mr. Palsberg, Mr. Smallberg (F, W, Sp)


33. Introduction to Computer Organization. (5) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, nine hours. Introduction to computer architecture, assembly language, and operating systems fundamentals. Number systems, machine language, and assembly language. Procedure, instruction, register, and trap units. Assemblers, linkers, and loaders. Operating systems concepts: processes and process manage.
Upper Division Courses


Mr. Eggert, Mr. Kohler (W,Sp)

112. Computer System Modeling Fundamentals. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: Statistics 100A. De- signed for juniors/seniors. Probability and stochastic process models as applied in computer science. Basic stochastic process models including random variables, conditional probability, expectation and higher moments, Bayes theorem, Markov chains. Applications include probabilistic algorithms, evidential reasoning, analysis of algorithms and data structures, reliability, communication protocols and queuing models. Letter grading.

Mr. Gerla, Mr. Munzt (Sp)

113. Introduction to Distributed Embedded Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: courses 111, 118. Introduction to basic concepts needed to understand, design, and implement wireless distributed embedded systems. Topics include design implications of energy delays, resource-constrained nodes, network self-configuration and adaptation, localization and time synchronization, applications, and usage issues such as human interfaces, safety, and security. Heavily project based. Letter grading.

Ms. Estrin

114. Peer-to-Peer Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Recommended requisites: courses 32, 118. Optional: courses 111, 218. Fundamental concepts on peer-to-peer networks, such as distributed hash-tables, routing, serving, querying, and resource discovery. Introduction to key aspects of peer selection metrics and illustration of common optimization techniques. Network delay (i.e., Hands-on approach to guide students to development and testing of actual experimental system on PlanetLab. Letter grading.

Mr. Gerla (W) M117. Computer Networks: Physical Layer. (4) Same as Electrical Engineering M212A. Lecture, four hours; discussion, four hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Introduction to mesh-based and tree-based topologies for live streaming, with emphasis on key aspects of peer selection metrics and illustration of common optimization techniques. Network delay (i.e., Hands-on approach to guide students to development and testing of actual experimental system on PlanetLab. Letter grading.

Mr. Gerla (Sp) CM121. Introduction to Bioinformatics. (4) (Same as Chemistry CM160A.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour. Enforced requisites: course 180 or Program in Computing 60 with grade of C- or better, and Biostatistics 100A or 110A or Mathematics 170A or Statistics 101A or 110A. Introduction to bioinformatics and methodologies, with emphasis on concepts and inventing new bioinformatics methods. Focus on sequence analysis and alignment algorithms. Concurrently scheduled with course CM221. P/NP or letter grading.

Mr. Eskin (Sp) CM122. Algorithms in Bioinformatics and Systems Biology. (4) (Same as Chemistry CM160B.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours. Enforced requisite: course 121 or Chemistry 160A with grade of C- or better. Recommended: Computer Science 32 or Program in Computing 60 or Statistics 101A, 110A. Development and application of computational approaches to biological questions. Understanding of mechanisms for determining statistical significance of computationally derived results. Development of foundation for innovative work in bioinformatics and systems biology. Concurrently scheduled with course CM222. Letter grading.

Mr. Eskin (Not offered 2011-12) CM124. Computational Genetics. (4) (Same as Human Genetics CM124.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course 32 or Program in Computing 10C with grade of C- or better, or Biology 10A or 110A or Mathematics 170A or Statistics 101A or 110A. Designed for engineering students as well as students from biological sciences and medical school. Introduction to computational analysis of genetic variation and computational interdisciplinary research in genetics. Topics include introduction to genetics, identification of genes involved in disease, inferring human population history, technologies for obtaining genetic information, and genetic sequencing. Focus on formulating interdisciplinary problems as computational problems and then solving those problems using computational techniques and computer science. Concurrently scheduled with course CM224. Letter grading.

Mr. Eskin (Sp) 130. Software Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 32, 33, 35L. Recommended: Engineering 183EW or 185EW. Structured programming, program specification, program proving, modularity, abstract data types, composite design, software tools, software control systems, program testing, team programming. Letter grading.

Mr. Eggert, Mr. Majumdar (Sp)

131. Programming Languages. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 32, 33, 35L. Basic concepts in design and use of programming languages, including abstraction, modularity, control mechanisms, types, expressions, syntax, and semantics. Logical analysis of several different language paradigms, including functional, object-oriented, and logic programming. Letter grading.

Mr. Eggert, Mr. Millstein (F,Sp)

132. Compiler Construction. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 111, 118. Introduction to compiler construction. Interpreters and Virtual Machines; Lexicographic Scanning and Parsing; Machine code generation; Introduction to register binding; Basic optimization techniques; Structured programming. Letter grading.

Mr. Cong

136. Introduction to Computer Security. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 111, 118. Introduction to basic concepts of information security necessary for students to understand risks and mitigations associated with protection of systems and data. Topics include security models and architectures, security threats and risk analysis, authentication/authorization, cryptography, network security, secure application design, and ethics and law. Letter grading.

Mr. Eggert, Mr. Reiher (F)


Mr. Cao, Mr. Malinowski (W,Sp)

144. Web Applications. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisite: course 143. Important concepts and theory for building effective and safe Web applications and first-hand experience with basic tools. Topics include basic Web architecture and protocol, HTML and XML, web query languages, mapping between XML and relational models, information retrieval model and theory, secure gateway and user model. With Eggert, Mr. Paladino (F)

M151B. Computer Systems Architecture. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M116C.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 111, 122, or Electrical Engineering M151B. Recommended: courses 111, and M152A or Electrical Engineering M116L. Computer system organization and design, implementa- tion of computer architecture, basic microarchitecture, hardware design, memory hierarchy (caches, main memory, virtual memory) organization and management, input/output subsystems (bus structures, interrupts, DMA), performance evaluation, and program optimization. Letter grading.

Mr. Reinman, Mr. Tamir (W,Sp)

151C. Design of Digital Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses M51A, M151B, M152A. Design of complex digital systems using hierarchical approaches and regular structures. Combinational,
161. Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course M51A or Electrical Engineering M16. Hands-on design, implementation, and debugging of digital logic circuitry. Computer-aided design tools for schematic capture and simulation, implementation of complex circuits using programmed array logic, design projects. Letter grading. Mr. Sarrafzadeh (F,Sp)

152B. Digital Design Project Laboratory. (4) Laboratory, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course M151B or Electrical Engineering M116C. Design and implementation of complex digital subsystems using field-programmable gate arrays (e.g., processors, special-purpose processors, device controllers, and input/output interfaces). Students work in teams to develop and implement designs and to document and give oral presentations of their work. Letter grading. Mr. Sarrafzadeh (F,Sp)

161. Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course M51A or Electrical Engineering M116C. Design and implementation of complex digital subsystems using field-programmable gate arrays (e.g., processors, special-purpose processors, device controllers, and input/output interfaces). Students work in teams to develop and implement designs and to document and give oral presentations of their work. Letter grading. Mr. Sarrafzadeh (F,Sp)

174B. Introduction to Computer Graphics: Three-Dimensional Scene Generation. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 174A. State of art in three-dimensional photography and image-based rendering. How to use cameras and light to capture shape and appearance of real objects and scenes. Process provides simple way to acquire three-dimen- sional models of unparalled detail and realism. Ap- plications of techniques in rendering (reverse engineering and postprocessing of movies, genera- tion of realistic synthetic objects and characters) to medicine (modeling of biological structures from im- aging data), mixed reality (augmentation of video), and security (identity verification). Fundamental ana- lytical tools for modeling and inferring geometric (shape) and photometric (reflection, illumination) properties of objects and scenes, and for rendering and manipulating scenes. Mr. Faloutsos, Mr. Soatto (Not offered 2011-12)

C174C. Computer Animation. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 174A. Designed for seniors/ juniors. Introduction to computer animation, includ- ing basic principles of character modeling, forward and inverse kinematics, forward and inverse dynamics, motion capture animation techniques, physical-based animation for character movement and motion control. Concurrently scheduled with course 274C. Letter grading. Mr. Faloutsos (W, alternate years)

180. Introduction to Algorithms and Complexity. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 32 and 61 or 180. Designed for junior/senior Computer Science majors. Introduction to design and analysis of algorithms. Design techniques: divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming; selection of prototypical algorithms; choice of data structures and representations; complexity mea- sures: time, space, upper, lower bounds, asymptotic complexity; NP-completeness. Mr. Gafni, Mr. Meyerzon (FW)

181. Introduction to Formal Languages and Au- tomat Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course 32, and Mathematics 61 or 180. Designed for junior/senior Computer Science majors. Grammars, automata, and languages. Finite-state languages and finite-state automata. Context-free languages and pushdown automata. Minimalizing regular sys- tems, recursively enumerable and recursive languages, and Turing machines. Closure properties, pump- ing lemmas, and decision algorithms. Introduction to computability. Letter grading. Mr. Gurfinkel, Mr. Rozenberg (FW)

M171L. Data Communication Systems Laboratory. (2 to 4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M171L) Laboratory, four to eight hours; outside study, two to four hours. Basic preparation for course M152A. Limited to seniors. Interpretation of analog-signaling aspects of digital systems and data communica- tions through experience in using contemporary test instruments to generate and display signals in relevant laboratory setups. Use of oscilloscopes, pulse and function generators, baseband spectrum analyzers, desktop computers, terminals, modems, PCs, and workstations in experiments on pulse trans- mission impacts, waveforms and their spectra, modern and terminal characteristics, and interfaces. Letter grading. Mr. Parker (Not offered 2011-12)

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174A. Introduction to Computer Graphics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 32. Basic principles be- hind modern two- and three-dimensional com- puter graphics systems, including complete set of steps that modern graphics pipelines (e.g., CM116B) need to create realistic images in real time. How to position and ma- nipulate objects in scene using geometric and cam- era transformations. How to create final image using perspective. Basics on modeling primitives such as polygonal models and implicit and parametric surfaces. Basic ideas behind color spaces, illumination models, shading, and tex- ture mapping. Letter grading. Mr. Faloutsos, Mr. Soatto (F,Sp)

174B. Introduction to Computer Graphics: Three-Dimensional Scene Generation. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 174A. State of art in three-dimensional photography and image-based rendering. How to use cameras and light to capture shape and appearance of real objects and scenes. Process provides simple way to acquire three-dimen- sional models of unparalled detail and realism. Ap- plications of techniques in rendering (reverse engineering and postprocessing of movies, genera- tion of realistic synthetic objects and characters) to medicine (modeling of biological structures from im- aging data), mixed reality (augmentation of video), and security (identity verification). Fundamental ana- lytical tools for modeling and inferring geometric (shape) and photometric (reflection, illumination) properties of objects and scenes, and for rendering and manipulating scenes. Mr. Faloutsos, Mr. Soatto (Not offered 2011-12)

174C. Computer Animation. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 174A. Designed for seniors/juniors. Introduction to computer animation, includ- ing basic principles of character modeling, forward and inverse kinematics, forward and inverse dynamics, motion capture animation techniques, physical-based animation for character movement and motion control. Concurrently scheduled with course 274C. Letter grading. Mr. Faloutsos (W, alternate years)

180. Introduction to Algorithms and Complexity. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 32 and 61 or 180. Designed for junior/senior Computer Science majors. Introduction to design and analysis of algorithms. Design techniques: divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming; selection of prototypical algorithms; choice of data structures and representations; complexity mea- sures: time, space, upper, lower bounds, asymptotic complexity; NP-completeness. Mr. Gafni, Mr. Meyerzon (FW)

181. Introduction to Formal Languages and Au- tomat Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course 32, and Mathematics 61 or 180. Designed for junior/senior Computer Science majors. Grammars, automata, and languages. Finite-state languages and finite-state automata. Context-free languages and pushdown automata. Minimalizing regular sys- tems, recursively enumerable and recursive languages, and Turing machines. Closure properties, pump- ing lemmas, and decision algorithms. Introduction to computability. Letter grading. Mr. Gurfinkel, Mr. Rozenberg (FW)

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211. Network Protocol and Systems Software Design for Very Large Internet, 211A. Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 118. Designed for graduate students. In-depth study of network protocol and systems software design in advanced and mobile Internet. Topics include: (1) networking fundamentals: design philosophy of TCP/IP, end-to-end arguments, and protocol design principles; (2) networking protocols: 802.11 MAC standards, ad hoc networking, mobile computing, routing, and wireless TCP; (3) mobile computing systems software: middleware, file system, services, and applications; and (4) topical studies: energy-efficient design, security, location management, and quality of service. Letter grading. Mr. Lu


M213A. Embedded Systems. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M202A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 111. Designed for graduate students in science and electrical engineering students. Methodologies and technologies for design of embedded systems. Topics include hardware and software platforms for embedded systems, techniques for modeling and specification of system behavior, software organization, real-time operating system scheduling, real-time communication and packet scheduling, low-power battery and energy-aware computer systems; synchronization, tolerance and debugging, and techniques for hardware and software architecture optimization. Theoretical foundations as well as practical design methods. Letter grading. Mr. Bagrodia, Mr. Srivastava

M213B. Distributed Embedded Systems. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M202B.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 111, and 118 or Electrical Engineering 132B. Designed for graduate students in science and electrical engineering students. Interdisciplinary course with focus on study of distributed embedded systems concepts needed to realize systems such as wireless sensor and actuator networks for monitoring and control of physical world. Topics include network self-configuration with localization and timing synchronization; energy-aware system design and operation; protocols for low-power networks, MANETs, ATMs, and ad hoc networks; programming issues and models with languages, databases, and middleware; network collaborative processing; fundamental characteristics such as coverage, connectivity, capacity, latency; techniques for exploitation and management of mobility and motion; data and system integrity issues with calibration, faults, debugging, and security; and usage issues such as human-computer interfaces and safety. Letter grading. Ms. Estrin, Mr. Srivastava


215. Computer Communications and Networks. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 121. Resource sharing; computer traffic characteristics; network architecture and performance analysis; the Internet; packet switching and other switching techniques; ARPA-NET and other computer network examples; network delay and analysis; network design and optimization; high-speed and low-control; satellite and ground radio packet switching; local networks; commercial network services and architectures. Optional topics include extended error control, intermediate queueing theory: M/G/1, X.25, etc.; protocol verification; network simulation and measurement; integrated networks; communication processors. Letter grading. Mr. Chu

216. Distributed Multicast Control in Networks. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 212A, 215. Topics from field of distributed control and access in computer networks, including terrestrial distributed computer networks; satellite packet switching; ground radio packet switching; local network architecture and control. Letter grading. Mr. Kleinrock

217A. Internet Architecture and Protocols. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 215. Internet architecture and protocols. Introduction to Internet design, existing core set of Internet protocols, including IP, TCP, transport protocols, routing protocols, DNS, NTP, and security protocols such as DSSSEC, to understand principles behind, compare/differentiate protocols, their design tradeoffs, and learn lessons from their operations. Letter grading. Ms. Zhang

217B. Advanced Topics in Internet Research. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 217A. Designed for graduate students. Overview of Internet development history and fundamental principles underlying TCP/IP protocol design. Discussion of current Internet research topics, including routing protocols, transport protocols, network measurements, network security protocols, and clean-slate approach to network architecture design. Fundamental issues in network protocol design and implementations. Letter grading. Ms. Zhang


219. Current Topics in Computer System Modeling Analysis. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course 218. Review in area of computer system modeling analysis in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. Students report on selected topics. May be repeated for credit with consent of instructor. Letter grading. Ms. Estrin, Mr. Lu (Sp)

CM221. Introduction to Bioinformatics. (4) (Same as Bioinformatics M226A, Chemistry CM260A, and Human Genetics M260A.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, one hour. Introduction to bioinformatics. Use of computer science techniques for analyzing and inventing new bioinformatic methods. Focus on sequence analysis and alignment algorithms. Concurrently scheduled with course CM212. Letter grading. Ms. Estrin

CM222. Algorithms in Bioinformatics and Systems Biology. (4) (Same as Chemistry CM260B,) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours. Enforced requisite: course CM221 or Chemistry CM260A with grade of C– or better. Recommended: Computer Science 32 or Program in Computing 60, Statistics 100A, 110A. Development and application of computational approaches to biological questions. Understanding of mechanisms for determining statistical significance of computationally derived results. Development of foundation for innovative work in bioinformatics and systems biology. Letter grading. Mr. Zaniolo

CM224. Computational Genetıcs. (4) (Same as Bioinformatics M224 and Human Genetics CM224.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 201C and Computer Organization in Computing 10C with grade of C– or better, and Bio-statistics 100A or 110A or Mathematics 170A or Statistics 100A. Designed for engineering students as well as students from biology and medical school. Introduction to computational analysis of genetic variation and computational interdisciplinary research in genetics. Topics include introduction to genomics, genetic variation, computational methods with emphasis on obtaining human population history, technologies for genetic information, and genetic sequencing. Focus on formulating interdisciplinary problems as computational problems and then solving these problems using computational techniques from statistics and computer science. Concurrently scheduled with course CM122. Letter grading. Mr. Eskin

M229S. Seminar: Current Topics in Bioinformatics. (4) (Same as Human Genetics M229S.) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate engineering students, as well as students from biological sciences and medical school. Introduction to current topics in bioinformatics, genomics, and computational genomics and preparation for computational interdisciplinary research in genomics and genomics. Topics include genome analysis, regulatory genomics, association analysis, association study design, isolated and admixed populations, population substructure, human structural variation, model organisms, and genomic technologies. Computational techniques include those from statistics and computer science. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading. Mr. Eskin

230A. Models of Information and Computation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 131, 181. Models, frameworks, and problem solving; UML and metamodeling; basic information and computation models; axiomatic systems; domain theory; least fixed point theory; well-founded induction. Logical models: sentences, axioms and rules, normal forms, derivation and proof, models and semantics, propositional logic, first-order logic, logic programming. Functional models: expressions, equations, evaluation, control. Logic programming. Program models: program derivation and verification using Hoare logic, object models, standard templates, design patterns, frameworks. Letter grading. Mr. Bagrodia, Mr. Zaniolo

231. Types and Programming Languages. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 131. Introduction to static type systems and their usage in programming language design and software reliability. Operational semantics, simply-typed lambda calculus, type soundness proofs, types for mutable references, types for exceptions. Parametric polymorphism, bound polymorphism, polymorphic type inference, types for objects, subtyping, combining parametric polymorphism and subtyping. Types for modules, parameterized formalisms. Functional programming: specification and implementation of variety of type systems. Advanced work on research literature on modern applications of type systems. Letter grading. Mr. Millstein

232. Static Program Analysis. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 132. Introduction to static analysis of object-oriented programs and its usage for optimization and bug finding. Class hierarchy analysis, rapid type analysis, equality-based analysis, subset-based analysis, flow-insensitive and flow-sensitive analysis, sensitive and context-sensitive analysis. Soundness proofs for static analyses. Efficient data structures for static analysis information such as directed graphs and dependence graphs. Static analysis methods, e.g., method inlining, type-safe method inlining, synchronization optimization, deadlock detection, security vulnerability detection. Formal specification and implementation
of variety of static analyses, as well as readings from recent research in modern applications of static analysis. Letter grading. Mr. Palsberg (Sp)

233A. Parallel Programming. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 111, 131. Mutual exclusion and resource allocation in distributed systems. Analysis of computer systems: specification of parallelism, interprocess communication and synchronization, atomic actions, binary and multitype rendezvous; synchronous and asynchronous systems. Review of parallel programming. Selected topics. Letter grading. Mr. Cong (Aut)

233B. Verification of Concurrent Programs. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: courses 111, 131. Mutual exclusion and resource allocation in distributed systems. Analysis of computer systems: specification of parallelism, interprocess communication and synchronization, atomic actions, binary and multitype rendezvous; synchronous and asynchronous systems. Review of parallel programming. Selected topics. Letter grading. Mr. Cong (Sp)

234. Computer-Aided Verification. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 181. Introduction to theory and practice of formal methods for analysis of concurrent and embedded systems, with focus on algorithmic techniques for checking logical properties of hardware and software systems. Topics include semantics of reactive systems, verification, temporal logic, model checking, theory of omega automata, state-space reduction techniques, compositional and hierarchical reasoning. Letter grading. Mr. Majumdar (W)

235. Advanced Operating Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; Preparation: C or C++ programming experience. Requisite: course 111. In-depth investigation of operating systems issues through guided construction and consideration of modern issues in computer systems. Topics include memory management and protection, interrupts and traps, processes, interprocess communication, preemptive multitasking, file systems, virtualization, networking, profiling, and debugging. Selections from the literature, with an emphasis on current research projects, including extra challenge work. Letter grading. Mr. Kohler (F)

236. Computer Security. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 111, 118. Basic and research material on computer software security. Topics include basic principals and goals of computer security, common security tools, use of cryptographic protocols for security, security tools (firewalls, virtual private networks, and other network protocols), virus and worm protection, security assurance and testing, design of secure programs, privacy, applying security principles to realistic problems, and new and emerging threats and security tools. Letter grading. Mr. Palsberg, Mr. Reiher (W)

239. Current Topics in Computer Science: Programming Languages and Systems. (2 to 12) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Review of current literature in area of computer science programming languages and systems in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading. Mr. Palsberg (Sp)

240A. Databases and Knowledge Bases. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 143. Theoretical and technological foundation of Intelligent Database Systems, that merge database knowledge, experience, and rules and combined with advanced programming environments. Rule-based knowledge representation, spatio-temporal reasoning, and logic-based declarative querying/programming and inference. Operations on the technology include simple database and knowledge representations. Rule-based languages and nonmonotonic reasoning. Temporal queries, spatial queries, and uncertainty in deductive databases and object relational databases (ORDBs). Abstract data types and user-defined column functions in ORDBs. Data mining algorithms. Semistructured information. Letter grading. Mr. Parker, Mr. Zaniolo (Sp)

241A. Object-Oriented and Semantic Database Systems. (4) Lecture, three and one-half hours; discussion, 30 minutes; laboratory, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 143. Knowledge base principles and requirements. Data models, accessing, and querying languages. Object data management standards. Extended relational-object systems. Database system and object-oriented techniques and functional components. System comparison. Commercial products. Database design, organization, indexing, and performance. Future directions. Other topics at discretion of instructor. Letter grading. Mr. Cardenas (F)

241B. Pictorial and Multimedia Database Management. (4) Lecture, three and one-half hours; discussion, 30 minutes; laboratory, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 143. Multimedia data alphabetic, long text, images/pictures, video, and audio. Multimedia information systems requirements. Data models. Searching and accessing databases and multimedia information. Compressed video, and audio content. Querying, visual languages, and communication. Database design and organization, logical and physical. Indexing methods. Internet multimedia applications and image processing. Letter grading. Mr. Cardenas (Sp)

244A. Distributed Database Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 215 and/or 241A. File allocation, intelligent directory design, transaction management, deadlock, strong and weak concurrency control, control protocols, semantic query answering, multidatabase systems, fault recovery techniques, network partitioning, examples, trade-offs, and design experiences. Letter grading. Mr. Chu (F)

245A. Intelligent Information Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 241A, 255A. Knowledge discovery in database, knowledge-base maintenance, knowledge-base and database integration architectures, and scale-up issues and applications to cooperative database systems, intelligent decision support systems, and intelligent planning and scheduling systems; computer architecture for processing large-scale knowledge-base/database systems. Letter grading. Mr. Chu (W)

246. Web Information Management. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: courses 112, 143, 180, 181. Designed for graduate students. Scale of Web data requires novel algorithms and principles for their management and retrieval. In this course, we study the design and implementation of high-performance systems; modern management techniques needed to build computer systems suitable for Web environments. Topics include Web measuring techniques, large-scale data mining algorithms, efficient page refresh techniques, Web-search ranking algorithms, and query processing techniques on independent data sources. Letter grading. Mr. Cho (F)

249. Current Topics in Data Structures. (2 to 12) Lecture, four hours; Preparation: C or C++ programming experience. Requisite: course 131. Review of current literature in area of data structures in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. Students report on selected topics. May be repeated for credit with consent of instructor. Letter grading. Mr. Parker (W)

251A. Advanced Computer Architecture. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M151B. Recommended: course 211. SIMD and MIMD systems, symmetric multiprocessors, distributed-shared-memory systems, messages-passing systems, and multiprocessor interconnection networks, host-network interfaces, switching element design, communication primitives, cache coherence, memory consistency models, synchronization primitives, state-of-art design examples. Letter grading. Mr. Ercegovac, Mr. Tamir (W)

251B. Parallel Computer Architectures. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M151B. Recommended: course 251A. SIMD and MIMD systems, symmetric multiprocessors, distributed-shared-memory systems, messages-passing systems, and multiprocessor interconnection networks, host-network interfaces, switching element design, communication primitives, cache coherence, memory consistency models, synchronization primitives, state-of-art design examples. Letter grading. Mr. Ercegovac, Mr. Tamir (W)

252A. Arithmetic Algorithms and Processors. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite or corequisite: course 251A. Fundamental concepts of computer arithmetic, design and implementation of fixed-point and floating-point arithmetic. Letter grading. Mr. Chu (W)

252C. Testing and Testable Design of VLSI Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M51A. Detailed study of various design problems in testing and design of VLSI systems, including fault modeling, fault simulation, testing for single stuck faults and multiple stuck faults, functional testing, design for testability, compression techniques, and built-in self-test. Letter grading. Mr. Cong (F)

254A. Computer Memories and Memory Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 251A. Generic types of memory systems; control, access modes, hierarchies, and location algorithms. Characteristics, system organization, and device considerations of ferite memories, thin film memories, and semiconductor memories. Letter grading. Mr. Chu (W)

255A. Distributed Processing Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 215 and/or 251A. Task partitioning and allocation, interprocess communications, task scheduling, and application models. Message-passing protocols, replicated file systems, interprocess communication, cache memory, actor model, fine grain multiprocessors, distributed operating system kernel, error recovery, performance, and security. Letter grading. Mr. Chu (F)

255B. Advanced VLSI Architectures. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M151B. Recommended: course 251A. State-of-art scalable multiprocessors. Interdependency among implementation technology, chip microarchitectures, and system architecture. Performance analysis and evaluation, state-of-art design examples, introduction to parallel architectures. Letter grading. Mr. Ercegovac, Mr. Tamir (F)

256A. Design of VLSI Circuits and Systems. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M216A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, three hours. Requisites: course M51A or Electrical Engineering M16, and Electrical Engineering 115A. Recommended: Electrical Engineering 115C. LS/VLSI design and application in computer systems. Fundamental design techniques that can be used to implement complex integrated circuits on chips. Letter grading.
M258C. LSI in Computer System Design. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M258C.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course M258A. LSI/LSI design and application in computer systems. In-depth studies of VLSI architectures and VLSI design tools. Letter grading.

258E. Foundations of VLSI CAD Algorithms. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: one course in analysis and design of algorithms. Bases, combining optimization, VLSI physical layout, including mathematical programming, network flows, matching, greedy and heuristic algorithms, and stochastic methods. Emphasis on practical algorithms; VLSI computer-aided physical design of VLSI circuits at high-level phases of layout: partitioning, placement, graph folding, floorplanning, and global routing. Letter grading.

258F. Physical Design Automation of VLSI Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Detailed study of various physical design automation problems of VLSI circuits, including logic partitioning, floorplanning, placement, global routing, channel assignment, routing to minimize compaction and performance-driven layout. Discussion of applications of number of important optimization techniques, such as network flows, Steiner trees, simulated annealing, and genetic algorithms. Letter grading. Mr. Cong

258G. Logic Synthesis of Digital Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses M51A, 180. Detailed study of various problems of logic synthesis of digital systems, including two-level Boolean network optimization; multilevel Boolean network optimization; technology mapping for standard cell designs and field-programmable gate array (FPGA) designs; retiming for sequential circuits; and applications of binary decision diagrams (BDDs). Letter grading. Mr. Cong

258H. Analysis and Design of High-Speed VLSI Interconnects. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparations: current literature on computer science systems design in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. Students report on selected topics. May be repeated for credit. Letter grade (F,W,Sp).

260. Machine Learning Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours. Preparation: basic knowledge of probability and ability to read and write mathematical proofs. Theoretical foundations underlying common machine learning algorithms. Topics include introduction to PAC learning model, uniform convergence theory, VC dimension, online learning, no-regret learning, online convex optimization, ensemble methods and boosting, SVMs, and connections to game theory. Letter grading.


Mr. Vidal


Mr. Darwiche

262C. Current Topics in Causal Modeling, Inference, and Reasoning. (4) (Same as Statistics M241.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: Letter grading. Mr. Pearl

262D. Current Topics in Cognitive Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 262A. Additional requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Theory and implementation of systems that emulate or support human reasoning. Current literature and individual studies in artificial intelligence, knowledge-based systems, decision support systems, computational psychology, and heuristic programming theory. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading. Mr. Pearl (Sp)

263A. Language and Thought. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 130 or 131 or 161. Introduction to natural language processing (NLP), with emphasis on semantics. Presentation of process models for variety of tasks, including question answering, paraphrasing, machine translation, word/sense disambiguation, narrative and editorial comprehension. Examination of both symbolic and statistical approaches to language processing and acquisition. Letter grading. Mr. Dyer

263B. Connectionist Natural Language Processing. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 161 or 263A. Examination of connectionist/ANN architectures designed for natural language processing. Issues include localist versus distributed representations, variable binding, instantiation via spreading activation, and adaptive units that acquire a representation of language and world knowledge (for instance, via back propagation in PDP networks and competitive learning in self-organizing feature maps), and grounding of symbols in sensory/motor experience. Letter grading.

Mr. Dyer

263C. Animats-Based Modeling. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 130 or 131 or 161. Animals are mobile/sensing agents embedded in simulated dynamic environments. Emphasis on modeling: goal-oriented behavior via neurocontrollers, adaptation via reinforcement learning, evolutionary programming. Animal-based tasks include foraging, mate finding, predation, navigation, predator avoidance, cooperative nest construction, communication, and parenting. Letter grading.

Mr. Dyer (W)

264A. Automated Reasoning: Theory and Applications (40) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course 161. Introduction to theory and practice of automated reasoning using propositional and first-order logic. Topics include syntax of formal logic, algorithms for logical reasoning, including satisfiability and entailment; syntactic and semantic restrictions on knowledge bases; effect of these restrictions on expressiveness, compactness, and computational tractability; applications of automated reasoning to database, planning, design formal verification and reliability analysis. Letter grading. Mr. Darwiche


266B. Statistical Computing and Inference in Vision and Image Science. (4) (Same as Statistics M232B.) Lecture, three hours. Preparation: basic statistics, linear algebra (matrix analysis), computer vision. Introduction to broad range of algorithms for statistical inference and learning that could be used in vision, pattern recognition, speech, bioinformatics, data mining. Topics include Markov chain Monte Carlo computing, sequential Monte Carlo methods, belief propagation, partial differential equations. S/U or letter grading.

267A. Neural Models. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Review of major neurophysiological milestones in understanding brain architecture and processes. Focus on brain theories that are important for modern computer science and, in particular, on models of sensory perception, sensory-motor coordination, and cerebellar and cerebral structure and function. Students required to prepare papers analyzing research in one area of interest. Letter grading.

Mr. Vidal

267B. Artificial Neural Systems and Connectionist Computing. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Analysis of major connectionist computing paradigms and underlying models of biological and physical processes. Examination of implementation and application of artificial neural networks along with their applications to associative knowledge processing, general multisenor pattern recognition including speed and power, and artificial intelligence in which inference is required to prepare papers analyzing research in one area of interest. Letter grading.

Mr. Vidal


2685. Seminar: Computational Neuroscience. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Designed for students undertaking thesis research. Discussion of advanced topics and current research in computational neuroscience. Neural networks and connectionism as paradigm for parallel and concurrent computation in application to problems of perception, planning, multimodal, and robotics. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

269. Seminar: Current Topics in Artificial Intelligence. (4) Seminar, to be arranged. Review of current literature and research practicum in area of artificial intelligence in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interest. Students report on selected topics. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading.

Mr. Soatto, Ms. Vaughan (F,Sp)
270A. Computer Methodology: Advanced Numerical Methods. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: Electrical Engineering 103 or Mathematics 151B or comparable experience with numerical computing. Designed for graduate computer science students. Principles and practice of computer treatment of selected numerical problems in algebraic and differential systems, transforms and spectra, data acquisition and reduction; emphasis on concepts pertinent to modeling and simulation and applicability of contemporary developments in numerical software. Computer exercises. Letter grading. Mr. Carlyle


271C. Seminar: Advanced Simulation Methods. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 271A. Discussion of advanced topics in simulation of systems covered by ordinary and partial differential equations. Topics include (among others) simulation languages, dataflow machines, array processors, and advanced mathematical modeling techniques. Three hours of outside study each term. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

272. Advanced Discrete Event Simulation and Modeling Techniques. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. In-depth study in discrete event simulation and modeling techniques, including building valid and credible simulation models, output analysis of systems, comparisons of alternative system configurations. Variance reduction techniques, simulation models of computer systems and manufacturing systems. Letter grading.


274C. Computer Animation. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisite: course 174A. Introduction to computer animation, including basic principles of character modeling, forward and inverse kinematics, forward and inverse dynamics, motion capture animation techniques, physics-based animation of particles and systems, and motor control. Concurrently scheduled with course C174C. Letter grading.

275. Artificial Life for Computer Graphics and Vision. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 174A. Recommended: course 161. Investigation of important role that computers play in artificial life, emerging discipline that spans computational and biological sciences, can play in construction of advanced computer graphics and vision models for virtual reality, animation, interactive games, and simulation, virtual sensor networks, medical image analysis, etc. Focus on comprehensive models that can realistically emulate variety of living things (plants and animals) from lower organisms to effective modeling of natural phenomena of life and their incorporation into sophisticated, self-animating graphical entities. Special topics include modeling plants using Las, and algorithms for pattern recognition and control, behavioral animation, reinforcement and neural-network learning of locomotion, cognitive modeling, artificial animals and humans, human facial animation, and artificial evolution. Letter grading. Mr. Terzopoulos

M276A. Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning. (4) (Same as Statistics M231.) Lecture, three hours. Designed for graduate students. Fundamental concepts in machine learning, pattern recognition and machine learning that are used in computer vision, image processing, speech recognition, data mining, statistics, and computational biology. Topics include: data preprocessing, machine learning concepts, nonparametric learning, clustering, complexity (VC-dimension, MDL, AIC), PCA/ICA/TCA, MDS, SVM, boosting, S/U or letter grading. Mr. Zhu

278B. Structured Computer Vision. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Methods for computer processing of image data. Systems, concepts, and algorithms for image analysis, radiologic and robotic applications. Letter grading.

276C. Speech and Language Communication in Artificial Intelligence. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M276A or M278B. Topics in human-computer communication: interaction with computers, sound and symbol generation by machines and humans, semantics of data, systems for speech recognition and understanding. Use of speech and text for computer input and output in applications. Letter grading.

M278. Probabilistic Models of Cognition. (4) (Same as Statistics M239.) Seminar, three hours; discussion, one hour. Requisites: course 180, Mathematics 33A, Statistics 100B. Modeling aspects of human cognition, designing artificial intelligence systems. Introduction to conceptual foundations and basic mathematical and computational techniques. Topics illustrated on different aspects of cognition. S/U or letter grading.

279. Current Topics in Computer Science: Methodology. (2 to 12) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Review of current literature in area of computer science methodology in which instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. Students report on selected topics. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading.

280A-280Z. Algorithms. (4 each) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 180. Additional requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Selections from design, analysis, optimization, and implementation of algorithms: complexity and general theory of algorithms; algorithms for particular application areas. Subtopics of some current sections: Principles of Design and Analysis (280A); Distributed Algorithms (280D); Graphs and Networks (280G). May be repeated for credit with consent of instructor and topic change. Letter grading.


281A. Computational Complexity and Complexity. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 181 or compatible background. Concepts fundamental to study of discrete information systems and theory of computing, with emphasis on regular sets of strings, Turing-recognizable (recursively enumerable) sets, closure properties, machine charac-

terizations, nondeterminism, decidability, unsolvable problems, and hard problems. Letter grading. NPTIME. Letter grading. Mr. Ostrovsky

281D. Discrete State Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended requisite: course 181. Finite-state machines, transducers, and their generalizations as data transforms, transduction expressions, realizability; decomposition, synthesis, and design considerations; topics in state and system identification and fault diagnosis, learning machines, probabilistic machines, applications in coding, communication, computing, system modeling, and simulation. Letter grading. Mr. Carlyle

282A. Cryptography. (4) (Same as Mathematics M209A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Introduction to the theoretical foundations, stressing rigorous definitions and proofs of security. Topics include notions of hardness, one-way functions, hard-core bits, pseudorandom generators, pseudorandom functions and pseudorandom permutations, semantic security, public-key and private-key encryption, secret-sharing functions, authentication, digital signature, interactive proofs, zero-knowledge proofs, collision-resistant hash functions, key-agreement, contract signing, and two-party secure computation with static security. Letter grading. Mr. Ostrovsky

M282B. Cryptographic Protocols. (4) (Same as Mathematics M209B.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M282A. Consideration of advanced cryptographic protocol and analysis topics. Topics include noninteractive zero-knowledge proofs; zero-knowledge arguments; concurrent and non-black-box zero-knowledge; IP=PSPACE proof, stronger notions of security for public-key encryption, including chosen-plaintext security; secure multiparty computation; protocols dealing with dynamic adversary; nonmalleability and composability of secure protocols; software protection; threshold cryptography; identity-based cryptography; private information retrieval; proof of main-min attacks; voting protocols; identification protocols; digital cash schemes; lower bounds on use of cryptographic primitives, software obfuscation. May be repeated for credit with topic change. Letter grading.


284A-284Z. Topics in Automata and Languages. (4 each) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 181. Additional requisites for each offering announced in advance by department. Selections from families of formal languages, grammars, machines, operators; pushdown automata, context-free languages and their generalizations, parsing; multidimensional grammars, developmental systems; machine-based complexity. Subtopics of some current and planned sections: Context-Free Languages (284A). Parsing Algorithms (284P). May be repeated for credit with consent of instructor and topic change. Letter grading. Mr. Kabanov

CM286. Computational Systems Biology: Modeling and Simulation of Biological Systems. (5) (Formerly numbered CM286B.) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM236.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: Electrical Engineering 102. Dynamic biosystems modeling and computer simulation methods for studying biological-/biochemical- and systems at multiple levels of organization. Control system, multicompartamental, predator-prey, pharmacokinetic (PK), pharmaceutical (PD), and other structural modeling methods applied to life sciences problems (e.g., molecular biological pathways/networks), organ, and organismic levels. Both theory- and data-driven modeling, with focus on translating biomodeling goals and data into mathe-
matics models and implementing them for simulation and analysis. Basics of numerical simulation algorithms, with modeling software exercises in class and PC laboratory assignments. Concurrently scheduled with course CM186. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano (F) CM287. Thesis Research and Research Communication in Computational and Systems Biology. (2 to 4) (Formerly numbered CM286C.) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM287.) Lecture, one hour; discussion, two hours; laboratory, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course CM286A. Letter grading. Ms. Greibach

289A-289ZZ. Current Topics in Computer Theory. (2 to 12 each) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 181. Models of computer programs and their syntax and semantics; emphasis on programs and recursion schemes; equivalence, optimization, correctness, and translatability of programs; expressive power of programming and data structures selected current topics. Letter grading. Ms. Greibach

288S. Seminar: Theoretical Computer Science. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 280A, 281A. Intended for students undertaking a thesis or dissertation. Discussion of advanced topics and current research in such areas as algorithms and complexity models for parallel and concurrent computation, and formal language and automata theory. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. Ms. Greibach

289A-289ZZ. Current Topics in Computer Theory. (2 to 12 each) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Review of current literature in area of computer theory. Each instructor has developed special proficiency as consequence of research interests. Students report on selected topics. Letter grading.

289CO. Complexity Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Diagonalization, polynomial-time hierarchy, PCP theorem, randomness and de-randomization, circuit complexity, approximations and limitations to proving P does not equal NP, average-case complexity, one-way functions, hardness amplification. Problem set and presentation of previous and original research related to course topics. Letter grading. Mr. Sahai (F)

289OA. Online Algorithms. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 180. Introduction to decision making under uncertainty and competitive analysis. Review of current research in online algorithms for problems arising in many areas, such as data and memory management, searching and navigation in unknown terrains, and server systems. Letter grading. Mr. Meyerson (Sp, alternate years)

289RA. Randomized Algorithms. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Basic concepts and design techniques for randomized algorithms, such as probability theory, Markov chains, random walks, and probabilistic method. Applications to randomized algorithms in data structures, graph theory, computational geometry, number theory, and parallel and distributed systems. Letter grading. Mr. Meyerson

M296A. Advanced Modeling Methodology for Dynamic Biomedical Systems. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M296B, and Medicine M270D.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M296A or Biometrics 220. Estimation methodology and model parameter estimation algorithms for fitting dynamic system models to biomedical data. Model discrimination methods. Theory and algorithms for designing optimal experiments for developing and quantifying models, with special focus on optimal sampling schedule design for kinetic models. Exploration of PC software for model building and optimal experiment design via applications in physiology and pharmacology. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano

M296B. Optimal Parameter Estimation and Experiment Design for Biomedical Systems. (4) (Same as Biomedical Mathematics M270, Biomedical Engineering M296B, and Medicine M270D.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M296A or Biometrics 220. Estimation methodology and model parameter estimation algorithms for fitting dynamic system models to biomedical data. Model discrimination methods. Theory and algorithms for designing optimal experiments for developing and quantifying models, with special focus on optimal sampling schedule design for kinetic models. Exploration of PC software for model building and optimal experiment design via applications in physiology and pharmacology. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano

M296C. Advanced Topics and Research in Biomedical Systems Modeling and Computing. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M296C and Medicine M270E.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M296A. Recommended: course M296B. Research techniques and experience on special topics involving models, modeling methods, and model/programming and simulation. Approaches to solutions. Individual M.S.- and Ph.D-level project training. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano

M296D. Introduction to Computational Cardiology. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M296D.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course CM186. Introduction to mathematical modeling and computer simulation of cardiac electrophysiological processes. Ionic models of action potential (AP), Theory of AP propagation in one-dimensional and two-dimensional cardiac tissue. Simulation on sequential and parallel supercomputers, choice of numerical algorithms, to optimize accuracy and to provide computational stability. Letter grading. Mr. DiStefano, Mr. Kogan

298. Research Seminar: Computer Science. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Designed for graduate computer science students. Discussion of advanced topics and current research in algorithmic processes that describe and transform information: theory, analysis, design, efficiency, implementation, and application. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty members responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

495. Teaching Assistant Training Seminar. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Limited to graduate Computer Science Department students. Seminar on communication of computer science materials in classroom: preparation, organization of material, presentation, use of visual aids, grading, advising, and rapport with students. S/U grading.

495B. Teaching with Technology. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Limited to graduate Computer Science Department teaching assistants. Seminar for teaching assistants covering how technology can be used to aid instruction in and out of classroom. S/U grading. Mr. Kort

497D-497E. Field Projects in Computer Science. (4-4) Fieldwork, to be arranged. Students are divided into teams led by instructor; each team is assigned one external company or organization that they investigate as candidate for possible computerization, submitting team report of their findings and recommendations. In Progress (497D) and S/U or letter (497E) grading. Mr. Cardenas

596. Directed Individual or Tutorial Studies. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Petition forms to request enrollment may be obtained from assistant dean, Graduate Studies. Supervised investigation of advanced technical problems. S/U grading.

597A. Preparation for M.S. Comprehensive Examination. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Reading and preparation for M.S. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597B. Preparation for Ph.D. Preliminary Examinations. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Preparation for Ph.D. preliminary examinations. S/U grading.

597C. Preparation for Ph.D. Oral Qualifying Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.

598. Research and for Preparation of M.S. Thesis. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.

599. Research for and Preparation of Ph.D. Dissertation. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate computer science students. Petition forms to request enrollment may be obtained from assistant dean, Graduate Studies. S/U grading.
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Scope and Objectives

The Department of Electrical Engineering fosters a dynamic academic environment that is committed to a tradition of excellence in teaching, research, and service and has state-of-the-art research programs and facilities in a variety of fields. Departmental faculty members are engaged in research efforts across several disciplines in order to serve the needs of industry, government, society, and the scientific community. Interactions with other disciplines are strong. Faculty members regularly conduct collaborative research projects with colleagues in the Geffen School of Medicine, Graduate School of Education and Information Studies, School of Theater, Film, and Television, and College of Letters and Science.

There are three primary research areas in the department: circuits and embedded systems, physical and wave electronics, and signals and systems. These areas cover a broad spectrum of specializations in, for example, communications and telecommunications, control systems, electromagnetics, embedded computing systems, engineering optimization, integrated circuits and systems, microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), nanotechnology, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, signal processing, and solid-state electronics.

Undergraduate Program Objectives

The ABET-accredited electrical engineering curriculum provides an excellent background for either graduate study or employment. Undergraduate education in the department provides students with (1) fundamental knowledge in mathematics, physical sciences, and electrical engineering, (2) the opportunity to specialize in specific areas of interest or career aspiration, (3) intensive training in problem solving, laboratory skills, and design skills, and (4) a well-rounded education that includes communication skills, the ability to function well on a team, an appreciation for ethical behavior, and the ability to engage in lifelong learning. This education is meant to prepare students to thrive and to lead. It also prepares them to achieve the following two program educational objectives: (1) that graduates of the program have successful technical or professional careers and (2) that graduates of the program continue to learn and to adapt in a world of constantly evolving technology.

Undergraduate Study

The Electrical Engineering major is a designated capstone major. Undergraduate students complete a design course in which they integrate their knowledge of the disci-
pline and engage in creative design within realistic and professional constraints. Students apply their knowledge and expertise gained in previous mathematics, science, and engineering coursework. Within a multidisciplinary team structure, students identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems and present their projects to the class.

**Electrical Engineering B.S.**

**Capstone Major**

The undergraduate curriculum allows Electrical Engineering majors to specialize in one of three emphasis areas or options. The three options are structured as an electrical engineering degree, and the only degree offered to undergraduate students by the department is the Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering.

No distinction is made among the three options: (1) electrical engineering (EE) option is the regular option that provides students with preparation in electrical engineering with a range of required and elective courses across several disciplines; (2) computer engineering (CE) option provides students with preparation in embedded systems and software and hardware issues. Students replace some of the senior courses in the regular EE option with computer engineering-oriented courses or computer science courses; and (3) biomedical engineering (BE) option provides students with exposure to additional chemistry and life sciences courses and helps them meet most of the premedical preparation requirements so that they are prepared for careers in bioengineering, medicine, or electrical engineering.

**Electrical Engineering Option**

**Preparation for the Major**

*Required:* Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A; Computer Science 31, 32; Electrical Engineering 1, 2, 3, 10, M16 (or Computer Science M51A); Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 4AL, 4BL.

**The Major**

*Required:* Electrical Engineering 101, 102, 103, 110, 110L, 113, 115A, 115AL, 121B, 131A, 132A, 141, 161, Mathematics 132, Statistics 105; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; three major field elective courses (12 units), one design course (4 units), and one laboratory course (2 to 4 units) selected from one of the following pathways:

- **Antennas and Microwaves:** Three major field elective courses from Electrical Engineering 162A, 163A, and either 163B or 163C; one capstone design course from 164D or 184DA/184DB (count as one course); and one laboratory course from 164L (or by petition from 194 or 199).
- **Integrated Circuits:** Three major field elective courses from Electrical Engineering 115B, 115C, and either 132B or 163A; one capstone design course from 115D or 184DA/184DB (count as one course); and one laboratory course from 115BL (or by petition from 194 or 199).
- **Microelectromechanical (MEMS) Systems:** Three major field elective courses from Electrical Engineering 117, 172, and either 174 or 175 or M185; one capstone design course from 173D, and one laboratory course from 172L (or by petition from 194 or 199).
- **Signals and Systems:** Three major field elective courses from Electrical Engineering 114, 115B, 131B, 132B, 136, 142, 162A; one capstone design course from 113D, 173D, 180D, 181D, or 184DA/184DB (count as one course); and one laboratory course from 115BL or M116L or M171L (or by petition from 194 or 199).
- **Solid State:** Three major field elective courses from Electrical Engineering 123A, 123B, and either 124 or 128; one capstone design course from 129D; and one laboratory course from 122L (or by petition from 194 or 199).

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

**Biomedical Engineering Option**

**Preparation for the Major**

*Required:* Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L, 30A, 30AL; Computer Science 31; Electrical Engineering 1, 2, 3, 10, M16 (or Computer Science M51A); Life Sciences 2, 3, 23L; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 4AL, 4BL.

**The Major**

*Required:* Electrical Engineering 101, 102, 103, 110, 110L, 113, 115A, 115AL, 121B, 131A, 132A, 141, and either Electrical Engineering 111, M117 (or Electrical Engineering 113D, 180D, 181D, or 184DA/184DB (count as one course); and one laboratory course from Electrical Engineering M116L (or by petition from 194 or 199).
The Department of Electrical Engineering offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Electrical Engineering.

Electrical Engineering M.S. Areas of Study

Students may pursue specialization across three major areas of study: (1) circuits and embedded systems, (2) physical and wave electronics, and (3) signals and systems. These areas cover a broad spectrum of specializations in, for example, communications and telecommunications, control systems, electromagnetics, embedded computing systems, engineering optimization, integrated circuits and systems, microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), nanotechnology, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, signal processing, and solid-state electronics. Students must select a number of formal graduate courses to serve as their major and minor fields of study according to the requirements listed below for the thesis (seven courses) and non-thesis (eight courses) options. The selected courses must be approved by the faculty adviser.

Course Requirements

Students may select either the thesis plan or the non-thesis (comprehensive examination) plan. The selection of courses is tailored to the professional objectives of the students and must meet the requirements stated below. The courses should be selected and approved in consultation with the faculty adviser. Departures from the stated requirements are considered only in exceptional cases and must be approved by the departmental graduate adviser. The minimum requirements for the M.S. degree are as follows:

1. **Requisite.** B.S. degree in Electrical Engineering or a related field
2. **All M.S. program requirements should be completed within two academic years from admission into the M.S. graduate program in the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science**
3. **Students must maintain a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 every term and 3.0 in all graduate courses**
4. **Thesis Option.** Students selecting the thesis option must complete at least the following requirements: (a) five formal graduate courses to serve as the major field of study, (b) two formal graduate courses to serve as the minor field of study, (c) Electrical Engineering 297, (d) two Electrical Engineering 598 courses involving work on the M.S. thesis, (e) no other 500-level courses, other seminar courses, nor Electrical Engineering 296 or 375 may be applied toward the course requirements, and (f) an M.S. thesis completed under the direction of the faculty adviser to a standard that is approved by a committee comprised of three faculty members. The thesis research must be conducted concurrently with the coursework
5. **Non-Thesis Option.** Students selecting the non-thesis option must complete at least the following requirements: (a) six formal graduate courses to serve as the major field of study, (b) two formal graduate courses to serve as the minor field of study, (c) Electrical Engineering 297, (d) Electrical Engineering 299 to serve as the M.S. comprehensive examination, which is evaluated by a committee of three faculty members appointed by the department. In case of failure, students may be reexamined only once with consent of the departmental graduate adviser, and (e) no 500-level courses, other seminar courses, nor Electrical Engineering 296 or 375 may be applied toward the course requirements
6. **Students must select a number of formal graduate courses to serve as their major and minor fields of study according to the requirements listed above for the thesis (seven courses) and non-thesis (eight courses) options.** The selected courses must be approved by the faculty adviser.
7. **For the thesis option at least four, and for the non-thesis option five, of the formal graduate courses used to satisfy the M.S. program requirements listed above must be in the Electrical Engineering Department**
8. **A formal graduate course is defined as any 200-level course, excluding seminar or tutorial courses**
9. **At most one upper division undergraduate course is allowed to replace one of the formal graduate courses covering the major and minor fields of study provided that (a) the undergraduate course is not required of undergraduate students in the Electrical Engineering Department and (b) the undergraduate course is approved by the faculty adviser**
10. **A track is a coherent set of courses in some general field of study. The department suggests lists of established tracks as a means to assist students in selecting their courses. Students are not required to adhere to the suggested courses in any specific track**

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**Circuits and Embedded Systems Area Tracks**

1. **Embedded Computing Track.** Courses deal with the engineering of computer systems as may be applied to embedded devices used for communications, multimedia, or other such restricted purposes. Courses include Computer Science 251A, Electrical Engineering 201A, 201C, M202A, M202B, 213A, M216A, 212A, 211B

2. **Integrated Circuits Track.** Courses deal with the analysis and design of analog and digital integrated circuits; architecture and integrated circuit implementations of large-scale digital processors for communications and signal processing; hardware-software codesign; and computer-aided design methodologies. Courses include Computer Science 251A, 252A, Electrical Engineering 213A, 215A through 215E, M216A, 212A, 211B

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**Physical and Wave Electronics Area Tracks**

1. **Electromagnetics Track.** Courses deal with electromagnetic theory; propagation and scattering; antenna theory and design; microwave and millimeter wave circuits; printed circuit antennas; integrated and fiber optics; microwave-optical interaction, antenna measurement, and diagnostics; numerical and asymptotic techniques; satellite and personal communication antennas; periodic structures; genetic algorithms; and optimization techniques. Courses include Electrical Engineering 221C, 260A, 260B, 261, 262, 263, 266, 270

2. **Photonic and Plasma Electronics Track.** Courses deal with laser physics, optical amplification, electro-optics, acousto-optics, magneto-optics, nonlinear optics, photonic switching and modulation, ultrafast phenomena, optical fibers, integrated waveguides, photodetection, optoelectronic integrated circuits, optical microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), analog and digital signal transmission, photonics sensors, lasers in biomedicine, fundamental plasma waves and instability; interaction of microwaves and laser radiation with plasmas; plasma diagnostics; and controlled nuclear fusion. Courses include Electrical Engineering 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 285A, 285B, M287

3. **Solid-State and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Devices Track**
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Courses deal with solid-state physical electronics, semiconductor device physics and design, and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) design and fabrication. Courses include Electrical Engineering 221A, 221B, 221C, 222, 223, 224, 225, CM250A, M250B, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 281, 284, C287L.

Signals and Systems Area Tracks
1. Communications Systems Track. Courses deal with communication and telecommunication principles and engineering applications; channel and source coding; spread spectrum communication; cryptography; estimation and detection; algorithms and processing in communication and radar; satellite communication systems; stochastic modeling in telecommunication engineering; mobile radio engineering; and telecommunication switching, queuing system, communication networks, local-area, metropolitan-area, and wide-area computer communication networks. Courses include Electrical Engineering 205A, 210A, 230A through 230D, 231A, 231E, 232A through 232E, 233, 238, 241A.

2. Control Systems and Optimization Track. Courses deal with state-space theory of linear systems; optimal control of deterministic linear and nonlinear systems; stochastic control; Kalman filtering; stability theory of linear and nonlinear feedback control systems; computer-aided design of control systems; optimization theory, including linear and nonlinear programming; convex optimization and engineering applications; numerical methods; nonconvex programming; associated network flow and graph problems; renewal theory; Markov chains; stochastic dynamic programming; and queueing theory. Courses include Electrical Engineering 205A, 208A, M208B, M208C, 210B, 236A, 236B, 236C, M237, M240A, 240B, M240C, 241A, 241C, M242A, 243.


Ad Hoc Tracks
In consultation with their faculty advisers, students may petition for an ad hoc track tailored to their professional objectives. This may comprise graduate courses from established tracks, from across areas, and even from outside electrical engineering. The petition must justify how the selection of courses in the ad hoc track forms a coherent set of courses, and how the proposed ad hoc track serves the professional objectives. The petition must be approved by the faculty adviser and the departmental graduate adviser.

Comprehensive Examination
For M.S. students following the non-thesis option, the M.S. comprehensive examination is satisfied by completion of Electrical Engineering 299 (project seminar) under the direction of a faculty member. Students are assigned some topic of independent study by the faculty member. The study culminates with a written report and an oral presentation. The M.S. project seminar program across the department is administered, for each student, by the faculty member directing the course, the director of the area to which the student belongs, and the departmental graduate adviser. In case of failure, students may be reexamined only once with consent of the departmental graduate adviser.

Electrical Engineering Ph.D.
Areas of Study
Students may pursue specialization across three major areas of study: (1) circuits and embedded systems, (2) physical and wave electronics, and (3) signals and systems. These areas cover a broad spectrum of specializations in, for example, communications and telecommunications, control systems, electromagnetics, embedded computing systems, engineering optimization, integrated circuits and systems, microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), nanotechnology, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, signal processing, and solid-state electronics.

Course Requirements
The selection of courses for the Ph.D. program is tailored to the professional objectives of the students and must meet the requirements stated below. The courses should be selected and approved in consultation with the faculty adviser. Departures from the stated requirements are considered only in exceptional cases and must be approved by the departmental graduate adviser. Normally, students take additional courses to acquire deeper and broader knowledge in preparation for the dissertation research.

The minimum requirements for the Ph.D. degree are as follows:
1. Requisite. M.S. degree in Electrical Engineering or a related field granted by UCLA or by an institution recognized by the UCLA Graduate Division
2. All Ph.D. program requirements should be completed within five academic years from admission into the Ph.D. graduate
3. Students must maintain a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.5 in the Ph.D. program.

4. Students must complete at least the following requirements: (a) four formal graduate courses selected in consultation with the faculty adviser, (b) Electrical Engineering 297, (c) one technical communications course such as Electrical Engineering 295, (d) no 500-level courses, other seminar courses, nor Electrical Engineering 296 or 375 may be applied toward the course requirements, (e) pass the Ph.D. preliminary examination which is administered by the doctoral committee, (f) complete a Ph.D. dissertation under the direction of the faculty adviser, and (h) defend the Ph.D. dissertation in a public seminar with the doctoral committee.

5. A formal graduate course is defined as any 200-level course, excluding seminar or tutorial courses. Formal graduate courses taken to meet the M.S. degree requirements may not be applied toward the Ph.D. course requirements.

6. At least two of the formal graduate courses must be in electrical engineering.

7. Within two academic years from admission into the Ph.D. program, all courses should be completed and the Ph.D. preliminary examination should be passed. It is strongly recommended that students take the Ph.D. preliminary examination during their first academic year in the program.

8. The University Oral Qualifying Examination must be taken when all required courses are complete, and within one year after passing the Ph.D. preliminary examination.

9. Students admitted originally to the M.S. program in the Electrical Engineering Department must complete all M.S. program requirements with a grade-point average of at least 3.5 to be considered for admission into the Ph.D. program. Only after admission into the program can students take the Ph.D. preliminary examination, which is held once every year. Students are examined independently by a group of faculty members in their general area of study. The examination by each faculty member typically includes both oral and written components, and students pass the entire Ph.D. preliminary examination and not in parts. Students who fail the examination may repeat it once only with consent of the departmental graduate adviser. The preliminary examination, together with the course requirements for the Ph.D. program, should be completed within two years from admission into the program.

After passing the written qualifying examination described above, students are ready to take the University Oral Qualifying Examination. The nature and content of the examination are at the discretion of the doctoral committee, but ordinarily include a broad inquiry into the preparation for research. The doctoral committee also reviews the prospectus of the dissertation at the oral qualifying examination.

Students must nominate a doctoral committee prior to taking the University Oral Qualifying Examination. A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, are “inside” members and must hold appointments in the Electrical Engineering Department at UCLA. The “outside” member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Electrical Engineering Department. By petition, one of the four members may be a faculty member from another UC campus.

Written and Oral Qualifying Examinations

The written qualifying examination is known as the Ph.D. preliminary examination in the department. The purpose of the examination is to assess student competency in the discipline, knowledge of the fundamentals, and potential for independent research. Students admitted originally to the M.S. program in the Electrical Engineering Department must complete all M.S. program requirements with a grade-point average of at least 3.5 to be considered for admission into the Ph.D. program. Only after admission into the program can students take the Ph.D. preliminary examination, which is held once every year. Students are examined independently by a group of faculty members in their general area of study. The examination by each faculty member typically includes both oral and written components, and students pass the entire Ph.D. preliminary examination and not in parts. Students who fail the examination may repeat it once only with consent of the departmental graduate adviser. The preliminary examination, together with the course requirements for the Ph.D. program, should be completed within two years from admission into the program.

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Facilities and Programs

Computing Resources

Students and faculty have access to a modern networked computing environment that interconnects UNIX workstations as well as Windows and Linux PCs. These machines are provided by the Electrical Engineering Department; most of them operate in a client-server mode, but stand-alone configurations are supported as well. Furthermore, this network connects to mainframes and supercomputers provided by the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science and the Office of Academic Computing, as well as off-campus supercomputers according to need.

The rapidly growing department-wide network comprises about 500 computers. These include about 200 workstations from Sun, HP, and SGI, and about 300 PCs, all connected to a 100 Mbit/s network with multiple parallel T3 lines running to individual research laboratories and computer rooms. The server functions are performed by several high-speed, high-capacity RAID servers from Network Appliance and IBM which serve user directories and software applications in a unified transparent fashion. All this computing power is distributed in research laboratories, computer classrooms, and open-access computer rooms.

Research Centers and Laboratories

Center for High-Frequency Electronics

The Center for High-Frequency Electronics has been established with support from several governmental agencies and contributions from local industries, beginning with a $10 million grant from Hewlett-Packard.

The first major goal of the center is to combine, in a synergistic manner, five areas of research. These include (1) solid-state millimeter wave devices, (2) millimeter systems for imaging and communications, (3) millimeter wave high-power sources (gyrotrons), (4) GaAs gigabit logic systems, and (5) VLSI and LSI based on new materials and structures. The center supports work in these areas by providing the necessary advanced equipment and facilities and allows the University to play a major role in initiating and generating investigations into new electronic devices. Students, both graduate and undergraduate, receive training and instruction in a unique facility.

The second major goal of the center is to bring together the manpower and skills necessary to synthesize new areas of activity by stimulating interactions between different interdependent fields. The Electrical Engi-
neering Department, other departments within UCLA, and local universities (such as Caltech and USC) have begun to combine and correlate certain research programs as a result of the formation of the center.

**Circuits Laboratories**
The Circuits Laboratories are equipped for measurements on high-speed analog and digital circuits and are used for the experimental study of communication, signal processing, and instrumentation systems. A hybrid integrated circuit facility is available for rapid mounting, testing, and revision of miniature circuits. These include both discrete components and integrated circuit chips. The laboratory is available to advanced undergraduate and graduate students through faculty sponsorship on thesis topics, research grants, or special studies.

**Electromagnetics Laboratories**
The Electromagnetics Laboratories involve the disciplines of microwaves, millimeter waves, wireless electronics, and electromechanics. Students enrolled in microwave laboratory courses, such as Electrical Engineering 164D and 164L, special projects classes such as Electrical Engineering 199, and/or research projects, have the opportunity to obtain experimental and design experience in the following technology areas: (1) integrated microwave circuits and antennas, (2) integrated millimeter wave circuits and antennas, (3) numerical visualization of electromagnetic waves, (4) electromagnetic scattering and radar cross-section measurements, and (5) antenna near field and diagnostics measurements.

**Nanoelectronics Research Facility**
The state-of-the-art Nanoelectronics Research Facility for graduate research and teaching as well as the undergraduate microelectronics teaching laboratory are housed in an 8,500-square-foot class 100/1000 clean room with a full complement of utilities, including high purity deionized water, high purity nitrogen, and exhaust scrubbers. The NRF supports research on nanometer-scale fabrication and on the study of fundamental quantum size effects, as well as exploration of innovative nanometer-scale device concepts. The laboratory also supports many other schoolwide programs in device fabrication, such as MEMS and optoelectronics. For more information, see http://www.nanolab.ucla.edu.

**Photonics and Optoelectronics Laboratories**
In the Laser Laboratory students study the properties of lasers and gain an understanding of the application of this modern technology to optics, communication, and holography. The Photonics and Optoelectronics Laboratories include facilities for research in all of the basic areas of quantum electronics. Specific areas of experimental investigation include high-powered lasers, nonlinear optical processes, ultrafast lasers, parametric frequency conversion, electro-optics, infrared detection, and semiconductor lasers and detectors. Operating lasers include mode-locked and Q-switched Nd:YAG and Nd:YLF lasers, Ti:Al2O3 lasers, ultraviolet and visible wavelength argon lasers, wavelength-tunable dye lasers, as well as gallium arsenide, helium-neon, excimer, and high-powered continuous and pulsed carbon dioxide laser systems. Also available are equipment and facilities for research on semiconductor lasers, fiber optics, nonlinear optics, and ultrashort laser pulses. Facilities for mirror polishing and coating and high-vacuum gas handling systems are also available. These laboratories are open to undergraduate and graduate students who have faculty sponsorship for their thesis projects or special studies.

**Plasma Electronics Facilities**
Two laboratories are dedicated to the study of the effects of intense laser radiation on matter in the plasma state. One, located in Engineering IV, houses a state-of-the-art tabletop terawatt (T3) 400fs laser system that can be operated in either a single or dual frequency mode for laser-plasma interaction studies. Diagnostic equipment includes a ruby laser scattering system, a streak camera, and optical spectographs and multichannel analyzer. Parametric instabilities such as stimulated Raman scattering have been studied, as well as the resonant excitation of plasma waves by optical mixing. The second laboratory, located in Boelter Hall, houses the MARS laser, currently the largest on-campus university CO2 laser in the U.S. It can produce 200J, 170ps pulses of CO2 radiation, focused to 1016 W/cm2. The laser is used for testing new ideas for laser-driven particle accelerators and free-electron lasers. Several high-pressure, short-pulse drivers can be used on the MARS; other equipment includes a theta-pinch plasma generator, an electron linac injector, and electron detectors and analyzers.

A second group of laboratories is dedicated to basic research in plasma sources for basic experiments, plasma processing, and plasma heating. There is also a large computing cluster called DAWSON 2 that is dedicated to the study of plasma-based acceleration, inertial fusion energy, and high energy density plasma science. DAWSON 2 consists of 96 HP L390 nodes each with 12 Intel X5650 CPUs and 48 GB of RAM, and 3 Nvidia M2070 GPUs and 18 GB of Global Memory (for a total of 1152 CPUs and 288 GPUs) connected by a non-blocking QDR Infiniband network with 160TB of parallel storage from Panasas. The system’s peak performance is approximately 300TF/150TF (single/double precision) and it has a measured Linpack performance of 68.1TF (double precision). DAWSON 2 is housed within the UCLA Institute for Digital Research Engineering data center.

**Solid-State Electronics Facilities**
Solid-state electronics equipment and facilities include (1) a modern integrated semiconductor device processing laboratory, (2) complete new Si and III-V compound molecular beam epitaxy systems, (3) CAD and mask-making facilities, (4) lasers for beam crystallization study, (5) thin film and characterization equipment, (6) deep-level transient spectroscopy instruments, (7) computerized capacitance-voltage and other characterization equipment, including doping density profiling systems, (8) low-temperature facilities for material and device physics studies in cryogenic temperatures, (9) optical equipment, including many different types of lasers for optical characterization of superlattice and quantum well devices, (10) characterization equipment for high-speed devices, including (11) high magnetic field facilities for magnetotransport measurement of heterostructures. The laboratory facilities are available to faculty, staff, and graduate students for their research.

**Multidisciplinary Research Facilities**
The department is also associated with several multidisciplinary research centers including:

- California NanoSystems Institute (CNSI)
- Center for Embedded Networked Sensing (CENS)
- Center for High-Frequency Electronics (CHFE)
- Center for Nanoscience Innovation for Defense (CNID)
- Functional Engineered Nano Architectonics Focus Center (FENA)
- Plasma Science and Technology Institute
- Western Institute for Nanoelectronics (WIN)

**Faculty Groups and Laboratories**
Department faculty members also lead a broad range of research groups and laboratories that cover a wide spectrum of specialties, including:

- Adaptive Systems Laboratory (Sayed)
Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance

Professors

Asad A. Abidi, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1981)
High-performance analog electronics, device modeling

Abeer A.H. Alwan, Ph.D. (MIT, 1992)
Speech processing, acoustic properties of speech sounds with applications to speech synthesis, recognition by machine and coding, hearing-aids design, and digital signal processing

*A.V. Balakrishnan, Ph.D. (USC, 1954)
Control and communications, flight systems applications

M.C. Frank Chang, Ph.D. (National Chiao-Tung, Taiwan, 1979)
High-speed semiconductor (GaAs, InP, and Si) devices and integrated circuits for digital, analog, microwave, and optoelectronic integrated circuit applications

Panagiotis D. Christofides, Ph.D. (Minnesota, 1996)
Process modeling, dynamics and control, computational and applied mathematics

Babak Daneshrady, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1993)
Digital VLSI circuits: wireless communication systems, high-performance communications integrated circuits for wireless applications

Suhas Diggavi, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1999)
Wireless communication, information theory, wireless networks, data compression, signal processing

Deborah L. Estrin, Ph.D. (MIT, 1985)
Sensor networks, embedded network sensing, environmental monitoring, computer networks

Warren S. Grundfest, M.D., FACS (Columbia, 1980)
Development of lasers for medical applications, minimally invasive surgery, magnetic resonance-guided interventional procedures, laser lithotripsy, microendoscopy, spectroscopy, photodynamic therapy (PDT), optical technology, biologic feedback control mechanisms

Lei He, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1999)
Computer-aided design of VLSI circuits and systems, coarse-grain programmable systems and field programmable gate array (FPGA), high-performance interconnect modeling and design, power-efficient computer architectures and systems, numerical and combinatorial optimization

Diana L. Huffaker, Ph.D. (Texas, Austin, 1995)
Solid-state nanotechnology, MWIR optoelectronic devices, solar cells, Si photonics, novel materials

Tatsuo Itoh, Ph.D. (Illinois, Urbana, 1969)
Microwave and millimeter wave electronics; guided wave structures; low-power wireless electronics; integrated passive components and antennas; photonic bandgap structures and meta materials applications; active integrated antennas, smart antennas; RF technologies for reconfigurable front-ends; sensors and transponders

Bahram Jalali, Ph.D. (Columbia, 1989)
RF photonics, integrated optics, fiber optic integrated circuits

Laser fusion, laser acceleration of particles, nonlinear optics, high-power lasers, plasma physics

Jack W. Judy, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1996)
Microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), micromachining, microsensors, microactuators, and microsystems, neuroengineering, neural-electronic interfaces, neuroMEMS, implantable electronic systems, wireless telemetry, neural prostheses, and magnetism and magnetic materials

William J. Kaiser, Ph.D. (Wayne State, 1983)
Research and development of new microsensor and microinstrument technology for industry, science, and biomedical applications; development and applications of new atomic-resolution scanning methods for microelectronic device research

Alan Laub, Ph.D. (Minnesota, 1974)
Numerical linear algebra, numerical analysis, condition estimation, computer-aided control system design, high-performance computing

Jia-Ming Liu, Ph.D. (Harvard, 1982)
Nonlinear optics, ultrafast optics, laser chaos, semiconductor lasers, optoelectronics, photonics, nonlinear and ultrafast processes

Warren B. Mori, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1987)
Laser and charged particle beam-plasma interactions, advanced accelerator concepts, advanced light sources, laser-fusion, high-energy density science, high-performance computing, plasma physics

Scientific computing, applied mathematics

*C. Kumar N. Patel, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1961)
Quantum electronics; nonlinear optics; photoacoustics in gases, liquids, and solids; ultra-low level detection of trace gases; chemical and toxic gas sensors

Gregory J. Pottie, Ph.D. (McMaster, 1988)
Communication systems and theory with applications to wireless sensor networks

Yahya Rahmat-Samii, Ph.D. (Illinois, 1975)
Satellite communications antennas, personal communication antennas including human interactions, antennas for remote-sensing and radio astronomy applications, advanced numerical and genetic optimization techniques in electromagnetics, frequency selective surfaces and photonic band gap structures, novel integrated and fractal antennas, near-field antenna measurements and diagnostic techniques, electromagnetic theory

Behzad Razavi, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1992)
Analog, RF, and mixed-signal integrated circuit design, dual-standard RF transceivers, phase-locked systems and frequency synthesizers, A/D and D/A converters, high-speed data communication circuits

Vwan P. Roychowdury, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1989)
Models of computation including parallel and distributed processing systems, quantum computation and information processing, circuits and computing paradigms for nanoelectronics and molecular electronics, adaptive and learning algorithms, nonparametric methods and algorithms for large-scale information processing, combinatorics and complexity, and information theory

Izhak Rubin, Ph.D. (Princeton, 1970)
Telecommunications and computer communications systems and networks, mobile wireless networks, multimedia IP networks, UW/ UWV-aided networks, integrated system and network management, C4ISR systems and networks, optical networks, network simulations and analysis, traffic modeling and engineering

† Also Professor of Mathematics

* Also Professor of Physics
Lower Division Courses

1. Electrical Engineering Physics I (4.0) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: Mathematics 32A, 32B, Physics 1A, 1B. Introduction to modern physics and electromagnetism with engineering orientation. Emphasis on mathematical tools necessary to express and solve Maxwell equations. Relation of these concepts to waves propagating in free space, including dielectrics and optical systems. Letter grading.

Mr. Joshi, Mr. Y.E. Wang (FW)
2. Physics for Electrical Engineers. (4) Lecture, four hours: discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 1. Introduction to concepts of modern physics necessary to understand solid-state devices, including elementary quantum theory, Fermi energies, and concepts of electron in solids. Discussion of electrical properties of semiconductors leading to operation of junction devices. Letter grading. Mr. Jalali, Mr. Williams (W,Sp)

3. Introduction to Electrical Engineering. (2) Lecture, two hours: Introduction to field of electrical engineering; research and applications across several areas, such as communications, control, electromagnetics, embedded computing, engineering optimization, integrated circuits, MEMS, nanotechnology, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, signal processing, and solid-state electronics. P/NP grading. Mr. Sayed (W)


M16. Logic Design of Digital Systems. (4) (Same as Computer Science M51A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Introduction to digital systems. Specification and implementation of combinational and sequential systems. Standard logic modules and programmable logic arrays. Specification and implementation of algorithmic systems: data and control sections. Number systems and arithmetic algorithms. Error control codes for digital information. Letter grading. Ms. Cabric (FW)

19. Fiat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of and critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many points of view at UCLA. P/NP grading.

99. Student Research Program. (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week per unit. Entry-level research for lower division students under guidance of faculty mentor. Students must be in good academic standing and enrolled in minimum of 12 units (excluding this course). Individual contract required; consult Undergraduate Research Center. May be repeated. P/NP grading.

Upper Division Courses

100. Electrical and Electronic Circuits. (4) Lecture, three hours: discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 1 or Physics 1C. Mathematics 33A, 33B. Electrical quantities, linear circuit elements, circuit principles, signal waveforms, transient and steady state circuit behavior, semiconductor diodes and transistors, small signal models, and operational amplifiers. Letter grading. Mr. He (FW)

101. Engineering Electromagnetics. (4) Lecture, four hours: discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 1 or Physics 1C, Mathematics 33A, 33B. Electromagnetic field concepts, waves and phasors, transmission lines and Smith chart, transient responses, vector analysis, introduction to Maxwell equations, static and quasi-static electric and magnetic fields. Letter grading. Mr. Ozcan, Mr. Williams (FW)


103. Applied Numerical Computing. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Civil Engineering 15 or Computer Science 31, and course 102. (Course 110A may be taken concurrently). Introduction to numerical computing and analysis. Floating point representation and round-off error; numerical methods for systems of linear equations; methods for systems of nonlinear equations. Introduction to numerical optimization, linear programming, least squares, interpolation, approximation, numerical integration; and differential equations. Letter grading. Mr. Potrie, Mr. Vandenberghe (F,Sp)

110. Circuit Analysis II. (4) Lecture, three hours: discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 10. Corequisite: course 102. Sinusoidal excitation and phasors, AC steady-state analysis, AC steady state power, network functions, poles and zeros, frequency response, mutual inductance, ideal transformer, application of Laplace transforms to circuit analysis. Letter grading. Mr. Daneshrad, Mr. Willson (FW)

110L. Circuit Measurements Laboratory. (2) Laboratory, four hours: outside study, two hours. Requisite: course 100 or 110. Experiments with basic circuits, single-stage amplifiers, multi-stage amplifier circuits, op-amps. Ohm’s law voltage and current division, Thevenin and Norton equivalent circuits, superposition, transient and steady state analysis, and frequency response principles. Letter grading. Mr. Razi (F,Sp)


110D. Digital Signal Processing Design. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisite: course 113. Real-time implementation of digital signal processing algorithms on digital computer processors. Experiments involving A/D and D/A conversion, aliasing, digital filtering, sinusoidal oscillators, Fourier transforms, and finite wordlength effects. Course project involving original design and implementation of digital signal processing systems for communications, speech, audio, or video using DSP chip. Letter grading. Mr. Daneshrad (F,Sp)

114. Speech and Image Processing Systems Design. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisite: course 113. Design principles of speech and image processing systems. Speech production, analysis, and modeling in first half of course; design techniques for image enhancement, filtering, and transformation in second half. Lectures supplemented by laboratory implementation of speech and image processing tasks. Letter grading.

115A. Analog Electronic Circuits I. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 110L. Review of physics and operation of diodes and bipolar and MOS transistors; equivalent circuits and models of semiconductor devices. Analysis and design of single-stage amplifiers. DC biasing circuits. Small-signal analysis. Operational amplifier systems. Letter grading. Mr. Villasenor (W)

115B. Analog Electronic Circuits II. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 115A. Analysis and design of differential amplifiers in bipolar and CMOS technologies. Current mirrors and active loads. Frequency response of amplifiers. Feedback properties of operational amplifiers. Frequency compensation. Letter grading. Mr. Razavi (W)

115BL. Analog Electronics Laboratory II. (4) Laboratory, four hours: outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: courses 115AL, 115B. Experimental and computer study of multistage, wideband, tuned, and power amplifiers, and multiloop feedback amplifiers. Introduction to thick film hybrid techniques. Construction of amplifier using hybrid thick film technology. Letter grading. Mr. Markovic, Mr. Pamarti (W)

115C. Digital Electronic Circuits. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 115A. Computer Science M51A. Recommended: course 115B. Transistor-level digital circuit analysis and design. Modern logic families (static CMOS, pass-transistor, dynamic logic), integrated circuit (IC) layout, digital circuits (logic gates, flipflops/ latchs, counters, etc.), computer-aided simulation of circuits. Letter grading. Mr. Markovic, Mr. Pampari (W)


M115C. Computer Systems Architecture. (4) (Same as Computer Science M152A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course M16 or Computer Science M51A, Computer Science 33. Recommended: course M115L or Computer Science M152A. Computer Science 111. Computer system organization and design, implementation of CPU datapath and control, instruction set design, memory hierarchy (caches, main memory, virtual memory) organization and management, input/output subsystems (bus structures, interrupts, DMA), performance evaluation, pipelined processors. Letter grading. Mr. Gupta (W)

M116L. Introductory Digital Design Laboratory. (2) (Same as Computer Science M152A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Not open to students with credit for course M171L. Laboratory course introduction to fundamental computer communication concepts underlying and supporting modern networks, with focus on wireless communications and media access layers of network protocol stack. Systems include wireless LANs (IEEE802.11) and ad hoc wireless and personal area networks (e.g., Bluetooth, ZigBee). Experimental laboratory sessions included. Letter grading. Mr. He (F,Sp)

M117. Computer Networks: Physical Layer. (4) (Same as Computer Science M117.) Lecture, two hours; discussion, two hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, six hours. Hands-on design, implementation, and debugging of digital logic circuits, use of computer-aided design tools for schematic capture and simulation, implementation of complex circuits using programmed array logic, design projects. Letter grading. Mr. Zhang (W,Sp)

121B. Principles of Semiconductor Device Design. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 2. Introduction to principles of operation of bipolar and MOS transistors, device physics, high-frequency behavior, voltage limitations. Letter grading. Mr. Chui, Mr. Woo (W,Sp)
121L. Semiconductor Devices Laboratory. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Enforced requisites: courses 2, 121B (may be taken concurrently). Design fabrication and characterization of p-n junction and transistors. Students process, test, characterize, and fabricate devices. Letter grading.

Mr. Candler (Sp)

123A. Fundamentals of Solid-State I. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 2 or Physics 1C. Limited to junior/senior engineering majors. Fundamentals of solid-state, introduction to quantum mechanics and quantum states to solid-state. Crystal structure, energy levels in solids, and band theory and semiconductor properties. Letter grading.

Mr. Candler (F)

123B. Fundamentals of Solid-State II. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Enforced requisite: course 123A. Discussion of solid-state properties, lattice vibrations, thermal properties, dielectric, magnetic, and superconducting properties. Letter grading.

124. Semiconductor Physical Electronics. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 123A. Band structure of semiconductors, experimental probes of band structure parameters, statistics of carriers, carrier transport properties at low fields, excess carrier transport properties, carrier recombination mechanisms, heterojunction properties. Letter grading.

Mr. Chang (F)

128. Principles of Nanoelectronics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: course 1, or Physics 1A and 1B. Introduction to fundamentals of nanoscience for electronics nanosystems. Principles of fundamental quantities: electron charge, effective mass, Bohr magneton, and spin, as well as theoretical approaches. From these nanoscale components, discussion of basic behaviors of nanosystems such as analysis of dynamics, variability, and noise, contrasted with those of scaled CMOS. Incorporation of design project in which students are challenged to design electronics nanosystems. Letter grading.

K.L. Wang (W)

129D. Semiconductor Processing and Device Design. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, six hours. Enforced requisite: course 121B. Introduction to computer-aided tools used in integrated circuit processing and device design. Device structure optimization tool is based on PISCES; process integration tool is based on SUPREM. Course familiarizes students with those tools. Using CAD and CMOS process integration to be designed. Letter grading.

Mr. Chiu (Sp)

131A. Probability. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, ten hours. Requisites: course 102, Mathematics 32B, 33B. Introduction to basic concepts of probability, including random variables and vectors, distributions and densities, moments, characteristic functions, and limit theorems. Applications to communication, Ms. I. and W. (W, Sp)

Mr. Dolecek, Mr. Yao (FW)

131B. Introduction to Stochastic Processes. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 131A. Introduction to concepts of stochastic processes, emphasizing continuous- and discrete-time stationary processes, correlation function and spectral density, linear transformation, and mean-square estimation. Applications to communication, control, and signal processing. Introduction to computer simulation and analysis of stochastic processes. Letter grading.

Mr. Balakrishnan (Sp)


Mr. Rahmat-Samii (Sp)

132B. Data Communications and Telecommunication Networks. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 131A. Layered communications architecture. Computer and network protocols, error control, flow and congestion control. Packet switching, circuit switching, and routing. Network performance analysis and design. Multiple-access communication systems. CMOS, power, and access. Local, metropolitan, wide area, integrated services networks. Letter grading.

Mr. Rubin (Not offered 2011-12)


(Not offered 2011-12)


142. Linear Systems: State-Space Approach. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 102. State-space methods of linear system analysis and synthesis, with application to problems in networks, control, and system modeling. Letter grading.

Mr. Lev (F)

CM150. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM150L and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM180L.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 4AL, 4BL, 4C, 4L, 44AL, 44BL, Corequisite: course CM150L. Introduction to micromachining technologies and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) laboratory. Methods of microma- chining and fundamental processes to pro- duce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, mi- crosensors, and microactuators. Students go through process of fabricating MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM250L. Letter grading.

Mr. Candler (F)

161. Electromagnetic Waves. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 101. Time-varying fields: Maxwell equations, plane wave propagation and interaction with media, energy flow and Poynting vector, guided waves in waveguides, phase and group velocity, radiation and antennas. Letter grading.

Mr. Y.E. Wang (F)

162A. Wireless Communication Links and Antennas. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 101. Basic properties of transmitting and receiving antennas and antenna arrays. Array synthesis. Adaptive arrays. Friis transmission formula, radar equa- tions, cell-site and mobile antennas, bandwidth budget. Noise in communication systems (transmission lines, antennas, atmospheric, etc.). Cell-site and mo- bile antennas, cell coverage for signal and traffic, in- terference, multipath fading, ray bending, and other propagation phenomena. Letter grading.

Mr. Y. Chang (Sp)

163A. Introductory Microwave Circuits. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, nine hours. Enforced requisite: course 161. Transmission line description of waveguides, imped- ance transformers, power dividers, directional cou- plers, filters, hybrid junctions, nonreciprocal devices. Letter grading.

Mr. Y.E. Wang (F)

163B. Microwave and Millimeter Wave Active De- vices. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 121B. MESFET, HEMT, HBT, IMPATT, Gunn, small signal models, noise model, large signal model, load- pull method, parameter extraction technique. Letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)

163C. Active Microwave Circuits. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Enforced requisites: courses 115A, 161. Theory and design of microwave transistor amplifiers and oscillators; stability, noise, distortion. Letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)

164D. Microwave Wireless Design. (4) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 161. Microwave in- tegrated circuit design from wireless system perspec- tive. Focus on (1) use of computer-aided simulation tools, (2) design of wireless front end circuits in- cluding low noise amplifier, mixer, and power amplifier, (3) knowledge and skills required in wire- less integrated circuit characterization and implemen- tation. Letter grading.

Mr. Chang (Sp)

164L. Microwave Wireless Laboratory. (2) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, three hours; outside study, three hours. Enforced requisite: course 161. Mea- surement techniques and instrumentation for active and passive microwave components; cavity resonators, waveguides, wave meters, slotted lines, direc- tional couplers. Design, fabrication, and characteriza- tion of microwave circuits in microstrip and coaxial systems. Letter grading.

Mr. Itoh (W)

M171L. Data Communication Systems Laboratory. (2 to 4) (Same as Computer Science M171L.) Laboratory, four to eight hours; outside study, two to four hours. Recommended preparation: course M116L. Limited to seniors. Interpretation of analog- signaling aspects of digital systems and data communica- tions through experience in using contemporary test instruments to generate and analyze signals in relevant laboratory setups. Use of oscilloscopes, pulse and function generators, baseband spectrum analyzers, desktop computers, terminals, modems, PCs, and workstations in experiments on pulse trans- mission impairments, waveforms and their spectra, modem and terminal characteristics, and interfaces. Letter grading.

Mr. Dzhaniyev (FSp)
172. Introduction to Lasers and Quantum Electronics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 101. Physical applications and principles of lasers, Gaussian optics, resonant cavities, atomic radiation, laser oscillation, amplification, cw and pulsed lasers. Letter grading.

Mr. Jalali, Mr. Williams (Sp)

172L. Laser Laboratory. (4) Laboratory, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite or corequisite: courses 172, 172P. Principles of lasers, including saturation, gain, mode structure. Laser applications, including optics, modulation, communication, holography, and interferometry. Letter grading.

Mr. Stafsudd (F)

173. Photonic Devices. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisite: course 101. Introduction to basic principles of photonic devices. Topics include crystal optics, dielectric optical waveguides, waveguide couplers, electro-optic devices, magneto-optic devices, acousto-optic devices, second-harmonic generation, optical Kerr effect, optical switching devices. Letter grading.

Mr. Liu (W)

173D. Photonics and Communication Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 102. Recommended: course 132A. Introduction to measurement of basic photonic devices. Topics include LEDs, lasers, detectors, and fiber optics; fiber-optic fundamentals and measurement of fiber systems. Modulation techniques, including A.M., F.M., phase, and suppressed carrier methods. Letter grading.

Mr. Stafsudd (W)


Mr. Stafsudd (W)

175. Fourier Optics. (4) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: courses 102, 161. Two-dimensional linear systems and Fourier transforms. Foundation of diffraction theory. Analysis of optical imaging systems. Spatial filtering and optical information processing. Wavefront reconstruction and holography. Letter grading.

Mr. Ozcun (Sp)

180D. Systems Design. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Limited to senior Electrical Engineering majors. Advanced systems design integrating communications, control, and signal processing subsystems. Different project to be assigned yearly in which student teams create high-performance designs that manage trade-offs among subsystems. Letter grading.

Mr. Kaiser, Mr. Pottel (FSp)

181D. Robotic Systems Design. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, six hours. Required: courses M16, 110L, M161L (or Computer Science M152A). Computer Science 31, 33. Recommended: courses 113, 141, Computer Science 35L. Design of robotic systems that combine embedded hardware, software, mechanical subsystems, and fundamental algorithms for sensing and control to expose students to basic concepts in robotics and current state-of-the-art designs to design laboratory where students work in teams to construct series of subsystems leading to final project. Letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)

M184DA-M184DB. Independent Group Project Design. (20) (Formerly course 184DA-184DB) Laboratory, five hours; discussion, one hour. Enforced requisite: courses M16, 110, 110L. Course 184DA is enforced requisite to 184DB. Courses centered on group projet that gives students opportunity to gain experience on hardware design, microcontroller programming, and project coordination. Several projects based on autonomous robots that traverse small maze courses and compete against team during national competitions. Students may submit proposals that are evaluated and approved by faculty members. Topics include sensing circuits and amplifier-based design, microcontroller programming, feedback control, and soft motor control. In Progress (184DA) and letter (184DB) grading.

Mr. Briggs (FW)

M185. Introduction to Plasma Electronics. (4) (Same as Physics M122.) Lecture, three hours. Enforced requisite: course 101 or Physics 110A. Senior-level introductory course on plasmas. Topics include: plasma generation, generation of coherent radiation and particle beams, and renewable energy sources. Letter grading.

Mr. Mori (F)

188. Special Courses in Electrical Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in electrical engineering for undergraduates. Prerequisites: courses M16, M202, M208, M213B, M213C, M213D, M213E, M219, M225, M229A, M229B, M229C. May be repeated for credit with permission of instructor. Letter grading.

Mr. Stafsudd (W)

194. Research Group Seminars: Electrical Engineering. (2 to 4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite to 184DB. Courses centered on group projects. May be repeated for credit with permission of instructor. Letter grading.

Mr. Gupta (Sp)

199. Directed Research in Electrical Engineering. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised individual research or investigation under guidance of faculty mentor. Culuminating paper or project required. May be repeated for credit with school approval. Individual contract required; enrollment petitions available in Office of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading.

Mr. Gupta (Sp)

201A. VLSI Design Automation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Prerequisite: course 115C. Modern CAD methods for VLSI circuits and systems, including introduction to circuit and system platforms such as field programmable gate arrays and multicore systems; high-level synthesis, logic synthesis, and technology mapping for physical design; and testing and verification. Letter grading.

Mr. Gupta (Sp)

201C. Modeling of VLSI Circuits and Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours. Prerequisite: course 115C. Detailed study of VLSI circuit and system modeling considering performance, signal integrity, power and thermal effects, reliability, and manufacturability. Discussion of principles of modeling and optimization codeveloped with Intel. Letter grading.

(Not offered 2011-12)


Mr. Kaiser (Sp)


Mr. Laub (F)

M208B. Functional Analysis for Applied Mathematics and Engineering. (4) (Same as Mathematics M268B.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Required: course 208A (or Mathematics 115A and 115B), Mathematics 131A, 131B, 132. Topics may include L^p spaces, Hilbert, Banach, and separable spaces; Fourier transforms; linear operators; Riesz representation theory, linear and multilinear algebra; Hilbert space, Banach space, and operator theory. Functional analysis with applications to partial differential equations. Letter grading.

Mr. Balakrishnan (W)

M209A. Matrix Analysis for Scientists and Engineers. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: one undergraduate linear algebra course. Designed for first-year graduate students in all branches of engineering and related disciplines. Introduction to matrix theory and linear algebra, with emphasis on applications ranging from traditional engineering problems to new areas of wireless, networking, robotic design modules and course projects based on state-of-art embedded hardware platform. Letter grading.

Mr. Kaiser (W)

M209B. Functional Analysis for Applied Mathematics and Engineering. (4) (Same as Mathematics M268B.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Required: course 208A (or Mathematics 115A and 115B), Mathematics 131A, 131B, 132. Topics may include L^p spaces, Hilbert, Banach, and separable spaces; Fourier transforms; linear operators; Riesz representation theory, linear and multilinear algebra; Hilbert space, Banach space, and operator theory. Functional analysis with applications to partial differential equations. Letter grading.

Mr. Balakrishnan (W)

M210C. Topics in Functional Analysis for Applied Mathematics and Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: course 208B. Topics may include L^p spaces, Hilbert, Banach, and separable spaces; Fourier transforms; linear operators; Riesz representation theory, linear and multilinear algebra; Hilbert space, Banach space, and operator theory. Functional analysis with applications to partial differential equations. Letter grading.

Mr. Akamumin (Sp)
ability. Spectral theory of differential operators, PDEs, and generalized functions. S/U or letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

209AS. Special Topics in Circuits and Embedded Systems, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in one or more aspects of circuits and embedded systems, such as analog, mixed-signal, and radio frequency integrated circuits (RF ICs); electronic design automation; wireless communication circuits and systems; embedded processor architecture; real-time operating systems; distributed sensor and actuator networks; robotics; and embedded security. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U grading.

Mr. Fabrici, Mr. Gupta (FW)

209BS. Seminar: Circuits and Embedded Systems, (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Seminars and discussions on current and advanced topics in one or more aspects of circuits and embedded systems, such as analog, digital, mixed-signal, and radio frequency integrated circuits (RF ICs); electronic design automation; wireless communication circuits and systems; embedded processor architecture; real-time operating systems; distributed sensor and actuator networks; robotics; and embedded security. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U grading.

Mr. Fabrici, Mr. Gupta (FW)


210B. Optimal Linear Estimation, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 113, 131B, Mathematics 115A. Unified treatment of fundamental concepts and basic notions in adaptive filtering, Wiener filtering, Kalman filtering, and H∞ filtering. Emphasis on geometric, equivalence, and duality arguments. Development of array methods and fast algorithms. Discussion of practical issues. Examples of applications from fields of signal processing, communications, biomedical engineering, finance, and control. Letter grading. Mr. Sayed (Sp)

211A. Digital Image Processing I, (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, five hours. Preparation: computer programming experience. Review: fundamentals of discrete image processing theory and techniques. Topics include two-dimensional linear system theory, image transforms, and enhancement. Concepts covered in lecture applied in computer laboratory assignments. Letter grading. Mr. Villasenor (F)


212B. Multirate Systems and Filter Banks, (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisite: course 212A. Fundamentals of multirate systems; polyphase representation; multirate implementations; applications of multirate systems; maximally decimated filter banks; perfect reconstruction systems; paraunitary filter banks; wavelet transform and its relation to multirate filter banks. Letter grading. Mr. Willson (Sp)

213A. Advanced Digital Signal Processing Circuit Design, (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisite: course 212A. Digital filter design and optimization tools, architectures for digital signal processing circuits; integrated circuit modules for digital signal processing; programmable signal processors; designers tools and non-parametric, and parametric design techniques for multi-rate systems. Letter grading. Mr. Yang (F)

216B. VLSI Signal Processing, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Advanced concepts in VLSI signal processing, with emphasis on architecture design and optimization within block-based description that can be mapped to hardware. Fundamentals concepts from digital signal processing (DSP) theory, architecture, and circuit design applied to complex DSP algorithms in emerging applications for personal communications and healthcare. Letter grading. Mr. Chang (F)

2121C. LSI in Computer System Design, (4) (Same as Computer Science M225C.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, four hours; outside study, four hours. Requisite: course M216A. LSI/VLSI design and application in computer systems. In-depth studies of VLSI architectures and VLSI design. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

2121T. Biomedical Imaging, (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M217.) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisite: course 114 or 211A. Optical imaging modalities discussed briefly for comparison purposes. Letter grading. Mr. Ozcan (W)

218. Network Economics and Game Theory, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Discussion of how different combinatorial and cooperative games among agents can be constructed to model, analyze, and shape emerging interactions among users in different networks and system settings. How strategy and information can be used to compete with each other for limited and time-varying resources by optimizing their decision process and learning from their past interaction with other agents. To determine their optimal actions in electrical switching networks, Internet networks and information distribution networks. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

221A. Design of VLSI Circuits and Systems, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 215A, M216A. Analysis and design of integrated circuits, MOS and bipolar device structures and models, single-stage and differential amplifiers, noise, feedback, operational amplifiers, offset and distortion, sampling devices and discrete-time circuits, bandgap references. Letter grading. Mr. Razavi (F)

221B. Advanced Digital Integrated Circuits, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 115C, M216A. Analysis and comparison of modern logic families. VLSI memories (SRAM, DRAM, and ROMs). Accuracy of various simulation models and simulation methods for digital circuits. Letter grading. Mr. Yang (W)

225C. Analysis and Design of RF Circuits and Systems, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 215A. Principles of RF circuit and system design, with emphasis on monolithic implementation in VLSI technologies. Basic concepts, communications background, transmitter architectures, low-noise amplifiers, mixers, oscillators, frequency synthesizers, power amplifiers. Letter grading. Mr. Abidi (W)

225D. Analog Microsystem Design, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 215A. Analysis and design of semiconductor integrated circuits and systems. Letter grading. Mr. Razavi (Sp)

225E. Signaling and Synchronization, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 215A, M216A. Analysis and design of circuits for synchronization for VLSI systems. Use of both digital and analog design techniques to improve data rate of electronics between functional blocks, chips, and systems. Advanced clocking methodologies, phase-locked loop design for clock generation, and high-performance wire-line transmitters, receivers, and timing recovery circuits. Letter grading. Mr. Parnami (Sp)

226A. Design of VLSI Circuits and Systems, (4) (Same as Computer Science M226A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, three hours. Requisites: courses M16 or Computer Science M51A, and 115A. Recommended: course 115C. LSI/VLSI design and application in computer systems. Fundamental design techniques that can be used to implement complex integrated systems on chips. Letter grading. Mr. Yang (F)

227. VLSI Design, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Advanced concepts in VLSI design, with emphasis on architecture design and optimization within block-based description that can be mapped to hardware. Fundamentals concepts from digital signal processing (DSP) theory, architecture, and circuit design applied to complex DSP algorithms in emerging applications for personal communications and healthcare. Letter grading. Mr. Chang (F)

228A. VLSI Signal Processing, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Advanced concepts in VLSI signal processing, with emphasis on architecture design and optimization within block-based description that can be mapped to hardware. Fundamentals concepts from digital signal processing (DSP) theory, architecture, and circuit design applied to complex DSP algorithms in emerging applications for personal communications and healthcare. Letter grading. Mr. Chang (F)

229. Optical Imaging, (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Fundamentals concepts from digital signal processing (DSP) theory, architecture, and circuit design applied to complex DSP algorithms in emerging applications for personal communications and healthcare. Letter grading. Mr. Chang (F)
22A. Stochastic Modeling with Applications to Telecommunication Networks. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 223A. Introduction to stochastic processes as applied to study of telecommunication networks and multiple-access systems. Applications to traffic and queuing analysis of basic telecommunication system models. Letter grading. Mr. Roychowdhury (Sp, alternate years)

229S. Advanced Topics in Solid-State Electronics. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Preparation: successful completion of Ph.D. major field examination. Seminar on current research topics in solid-state and quantum electronics (Section 1) or in electronic circuit theory and applications (Section 2). Students and instructor select topic in their dissertation area. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

230A. Estimation and Detection in Communication and Radar Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 131A. Applications of estimation and detection concepts in communication and radar engineering; random signal and noise characteristics; parametric and non-parametric models; mean square (MS) and maximum likelihood (ML) estimation algorithms; detection under ML, Bayes, and Neyman-Pearson (NP) criteria; signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) and error probability evaluations. Lecture grading. Mr. Yeo (F)

230B. Digital Communication Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 132A, 230A. Basic concepts of digital communications systems; representation and encoding of digital signals; waveforms; signal space and optimum receivers in Gaussian noise; comparison of digital modulation methods; synchronization and adaptive equalization; applications to modern communication systems. Letter grading. Mr. Potte (W)


230D. Signal Processing in Communications. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 230C. Basic digital signal processing techniques for estimation and detection of signals in communication and radar systems. Optimization of dynamic range, quantization, and state constraints; DFT, convolution, FFT, NTT, Winograd FFT, systolic array; spectral analysis-windowing, AR, and ARMA system applications. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

231A. Information Theory: Channel and Source Coding. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 131A. Fundamental limits on compression and transmission of information. Topics include limits and algorithms for lossless data compression, channel capacity, rate versus distortion in lossy compression, and information theory for multiple users. Letter grading. Mr. Doeleck (W)

231E. Channel Coding Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 131A. Fundamentals of error control codes and decoding algorithms. Topics include block codes, convolutional codes, trellis codes, and turbo codes. Letter grading. Mr. Wesel (Sp)

232A. Mathematics of Operations Research. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 131A. Introduction to stochastic processes as applied to study of telecommunication networks and multiple-access systems. Quadratic programming, second-order cone and biconvex optimization, genetic algorithms, simulated annealing. Introduction to combinatorial optimization. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

236C. Optimization Methods for Large-Scale Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 236B. Theory and computation procedures for decomposing large-scale optimization problems: cutting-plane methods, column generation, decomposition algorithms. Techniques for global continuous optimization: branch-and-bound methods, direct methods, convex optimization, and biconvex mixed integer programming. Letter grading. Mr. Vandenbergen (W)

237D. Dynamic Programming. (4) (Same as Mechanical Aerospace Engineering M237.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended requisite: course 232A or 236A. Introduction to mathematical analysis of sequential decision processes. Finite horizon model in both deterministic and stochastic cases. Finite-state infinite horizon model. Methods of solution. Examples from inventory theory, finance, optimal control and estimation, Markov decision processes, combinatorial optimization, communications. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

238. Multimedia Communications and Processing. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 113, 131A. Key concepts, principles, and algorithms of real-time multimedia communications and processing across heterogeneous Internet and wireless channels. Due to flexible and low-cost infrastructure, new networks and communication channels enable variety of delay-sensitive multimedia transmission applications and provide varying resources with limited support for quality of service required by multimedia applications. Letter grading. Mr. Doeleck (F)

239A. Special Topics in Signals and Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in one or more aspects of signals and systems, such as communications, control, image processing, information theory, multimedia, computer networking, optimization, speech processing, telecommunication channels, and VLSI signal processing. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U or letter grading. Mr. Diggavi, Ms. Doeleck, Ms. Lee (W,Sp)

239B. Seminar: Signals and Systems. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; discussion, one hour. Applications to local-area, packet-radio, and cellular communication networks. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

239E. Graphs and Network Flows. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 136. Solution to analysis and synthesis problems that may be formulated as flow problems in capacity constrained (or cost constrained) networks. Development of tools of network flow theory using graph theoretic methods; application to communication, transport, and transmission problems. Letter grading. Mr. Roychowdhury (Sp)

239F. Linear Programming. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: Mathematics 115A or equivalent knowledge of linear algebra. Basic graduate course in linear optimization. Geometry of linear programming. Duality. Simplex method. Inter-point methods. Decomposition and large-scale linear programming. Quadratic programming and complementary pivot theory. Engineering applications. Introduction to integer linear programming and computational complexity theory. Letter grading. Mr. Roychowdhury (F)


240B. Linear Optimal Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 141, M240A. Introduction to optimal control, with emphasis on detailed study of LQG, or linear regulators...
with quadratic cost criteria. Relationships to classical control system design. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

M240C. Optimal Control. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering M280C and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M270C.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Co-requisite: course 240B. Applications of variational methods, Pontryagin maximum principle, Hamilton/Jacobi/Bellman equation (dynamic programming) to optimal control of dynamic systems modeled by nonlinear ordinary differential equations. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)


241C. Stochastic Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 240B, 241B. Linear quadratic Gaussian theory of optimal feedback control. Beneficial applications of feedback control and synthesis techniques to linear, time- invariant systems: introduction to non-linear systems: applications to interpolation guidance, gust alleviation. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

M242A. Nonlinear Dynamic Systems. (4) (Same as Chemical Engineering M282A and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M272A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M240A or Chemical Engineering M280A or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M270A. State-space techniques for studying solutions of time-invariant and time-varying nonlinear dynamic systems with emphasis on stability. Lyapunov theory (including converse theorems), invariance, center manifold theorem, input-output stability and small-gain theory. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

243. Robust and Optimal Control by Convex Methods. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M240A. Multivariable robust control, including H2 and H-infinity optimal control and robust performance analysis and synthesis against structured uncertainty. Emphasis on convex methods for analysis and design, in particular linear matrix inequality (LMI) approach to control. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

M248S. Seminar: Systems, Dynamics, and Control Topics. (2) (Same as Chemical Engineering M297 and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M299A.) Lecture, two hours; outside study, six hours. Limited to graduate engineering students. Presentations of research topics by leading academic researchers from fields of systems, dynamics, and control. Students who work in these fields present their papers and results. S/U grading. (Sp)

CM250A. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM250A and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering CM250L.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 240A, 240B, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL. Corequisite: course CM250A. Hands-on introduction to micromachining, microfabrication and microactuators. Students go through the process of fabricating MEMS devices. Concurrently scheduled with course CM150L. Letter grading. Mr. Candler (F)

M252. Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Device Physics and Design. (4) (Formerly numbered M250B.) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M252 and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M252B.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, five hours. Requisites: Mathematics 32A, Physics 1B or 6B. Introduction to principles and technologies of micromachining, microfabrication and microactuators. Designing MEMS to be fabricated by both foundry and non-foundry processes. Computer-aided design for MEMS. Design project required. Letter grading. Mr. Judy (Sp)

M255. Neuroengineering. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M260 and Neuroscience M260.) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, five hours. Requisites: Mathematics 32A, Physics 1B or 6B. Introduction to principles and technologies of bioelectricity and neural signal recording, processing, and restoration. Includes bioelectricity, electrophysiology (action potentials, local field potentials, EEG, ECOG), intracellular and extracellular recording, microelectrode technology, neural signal processing (neural signal frequency bands, filtering, spike detection, spike sorting, simulation artifact removal), brain-computer interfaces, deep-brain stimulation, and prosthetics. Letter grading.


M257. Nanoscience and Technology. (4) (Same as Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering M287.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course CM250A. Introduction to fundamentals of nanoscience and technology. Basic physical principles, quantum mechanics, chemical bonding and nanostructures, top-down and bottom-up self-assembled nanostructures, nanocharacterization, nanomaterials, nanoelectronics, and nanobiotechnology. Introduction to new knowledge and techniques in nano areas to understand scientific principles and technology and inspire students to create new ideas in multidisciplinary nano areas. Letter grading. Mr. Chen (W)

M260A. Advanced Engineering Electromagnetics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 163A, 162A. Advanced treatment of concepts in electromagnetics and their applications to modern engineering problems. Vector calculus in general coordinate systems, solutions of wave equation and special functions. Reflection, transmission, and polarization. Vector potential, duality, reciprocity, and equivalence theorems. Scattering from cylinder, half-plane, wedge, and sphere, including radar cross-section characteristics. Green’s functions in electrodynamics and dyadic calculus. Letter grading. Mr. Rahmat-Samii (F)


261. Microwave and Millimeter Wave Circuits. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 163A, 260B. Rectangular and circular waveguides, microstrip, stripline, finline, and dielectric waveguide distributed circuits, with applications in microwave and millimeter wave integrated circuits. Substrate materials, surface wave phenomena. Analytical methods for discontinuity effects. Design of passive microwave and millimeter wave circuits. Letter grading. Mr. Itoh (W)


266. Computational Methods for Electromagnetics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 162A, 163A. Computational techniques for partial differential and integral equations: finite-difference, finite-element methods of moments. Applications include transmission lines, resonators, integrated circuits, solid-state device modeling, electromagnetic scattering, and antennas. Letter grading. Mr. Kohn (Sp)

270. Applied Quantum Mechanics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Pre-requisites: modern physics (or course 123A), linear algebra, and ordinary differential equations courses. Principles of quantum mechanics, quantum systems, and applications in solid-state physics, and nonlinear optics. Topics include eigenfunction expansions, observables, Schrödinger equation, uncertainty principle, central force problems, Hilbert spaces, WKB approximation, matrix mechanics, density matrix formalism, and radiation theory. Letter grading. Mr. Williams (F)

271. Classical Laser Theory. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 172. Microwave and optical physics, quantum optics, and propagation of optical pulses using classical formalism. Letter grading. Mr. Joshi (W)


274. Fiber Optic System Design. (4) Lecture, three hours; outside study, nine hours. Requisites: courses 173D and/or 17A. Top-down introduction to physical layer design in fiber optic communication systems, including Telecom, Datacom, and CATV. Fundamentals of digital and analog optical communication systems, fiber transmission characteristics, and optical modulation techniques, including direct and external modulation and computer-aided design. Architectural-level design of fiber optic transceiver circuits, including preamplifier, quantizer, clock, and data recovery, laser driver, and predistortion circuits. Letter grading. Mr. Liu (Sp)

279AS. Special Topics in Physical and Wave Electronics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in one or more aspects of physical and wave electronics, such as electromagnetics, microwave and millimeter wave circuits, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, microelectromechanical state, and nanotechnology. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U or letter grading. Ms. Hufkaffer, Mr. Joshi (F,Sp)

279BS. Seminar: Physical and Wave Electronics. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to ten hours. Discussions and discussions on current and advanced topics in one or more aspects of physical and wave electronics, such as electromagnetics, microwave and millimeter wave circuits, photonics and optoelectronics, plasma electronics, microelectromechanical systems, solid state, and nanotechnology. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

285A. Plasma Waves and Instabilities. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 101, and M185 or Physics M122. Wave phenomena in plasmas described by macroscopic fluid equations. Microwave propagation, plasma oscillations, ion acoustic waves, cyclotron waves, hydromagnetic waves, drift waves, RayleighTaylor, KelvinHelmholtz, universal, and streaming instabilities. Application to experiments in fully and partially ionized gases. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

285B. Advanced Plasma Waves and Instabilities. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses M185, and 285A or Physics 222A. Interaction of intense electromagnetic waves with plasma inhomogeneities and bounded plasmas, nonlinear wave coupling and damping, parametric instabilities, anomalous resistivity, shock waves, echoes, laser heating. Emphasis on experimental considerations and techniques. Letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)


295. Academic Technical Writing for Electrical Engineers. (3) Seminar, three hours. Designed for electrical engineering Ph.D. students who have completed their examinations. Students read models of good writing and learn to make rhetorical observations and writing decisions, improve their academic and technical writing skills by writing and revising formal papers, and practice writing for and speaking to various audiences, including potential students, engineers outside their specific fields, and nonengineers (colleagues outside field, policymakers, etc.). Students write in variety of genres, all related to their professional development as electrical engineers. Emphasis on writing as vital way to communicate precise technical and professional information in distinct contexts, directly resulting in specific outcomes. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

296. Seminar: Research Topics in Electrical Engineering. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Advanced study and analysis of current topics in electrical engineering. Discussion of current research and literature in research specialty of faculty member teaching course. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

297. Seminar Series: Electrical Engineering. (1) Seminar, 90 minutes; outside study, 90 minutes. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Weekly seminars and discussion by invited speakers on research topics of heightened interest. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

298. Seminar: Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Seminars may be organized in advanced technical fields. If appropriate, field trips may be arranged. May be repeated with topic change. S/U or letter grading. (Not offered 2011-12)

299. M.S. Project Seminar. (4) Seminar, to be arranged. Required of all M.S. students not in thesis option. Supervised research in small groups or individually under guidance of faculty mentor. Regular meetings, culminating report, and presentation required. Individual contract required; enrollment permits available in Office of Graduate Student Affairs. S/U grading. Mr. Tabuada (F,Sp)

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching associate, fellow, or tutor. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)


520. Directed Individual or Tutorial Studies. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Petition forms to request enrollment may be obtained from assistant dean, Graduate Studies. Supervised investigation of advanced technical problems. S/U grading.


597A. Preparation for M.S. Comprehensive Examination. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Reading and preparation for M.S. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597B. Preparation for Ph.D. Preliminary Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Reading and preparation for Ph.D. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597C. Preparation for Ph.D. Oral Qualifying Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.

598. Research for and Preparation of M.S. Thesis. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Supervised independent research for M.S. candidates, including thesis prospectus. S/U grading.

599. Research for and Preparation of Ph.D. Dissertation. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate electrical engineering students. Usually taken after students have been advanced to candidacy. S/U grading.
Scope and Objectives

At the heart of materials science is an understanding of the microstructure of solids. “Microstructure” is used broadly in reference to solids viewed at the subatomic (electronic) and atomic levels, and the nature of the defects at these levels. The microstructure of solids at various levels profoundly influences the mechanical, electronic, chemical, and biological properties of solids. The phenomenological and mechanistic relationships between microstructure and the macroscopic properties of solids are, in essence, what materials science is all about.

Materials engineering builds on the foundation of materials science and is concerned with the design, fabrication, and optimal selection of engineering materials that must simultaneously fulfill dimensional, property, quality control, and economic requirements.

The department also has a program in electronic materials that provides a broad-based background in materials science, with opportunity to specialize in the study of those materials used for electronic and optoelectronic applications. The program incorporates several courses in electrical engineering in addition to those in the materials science curriculum.

The undergraduate program leads to the B.S. degree in Materials Engineering. Students are introduced to the basic principles of metallurgy and ceramic and polymer science as part of the department's Materials Engineering major.

A joint major field, Chemistry/Materials Science, is offered to students enrolled in the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry (College of Letters and Science). The graduate program allows for specialization in one of the following fields: ceramics and ceramic processing, electronic and optical materials, and structural materials.

Department Mission

The Department of Materials Science and Engineering faculty members, students, and alumni foster a collegial atmosphere to produce (1) highly qualified students through an educational program that cultivates excellence, (2) novel and highly innovative research that advances basic and applied knowledge in materials, and (3) effective interactions with the external community through educational outreach, industrial collaborations, and service activities.

Undergraduate Program Objectives

The Materials Engineering major at UCLA prepares undergraduate students for employment or advanced studies with industry, the national laboratories, state and federal agencies, and academia. To meet the needs of these constituencies, the objectives of the undergraduate program are to produce graduates who (1) possess a solid foundation in materials science and engineering, with emphasis on the fundamental scientific and engineering principles that govern the microstructure, properties, processing, and performance of all classes of engineering materials, (2) understand materials processes and the application of general natural science and engineering principles to the analysis and design of materials systems of current and/or future importance to society, (3) have strong skills in independent learning, analysis, and problem solving, with special emphasis on design of engineering materials and processes, communication, and an ability to work in teams, and (4) understand and are aware of the broad issues relevant to materials, including professional and ethical responsibilities, impact of materials engineering on society and environment, contemporary issues, and need for lifelong learning.

Undergraduate Study

The Materials Engineering major is a designated capstone major. Students undertake two individual projects involving materials selection, treatment, and serviceability. Successful completion requires working knowledge of physical properties of materials, and strategies and methodologies of using materials properties in the materials selection process. Students learn and work independently and practice leadership and teamwork in and across disciplines. They are also expected to communicate effectively in oral, graphic, and written forms.

Materials Engineering B.S.

Capstone Major

The ABET-accredited materials engineering program is designed for students who wish to pursue a professional career in the materials field and desire a broad understanding of the relationship between microstructure and properties of materials. Metals, ceramics, and polymers, as well as the design, fabrication, and testing of metallic and other materials such as oxides, glasses, and fiber-reinforced composites, are included in the course contents.

Materials Engineering Option

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 30A, 30AL; Computer Science 1 or (another programming course approved by the Faculty Executive Committee); Materials Science and Engineering 104, 110, 110L, 120, 130, 131, 132, 143A, 150, 160, 172L, Materials Science and Engineering 181A or 182A; two laboratory courses (4 units) from Materials Science and Engineering 121L, 141L, 143L, 161L; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; one capstone design course (Materials Science and Engineering 140); and three major field elective courses (12 units) from Chemical Engineering C114, Civil and Environmental Engineering 130, 135A, Electrical Engineering 2, 123A, 123B, 124, Materials Science and Engineering 111, 121, 122, 151, 161, 162, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 156A, 166C, plus at least one elective course (4 units) from Chemistry and Biochemistry 30A, 30AL, Electrical Engineering 131A, Materials Science and Engineering 170, 171, Mathematics 170A, or Statistics 100A.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

Electronic Materials Option

Preparation for the Major

Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Computer Science 31 (or another programming course approved by the Faculty Executive Committee); Electrical Engineering 10; Materials Science and Engineering 10, 90L; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C (or Electrical Engineering 1).

The Major

Required: Chemical Engineering 102A (or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 105A), Civil and Environmental Engineering 101 (or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101), 108, Electrical Engineering 100, Materials Science and Engineering 104, 110, 110L, 120, 130, 131, 132, 143A, 150, 160, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 181A or 182A; two laboratory courses (4 units) from Materials Science and Engineering 121L, 141L, 143L, 161L, 161L; three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; one capstone design course (Materials Science and Engineering 140); and three major field elective courses (12 units) from Chemical Engineering C114, Civil and Environmental Engineering 130, 135A, Electrical Engineering 2, 123A, 123B, 124, Materials Science and Engineering 111, 121, 122, 151, 161, 162, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 156A, 166C, plus at least one elective course (4 units) from Chemistry and Biochemistry 30A, 30AL, Electrical Engineering 131A, Materials Science and Engineering 170, 171, Mathematics 170A, or Statistics 100A.

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Graduate Study

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Department of Materials Science and Engineering offers Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Materials Science and Engineering.

Materials Science and Engineering M.S.

Areas of Study

There are three main areas in the M.S. program: ceramics and ceramic processing, electronic and optical materials, and structural materials. Students may specialize in any one of the three areas, although most students are more interested in a broader education and select a variety of courses. Basically, students select courses that serve their interests best in regard to thesis research and job prospects.

Course Requirements

Thesis Plan. Nine courses are required, of which six must be graduate courses. The courses are to be selected from the following lists, although suitable substitutions can be made from other engineering disciplines or from chemistry and physics with the approval of the departmental graduate adviser. Two of the six graduate courses may be Materials Science and Engineering 598 (thesis research).

Comprehensive Examination Plan. Nine courses are required, six of which must be graduate courses, selected from the following lists with the same provisions listed under the thesis plan. The remaining three courses in the total course requirement may be upper division courses.

Ceramics and ceramic processing: Materials Science and Engineering 111, 121, 122, 143A, 151, 161, 162, 200, 201, 211, 246D, 298.

Electronic and optical materials: Materials Science and Engineering 111, 121, 122, 143A, 151, 161, 162, 200, 201, 221, 222, 223, 298.


As long as a majority of the courses taken are offered by the department, substitutions may be made with the consent of the departmental graduate adviser.

Undergraduate Courses. No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 199; Computer Science M152A, 152B, M171L, 199; Electrical Engineering 100, 101, 102, 103, 110L, M116L, M171L, 199; Materials Science and Engineering 110, 120, 130, 131, 131L, 132, 140, 141L, 150, 160, 161L, 199; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 199.

Thesis Plan

In addition to fulfilling the course requirements, under the thesis plan students are required to write a thesis on a research topic in materials science and engineering supervised by the thesis adviser. An M.S. thesis committee composed of three departmental faculty members, including the thesis chair, reviews and approves the thesis.

Comprehensive Examination Plan

Consult the graduate adviser for details. If the comprehensive examination is failed, students may be reexamined once with the consent of the graduate adviser.

Materials Science and Engineering Ph.D.

Major Fields or Subdisciplines

Ceramics and ceramic processing, electronic and optical materials, and structural materials.

Course Requirements

There is no formal course requirement for the Ph.D. degree, and students may substitute coursework by examinations. Normally, however, students take courses to acquire the knowledge needed to satisfy the written preliminary examination requirement. In this case, a grade-point average of at least 3.33 in all courses is required, with a grade of B– or better in each course.

The basic program of study for the Ph.D. degree is built around one major field and one minor field. The major field has a scope corresponding to a body of knowledge contained in nine courses, at least six of which must be graduate courses, plus the current literature in the area of specialization. Materials Science and Engineering 599 may not be applied toward the nine-course total. The major fields named above are described in a Ph.D. major field syllabus, each of which can be obtained in the department office.

The minor field normally embraces a body of knowledge equivalent to three courses, at least two of which are graduate courses. If students fail to satisfy the minor field requirements through coursework, a minor field examination may be taken (once only). The minor field is selected to support the major field and is usually a subset of the major field.

The research efforts of professor Suneel Kodambaka’s In situ Microscopy Lab are focused on synthesis and characterization of low-dimensional structures such as quantum dots, nanowires, and graphene thin films. Research students include (left to right) Dean Cheikh, Jeung Hun Park, Chilan Ngo, Filiberto Colon, and Yuya Murata.
For information on completing the Engineer degree, see Schoolwide Programs, Courses, and Faculty.

**Written and Oral Qualifying Examinations**

During the first year of full-time enrollment in the Ph.D. program, students take the oral preliminary examination that encompasses the body of knowledge in materials science equivalent to that expected of a bachelor’s degree. If students opt not to take courses, a written preliminary examination in the major field is required. Students may not take an examination more than twice.

After passing both preliminary examinations, students take the University Oral Qualifying Examination. The nature and content of the examination are at the discretion of the doctoral committee but ordinarily include a broad inquiry into the student’s preparation for research. The doctoral committee also reviews the prospectus of the dissertation at the oral qualifying examination.

*Note: Doctoral Committees.* A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, are “inside” members and must hold appointments in the Materials Science and Engineering Department at UCLA. The “outside” member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Materials Science and Engineering Department. Faculty members holding joint appointments with the department are considered “inside” members.

**Facilities**

Facilities in the Materials Science and Engineering Department include:
- Ceramic Processing Laboratory
- Electron Microscopy Laboratories with a scanning transmission electron microscope (100 keV), a field emission transmission electron microscope (200 keV), and a scanning electron microscope, all equipped with a full quantitative analyzer, a stereo microscope, micro-cameras, and metallurgical microscopes
- Glass and Ceramics Research Laboratories
- Mechanical Testing Laboratory
- Metallographic Sample Preparation Laboratory
- Nano-Materials Laboratory
- Nondestructive Testing Laboratory
- Organic Electronic Materials Processing Laboratory
- Semiconductor and Optical Characterization Laboratory
- Thin Film Deposition Laboratory, including molecular beam epitaxy and wafer bonders
- X-Ray Diffraction Laboratory
- X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy and Atomic Force Microscopy Facility

Course offerings emphasize fundamental issues such as solid-state electronic and optical phenomena, bulk and interface thermodynamics and kinetics, and applications that include growth, processing, and characterization techniques. Active research programs address the relationship between microstructure and nanoscale and electronic/optical properties in these materials systems.

**Structural Materials**

The structural materials field is designed primarily to provide broad understanding of the relationships between processing, microstructure, and performance of various structural materials, including metals, intermetallics, ceramics, and composite materials. Research programs include material synthesis and processing, ion implantation-induced strengthening and toughening, mechanisms and mechanics of fatigue, fracture and creep, structure/property characterization, nondestructive evaluation, high-temperature stability, and aging of materials.

**Fields of Study**

**Ceramics and Ceramic Processing**

The ceramics and ceramic processing field is designed for students interested in ceramics and glasses, including electronic materials. As in the case of metallurgy, primary and secondary fabrication processes such as vapor deposition, sintering, melt forming, or extrusion strongly influence the microstructure and properties of ceramic components used in structural, electronic, or biological applications. Formal course and research programs emphasize the coupling of processing treatments, microstructure, and properties.

**Electronic and Optical Materials**

The electronic and optical materials field provides an area of study in the science and technology of electronic materials that includes semiconductors, optical ceramics, and thin films (metal, dielectric, and multi-layer) for electronic and optoelectronic applications.

**Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance**

**Professors**

Russel E. Cairns, Ph.D. (New York U., 1978) Theory and numerical simulation for materials physics, epitaxial growth, nanoscale systems, semiconductor device properties and design in applications to quantum well devices, quantum dots, nanocrystals and quantum computing

Gregory P. Carman, Ph.D. (Virginia Tech, 1991) Electromagnetoelasticity models, fatigue characterization of piezoelectric ceramics, magnetostriuctive composites, characterizing shape memory alloys, fiber-optic sensors, design of damage detection systems, micro-mechanical analysis of composite materials, experimentally evaluating damage in composites

Jane P. Chang, Ph.D. (MIT, 1998) Materials processing, gas-phase and surface reaction, plasma-enhanced chemistries, atomic layer deposition, chemical microelectronics, and computational surface chemistry

Yong Chen, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1996) Nanoscale science and engineering, micro- and nano-fabrication, self-assembly phenomena, microscale and nanoscale electronic, mechanical, optical, biological, and sensing devices, circuits and systems

Bruce S. Dunn, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1974) Solid electrolytes, electrical properties of ceramics and glasses, ceramic-metal bonding, optical materials

Nasr M. Ghoniem, Ph.D. (Wisconsin, 1977) Mechanical behavior of high-temperature materials, radiation interaction with material (e.g., laser, ions, plasma, electrons, and neutrons), material processing by plasma and beam sources, physics and mechanics of material defects, fusion energy

Mark S. Goorsky, Ph.D. (MIT, 1989) Electronic materials processing, strain relaxation in epitaxial semiconductors and device structures, high-resolution X-ray diffraction of semiconductors, ceramics, and high-strength alloys

Vijay Gupta, Ph.D. (MIT, 1989) Experimental mechanics, fracture of engineering solids, mechanics of thin film and interfaces, failure mechanisms and characterization of composite materials, ice mechanics

Robert F. Hicks, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1984) Chemical vapor deposition and atmospheric plasma processing

Richard B. Kaner, Ph.D. (Pennsylvania, 1984) Rapid synthesis of high-temperature materials, conducting polymers as separation membranes for enantiomers, synthesis of carbon nanocrystals and composites

Vidvuds Ozolins, Ph.D. (Kungliga Tekniska Hogskolan, Stockholm, 1990) Theory of materials, first-principles modeling of phase transformations in bulk and surface systems, vibrational and electronic properties

Qibing Pei, Ph.D. (Chinese Academy of Sciences, 1990) Electroactive polymers through molecular design and nano-engineering for electronic devices and artificial muscles

Dwight C. Streit, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1986) Properties of electronic materials, characterization techniques, correlation of material and device performance

Sarah H. Tolbert, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1995) Self-organized nanostructured materials for energy storage, energy harvesting, nanomagnetics and nanoelectronics
Kang L. Wang, Ph.D. (MIT, 1970)
Jenn-Ming Yang, Ph.D. (Delaware, 1986)
Alfred S. Yue, Ph.D. (Purdue, 1957)
Christian N.J. Wagner, Dr.rer.nat. (U. des Saar-}
David L. Douglass, Ph.D. (Ohio State, 1958)
Alan J. Ardell, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1964)
Professors Emeriti
Yang Yang, Ph.D. (Massachusetts-Lowell, 1992)
Ya-Hong Xie, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1986)
Benjamin Wu, Ph.D. (MIT, 1997)
King-Ning Tu, Ph.D. (Harvard, 1968)
Kanji Ono, Ph.D. (Northwestern, 1964)
Peter S. Weiss, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1986)
Jan F. Blom, Ph.D. (Carnegie Mellon, 1988)
L. Physical Measurement in Materials Engineering. (2)
M.105. Principles of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. (4) (Same as Engineering M105.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 104. Modern methods of materials characterization; fundamentals of crystallography, properties of X-rays, X-ray scattering; powder method, Laue method; determination of crystal structure; phase diagram determination; high-resolution X-ray diffraction methods; X-ray spectroscopy; design of materials characterization procedures. Letter grading.
Mr. Ozolins (F)
110L. Introduction to Materials Characterization A Laboratory. (2) Laboratory, four hours; outside study, two hours. Requisite: course 104. Experimental techniques and analysis of materials through X-ray scattering techniques; powder, crystal structure determination, high-resolution X-ray diffraction methods, and special projects. Letter grading.
Mr. Goorsky (F)
110L1. Introduction to Materials Characterization B Laboratory (Electron Microscopy). (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 104, 110. Characterization of microstructure and microchemistry of materials; transmission electron microscopy; reciprocal lattice, electron diffraction, stereographic projection, direct observation of defects in crystals, replicas; scanning electron microscopy: emissive and reflective modes; chemical analysis; electron optical microtechniques. Letter grading. Mr. Kodambaka (W)
C112. Cultural Materials Science II: In Vitro Microscopy and Microanalysis. (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, two hours; preparation: general chemistry, or inorganic chemistry. Methodology of sampling and microanalysis of cultural materials for study of their morphology, microstructure, and composition by applying in vitro optical, chemical, and instrumental methods. Topics include optical and electron microscopy, X-ray and electron spectroscopy, X-ray diffraction, infrared spectroscopy, chemical spot tests, and chromatography. Hands-on experience through object-based problem-solving approach. Practical skills assessed in sampling and sample preparation methods of cultural materials and on analysis of microsamples using basic instruments for characterization of organic and inorganic compounds. Concurrently scheduled with course CM212. Letter grading.
120. Physics of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 104, 110 (or Chemistry 113A). Introduction to electrical, optical, and magnetic properties of solids. Free electron model, introduction to band theory and Schrödinger wave equation. Crystal bonding and lattice vibrations, mechanical and thermal properties, and characterization of electrical conductivity, optical absorption, magnetic behavior, dielectric properties, and p-n junctions. Letter grading. Mr. Y. Yang (W)
121. Materials Science of Semiconductors. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisite: course 120. Structure and properties of elemental and compound semicon-
114L. Computer Methods and Instrumentation in Materials Science. (2, Laboratory, four hours. Preparation: knowledge of BASIC or C or assembly language. Limited to junior/senior Materials Science and Engineering majors. Interface and control techniques, real-time data acquisition and processing, computer-aided testing. Letter grading. Mr. Goornsby (W)

143A. Mechanical Behavior of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 104, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101. Plastic flow of metals under simple and combined loading, strain rate and temperature effects, dislocations, fracture, microstructural effects, mechanical and thermal treatment of steel for engineering applications. Letter grading. Mr. Przybysta (P)

143L. Mechanical Behavior Laboratory. (2) Laboratory, four hours. Requisites: courses 90L, 143A (may be taken concurrently). Methods of characterizing mechanical behavior of various materials: elastic and plastic deformation, fracture toughness, fatigue, and creep. Letter grading. Mr. Ono

150. Introduction to Polymers. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 104, and Polymer Engineering 101. Oxidation-resistant alloys, recrystallization, and grain growth. Letter grading. Mr. J-M. Yang (Sp)

160. Introduction to Ceramics and Glasses. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 104, 132, 143A, 150, 160. Requisite: course 104. Relationship between structure and mechanical properties of composite materials with fiber and particulate reinforce ment. Properties of fiber, matrix, and interfaces. Selection of macrostructures and material systems. Letter grading. Mr. J-M. Yang (Sp)

161L. Laboratory in Ceramics. (2) Laboratory, four hours. Requisites: course 161. Processing of ceramic and glasses being used as important materials of engineering, processing techniques, and unique properties. Examples of design and control of properties for certain specific applications in engineering. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn (F)

162. Electronic Ceramics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 104, Electrical Engineering 1 (or Physics 1C). Utilization of ceramics in microelectronics; thick film and thin film resistors, capacitors, and substrates; design and processing of electronic ceramics and packaging; magnetic and ferromagnetic materials and electronic devices; optical wave guide applications and designs. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn (Sp)

170. Engaging Elements of Communication: Oral Communication. (2) Lecture, one hour; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Comprehensive oral presentation and communication skills provided by building on strengths of individual personal styles in creation of positive interpersonal relations. Skill set prepares students for different types of academic and professional presentations for wide range of audiences. Learning environment is highly supported and interactive as it helps students creatively develop and greatly expand effectiveness of their communication and presentation skills. Letter grading. Mr. Xie

171. Engaging Elements of Communication: Writing. (4) Tutorial, one hour; discussion, one hour; outside study, four hours. Comprehensive technical writing skills on subjects specific to field of materials science and engineering. Students write review term papers and/or a subject specific paper on a field of materials science and engineering from given set of journal publications. Instruction leads students through several crucial steps, including brainstorming, outlining, drafting, editing, and revising. Letter grading. Mr. Xie

CM180. Introduction to Biomaterials. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM180.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 104, or Chemistry 20A, 20B, and 20L. Engineering materials used in medicine and dentistry for repair and/or restoration of damaged natural tissues. Topics include relationships between material properties, suitability to task, surface chemistry, processing and treatment methods, and biocompatibility. Concurrently scheduled with course CM280. Letter grading. Mr. Wu (W)

188. Special Courses in Materials Science and Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in materials science and engineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated once for credit with topic or instructor change. Letter grading.

194. Research Group Seminars: Materials Science and Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for undergraduate students who are part of research group. Discussion of research methods and current literature in field of research of faculty members or students. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.

199. Directed Research Projects in Materials Science and Engineering. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised individual research or investigation under guidance of faculty mentor. Culminating paper or project required. Occasional field trips may be arranged. May be repeated for credit with school approval. May not count toward major or minor required; enrollment petitions available in Office of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading. (F,W,Sp)

Graduate Courses

200. Principles of Materials Science I. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 120. Lattice dynamics and thermal properties of solids, classical and quantized free electron theory, electrons in a periodic potential, transport in semiconductors, dielectric and magnetic properties of solids. Letter grading. Mr. Y. Yang (F)


210. Diffraction Methods in Science of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 110. Theory of diffraction of waves (X rays, electrons, and neutrons) in crystalline and noncrystalline materials. Use of X rays and electron microscopy in crystals, structural effects of plastic deformation, solid-state transformations, arrangements of atoms in liquids and amorphous solids. Letter grading. Mr. Xie (Sp, odd years)

211. Electron Microscopy. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 111. Essential features of electron microscopy, geometry of electron diffraction, kinematical and dynamical theo-
243. Dislocations and Strengthening Mechanisms in Solids. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 143A. Elastic and plastic behavior of crystals, geometry, mechanics, and interaction of dislocations, mechanisms of yield, work hardening, and other strengthening. Letter grading. Mr. Xie (F, odd years)

246B. Structure and Properties of Glass. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 160. Structure of amorphous solids and glasses. Conditions of glass transition and theories of glass structure. Mechanical, electrical, and optical properties of glass and relationship to structure. Letter grading. Mr. Dunn (W, even years)


248. Materials and Physics of Solar Cells. (4) Lecture, four hours. Comprehensive introduction to materials and physics of photovoltaic cell, covering basic physics of semiconductors in photovoltaic devices, physical models of photovoltaics, and design of common types of solar cells, and approaches to increasing solar cell efficiency. Recent progress in solar cells, such as organic solar cell, thin-film solar cell, multiple junctions, and increase student knowledge. Tour of research laboratory included. Letter grading. Mr. Y. Yang (Sp)

250B. Advanced Composite Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparatory work in emerging field of organic electronics. Letter grading. Mr. Pei (F)

251. Chemistry of Soft Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours. Introduction to organic soft materials, including essential basic organic chemistry and polymer chemistry. Topics include three main categories of soft materials: organic molecules, synthetic polymers, and biomolecules and biomaterials. Extensive description and discussion of structure-property relationship, applications, and device processing. Part study and examination of particles. Letter grading. Mr. Pei (F)

252. Organic Polymer Electronic Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: knowledge of organic chemistry and polymer science. Introduction to electronic materials with emphasis on materials chemistry and processing. Topics include conjugated polymers: highly doped, highly conducting polymers; applications as processable metals and in various electrical, optical, and electrochemical devices. Synthesis of semiconductor polymers for organic light-emitting diodes, solar cells, and transistors. Introduction to emerging field of organic electronics. Letter grading. Mr. Pei (F)

270. Computer Simulations of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Introduction to modern methods of modeling and simulation of materials science. Topics include basic statistical mechanics, classical molecular dynamics, and Monte Carlo methods, with emphasis on understanding basic ideas and computer simulation of materials. Study and analyze computer simulations of materials. Use of examples from current literature to show how these methods can be used to study interesting phenomena in materials science. Hands-on computer experiments. Letter grading. Mr. Ozolins (F)

271. Electronic Structure of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Preparation: basic knowledge of quantum mechanics. Recommended requisite: course 200. Introduction to modern first-principles electronic structure calculations for
various types of modern materials. Properties of electrons and interatomic bonding in molecules, crystals, and liquids, with emphasis on practical methods for solving Schrödinger equation and using it to calculate physical properties such as elastic constants, equilibrium structures, binding energies, vibrational frequencies, electronic band gaps and band structures, properties of defects, surfaces, interfaces, and magnetism. Extensive hands-on experience with modern density-functional theory code. Letter grading.
Mr. Ozolins (W)

272. Theory of Nanomaterials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Strongly recommended requisite: course 200. Introduction to properties and applications of nanoscale materials, with emphasis on understanding of basic principles that distinguish nanostructures (with feature size below 100 nm) from more common microstructured materials. Explanation of new phenomena that emerge only in very small systems, using simple concepts from quantum mechanics and thermodynamics. Topics include structure and electronic properties of quantum dots, wires, nanotubes, and multilayers, self-assembly on surfaces and in liquid solutions, mechanical properties of nanostructured metamaterials, molecular electronics, spin-based electronics, and proposed realizations of quantum computing. Discussion of current and future directions of this rapidly growing field using examples from modern scientific literature. Letter grading.
Mr. Ozolins (F)

CM280. Introduction to Biomaterials. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM280.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: course 104, or Chemistry 20A, 20B, and 20L. Engineering materials used in medicine and dentistry for repair and/or restoration of damaged natural tissues. Topics include relationships between material properties, suitability to task, surface chemistry, processing and treatment methods, and biocompatibility. Concurrently scheduled with course CM180. Letter grading.
Mr. Wu (W)

282. Exploration of Advanced Topics in Materials Science and Engineering. (2) Lecture, one hour; discussion, one hour; outside study, four hours. Researchers from leading research institutions around world deliver lectures on advanced research topics in materials science and engineering. Student groups present summary previews of topics prior to lecture. Class discussions follow each presentation. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.
Mr. J.-M. Yang

296. Seminar: Advanced Topics in Materials Science and Engineering. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Advanced study and analysis of current topics in materials science and engineering. Discussion of current research and literature in research specialty of faculty members teaching course. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

298. Seminar: Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. Seminars may be organized in advanced technical fields. If appropriate, field trips may be arranged. May be repeated with topic change. Letter grading.

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)

596. Directed Individual or Tutorial Studies. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. Petition forms to request enrollment may be obtained from assistant dean, Graduate Studies. Supervised investigation of advanced technical problems. S/U grading.

597A. Preparation for M.S. Comprehensive Examination. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. Reading and preparation for M.S. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597B. Preparation for Ph.D. Preliminary Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. S/U grading.

597C. Preparation for Ph.D. Oral Qualifying Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.


599. Research for and Preparation of Ph.D. Dissertation. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate materials science and engineering students. Usually taken after students have been advanced to candidacy. S/U grading.

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Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

The Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering offers curricula in aerospace engineering and mechanical engineering at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. The scope of the departmental research and teaching program is broad, encompassing dynamics, fluid mechanics, heat and mass transfer, manufacturing and design, nanoelectromechanical and microelectromechanical systems, structural and solid mechanics, and systems and control. The applications of mechanical and aerospace engineering are quite diverse, including aircraft, spacecraft, automobiles, energy and propulsion systems, robotics, machinery, manufacturing and materials processing, microelectronics, biological systems, and more.

At the undergraduate level, the department offers accredited programs leading to B.S. degrees in Aerospace Engineering and in Mechanical Engineering. At the graduate level, the department offers programs leading to M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Mechanical Engineering and in Aerospace Engineering. An M.S. in Manufacturing Engineering is also offered.

Department Mission
The mission of the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department is to educate the nation's future leaders in the science and art of mechanical and aerospace engineering. Further, the department seeks to expand the frontiers of engineering science and to encourage technological innovation while fostering academic excellence and scholarly learning in a collegial environment.

Undergraduate Program Objectives
In consultation with its constituents, the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department has set its educational objectives as follows: (1) to teach students how to apply their rigorous undergraduate education to creatively solve technical problems facing society and (2) to prepare them for successful and productive careers or graduate studies in mechanical or aerospace or other engineering fields and/or further studies in other fields such as medicine, business, and law.

Undergraduate Study
The Aerospace Engineering and Mechanical Engineering majors are designated capstone majors. Within their capstone courses, Aerospace Engineering students are exposed to the conceptual and design phases for aircraft development and produce a structural design of a component, such as a lightweight aircraft wing. Mechanical Engineering students work in teams in their capstone courses to propose, design, analyze, and build a mechanical or electromechanical device. Graduates of both programs should be able to apply their knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering in technical systems; design a system, component, or process to meet desired needs; function as productive members of a team; identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems; and communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.

Aerospace Engineering B.S.

Capstone Major
The ABET-accredited aerospace engineering program is concerned with the design and construction of various types of fixed-wing and rotary-wing (helicopters) aircraft used for air transportation and national defense. It is also concerned with the design and construction of spacecraft, the exploration and utilization of space, and related technological fields.

Aerospace engineering is characterized by a very high level of technology. The aerospace engineer is likely to operate at the forefront of scientific discoveries, often stimulating these discoveries and providing the inspiration for the creation of new scientific concepts. Meeting these demands requires the imaginative use of many disciplines, including fluid mechanics and aerodynamics, structural mechanics, materials and aeroelasticity, dynamics, control and guidance, propulsion, and energy conversion.

Preparation for the Major
Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Computer Science 31; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 94; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

Mechanical Engineering B.S.

Capstone Major
The ABET-accredited mechanical engineering program is designed to provide basic knowledge in thermodynamics, fluid mechanics, heat transfer, solid mechanics, mechanical design, dynamics, control, mechanical systems, manufacturing, and materials. The program includes fundamental subjects important to all mechanical engineers.

Preparation for the Major
Required: Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A, 20B, 20L; Computer Science 31; Mathematics 31A, 31B, 32A, 32B, 33A, 33B; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 94; Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4AL, 4BL.

The Major
Required: Electrical Engineering 110L, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101, 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 107, 131A or 133A, 156A, 157A, 162A, 171A, 182A; two departmental breadth courses (Electrical Engineering 100 and Materials Science and Engineering 104 — if one or both of these courses are taken as part of the technical breadth requirement, students must
select a replacement upper division course or courses from the department — except for Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 166A — or, by petition, from outside the department); three technical breadth courses (12 units) selected from an approved list available in the Office of Academic and Student Affairs; two capstone design courses (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 162D, 162E); and two major field elective courses (8 units) from Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 131A (unless taken as a required course), 131AL, C132A, 133A (unless taken as a required course), 133AL, 134, 135, 136, CM140, 150A, 150B, 150C, C150G, 150P, 150R, 153A, 155, 157A, 161A, 161B, 163A, 166C, M168, 169A, 171B, 172, 174, C175A, CM180, CM180L, 181A, 182B, 182C, 184, 185, C186, C187L.

For information on University and general education requirements, see Requirements for B.S. Degrees on page 20 or http://www.registrar.ucla.edu/ge/.

**Graduate Study**

For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

The Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering offers the Master of Science (M.S.) degree in Manufacturing Engineering, Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Aerospace Engineering, and Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees in Mechanical Engineering.

All new M.S. and Ph.D. students who are pursuing an M.S. degree in the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department must meet with their advisers in their first term at UCLA. The goal of the meeting is to discuss the students’ plans for satisfying the M.S. degree requirements. Students should obtain an M.S. planning form from the department Student Affairs Office and return it with their advisers’ signature by the end of the first term.

**Aerospace Engineering M.S. and Mechanical Engineering M.S.**

**Course Requirements**

Students may select either the thesis plan or comprehensive examination plan. At least nine courses (and 36 units) are required, of which at least five must be graduate courses. In the thesis plan, seven of the nine must be formal courses, including at least four from the 200 series. The remaining two may be 598 courses involving work on the thesis. In the comprehensive examination plan, no units of 500-series courses may be applied toward the minimum course requirement. Courses taken before the award of the bachelor’s degree may not be applied toward a graduate degree at UCLA. The courses should be selected so that the breadth requirements and the requirements at the graduate level are met. The breadth requirements are only applicable to students who do not have a B.S. degree from an ABET-accredited aerospace or mechanical engineering program.

**Undergraduate Courses.** No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 199; Computer Science M152A, 152B, M171L, 199; Electrical Engineering 100, 101, 102, 103, 110L, M116L, M171L, 199; Materials Science and Engineering 110, 120, 130, 131, 131L, 132, 140, 141L, 150, 160, 161L, 199; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101, 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 107, 188, 194, 199.

**Aerospace Engineering**

**Breadth Requirements.** Students are required to take at least three courses from the following four categories: (1) Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 154A or 154B or 154S, (2) 150B or 150P, (3) 155 or 166A or 169A, (4) 161A or 171A.
Graduate-Level Requirement. Students are required to take at least one course from the following: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 250C, 250D, 250F, 253B, 254A, 255B, 256F, 263B, 269D, or 271B. The remaining courses can be taken to gain depth in one or more of the several specialty areas covering the existing major fields in the department.

Mechanical Engineering

Broadth Requirements. Students are required to take at least three courses from the following five categories: (1) Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 162A or 169A or 171A, (2) 150A or 150B, (3) 131A or 133A, (4) 156A, (5) 162D or 183.

Graduate-Level Requirement. Students are required to take at least one course from the following: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 231A, 231B, 231C, 250A, 250B, 255A, M256A, M256B, M269A, C271A, 294, or 297. The remaining courses can be taken to gain depth in one or more of the several specialty areas covering the existing major fields in the department.

Comprehensive Examination Plan

The comprehensive examination is required in either written or oral form. A committee of at least three faculty members, with at least two members from within the department, and chaired by the academic adviser, is established to administer the examination. Students may, in consultation with their adviser and the M.S. committee, select one of the following options for the comprehensive examination: (1) take and pass the first part of the Ph.D. written qualifying examination (formerly referred to as the preliminary examination) as the comprehensive examination plan, (2) conduct a research or design project and submit a final report to the M.S. committee, or (3) take and pass three comprehensive examination questions offered in association with three graduate courses. Contact the department Student Affairs Office for more information.

Thesis Plan

The thesis must describe some original piece of research that has been done under the supervision of the thesis committee. Students would normally start to plan the thesis at least one year before the award of the M.S. degree is expected. There is no examination under the thesis plan.

Aerospace Engineering Ph.D. and Mechanical Engineering Ph.D.

Major Fields or Subdisciplines

Dynamics; fluid mechanics; heat and mass transfer; manufacturing and design (mechanical engineering only); nanoelectromechanical/microelectromechanical systems (NEMS/MEMS); structural and solid mechanics; systems and control.

Ph.D. students may propose ad hoc major fields, which must differ substantially from established major fields and satisfy one of the following two conditions: (1) the field is interdisciplinary in nature or (2) the field represents an important research area for which there is no established major field in the department (condition 2 most often applies to recently evolving research areas or to areas for which there are too few faculty members to maintain an established major field).

Students in an ad hoc major field must be sponsored by at least three faculty members, at least two of whom must be from the department.

Course Requirements

Students may select either the thesis plan or comprehensive examination plan. At least nine courses (and 36 units) are required, of which at least five must be graduate courses. In the thesis plan, seven of the nine must be formal courses, including at least four from the 200 series. The remaining two may be 598 courses involving work on the thesis. In the comprehensive examination plan, no units of 500-series courses may be applied toward the minimum course requirement. Courses taken before the award of the bachelor’s degree may not be applied toward a graduate degree at UCLA. Choices may be made from the following major areas:

Undergraduate Courses. No lower division courses may be applied toward graduate degrees. In addition, the following upper division courses are not applicable toward graduate degrees: Chemical Engineering 102A, 199; Civil and Environmental Engineering 106A, 108, 109; Computer Science M152A, M152B, M171L, 199; Electrical Engineering 100, 101, 102, 103, 110L, M116L, M171L, 199; Materials Science and Engineering 110, 120, 130, 131, 131L, 132, 140, 141L, 150, 160, 161L, 199; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101, 102, 103, 105A, 105D, 107, 188, 194, 199.

Upper Division Courses. Students are required to take at least three courses from the following: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 163A, M168, 174, 183, 184, 185.

Graduate Courses. Students are required to take at least three courses from the following: Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 263A, 263C, 263D, CM280A, 293, 294, 295A, 295B, 296A, 296B, 297.

Additional Courses. The remaining courses may be taken from other major fields of study in the department or from the following: Architecture and Urban Design M226B, M227B, 227D, Computer Science 241A, 241B; Management 240A, 240D, 241A, 241B, 242A, 242B, 243B, 243C; Mathematics 120A, 120B.

Comprehensive Examination Plan

The program of study for the Ph.D. degree is built around major and minor fields. The established major fields are listed above, and a detailed syllabus describing each Ph.D. major field can be obtained from the Student Affairs Office. The program of study for the Ph.D. requires students to perform original research leading to a doctoral dissertation and to master a body of knowledge that encompasses material from their major field and breadth material from outside the major field. The body of knowledge should include (1) six major field courses, at least four of which must be graduate courses, (2) one minor field, (3) any three additional courses, at
least two of which must be graduate courses, that enhance the study of the major or minor field.

The major field syllabus advises students as to which courses contain the required knowledge, and students usually prepare for the written qualifying examination (formerly referred to as the preliminary examination) by taking these courses. However, students can acquire such knowledge by taking similar courses at other universities or even by self-study.

The minor field embraces a body of knowledge equivalent to three courses, at least two of which must be graduate courses. Minor fields are often subsets of major fields, and minor field requirements are then described in the syllabus of the appropriate major field. Established minor fields with no corresponding major field can also be used, such as applied mathematics and applied plasma physics and fusion engineering. Also, an ad hoc field can be used in exceptional circumstances, such as when certain knowledge is desirable for a program of study that is not available in established minor fields.

Grades of B– or better, with a grade-point average of at least 3.33 in all courses included in the minor field, and the three additional courses mentioned above are required. If students fail to satisfy the minor field requirements through coursework, a minor field examination may be taken (once only).

Written and Oral Qualifying Examinations

After mastering the body of knowledge defined in the major field, students take a written qualifying (preliminary) examination covering this knowledge. Students must have been formally admitted to the Ph.D. program or admitted subject to completion of the M.S. degree by the end of the term following the term in which the examination is given. The examination must be taken within the first two calendar years from the time of admission into the Ph.D. program. Students must be registered during the term in which the examination is given and be in good academic standing (minimum GPA of 3.25). The student's major field proposal must be completed prior to taking the examination. Students may not take an examination more than twice. Students in an ad hoc major field must pass a written qualifying examination that is approximately equivalent in scope, length, and level to the written qualifying examination for an established major field.

After passing the written qualifying examination, students take the University Oral Qualifying Examination within four calendar years from the time of admission into the Ph.D. program. The nature and content of the examination are at the discretion of the doctoral committee but include a review of the dissertation prospectus and may include a broad inquiry into the student's preparation for research.

Note: Doctoral Committees. A doctoral committee consists of a minimum of four members. Three members, including the chair, are "inside" members and must hold appointments in the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department at UCLA. The "outside" member must be a UCLA faculty member outside the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department.

Fields of Study

Dynamics

Features of the dynamics field include dynamics and control of physical systems, including spacecraft, aircraft, helicopters, industrial manipulators; analytical studies of control of large space structures; experimental studies of electromechanical systems; and robotics.

Fluid Mechanics

The graduate program in fluid mechanics includes experimental, numerical, and theoretical studies related to a range of topics in fluid mechanics, such as turbulent flows, hypersonic flows, microscale and nanoscale flow phenomena, aeroacoustics, bio fluid mechanics, chemically reactive flows, chemical reaction kinetics, numerical methods for computational fluid dynamics (CFD), and experimental methods. The educational program for graduate students provides a strong foundational background in classical incompressible and compressible flows, while providing elective breadth courses in advanced specialty topics such as computational fluid dynamics, microfluidics, bio fluid mechanics, hypersonics, reactive flow, fluid stability, turbulence, and experimental methods.

Heat and Mass Transfer

The heat and mass transfer field includes studies of convection, radiation, conduction, evaporation, condensation, boiling and two-phase flow, chemically reacting and radiating flow, instability and turbulent flow, reactive flows in porous media, as well as transport phenomena in support of microscale and nanoscale thermosciences, energy, bioMEMS/NEMS, and microfabrication/nanofabrication.

Manufacturing and Design

The program is developed around an integrated approach to manufacturing and design. It includes study of manufacturing and design aspects of mechanical systems, material behavior and processing, robotics and manufacturing systems, CAD/CAM theory and applications, computational geometry and geometrical modeling, composite materials and structures, automation and digital control systems, microdevices and nanodevices, radio frequency identification (RFID), and wireless systems.

Nanoelectromechanical/ Microelectromechanical Systems

The nanoelectromechanical/microelectromechanical systems (NEMS/MEMS) field focuses on science and engineering issues ranging in size from nanometers to millimeters and includes both experimental and theoretical studies covering fundamentals to applications. The study topics include microscience, top-down and bottom-up nanofabrication/microfabrication technologies, molecular fluidic phenomena, nanoscale/microscale material processing, biomolecular signatures, heat transfer at the nanoscale, and system integration. The program is highly interdisciplinary in nature.

Structural and Solid Mechanics

The solid mechanics program features theoretical, numerical, and experimental studies, including fracture mechanics and damage tolerance, micromechanics with emphasis on technical applications, wave propagation and nondestructive evaluation, mechanics of composite materials, mechanics of thin films and interfaces, analysis of coupled electro-magneto-thermomechanical material systems, and ferroelectric materials. The structural mechanics program includes structural dynamics with applications to aircraft and spacecraft, fixed-wing and rotary-wing aerelasticity, fluid structure interaction, computational transonic aerelasticity, biomachines with applications ranging from whole organs to molecular and cellular structures, structural optimization, finite element methods and related computational techniques, structural mechanics of composite material components, structural health monitoring, and analysis of adaptive structures.

Systems and Control

The program features systems engineering principles and applied mathematical methods of modeling, analysis, and design of continuous- and discrete-time control systems. Emphasis is on modern applications in engineering, systems concepts, feedback and control principles, stability concepts, applied optimal control, differential games, computational methods, simulation, and computer process control. Systems and control research and education in the department cover a broad spectrum of topics pri-
mainly based in aerospace and mechanical engineering applications. However, the Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering and Electrical Engineering Departments also have active programs in control systems, and collaboration across departments among faculty members and students in both teaching and research is common.

Ad Hoc Major Fields
The ad hoc major fields program has sufficient flexibility that students can form academic major fields in their area of interest if the proposals are supported by several faculty members. Previous fields of study include acoustics, system risk and reliability, and engineering thermodynamics. Nuclear science and engineering, a former active major field, is available on an ad hoc basis only.

Facilities
The Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department has a number of experimental facilities at which both fundamental and applied research is being conducted. More information is at http://www.mae.ucla.edu.

Active Materials Laboratory
The Active Materials Laboratory contains equipment to evaluate the coupled response of materials such as piezoelectric, magnetostrictive, shape memory alloys, and fiber optic sensors. The laboratory has manufacturing facilities to fabricate magnetostrictive composites and thin film shape memory alloys. Testing active material systems is performed on one of four servo-hydraulic load frames. All of the load frames are equipped with thermal chambers, sole-noids, and electrical power supplies.

Autonomous Vehicle Systems Instrumentation Laboratory
The Autonomous Vehicle Systems Instrumentation Laboratory (AVSIL) is a testbed at UCLA for design, building, evaluation, and testing of hardware instrumentation and coordination algorithms for multiple vehicle autonomous systems. The AVSIL contains a hardware-in-the-loop (HIL) simulator designed and built at UCLA that allows for real-time, systems-level tests of two formation control computer systems in a laboratory environment, using the Interstate Electronics Corporation GPS Satellite Constellation Simulator. The UCLA flight control software can be modified to accommodate satellite-system experiments using real-time software, GPS receivers, and inter-vehicle modem communication.

Computational Fluid Dynamics Laboratory
The Computational Fluid Dynamics Laboratory has several medium-size Beowulf linux clusters for numerical simulation of transitional, turbulent, and high speed compressible flows, with and without reaction, as well as the sound that they produce. The laboratory has access to supercomputers (large clusters of parallel processors on various platforms) at NSF PACI Centers and DoD High-Performance Computing Centers.

Energy and Propulsion Research Laboratory
The Energy and Propulsion Research Laboratory is engaged in research and education pertaining to the application of modern diagnostic methods and computational tools to the development of improved combustion, propulsion, and fluid flow systems. Research is directed toward the development of fundamental engineering knowledge as well as tools for solving critical national problems, with current applications to improved engine efficiency, reduced emissions, alternative fuels, and advanced high-speed air breathing and rocket propulsion systems.

Fluid Mechanics Research Laboratory
The Fluid Mechanics Research Laboratory includes a full line of water tunnels equipped with various advanced transducers (MEMS-based sensors and actuators, particle image anemometer, laser Doppler anemometer, hot-wire anemometers) and data acquisition systems.

Fusion Science and Technology Center
The Fusion Science and Technology Center includes a number of state-of-the-art experimental facilities for conducting research in fusion engineering. The center includes experimental facilities for (1) liquid metal magnetohydrodynamic fluid flow dynamics and heat transfer, (2) thick and thin liquid metal systems exposed to intense particle and heat flux loads, and (3) metallic and ceramic material thermo-mechanics.

Heat Transfer Laboratories
The Heat Transfer Laboratories are used for experimental research on heat transfer and thermal hydraulics. The laboratories are equipped with several flow loops, high-current power supplies, high-frequency induction power supplies, holography and hot-wire anemometry setups, and state-of-the-art data acquisition systems.

Materials Degradation Characterization Laboratory
The Materials Degradation Characterization Laboratory is used for the characterization of the degradation of high-strength metallic alloys and advanced composites due to corrosion and fatigue, determination of adverse effects of materials degradation on the strength of structural components, and for research on fracture mechanics and ultrasonic nondestructive evaluation.

Micro and Nano Manufacturing Laboratory
The Micro and Nano Manufacturing Laboratory is equipped with a fume hood, wafer saw, wire bonder, electroplating setup including vacuum capability, various microscopes including fluorescent and 3Dscoping, various probe stations including RF capability, vibration-isolation and optical tables, environmental chambers, drop dispensing system, various instruments (e.g., impedance analyzer), and full video imaging capability. It is used for MEMS and nano research, and complements the HSSEAS Nanoelectronics Research Facility, the 8,500-square-foot, class 100/1000 clean room where most micromachining steps are carried out.

Microsciences Laboratory
The Microsciences Laboratory is equipped with advanced sensors and imaging processors for exploring fundamental physical mechanisms in MEMS-based sciences.

Multifunctional Composites Laboratory
The Multifunctional Composites Laboratory provides equipment necessary to develop multifunctional nanocomposites and explore their applications by integrating technologies involving composites, nanomaterials, information, functional materials, biomimetics, and concurrent engineering. Some of the equipment in the laboratory includes an autoclave, a filament winder, a resin transfer molding machine, a waterjet cutting machine, a stereo lithography machine, a laminated object manufacturing machine, a coordinate measuring machine, a field emission scanning electron microscope, a scanning probe microscope, an FTIR, a rheometer, a thermal analysis system, an RCL analyzer, a microdielectric analyzer, an X-ray radiography machine, and a variety of mechanical testing machines.

Multiscale Thermosciences Laboratory
The Multiscale Thermosciences Laboratory (MTSL) is equipped with a state-of-the-art atomic force microscope, an inverted optical
microscope with fluorescence attachment, an ultra-long depth-of-field digital microscope, an infrared camera, a cryostat, an RF frequency lock-in amplifier, semiconductor lasers, a wide variety of electronic instruments/DAQ systems, and a quad-core workstation with 32GB RAM.

**Plasma and Beam Assisted Manufacturing Laboratory**

The Plasma and Beam Assisted Manufacturing Laboratory is an experimental facility for the purpose of processing and manufacturing advanced materials by high-energy means (plasma and beam sources). It is equipped with plasma diagnostics, two vortex gas tunnel plasma guns, powder feeder and exhaust systems, vacuum and cooling equipment, high-power D.C. supplies (400kw), vacuum chambers, and large electromagnets. Current research is focused on ceramic coatings and nano-phase clusters for applications in thermal insulation, wear resistance, and high-temperature oxidation resistance.

**Plasma Propulsion Laboratory**

The Plasma Propulsion Laboratory includes vacuum systems, power supplies, and diagnostics for the study of plasma propulsion devices.

**Subsonic Wind Tunnel**

The 3 x 3-foot Subsonic Wind Tunnel is used for research on unsteady aerodynamics on oscillating airfoils and instruction.

**Thin Films, Interfaces, Composites, Characterization Laboratory**

The Thin Films, Interfaces, Composites, Characterization Laboratory consists of a Nd:YAG laser of 1 Joule capacity with three ns pulse widths, a state-of-the-art optical interferometer including an ultra high-speed digitizer, sputter deposition chamber, 56 Kip-capacity servohydraulic biaxial test frame, walk-in freezer, polishing and imaging equipment for microstructural characterization for measurement and control study of thin film interface strength, NDE using laser ultrasound, de-icing of structural surfaces, and characterization of composites under multiaxial stress state.

**Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance**

**Professors**

Mohamed A. Abdou, Ph.D. (Wisconsin, 1973)  
Fusion, nuclear, and mechanical engineering design, testing, and system analysis, thermo-mechanics; thermal hydraulics; fluid dynamics; heat, and mass transfer in the presence of magnetic fields (MHD flows); neutronics; radiation transport; plasma-material interac-

Odhavar O. Bendsikens, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1980)  
Classical and computational aerelasticity, structural dynamics and unsteady aerody-

Gregory P. Carman, Ph.D. (Virginia Tech, 1991)  
Electromagnetoelasticity models, fatigue characterization of piezoelectric ceramics, magnetostrictive composites, characterizing shape memory alloys, fiber-optic sensors, design of damage detection systems, micro-

Ivan Catton, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1966)  
Heat transfer and fluid mechanics, transport phenomena in porous media, nucleo-

Junn-Shyan (J-S) Chen, Ph.D. (Northwestern, 1999)  
Finite element methods, mesh free methods, large deformation mechanics, inelasticity, contact problems, structural dynamics.

Yong Chen, Ph.D. (Systems, real-time imaging, 1996)  
Nanoscale science and engineering, micro-

Nasr M. Ghoniem, Ph.D. (Wisconsin, 1977)  
Mechanical behavior of high-temperature materials, radiation interaction with material (e.g., laser, ions, plasma, electrons, and neutr-

J. John Kim, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1978)  
Turbulence, numerical simulation of turbulent and transitional flows, application of control theories to flow control.

Adrienne Lavine, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1984)  
Heat transfer, thermomechanical behavior of shape memory alloys, thermal aspects of manufacturing processes, natural and mixed convection.

Radiative transfer and satellite remote sens-

Christopher S. Lynch, Ph.D. (UC Santa Barbara, 1992)  
Field coupled materials, constitutive behavior, thermo-electro-mechanical properties, sensor and actuator applications, fracture mechan-

Ajit K. Mal, Ph.D. (Calculta U., 1964)  
Mechanics of solids, fractures and failure, wave propagation, nondestructive evaluation, composites.

Robert T. M’Closkey, Ph.D. (Caltech, 1995)  
Nonlinear control theory and design with application to mechanical and aerospace con-

Jason Speyer, Ph.D. (Harvard, 1968)  
Stochastic and deterministic optimal control and estimation with application to aerospace systems; guidance, flight control, and flight mechan-

Tsu-Chin Tsao, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1988)  
Modeling and control of dynamic systems with applications in mechanical systems, manufacturing processes, automotive sys-

Daniel C.H. Yang, Ph.D. (Rutgers, 1982)  
Robotics and mechanisms; CAD/CAM sys-

Michel A. Melkanoff, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1955)  
Experimental fluid mechanics, two-phase flow, ocean thermal energy conversion.

Aerelasticity of helicopters and fixed-wing aircraft, structural dynamics of rotating sys-

H. Thomas Hahn, Ph.D. (Pennsylvania State, 1971)  
Thermophysical properties, nanostructural sciences, and nanoelectromechanics.

Anthony F. Mills, Ph.D. (UC Berkeley, 1965)  
Convective heat and mass transfer, conden-

D. Lewis Mingori, Ph.D. (Stanford, 1966)  
Dynamics and control, stability theory, nonlinear methods, applications to space and ground vehicles.
Lower Division Courses


19. Fiat Lux Freshman Seminars. (1) Seminar, one hour. Discussion of and critical thinking about topics of current intellectual importance, taught by faculty members in their areas of expertise and illuminating many paths of discovery at UCLA. P/NP grading.

94. Introduction to Computer-Aided Design and Drafting. (4) Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours. Fundamentals of computer graphics and two- and three-dimensional modeling on computer-aided design and drafting systems. Students use one or more online computer systems to design and display design and drafting systems. Students use one or more computer systems to design and display various objects. Letter grading. Mr. Yang (F,Sp)

99. Student Research Program. (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week per unit. Entry-level research for lower-division students under guidance of faculty mentor. Students must be in good academic standing and en- rolled in minimum of 12 units (excluding this course). Individual contract required; consult Undergraduate Research Center. May be repeated. P/NP grading.

Upper Division Courses


102. Dynamics of Particles and Rigid Bodies. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: course 101 (enforced), Mathematics 33A, Physics 1A. Fundamental con- cepts of Newtonian mechanics. Kinematics and kinet- ics of particles and rigid bodies in two and three di- mensions. Impulse-momentum and work-energy re- lationships. Applications. Letter grading. Mr. Klug (F,Sp)

103. Elementary Fluid Mechanics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: Mathematics 32B, 33A, Physics 1B. Introductory course dealing with application of principles of mechanics to flow of compressible and incompressible fluids. Mr. Kavehpour, Mr. J. Kim (F,Sp)

105A. Introduction to Engineering Thermodynam- ics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20B, Mathematics 32B, 32P. Phenomenological thermodynam- ics. Concepts of equilibrium, temperature, and re- versibility. First law and concept of energy; second law and concept of entropy. Equations of state and thermodynamic properties. Engineering applications of these principles in analysis and design of closed and open systems. Letter grading. Mr. Pilon (F,Sp)

105D. Transport Phenomena. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 105D, 131A. Principles of mass species diffusion, convective heat and mass transfer, and radiation. Engineering applications in thermal and environmental control. Letter grading. Mr. Ju (F,Sp)

107. Introduction to Modeling and Analysis of Dy- namic Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; laboratory, two hours; outside study, five hours. Requisites: Computer Science 31, Electrical Engineering 100 (enforced). Introduction to modeling of physical systems, with examples of mechanical, fluid, thermal, and electrical systems. Description of these systems with coverage of impulse response, convolution, frequency response, first- and second- order system transient response analysis, and nu- merical solution. Nonlinear differential equation de- scriptions with discussion of equilibrium solutions, small signal linearization, large signal response. Block diagram representation and response of inter- connections of systems. Hands-on experiments rein- force lecture material. Letter grading. Mr. M’Closkey, Mr. Tso (F,Sp)


131AL. Thermodynamics and Heat Transfer Labo- ratory. (4) Laboratory, eight hours; outside study, four hours. Requisites: courses 131A, and 157 or 157S. Experimental study of physical phenomena and engi- neering systems using modern data acquisition and processing techniques. Experiments include studies of heat transfer phenomena and testing of cooling tower, heat exchanger, and internal combustion en- gine. Students take and analyze data and discuss physical phenomena. Letter grading. Mr. Mills (Not offered 2011-12)

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exchange in automobile catalytic convertors, electronic filters, compressors, heat exchangers, and cooling towers. Concurrently scheduled with course C232A. Letter grading. Mr. Mills (Sp)

133A. Engineering Thermodynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Requisites: courses 133A, and 157 or 157S. Experiments in power generation; heat transfer systems using state-of-art plant process instrumentation and equipment. Experiments include studies of thermodynamic operating characteristics of actual Brayton cycle. Basic cycle, compressive refrigeration unit, and absorption refrigeration unit. Letter grading. Mr. Caton (Sp)

134. Design and Operation of Thermal Hydraulic Power Systems. (4) Lecture, three hours; laboratory, three hours; outside study, six hours. In this course, students will design and operate thermal hydraulic power systems, such as those found in power plants and heat transfer systems. Letter grading. Mr. Caton (Not offered 2011-12)

135. Fundamentals of Nuclear Science and Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. In this course, students will study the fundamental principles of nuclear science and engineering. Letter grading. Mr. Morley (Not offered 2011-12)

136. Energy and Environment. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. In this course, students will study the fundamentals of energy and environmental science. Letter grading. Mr. Eldredge (Mr. Eldredge (Not offered 2011-12)
CM180. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) (4)

(Same as CM180L) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: courses 101, 102, and 15A, 4BL. Corequisite: course CM180. Students go through process of fabricating MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM280L. Letter grading. Mr. C-J. Kim (F).

181A. Complex Analysis and Integral Transforms. (4)

Lecture, four hours; discussion, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course 182A. Complex variables, analytic functions, conformal mapping, contour integrals, singularities, residues, Cauchy integrals; Laplace transforms; properties, convolution, Fourier transforms: properties, convolution, FFT, applications in dynamics, vibrations, structures, and heat conduction. Letter grading. Mr. Ghorwani (W).

182A. Mathematics of Engineering. (4)


182B. Mathematics of Engineering. (4)


182C. Numerical Methods for Engineering Applications. (4)


183. Introduction to Manufacturing Processes. (4)

products allow them to be tracked automatically as they move through manufacturing and distribution. A complex chain, RFID tags have memory and small CPU that allows information about product status to be written, stored, and transmitted wirelessly. Tag data can then be forwarded by readers to enterprise software by way of RFID middleware layer. Study of how RFID is being utilized in manufacturing, with focus on automotive and aerospace. Letter grading.

Mr. Eldredge, Mr. J. Kim (W)

188. Special Courses in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, (2 to 4) Lecture, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Special topics in mechanical and aerospace engineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and graduate students taught on experimental or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and graduate students. Requisite: permission of project advisor. May be repeated for credit with top change. Letter grading. Mr. Vella (F, alternate years)

Graduate Courses


231B. Radiation Heat Transfer. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 105D. Radiative properties of materials and radiative energy transfer. Emphasis on fundamental concepts, including energy levels and electromagnetic waves as well as radiative properties and radiation transfer in absorbing, emitting, and scattering media. Applications cover laser-matter interactions in addition to traditional areas such as combustion and thermal insulation. Letter grading. Mr. Pilon (F)


231G. Microscopic Energy Transport. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 105D. Heat carriers (photons, electronics, phonons, molecules) and their energy characteristics, statistical properties of heat carriers; scattering and propagation of heat carriers, Boltzmann transport equations, derivation of classical laws from Boltzmann transport equations, derivation from classical laws. Mr. Ju


237D. Fusion Engineering and Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Fusion re-actions and fuel cycles. Principles of inertial and magnetic fusion. Plasma requirements for controlled fusion. Reactor concepts and technological components. Analysis and design of high flux components, energy conversion and tritium breeding components, radia-tion shielding, magnets, and heating. Letter grading. Mr. Abdou

239B. Seminar: Current Topics in Transport Phe-nomena. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Designed for graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Lectures, discussions, student presentations, and proj-ects in areas of current interest in transport phenomena. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

239F. Special Topics in Transport Phenomena. (2 to 4) Lecture, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Designed for graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Advanced and current study of one or more aspects of heat and mass transfer, such as turbulence, stability and transition, buoyancy effects, variational methods, and measurement techniques. May be repeated for credit with top change. S/U grading.

239G. Special Topics in Nuclear Engineering. (2 to 4) Lecture, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Designed for graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Special topics selected from research areas in current interest in nuclear engineering, such as reactor safety, risk-benefit trade-offs, nuclear ma-terials, and reactor design. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U grading.

239H. Special Topics in Fusion Physics, Engi-neering, and Technology. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Des-igned for graduate mechanical and aerospace engi-neering students. Advanced and current study of fusion and plasma control, plasma confinement, and fusion reactor safety. May be repeated for credit with topic change. S/U grading.

250. Foundations of Fluid Dynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 150A. Corequisite: course 182B. Development and application of fundamental principles of fluid mechanics at graduate level, with emphasis on incompressible flow. Flow kinematics, basic equations, constitutive relations, exact solutions on the Navier/Stokes equations, vorticity dynamics, decomposition of flow fields, potential flow. Letter grading.

Mr. Eldredge, Mr. J. Kim (W)

250B. Viscous and Turbulent Flows. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 150A. Fundamental principles of fluid dynam-ics applied to study of fluid resistance. States of fluid motion discussed in order of advancing Reynolds number; wakes, boundary layers, instability, transi-tion, and turbulent shear flows. Letter grading.

Mr. Vella (F)

250C. Compressible Flows. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 150A, 150B. Effects of compressibility in viscous and inviscid flows. Steady and unsteady inviscid supersonic and subsonic flows; methods for characteristic small disturbance theories (linearized and hypersonic); shock dynamics. Letter grading. Ms. Karagozian, Mr. Zhong (F)


250E. Spectral Methods in Fluid Dynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 182A, 182B, 182C, 250A, 250B. Intro-duction to basic concepts and techniques of various spectral methods applied to solving partial differential equations. Particular emphasis on techniques of solving unsteady three-dimensional Navier/Stokes equa-tions. Topics include spectral methods, Fourier func-tions, discrete Fourier transform, etc. Letter grading. Mr. J. Kim (Sp, alternate years)

250F. Hypersonic and High-Temperature Gas Dy-namics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended: course 182B. Molecular and chemical description of equilibrium and nonequilibrium hypersonic and high-temperature gas flows, chemical thermodynamics and statistical ther-modynamics for calculation gas properties, equilibri-
um flows of real gases, vibrational and chemical rate processes, nonconcurrent flows of real gas, and computer fluid dynamics methods for nonequilibrium hypersonic flows. Letter grading. Mr. Zhong (W)

250G. Fluid Dynamics of Biological Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250A and 250B. Introduction to fundamental principles of aquatic and Donnan equilibria; free-shear flows, boundary conditions; stability; and shear instabilities; boundary layer instability. Nonlinear aspects: sufficient criteria for stability, subcritical instabilities, supersonic flow, transition to turbulence. Letter grading. Mr. Elsberry (Sp)

252A. Stability of Fluid Motion. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 150A. Mechanisms by which laminar flows can become unstable and lead to turbulence of secondary motions, such as Kelvin-Helmholtz and Benard rolls. Letter grading. Mr. Karagozian (F; odd years)

252B. Turbulence. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 250A, 250B. Characteristics of turbulent flows, conservation and transport equations, statistical description of turbulent flows, scales of turbulent motion, simple turbulent flows, free-shear flows, wall-bounded flows, turbulence modeling, numerical simulations of turbulent flows, and turbulence control. Letter grading. Mr. Kim


255B. Mathematical Methods in Dynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 255A. Concepts of stability; state-space interpretation; stability determination by simulation, linearization, and Lyapunov function. The Hamiltonian as a Lyapunov function; nonautonomous systems; averaging and perturbation methods of nonlinear analysis; parametric excitation and nonlinear response. Application to mechanical systems. Letter grading. Mr. M'Closkey

256A. Linear Elasticity. (4) (Same as Civil Engineering M230A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 156A or 166A. Linear elastostatics, Cartesian tensors, infinitesimal strain tensor; Cauchy stress tensor; strain energy; equilibrium equations; linear constitutive relations; plane elastostatic problems, holes, corners, inclusions, cracks, unilateral contact; finite element methods of Kelvin, Boussinesq, and Cerruti. Introduction to boundary integral equation method. Letter grading. Mr. Mai (F)


256F. Analytical Fracture Mechanics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 256A. Review of modern fracture mechanics, including fracture mechanics, fatigue, and fracture mechanics and numerical methods for calculation of crack tip stress intensity factors; engineering applications in stiffened structures, pressure vessels, plates, and shells. Letter grading. Mr. Gupta

257A. Elastodynamics. (4) (Same as Earth and Space Sciences M224A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 256A, 256B. Equations of linear elasticity, Cauchy equation of motion, constitutive relations, boundary and initial conditions, principle of energy. Sources and waves in unbounded isotropic, anisotropic, and dissipative solids. Half-space problems. Guided waves in layered media; thin plates. A posteriori error analysis and model reduction of fracture, nondestructive evaluation (NDE), and mechanics of earthquakes. Letter grading.

258A. Nanomechanics and Micromechanics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 256A. Analytical and computational modeling methods to design mechanics of materials at scales ranging from atomistic through micro-structure or transitional and up to continuum. Discussion of atomistic and nonatomistic simulation methods (e.g., molecular dynamics, Langevin dynamics, and kinetic Monte Carlo) and their applications at nanoscale. Development and applications of dislocation dynamics and statistical mechanics. Consideration of atomistics at structures and microstructure self-organization, hetero- neous plastic deformation, material instabilities, and failure phenomena. Presentation of technical applications of these techniques to surfaces and interfaces, grain boundaries, dislocations and defects, surface growth, quantum dots, nanotubes, nanoclusters, thin films (e.g., optical thermal barriers, coatings and ultrathin materials), nano-identification, smart (active) materials, nano- bending and microbending, and torsion. Letter grading. Mr. Ghoniem (W; alternate years)

259A. Seminar: Advanced Topics in Fluid Mechanics. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Advanced study of topics in fluid mechanics, with intensive student participation involving assignments in research problems leading to term paper or oral examination (possible help from course lecturers). Letter grading. Mr. Smith (Sp)

259B. Seminar: Advanced Topics in Solid Mechanics. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Advanced study of various topics such as nonlinear deformations, generalized continua, and advanced topics such as fracture mechanics, plate theory, and composites. Letter grading. Mr. Mal

260. Current Topics in Mechanical Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, two to four hours; outside study, four to eight hours. Design for graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Lectures, discussions, and student presentations and projects in areas of current interest in mechanical engineering. May be repeated for credit. Letter grading.


262. Mechanics of Intelligent Material Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended requisite: course 166C. Constitutive relations for electro-magneto-mechanical materials. Recent developments in fiber-optic sensor technology, including classical laminate theory, shear lag theory, and micromechanical analysis, and homogenization theories and the capabilities of these theories to apply to composites. Active materials such as shape-memory, and bimorph. Letter grading. Mr. Carman (Sp)

263A. Analytical Foundations of Motion Controllers. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended requisites: courses 163A, 294. Theory of motion control for modern computer-controlled machines; multi-axis computer-controlled machines; machine kinematics and dynamics; multi-axis motion coordination; coordinated motion with desired speed profiles; interpolation algorithms; error compensation; command generation; theory and design of controller inter- polators; motion trajectory design and analysis; geometry-speed-sampling time relationships. Letter grading. Mr. Yang

263B. Spacecraft Dynamics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 255A. Recommended: course 255B. Modeling, dynamics, and stability of spacecraft; spinning and de-spinning control, attitude and orbital control, high resolution, spinning rocket dynamics; environmental torques in space, modeling and model reduction of flexible space structures. Letter grading. Mr. Wirz

265C. Mechanics and Trajectory Planning of Intelligent Robots. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 163A. Theory and implementation of industrial robots. Design considerations. Kinematic structure modeling, trajectory
263D. Advanced Robotics. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Recommended preparation: courses 155, 171A, 263C. Motion planning and control of articulated systems;ensor fusion; joint control, experiments in joint control and multiaxis coordination, multibody dynamics, trajectory planning, motion optimization, dynamic performance and robustness, stability and performance, modeling and design of manipulators in space, obstacle avoidance. Letter grading. Mr. Hahn


269B. Advanced Dynamics of Structures. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M269A. Presentation of field of aerelasticity from unified viewpoint applicable to flight structures, suspension bridges, buildings, and other structures. Derivation of aerelastic operators and unsteady airloads from governing variational principles. Flow induced instability and response of structural systems. Letter grading. Mr. Bendiksen (F) Mr. Speyer (Sp alternate years)

269D. Aeroelastic Effects in Structures. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M269A. Linear dynamics of structures. Features such as eigenvalues and eigenvectors, singular values, Cayley/Hamilton theorem, Jordan form, solution of state equations; stability, controllability, observability, realizability, and minimality. Stabilization design via state feedback and observers; separation principle. Connections with transfer function and frequency methods. Letter grading. Mr. M'Closkey (F)

270B. Linear Optimal Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M270A or Electrical Engineering M240A. Existence and uniqueness of solutions to linear quadratic (LQ) optimal control problems for continuous-time and discrete-time systems, finite-time and infinite-time problems; Hamiltonian systems and optimal control; algebraic and differential Riccati equations; implications of controllability, stabilizability, observability, and detectability solutions. Letter grading. Mr. Gibson (W)

M270C. Optimal Control. (4) Same as Chemical Engineering M280C and Electrical Engineering M240C.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 270B. Applications of variational methods, Pontryagin maximum principle, Hamilton/Jacobi/Bellman equation (dynamic programming) to control design; optimal control of systems modeled by nonlinear ordinary differential equations. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

271A. Probability and Stochastic Processes in Dynamical Systems. (4) (Formerly numbered 217A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M271A. Probability spaces, random variables, stochastic sequences and processes, expectation, conditional expectation, Gaussian/Markov processes, minimum variance estimator (Kalman filter) with applications. Concurrently scheduled with course C175A. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

271B. Stochastic Estimation. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course C271A. Linear and non-linear estimation theory, orthogonal projection lemma, Bayesian filtering theory, conditional mean and risk estimators. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

271C. Stochastic Optimal Control. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 271B. Stochastic dynamic programming, certainty equivalence principle, separation theorem, information state, linear quadratic Gaussian controller, linear-exponential-Gaussian problem. Relationship between stochastic control and robust control. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

271D. Seminar: Special Topics in Dynamic Systems. Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Seminar on current research topics in dynamical systems modeling, control, and applications. Topics selected from process control, differential games, nonlinear estimation, adaptive filtering, industrial and aerospace applications, etc. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

M272A. Nonlinear Dynamic Systems. (4) Same as Chemical Engineering M282A and Electrical Engineering M240A.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course M270A or Chemical Engineering M280A or Electrical Engineering M240A. State-space techniques for studying solutions of time-invariant and time-varying nonlinear dynamical systems with emphasis on stability, Lyapunov theory (including converse theorems), invariance, center manifold theory, input-to-state stability and small-gain results. Letter grading. Mr. Speyer

272A. Robust Control System Analysis and Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 171A, M270A. Graduate-level introduction to analysis and design of multi-variable control systems. Multivariable loop-shaping, performance requirements, model uncertainty representations, and robustness covered in detail from frequency domain perspective. Structured singular value and its application to controller synthesis. Letter grading. Mr. M'Closkey

275A. System Identification. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Methods for identification of dynamical systems from input/output data, with emphasis on identification of discrete-time (digital) models of sampled-data systems. Coverage of conversion to continuous-time models. Models identified include transfer functions and state-space models. Theory, experiment, and aerospace engineering, including identification of flexible structures, microelectromechanical systems (MEMs) devices, and acoustic ducts. Letter grading. Mr. M'Closkey (W)


277. Advanced Digital Control for Mechatronic Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; laboratory, two hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 271B, M270A. Digital signal processing and control analysis of mechatronic systems. System inversion-based digital control algorithms and robustness properties. Real-time digital controller design using control toolboxes, previewed optimal feedforward compensator, repetitive and learning control, and adaptive control. Real-time control investigation of topics to selected mechatronic systems. Mr. Tsao (W)

279. Dynamics and Control of Biological Oscillations. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 107, M270A. Analysis and design of dynamical mechanisms underlying biological control systems that generate coordinated oscillations. Topics include neuronal information processing through action potentials (spike train), central oscillators, coupling and nonlinear (optimal) gains (periodic motion) for animal locomotion, and entrainment to natural oscillations via feedback control. Letter grading. Mr. Iwasski (Sp)

CM280A. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM250A and Electrical Engineering CM250A.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4A, 4BL. Corequisite: course CM280L. Introduction to micromachining technologies and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS). Methods of micromaching and how these methods can be used to produce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students design microfabrication processes capable of achieving desired MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM180L. Letter grading. Mr. C.-J. Kim (F)

M280B. Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Fabrication. (4) (Same as Biomedical Engineering M250B and Electrical Engineering M250B.) Lecture, three hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course CM180 or CM280A. Advanced discussion of micromachining processes used to construct MEMS. Coverage of most popular deposition, etching, and chemical-mechanical processess, as well as their combination in process integration. Materials issues such as chemical resistance, corrosion, mechanical properties, and residual/intrinsic stress. Letter grading. Mr. C.-J. Kim (W)

CM280L. Introduction to Micromachining and Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Laboratory. (2) (Same as Biomedical Engineering CM250L and Electrical Engineering CM250L.) Lecture, one hour; laboratory, four hours; outside study, one hour. Requisites: Chemistry 20A, 20L, Physics 1A, 1B, 1C, 4A, 4BL. Corequisite: course CM280A. Hands-on introduction to micromachining technologies and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) laboratory. Methods of micromachining and how these processes can be used to produce variety of MEMS, including microstructures, microsensors, and microactuators. Students go through process of fabricating MEMS device. Concurrently scheduled with course CM180L. Letter grading. Mr. C.-J. Kim (F)

281. Microsciences. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 131A, 150A. Biological science issues in micromachining include micro fluid science, microscale heat transfer, mechanical behavior of microstructures, as well as dynamics and control of micro devices. Letter grading. Mr. C.-J. Kim (F)

M282. Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS) Device Physics and Design. (4) Same as Biomedical Engineering M252 and Electrical Engineering M252.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Introduction to MEMS design. Design methods, design rules, sensing and actuation mechanisms, microsensors, and microactuators. Designing MEMS to be produced with both foundry and nonfoundry processes. Computer-aided design for MEMS. Design project required. Letter grading. Mr. Chiou

283. Experimental Mechanics for Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Kinematics, dynamics, and principles being used to characterize microelectromechanical systems for engineering applications. Material characterization, mechanical/material properties, mechanical characterization. Topics include fundamentals of crystallography, anisotropic properties, mechanical properties, and mechanical behavior (e.g., strength/ fracture/toughness) as they relate to microscale. Considerable emphasis on new experimental approaches to assess design-relevant mechanical properties. Letter grading. Mr. Carman (Sp alternate years)

285. Interfacial Phenomena. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 103, 104, 171. Introduction to fundamental physical phenomena occurring at interfaces and application of their knowledge to engineering problems. Fundamental concepts of interfacial phenomena, including surface tension, surfactants, interfacial transport, interfacial thermodynamics, interfacial forces, interfacial hydrodynamics, and dynamics of triple line. Presentation of various applications, including wetting, change of phase (nucleation), forms, and emulsions, microelectromechanical systems, and biological systems. Letter grading. Mr. Ho (W)


M287. Nanoscience and Technology. (4) (Same as Electrical Engineering M257.) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Enforced requisite: course CM280A. Introduction to fundamentals of nanoscale science and technology. Basic physical principles, quantum mechanics, chemical bonding and nanostructure, top-down and bottom-up (self-assembly) nanofabrication; nanocharacterization; nanomaterials, nanoelectronics, and nanobiotechnology. Introduction to new knowledge and techniques in nanoscale systems to understand scientific principles behind nanotechnology and inspire students to create new ideas in multidisciplinary nanoscale areas. Letter grading. Mr. Y. Chen (W)

C287L. Nanoscale Fabrication, Characterization, and Biodetection Laboratory. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Multidisciplinary course that introduces laboratory techniques of nanoscale fabrication, characterization, and biodetection. Basic physical, chemical, and biological principles related to these techniques, top-down and bottom-up (self-assembly) nanofabrication, nanocharacterization (AEM, SEM, etc.), and optical and electrochemical biosensors. Students encouraged to create their own ideas in self-designed experiments. Concurrently scheduled with course C187L. Letter grading. Mr. Y. Chen (Sp)

288. Laser Microfabrication. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: Materials Science 104, Physics 17. Science and engineering of laser microscopic fabrication of advanced materials, including semiconductors, metals, and insulators. Topics include fundamentals in laser interactions with advanced materials, transport issues (thermaL mass, chemical, carrier, etc.) in laser microfabrication, state-of-art optics and instrumentation for laser microfabrication, applications such as rapid prototyping, such as physical/chemical, micro machines for three-dimensional MEMS (microelectromechanical systems) and data storage, up-to-date research activities. Student term projects. Letter grading.


294. Computational Geometry for Design and Manufacturing. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 184. Computational geometry for design and manufacturing, with special emphasis on curve and surface theory and geometric modeling of curves and surfaces, B-splines and NURBS, composite curves and surfaces, computing methods for surface design and manufacture, and current research topics in computational geometry for CAD/CAM systems. Letter grading. Mr. Yang (W)


295B. Internet-Based Collaborative Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: courses 161 and 181. Exploration of state-of-the-art concepts in Internet-based collaborative design, including software environments to connect designers over Internet, networked variable media graphics environments such as high-end virtual reality systems, mid-range graphics, and low-end mobile device-based systems, and multidisciplinary design collaboration and software tools to support it. Letter grading. Mr. Gadh (F)

295C. Radio Frequency Identification Systems: Analysis, Design, and Applications. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate engineering students. Examination of emerging discipline of radio frequency identification (RFID), including basics of RFID, how RFID systems function, design and analysis of RFID systems, and applications to fields such as supply chain, manufacturing, retail, and homeland security. Letter grading. Mr. Gadh (F)

296A. Damage and Failure of Materials in Mechanical Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 156A. Role of failure prevention in mechanical design fail case studies. Mechanics and physics of material imperfections: voids, dislocations, cracks, and inclusions. Statistical and deterministic design methods. Plastic, fatigue, and creep damage. Letter grading. Mr. Gadh (F)

296B. thermochemical Processing of Materials. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 183. Thermodynamics, heat and mass transfer, principles of material processing: phase equilibria and transitions, transport mechanisms of heat and mass, moving interfaces and heat sources, natural convection, nucleation and growth of microstructures, phase change chemical vapor deposition, infiltration, etc. Letter grading. Mr. Goniemi (W)

298. Laser Microfabrication. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 183. Thermodynamics, heat and mass transfer, principles of material processing: phase equilibria and transitions, transport mechanisms of heat and mass, moving interfaces and heat sources, natural convection, nucleation and growth of microstructures, phase change chemical vapor deposition, infiltration, etc. Letter grading. Mr. Goniemi, Ms. Lavine (Sp, alternate years)

297. Composites Manufacturing. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course 166C, Materials Science 151. Materials, matrix, fibers, fiber preforms, elements of processing, autoclave/compression molding, filament winding, pulltrusion, resin transfer molding, automation, material removal and assembly, metal and ceramic matrix composites, quality assurance. Letter grading. Mr. Hahn

298. Seminar: Engineering. (2 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Usually taken after students have been advanced to candidacy. S/U grading.

M298A. Seminar: Systems, Dynamics, and Control Topics. (2) (Same as Chemical Engineering M297 and Electrical Engineering M248B.) Seminar, two hours; outside study, six hours. Limited to graduate engineering students. Presentations of research topics by leading academic researchers from fields of systems, dynamics, and control. Students who work in these fields present their papers and results. S/U grading.

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading.

Ms. Lavine (F,W,Sp)

495. Teaching Assistant Training Seminar. (2) Seminar, two hours; outside study, four hours. Preparation: appointment as teaching assistant in department. Seminar on communication of mechanical and aerospace engineering principles, concepts, and methods; teaching assistant preparation, organization, and presentation of material, including use of visual aids; grading, advising, and rapport with students. S/U grading.

596. Directed Individual or Tutorial Studies. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Petition forms to request enrollment may be obtained from assistant dean, Graduate Studies. Supervised investigation of advanced technical problems. S/U grading.

597A. Preparation for M.S. Comprehensive Examination. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Reading and preparation for M.S. comprehensive examination. S/U grading.

597B. Preparation for Ph.D. Preliminary Examinations. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. S/U grading.

597C. Preparation for Ph.D. Oral Qualifying Examination. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Preparation for oral qualifying examination, including preliminary research on dissertation. S/U grading.

598. Research for and Preparation of M.S. Thesis. (2 to 12) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Supervised independent research for M.S. candidates, including thesis prospectus. S/U grading.

599. Research for and Preparation of Ph.D. Dissertation. (2 to 16) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to graduate mechanical and aerospace engineering students. Usually taken after students have been advanced to candidacy. S/U grading.
Master of Science in Engineering Online Program

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Scope and Objectives
The primary purpose of the Master of Science in Engineering online degree program is to enable employed engineers and computer scientists to augment their technical education beyond the Bachelor of Science degree and to enhance their value to the technical organizations in which they are employed. The training and education that the program offers are of significant importance and usefulness to engineers, their employers, California, and the nation. It is at the M.S. level that engineers have the opportunity to learn a specialization in depth, and those engineers with advanced degrees may also renew and update their knowledge of the technology advances that continue to occur at an accelerating rate.

The M.S. program is addressed to those highly qualified employed engineers who, for various reasons, do not attend the on-campus M.S. programs and who are keenly interested in developing up-to-date knowledge of cutting-edge engineering and technology.

Graduate Study
For information on graduate admission, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

The following introductory information is based on the 2011-12 edition of Program Requirements for UCLA Graduate Degrees. Complete annual editions of Program Requirements are available at http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/gasaa/library/pgmrqintro.htm. Students are subject to the degree requirements as published in Program Requirements for the year in which they enter the program.

M.S. in Engineering Online Program

Course Requirements
The program consists of nine courses that make up a program of study. At least five courses must be at the 200 level, and one must be a directed study course. The latter course satisfies the University of California requirement for a capstone event (in the on-campus program the requirement is covered by a comprehensive examination or a thesis); the directed study course consists of an engineering design project that is better suited for the working engineer/computer scientist.

The program is structured in a manner that allows employed engineers/computer scientists to complete the requirements at a part-time pace (e.g., one 100/200-level course per term). Courses are scheduled so that the program can be completed within two academic years plus one additional term.

Advanced Structural Materials
Jenn-Ming Yang, Ph.D. (Materials Science and Engineering), Director; jyang@seas.ucla.edu

The program provides students with a broad knowledge of advanced structural materials. Courses cover fundamental concepts of science and engineering of lightweight advanced metallic and composite materials, fracture mechanics, damage tolerance and durability, failure analysis and prevention, nondestructive evaluation, structural integrity and life prediction, and design of aerospace structures. Students are required to complete a project on a topic related to structural materials.

Aerospace Engineering
Xiaolin Zhong, Ph.D. (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering), Director; xiaolin@seas.ucla.edu

The main objective of the program is to provide students with broad knowledge of the major technical areas of aerospace engineering to fulfill the current and future needs of the aerospace industry. Major technical areas include aerodynamics and computa-
tional fluid dynamics (CFD), systems and control, and structures and dynamics. Courses cover fundamental concepts of science and engineering of aerodynamics, compressible flow, computational aerodynamics, digital control of physical systems, linear dynamic systems, linear optimal control, design of aerospace structures, and dynamics of structures. Through a graduate course, students also gain skills in the development and application of CFD codes for solving practical aerospace problems.

If students have taken Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 150B, 154B, and 171B or the equivalent at their undergraduate institutions, they can take other online-offered courses, approved by the area director, as substitute courses. In addition, students are required to complete a project on a topic related to the three major areas of this program.

**Computer Networking**
Mario Gerla, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Director; gerla@cs.ucla.edu

Three undergraduate elective courses complement the basic background of the undergraduate electrical engineering or computer science degree with concepts in security, sensors, and wireless communications. The graduate courses expose students to key applications and research areas in the network and distributed systems field. Two required graduate courses cover the Internet and emerging sensor embedded systems. The electives probe different applications domains, including wireless mobile networks, security, network management, distributed P2P systems, and multimedia applications.

**Electronic Materials**
Ya-Hong Xie, Ph.D. (Materials Science and Engineering), Director; yhx@ucla.edu

The electronic materials program provides students with a knowledge set that is highly relevant to the semiconductor industry. The program has four essential attributes: theoretical background, applied knowledge, exposure to theoretical approaches, and introduction to the emerging field of microelectronics, namely organic electronics. All faculty members have industrial experience and are currently conducting active research in these subject areas.

**Integrated Circuits**
Dejan Markovic, Ph.D. (Electrical Engineering), Director; dejan@ee.ucla.edu

The integrated circuits program includes analog integrated circuit (IC) design, design and modeling of VLSI circuits and systems, RF circuit and system design, signaling and synchronization, VLSI signal processing, and communication system design. Summer courses are not yet offered in this program; therefore it cannot currently be completed in two calendar years.

**Manufacturing and Design**
Daniel C.H. Yang, Ph.D. (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering), Director; dyang@seas.ucla.edu

The manufacturing and design program covers a broad spectrum of fundamental and advanced topics, including mechanical systems, digital control systems, microdevices and nanodevices, wireless systems, failure of materials, composites, and computational geometry. The program prepares students with the higher educational background that is necessary for today’s rapidly changing technology needs.

**Mechanics of Structures**
Ajit K. Mal, Ph.D. (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering), Director; ajit@seas.ucla.edu

The mechanics of structures program provides students with the knowledge required for the analysis and synthesis of modern engineered structures. The fundamental concepts of linear and nonlinear elasticity, plasticity, fracture mechanics, finite element analysis, and mechanics of composites and structural vibrations are developed in a series of undergraduate and graduate courses. These concepts are then applied in solving industry-relevant problems in a number of graduate-level courses. Students develop hands-on experience in using finite element packages for solving realistic structural analysis problems.

**Signal Processing and Communications**
Kung Yao, Ph.D. (Electrical Engineering), Director; yao@ee.ucla.edu

The program provides training in a set of related topics in signal processing and communications. Students receive advanced training in multimedia systems from the fundamentals of media representation and compression through transmission of signals over communications links and networks.

**System Engineering**
Peter S. Pao, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Director; peterspao@ucla.edu

System engineering has broad applications that include software, hardware, materials, and electrical and mechanical systems. A set of four core courses is offered that form the foundation of the system engineering program. The sequence of courses is designed for working professionals who are faced with design, development, support, and maintenance of complex systems.

For students who already hold an M.S. degree, a separate certificate of completion of the system engineering program can be earned by completing three of the core courses. See http://msengrol.seas.ucla.edu/areas-of-study for further information.
Schoolwide Programs, Courses, and Faculty

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Professors Emeriti
Allen B. Rosenberg, Ph.D.
Bonham Spence-Campbell, E.E.

Graduate Study
For information on graduate admission to the schoolwide engineering programs and requirements for the Engineer degree and certificate of specialization, see Graduate Programs, page 24.

Faculty Areas of Thesis Guidance
Professors Emeriti
Allen B. Rosenberg, Ph.D. (UCLA, 1958)

Educational delivery systems, computer-aided design, design, automatic controls, magnetic controls, nonlinear electronics
Bonham Spence-Campbell, E.E. (Cornell, 1939)

Development of interdisciplinary engineering/social science teams and their use in planning and management of projects and systems

Lower Division Courses
M10A. Introduction to Complex Systems Science. (4) Lecture, four hours, discussion, four hours; outside study, four hours. How microscopic patterns emerge dynamically from local interactions of large number of interdependent (often heterogeneous) entities, without global design or central control. Such emergent systems, where biological components are reengineered and enhanced their understanding of knowledge and function. Development of skills and techniques for academic excellence through team process. Investigation of national need underlying current effort to increase participation of historically underrepresented groups in U.S. technological workforce. Letter grading. Mr. Wesel (F)

95. Internship Studies in Engineering. (2 to 4) Tutorial, two to four hours. Limited to freshmen/sophomores. Internship studies course supervised by associate dean or designated faculty members. Further supervision to be provided by organization for which students are doing internship. Students may be required to meet on regular basis with instructor and provide periodic reports of their experience. May not be applied toward major requirements. Normally, only 4 units of internship are allowed. Individual contract with associate dean required. P/NP grading.

98. What Students Need to Know about Careers in Engineering. (2) Seminar, two hours. Introduction to skills and aptitudes that most engineers require in their careers and description of big picture of engineering careers. Interdisciplinary seminar provided to relate specific details of engineering courses to real world of engineer and roadmap of extracurricular activities that strengthens skills needed to acquire good jobs and achieve career success. P/NP grading. Ms. Silverstein (F,W,Sp)

99. Student Research Program. (1 to 2) Tutorial (supervised research or other scholarly work), three hours per week per unit. Entry-level research for lower-division students under guidance of faculty mentor. Students must be in good academic standing and enrolled in minimum of 12 units (excluding this course). Individual contract required; consult Undergraduate Research Center. May be repeated. P/NP grading.

Upper Division Courses
M101. Principles of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. (4) (Same as Materials Science M105S.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Enforced requisites: Chemistry 20, and Electrical Engineering 1 or Physics 1C. Introduction to underlying science encompassing structure, properties, and fabrication of technologically important nanoscale systems. New phenomena that emerge in very small systems (typically with feature sizes below few hundred nanometers) explained using basic concepts from physics and chemistry. Chemical, optical, and mechanical properties of nanoscale systems, self-assembly, templated assembly and applications of various nanostructures such as quantum dots, nanoparticles, quantum wires, quantum wells and multilayers, carbon nanotubes. Letter grading. Mr. Ozolins (F)

102. Synthetic Biosystems and Nanosystems Design. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisites: course M101, Life Sciences 3. Introduction to current progress in engineering to integrate biosciences and nanosciences into synthetic systems, where biological components are reengineered and reprogrammed to perform desired functions in both intracellular and cell-free environments. Discussion of basic technologies and systems analysis that deal with dynamic behavior, noise, and uncertainties. Design project in which students are challenged to design and implement a nanosystem or non-trivial task required. Letter grading. Mr. Liao

103. Environmental Nanotechnology: Implications and Applications. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Recommended requisite: course M101. Introduction to potential implications of nanotechnology to environmental systems as well as potential application of nanotechnology to environmental protection. Technical contents include three multidisciplinary areas: (1) physical, chemical, and biological properties of nanomaterials, (2) transport, reactivity, and toxicity of nanomaterials in natural environmental systems, and (3) use of nanotechnology for energy and water production, plus environmental protection, monitoring, and remediation. Letter grading. Mr. Hoek (Sp)

110. Introduction to Technology Management and Entrepreneurship for Engineers. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Fundamental principles of micro-level (individual, firm, and industry) and macro-level (government, international) economics as they relate to technology management. How individuals, firms, and governments impact successful commercialization of high technology products and services. Letter grading.

111. Introduction to Finance and Marketing for Engineers. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Critical components of finance and marketing research and practice as they impact management of technology commercialization. Internal (within firm) and external (in marketplace) marketing and financing of high-technology innovation. Concepts include present value, future value, discounted cash flow, internal rate of return, return on assets, return on equity, return on investment, interest rates, cost of capital, and product, price, positioning, and promotion. Use of market research, segmentation, and market management. Letter grading.

112. Laboratory to Market, Entrepreneurship for Engineers. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, one hour; outside study, seven hours. Critical components of entrepreneurship, finance, marketing, human resources, and accounting disciplines as they impact management of technology commercialization. Topics include intellectual property management, team building, market forecasting, and entrepreneurial finance. Students work in small teams studying technology management plans to bring new technologies to market. Students select from set of available technology concepts, many generated at UCLA, that are in need of plans for movement from laboratory to market. Letter grading.

113. Product Strategy. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for juniors/seniors. Introduction to current management concept of product development. Topics include product strategy, product platform, and product lines; competitive strategy; vectors of differentiation, product pricing, first-to-market versus fast-follower; growth strategy, growth through acquisition, and new ventures; product portfolio management. Case studies, class projects, group discussions, and guest lectures from industry. Letter grading. Mr. Pao (F)

180. Engineering of Complex Systems. (4) Lecture, four hours; discussion, two hours; outside study, six hours. Designed for junior/senior engineering majors. Holistic view of engineering discipline, covering lifecycle of engineering, processes, and techniques used in industry today. Multidisciplinary systems engineering perspective in which aspects of electrical, mechanical, and software engineering are incorporated. Three specific case studies in communication, sensor, and processing systems included to help students understand these concepts. Special attention paid to link material covered in engineering curriculum offered by UCLA to help students integrate and enhance their understanding of knowledge already acquired. Motivation of students to continue their learning and reinforce lifelong learning habits. Letter grading. Mr. Wesel (W)

183EW. Engineering and Society. (4) (Formerly numbered 183.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, three hours; outside study, three hours. Intended to help sophomores/junior/senior engineering students. Professional and ethical considerations in practice of engineering. Impact of technology on society and on development of moral and ethical values. Contempo- rary environmental, biological, and sociological issues created by new technologies. Emphasis on research and writing within engineering environments. Writing and revision of about 20 pages total, including two in-
185EW. Art of Engineering Endeavors. (4) Formerly numbered 185.) Lecture, four hours; discussion, three hours; outside study, five hours. Designed for juniors/senior engineering students. Nontechnical skills and experiences necessary for engineering career success. Importance of group dynamics in engineering practice and effective group skills in engineering environments. Organization and control of multidisciplinary complex engineering projects. Forms of leadership and qualities and characteristics of effective leaders. How engineering, computer sciences, and technology relate to major ethical and social issues. Societal demands on practice of engineering. Emphasis on research and writing in engineering environments. Satisfies engineering writing requirement. Letter grading. Mr. Wesel (F,W,Sp)

188. Special Courses in Engineering. (4) Seminar, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Special topics in engineering for undergraduate students taught on experimental, core, or temporary basis, such as those taught by resident and visiting faculty members. May be repeated for credit with topic or instructor change. Letter grading.

195. Internship Studies in Engineering. (2 to 4) Lecture, two to four hours, limited to juniors/seniors. Internship studies course supervised by associate dean or designated faculty members. Further supervision to be provided by organization for which students are doing internship. Students may be required to meet on regular basis with instructor and provide periodic reports of their experience. May not be applied toward major requirements. Normally, only 4 units of internship are allowed. Individual contract with associate dean required. P/NP grading. Mr. Wesel (F,W,Sp)

199. Directed Research in Engineering. (2 to 8) Tutorial, to be arranged. Limited to juniors/seniors. Supervised research or investigation under guidance of faculty mentor. Cullminating paper or project required. May be repeated for credit with school approval. Individual contract required; enrollment petitions available in Office of Academic and Student Affairs. Letter grading. (F,W,Sp)

Graduate Courses

200. Program Management Principles for Engineers (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Practical review of necessary processes and procedures to successfully manage technology programs. Review of requirements of program planning and organizational structure, implementation, and performance tracking methods to provide program manager with necessary information to support decision-making process that provides high-quality products on time and within budget. Letter grading. Mr. Wesel

201. Systems Engineering. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Designed for graduate students. Practical review of major elements of system engineering management, management of key elements: system requirements and flow down, product development cycle, functional analysis, system synthesis and trade studies, budget allocations, risk management metrics, review and audit activities and documentation. Letter grading. (W)

202. Reliability, Maintainability, and Supportability. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 201. Designed for graduate students with one to two years work experience. Integrated logistic support (ILS) is major driver of system life-cycle cost and one key element of system engineering activities. Overview of engineering disciplines relevant to the subject of system engineering — reliability, maintainability, and supportability — and their relationships, taught using probability theory. Topics also include fault detections and isolations and parts obsolescence. Discussion of 6-sigma process, one effective design and manufacturing methodology, to ensure system reliability, maintainability, and supportability. Letter grading. Mr. Lynch, Mr. Wesel

203. System Architecture. (4) Lecture, four hours; outside study, eight hours. Requisite: course 201. Designed for graduate students with B.S. degrees in engineering or science and one to two years work experience in selected domain. Art and science of architecting. Introduction to architecting methodology — paradigm and tools. Principles of architecting through analysis of architecture designs of major existing systems. Discussion of selected elements of architectural practices, such as representation models, design progression, and architecture frameworks. Examination of professionalization of system architecting. Letter grading. Mr. Lynch, Mr. Wesel

215. Entrepreneurship for Engineers. (4) Formerly numbered 210.) Lecture, four hours. Limited to graduate engineering students. Topics in starting and developing high-tech enterprises and intended for students who wish to complement their technical education with introduction to entrepreneurship. Letter grading. Mr. Abe, Mr. Cong, Mr. Wesel (W)

299. Capstone Project. (4) Activity, 10 hours. Preparatory coursework to facilitate 400-level courses in online M.S. program. Project course that satisfies UCLA final comprehensive examination requirement of M.S. degree in Engineering. Project is completed under individual guidance from UCLA Engineering faculty member and incorporates advanced knowledge learned in M.S. program of study. Letter grading. Mr. Lynch (F,W,Sp)

375. Teaching Apprentice Practicum. (1 to 4) Seminar, to be arranged. Preparation: apprentice personnel employment as teaching assistant, associate, or fellow. Teaching apprenticeship under active guidance and supervision of regular faculty member responsible for curriculum and instruction at UCLA. May be repeated for credit. S/U grading. (F,W,Sp)


471A-471C. Engineer in General Environment. (3-3-1.5) Lecture, three hours (courses 471A, 471B) and 90 minutes (course 471C). Limited to Engineering Executive Program students. Influences of human relations, laws, social sciences, humanities, and fine arts on development and utilization of natural and human resources. Interaction of technology and business environment, past, present, and future. Change agents and resistance to change. S/U or letter (471A) grading; In Progress (471B) and S/U or letter (471C) grading.

472A-472D. Engineer in Business Environment. (3-3-1.5) Lecture, three hours (courses 472A, 472B, 472C) and 90 minutes (course 472D). Limited to Engineering Executive Program students. Language of business for engineering executive. Accounting, finance, business economics, business law, and marketing. Laboratory in organization and management problem solving. Analysis of actual business problems of firm, community, and nation, provided through cooperation and participation with California business corporations and government agencies. In Progress (472A, 472C) and S/U or letter grading (credit to be given on completion of courses 472B and 472D).

473A-473B. Analysis and Synthesis of Large-Scale System. (3-3) Lecture, two and one-half hours. Limited to Engineering Executive Program students. Problem area of modern industry or government is selected as class project, and its solution is synthesized using appropriate tools and methods. Project also serves as laboratory in organization for goal-oriented technical group. In Progress (473A) and S/U (473B) grading.
Center for Cell Control
National Institutes of Health Nanomedicine Development Center
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A cell consists of millions of intracellular molecules, which serve as building blocks for its structure and functions. Interactions among these building blocks display the property of self organization, which serves as the foundation of signaling networks and regulatory pathways. Through these interconnected networks, a cell—the basic unit of life—senses, responds, and adapts to its environment. These three characteristics are commonly observed in all complex systems. The goal of the Center for Cell Control (CCC) at UCLA is to apply an unprecedented approach toward efficiently searching for a potent drug cocktail for guiding biological systems to a directed phenotype. Nanoscale modalities and molecular sensors are used to understand the signal pathway responses under the influence of the drugs. This introduces engineering systems that can be applied toward regulation of a spectrum of cellular functions, such as cancer eradication, viral infection onset control, and stem cell differentiation.

This highly interdisciplinary approach demands strong synergistic collaboration between engineers, biologists, and clinical doctors at UCLA and UC Berkeley. Projects important to the goals of the NIH nanomedicine program are development of a smart petri dish platform with advanced nanoscale modalities, capable of studying signal pathways at the network interaction level; and demonstration of the unique capability to determine optimal multiple drug combinations and apply the resulting drug cocktail as potential therapeutics in pathogenic diseases and cancer.

Three biological systems—stem cell, cancer, and viral infection—have been proposed. Because stem cells have interesting features closely mirroring circuit programming, they are used as the first system for monitoring and interrogating reactions in the network of pathways. Viral infection and cancer cells will be used in drug combinatorial studies. As the program becomes more mature, networks of all three systems will be interrogated by nano tools under the potent drug cocktails.

Center for Domain-Specific Computing
National Science Foundation Expedition in Computing Program
Jason Cong, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Director; http://www.cdsc.ucla.edu
To meet ever-increasing computing needs and overcome power density limitations, the computing industry has entered the era of parallelization, with tens to hundreds of computing cores integrated into a single processor and hundreds to thousands of computing servers connected in warehouse-scale data centers. However, such highly parallel, general-purpose computing systems still face serious challenges in terms of performance, energy, heat dissipation, space, and cost. The Center for Domain-Specific Computing (CDSC) looks beyond parallelization and focuses on domain-specific customization as the next disruptive technology to bring orders-of-magnitude power-performance efficiency improvement to important application domains.

CDSC develops a general methodology for creating novel customizable architecture platforms and the associated compilation tools and runtime management environment to support domain-specific computing. The proposed domain-specific customizable computing platform includes a wide range of customizable computing elements, from heterogeneous fixed cores to coarse-grain customizable cores and fine-grain field-programmable circuit fabrics; customizable high-performance radio frequency interconnects; highly automated compilation tools and runtime management software systems for application development; and a general, reusable methodology for customizable computing applicable across different domains. By combining these critical capabilities, the goal is to deliver a supercomputer-in-a-box that is customized to a particular application domain to enable disruptive innovations in that domain. This approach is being demonstrated in several important application domains in healthcare.

The CDSC research is carried out as a collaborative effort between four universities: UCLA (lead institution), Rice University, UC Santa Barbara, and Ohio State University. The research team consists of a group of highly accomplished researchers with diversified backgrounds, including computer science and engineering, electrical engineering, medicine, and applied mathematics. CDSC offers many research opportunities for graduate students, and also provides summer research fellowship programs for high school and undergraduate students. The core funding for CDSC is provided by the National Science Foundation with a $10 million award from the 2009 Expedition in Computing Program. This program, established in 2008 by the NSF Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE), provides the CISE research and education community with the opportunity to pursue ambitious, fundamental research agenda that promise to define the future of computing and information and to render great benefit to society.

Center for Embedded Networked Sensing
National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center
Deborah Estrin, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Director; http://www.cens.ucla.edu
The Center for Embedded Networked Sensing (CENS) is a major research enterprise focused on developing wireless sensing systems and applying this revolutionary technology to critical scientific and societal pursuits. In the same way that development of the Internet transformed our ability to communicate, the ever-decreasing size and cost of computing components sets the stage for detection, processing, and communication technology to be embedded throughout the physical world and, thereby, fostering a deeper understanding of the natural and built environment and, ultimately, enhancing our ability to design and control these complex systems.

By investigating fundamental properties of embedded networked sensing systems, developing new technologies, and exploring novel scientific and educational applications, CENS is a world leader in unleashing the tremendous potential these systems hold.

The center is a multidisciplinary collaboration among faculty, staff, and students from a wide spectrum of fields, including computer science, electrical engineering, civil and environmental engineering, biology, statistics, education and information sciences, urban planning, and theater, film, and television. CENS was established in 2002 as a National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center and is a partnership of UCLA, UC Riverside, UC Merced, USC, and Caltech.

The center’s current research portfolio encompasses projects across nine technology and applications areas, examples of which include...
Molecularily Engineered Energy Materials Energy Frontier Research Center

U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Science, Basic Energy Sciences

Vidvuds Ozolins, Ph.D. (Materials Science and Engineering), Director

The interdisciplinairy Molecularily Engineered Energy Materials (MEEM) Energy Frontier Research Center (EFRC) was established in 2009 and brings together several faculty across the UCLA campus in close collaboration with scientists and faculty at the Department of Energy's National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Eastern Washington University, the University of Kansas, and UC Berkeley.

MEEM has active research programs on organic solar cells, electrochemical supercapacitors, and materials for carbon capture. MEEM focuses on materials that are inherently inexpensive (such as polymers, oxides, and metal-organic frameworks), can be easily assembled from intelligently designed building blocks (molecules, nanoparticles, and polymers), and have the potential to deliver transformative economic benefits in comparison with current crystalline- and polycrystalline-based energy technologies.

A great deal of the center’s research is aimed at understanding the basic science issues in energy-related materials phenomena. These advances will enable rational design, efficient synthesis, and effective deployment of novel materials for energy applications. As global energy demands continue, the center's work will be essential in helping to make alternative and renewable energy a viable resource for the 21st century.

Named Data Networking Project

National Science Foundation Future Internet Architecture (FIA) Program

Lixia Zhang, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Principal Investigator, http://www.named-data.net

While the Internet has far exceeded expectations, it has also stretched initial assumptions, often creating tussles that challenge its underlying communication model. Users and applications operate in terms of content, making it increasingly limiting and difficult to conform to IP's requirement to communicate by discovering and specifying location. To carry the Internet into the future, a conceptually simple yet transformational architectural shift is required, from today's focus on what—the content that users and applications care about.

This project investigates a new Internet architecture called Named Data Networking (NDN). NDN capitalizes on strengths, and addresses weaknesses, of the Internet's current host-based, point-to-point communication architecture in order to naturally accommodate emerging patterns of communication. By naming data instead of their location, NDN transforms data into a first-class entity. The current Internet secures the data container. NDN secures the contents, a design choice that de-couples trust in data from trust in hosts, enabling several radically scalable communication mechanisms such as automatic caching to optimize bandwidth. The project studies the technical challenges that must be addressed to validate NDN as a future Internet architecture: routing scalability, fast forwarding, trust models, network security, content protection and privacy, and fundamental communication theory. The project uses end-to-end testbed deployments, simulation, and theoretical analysis to evaluate the proposed architecture, and is developing specifications and prototype implementations of NDN protocols and applications.

Smart Grid Energy Research Center (SMERC)

Rajit Gadh, Ph.D. (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering), Director, http://smartgrid.ucla.edu

The UCLA Smart Grid Energy Research Center (SMERC) performs research, creates innovations, and, demonstrates advanced wireless/communications, Internet, and sense-and-control technologies to enable the development of the next generation of the electric utility grid—the Smart Grid. SMERC also provides thought leadership through partnership between utilities, renewable energy companies, technology providers, electric vehicle and electric appliance manufacturers, DOE research labs, and universities, so as to collectively work on vision, planning, and execution towards a grid of the future. The Smart Grid of the future would allow integration of renewable energy sources, reduce losses, improve efficiencies, increase grid flexibility, reduce power outages, allow for competitive electricity pricing, allow for integration of electric vehicles, and overall become more responsive to market, consumer, and societal needs. SMERC is currently working on the topics of automated demand response, electric vehicle integration (G2V and V2G), microgrids, distributed renewable integration, storage integration into microgrids, cybersecurity, and consumer behavior.
Western Institute of Nanoelectronics

A Nanoelectronics Research Initiative National Institute of Excellence
Kang L. Wang, Ph.D. (Electrical Engineering), Director; http://win-nano.org

The Western Institute of Nanoelectronics (WIN), one of the world’s largest joint research programs focusing on spintronics, brings together nearly 30 eminent researchers to explore critically-needed innovations in semiconductor technology.

A National Institute of Excellence, WIN leverages what are considered the best interdisciplinary nanoelectronics talents in the world to explore and develop advanced research devices, circuits, and nanosystems with performance beyond conventional CMOS devices. The pioneering new technology of spintronics relies on the spin of an electron to carry information, and holds promise in minimizing power consumption for next-generation electronics.

As rapid progress in the miniaturization of semiconductor electronic devices leads toward chip features smaller than 100 nanometers in size, researchers have had to begin exploring new ways to make electronics more efficient. Today’s devices, based on CMOS standards, cannot get much smaller and still function effectively.

Information-processing technology has so far relied on charge-based devices, ranging from vacuum tubes to million-transistor microchips. Conventional electronic devices simply move these electric charges around, ignoring the spin on each electron. Spintronics aims to put that extra spin action to work—effectively corralling electrons into one smooth chain of motion.

Wireless Health Institute

Bruce Dobkin, M.D. (Medicine/Neurology), William Kaiser, Ph.D. (Electrical Engineering), Majid Sarrafzadeh, Ph.D. (Computer Science), Co-Directors; http://www.wirelesshealth.ucla.edu

Advances in engineering and computer science are enabling the design of powerful home and mobile technologies that can augment functional independence and daily activities of people with physical impairments, disabilities, chronic diseases, and the accumulative impairments associated with aging. These home-health and mobile-health technologies can serve as monitoring devices of health and activity, feedback reinforcement for risk factor management, and outcome measures for individual care and large clinical trials.

The Wireless Health Institute believes that tiny sensors—including accelerometers, gyroscopes, force transducers, and visual and sound recorders worn on the body and in clothing—will become essential components for the delivery of health care and health maintenance. Sensors created by micro- and nano-technologies will simplify communications with health providers seamlessly over Internet and WIFI transmission using telephones and other convenient devices. To pursue these applications, our collaboration includes the highly ranked UCLA schools of Medicine, Nursing, Engineering and Applied Science, and Management, the Clinical Translational Science Institute for medical research, the Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center, and faculty from many departments on campus.
# B.S. in Aerospace Engineering Curriculum

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- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A — Chemical Structure ................................................................. 4
- English Composition 3 — English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language .................................................. 5
- Mathematics 31A — Differential and Integral Calculus ........................................................................ 4

**2nd Quarter**
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20B — Chemical Energetics and Change .................................................. 4
- Computer Science 31 — Introduction to Computer Science .................................................................... 4
- Mathematics 31B — Integration and Infinite Series ................................................................................. 4
- Physics 1A — Mechanics ......................................................................................................................... 5

**3rd Quarter**
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20L — General Chemistry Laboratory .................................................. 3
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 30A — Organic Chemistry I: Structure and Reactivity .................................. 4
- Mathematics 32A — Calculus of Several Variables ................................................................................. 4
- Physics 1B/4BL — Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields/Mechanics Laboratory .................. 7

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR

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- Chemical Engineering 100 — Fundamentals of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering .................. 4
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- Physics 1C/4BL — Electrodynamics, Optics, and Special Relativity/Electricity and Magnetism Laboratory .................................................. 7

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- Chemical Engineering 102A — Thermodynamics I ............................................................................. 4
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 30B — Organic Chemistry II: Reactivity, Synthesis, and Spectroscopy .... 4
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- Chemical Engineering 101A — Transport Phenomena I ................................................................. 4
- Chemical Engineering 109 — Numerical and Mathematical Methods in Chemical and Biological Engineering ................................................................................................................................................. 4
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**2nd Quarter**
- Chemical Engineering 101B — Transport Phenomena II: Heat Transfer ............................................ 4
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 113A — Physical Chemistry: Introduction to Quantum Mechanics .......... 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* .................................................................................................................................. 5

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- Chemical Engineering 101C — Mass Transfer ....................................................................................... 4
- Chemical Engineering 103 — Separation Processes .............................................................................. 4
- Chemical Engineering 104AL — Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Laboratory I ................. 4
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 153A — Biochemistry: Introduction to Structure, Enzymes, and Metabolism ................................................................................................................................................. 4

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- Chemical Engineering 106 — Chemical Reaction Engineering ............................................................. 4
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- Chemical Engineering 108B — Chemical Process Computer-Aided Design and Analysis ................. 4
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## FRESHMAN YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A — Chemical Structure ........................................... 4
- Computer Science 1 — Freshman Computer Science Seminar ........................................ 1
- Computer Science 31 — Introduction to Computer Science I ........................................ 4
- Mathematics 31A — Differential and Integral Calculus ............................................... 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Computer Science 32 — Introduction to Computer Science II ...................................... 4
- English Composition 3 — English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language ....................... 5
- Mathematics 31B — Integration and Infinite Series ..................................................... 4
- Physics 1A — Mechanics ......................................................................................... 5

### 3rd Quarter
- Computer Science 33 — Introduction to Computer Organization ................................ 5
- Mathematics 32A — Calculus of Several Variables ...................................................... 4
- Physics 1B — Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields ................................. 5
- Physics 4AL — Mechanics Laboratory .......................................................................... 2

## SOPHOMORE YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Computer Science 35L — Software Construction Laboratory ...................................... 2
- Electrical Engineering 1 — Electrical Engineering Physics I ....................................... 4
- Mathematics 32B — Calculus of Several Variables ....................................................... 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 2
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Computer Science M51A or Electrical Engineering M16 — Logic Design of Digital Systems 4
- Computer Science 131 — Programming Languages .................................................... 4
- Mathematics 33A — Linear Algebra and Applications ................................................. 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 4

### 3rd Quarter
- Computer Science M152A or Electrical Engineering M116L — Introductory Digital Design Laboratory 2
- Mathematics 61 — Introduction to Discrete Structures ................................................. 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 4

## JUNIOR YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Computer Science 180 — Introduction to Algorithms and Complexity ....................... 4
- Computer Science Elective ............................................................................................ 4
- HSSEAS Ethics Course .................................................................................................. 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Computer Science 111 — Operating Systems Principles ........................................... 5
- Computer Science M151B or Electrical Engineering M116C — Computer Systems Architecture 4
- Computer Science Elective ............................................................................................ 4
- Science and Technology Elective .................................................................................. 4

### 3rd Quarter
- Computer Science 130 (Software Engineering) or 152B (Digital Design Project Laboratory) 4
- Statistics 100A — Introduction to Probability ............................................................... 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ..................................................................................................... 5
- Technical Breadth Course* ............................................................................................ 4

## SENIOR YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Computer Science 118 — Computer Network Fundamentals ........................................ 4
- Computer Science Elective ............................................................................................ 4
- Science and Technology Elective .................................................................................. 4
- Technical Breadth Course* ............................................................................................ 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Computer Science 181 — Introduction to Formal Languages and Automata Theory ........ 4
- Computer Science Elective ............................................................................................ 4
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### 3rd Quarter
- Computer Science Electives (2) .................................................................................... 8
- Science and Technology Elective .................................................................................. 4

## TOTAL

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Biomedical Engineering Option Curriculum

FRESHMAN YEAR

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Chemistry and Biochemistry 20A — Chemical Structure ................................................. 4
Computer Science 31 — Introduction to Computer Science I ............................................ 4
Mathematics 31A — Differential and Integral Calculus .................................................. 4

2nd Quarter
Chemistry and Biochemistry 20B/20L — Chemical Energetics and Change/General Chemistry Laboratory .................................................. 7
English Composition 3 — English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language ......................... 5
Mathematics 31B — Integration and Infinite Series ......................................................... 4

3rd Quarter
Chemistry and Biochemistry 30A — Organic Chemistry I: Structure and Reactivity .......... 4
Chemistry and Biochemistry 30AL — General Chemistry Laboratory II ............................... 4
Mathematics 32A — Calculus of Several Variables ......................................................... 4
Physics 1A — Mechanics ................................................................................................. 5

SOPHOMORE YEAR

1st Quarter
Electrical Engineering M16 or Computer Science M51A — Logic Design of Digital Systems .................................................. 4
Mathematics 32B — Calculus of Several Variables ......................................................... 4
Mathematics 33A — Linear Algebra and Applications ..................................................... 4
Physics 1B/4AL — Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields/Mechanics Laboratory .................................................. 7

2nd Quarter
Electrical Engineering 3 — Introduction to Electrical Engineering .................................. 2
Electrical Engineering 10 — Circuit Analysis I ............................................................... 4
Life Sciences 2 — Cells, Tissues, and Organs ................................................................ 4
Mathematics 33B — Differential Equations .................................................................. 4
Physics 4BL — Electricity and Magnetism Laboratory .................................................... 2

3rd Quarter
Electrical Engineering 102 — Systems and Signals ....................................................... 4
Electrical Engineering 103 — Applied Numerical Computing ......................................... 4
Life Sciences 3 — Introduction to Molecular Biology ..................................................... 4
Life Sciences 23L — Introduction to Laboratory and Scientific Methodology .................. 2

JUNIOR YEAR

1st Quarter
Electrical Engineering 1 — Electrical Engineering Physics I .......................................... 4
Electrical Engineering 110 — Circuit Analysis II ............................................................. 4
Electrical Engineering 113 — Digital Signal Processing .................................................. 4
Electrical Engineering 131A — Probability .................................................................. 4

2nd Quarter
Electrical Engineering 101 — Engineering Electromagnetics ........................................ 4
Electrical Engineering 110L — Circuit Measurements Laboratory .................................. 2
Electrical Engineering 115A — Analog Electronic Circuits I ........................................... 4
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Pathway Course (Electrical Engineering 132A — Introduction to Communication Systems)† .................................................. 4

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Electrical Engineering 115AL — Analog Electronics Laboratory I ................................... 2
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SENIOR YEAR

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Pathway Course (Electrical Engineering 176 — Lasers in Biomedical Applications or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 105A — Introduction to Engineering Thermodynamics)† .................................................. 4
Pathway Design Course† .............................................................................................. 4
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## Computer Engineering Option Curriculum

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- English Composition 3 — English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language .................................... 5
- Materials Science and Engineering 10 — Freshman Seminar: New Materials .......................... 1
- Mathematics 31A — Differential and Integral Calculus ................................................................. 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20B/20L — Chemical Energetics and Change/General Chemistry Laboratory .......................................................... 7
- Mathematics 31B — Integration and Infinite Series ........................................................................... 4
- Physics 1A — Mechanics .................................................................................................................. 5

### 3rd Quarter
- Mathematics 32A — Calculus of Several Variables ......................................................................... 4
- Physics 1B — Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields ..................................................... 5
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ....................................................................................................................... 4

### HSSEAS GE Elective
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## SOPHOMORE YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Materials Science and Engineering 104 — Science of Engineering Materials .................................... 4
- Mathematics 32B — Calculus of Several Variables ........................................................................... 4
- Physics 1C (Electrodynamics, Optics, and Special Relativity) or Electrical Engineering 1 (Electrical Engineering Physics I) .................................................. 5 or 4

### 2nd Quarter
- Chemical Engineering 102A (Thermodynamics I) or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 105A (Introduction to Engineering Thermodynamics) ........................................................................... 4
- Computer Science 31 — Introduction to Computer Science I ............................................................ 4
- Mathematics 33A — Linear Algebra and Applications .................................................................... 4
- HSSEAS GE Elective* ....................................................................................................................... 5

### 3rd Quarter
- Civil and Environmental Engineering 101 (Statics and Dynamics) or Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101 (Statics and Strength of Materials) .......................................................... 4
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## JUNIOR YEAR

### 1st Quarter
- Civil and Environmental Engineering 108 — Introduction to Mechanics of Deformable Solids ......... 4
- Electrical Engineering 100 — Electrical and Electronic Circuits ..................................................... 4
- Materials Science and Engineering 110/110L — Introduction to Materials Characterization A/Laboratory .......................................................... 6
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### 2nd Quarter
- Materials Science and Engineering 120 — Physics of Materials .................................................... 4
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- Materials Engineering Elective† ....................................................................................................... 4
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- Materials Engineering Laboratory Course† ...................................................................................... 2

### 3rd Quarter
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- HSSEAS GE Elective* ....................................................................................................................... 5
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- Technical Breadth Course* ............................................................................................................... 4

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- English Composition 3 — English Composition, Rhetoric, and Language .............................. 4
- Mathematics 31A — Differential and Integral Calculus ................................................ 4

**2nd Quarter**
- Chemistry and Biochemistry 20B/20L — Chemical Energetics and Change/General Chemistry Laboratory .................................................. 7
- Mathematics 31B — Integration and Infinite Series ...................................................... 4
- Physics 1A — Mechanics ................................................................. 5

**3rd Quarter**
- Computer Science 31 — Introduction to Computer Science I ........................................... 4
- Mathematics 32A — Calculus of Several Variables ......................................................... 4
- Physics 1B — Oscillations, Waves, Electric and Magnetic Fields ...................................... 5
- Physics 4AL — Mechanics Laboratory ............................................................ 2

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

**1st Quarter**
- Mathematics 32B — Calculus of Several Variables ......................................................... 4
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 94 — Introduction to Computer-Aided Design and Drafting .................................................. 4
- Physics 1C — Electrodynamics, Optics, and Special Relativity ....................................... 5
- Physics 4BL — Electricity and Magnetism Laboratory .................................................... 2

**2nd Quarter**
- Materials Science and Engineering 104 — Science of Engineering Materials ....................... 4
- Mathematics 33A — Linear Algebra and Applications ..................................................... 4
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 101 — Statics and Strength of Materials .............. 4
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 105A — Introduction to Engineering Thermodynamics .................................................. 4

**3rd Quarter**
- Mathematics 33B — Differential Equations ............................................................. 4
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 102 — Dynamics of Particles and Rigid Bodies ........ 4
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 103 — Elementary Fluid Mechanics ................. 4
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**1st Quarter**
- Electrical Engineering 100 — Electrical and Electronic Circuits ...................................... 4
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**2nd Quarter**
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