

Mechanical Engineering Curriculum

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The Zhejiang University/University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Institute (ZJU-UIUC Institute) offers a joint dual-degree engineering program. Upon successful completion of the program, and after meeting the graduation requirements of both universities, students will obtain bachelor's degrees separately from Zhejiang University (ZJU) and University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (UIUC).

1. Overview

Mechanical engineering may be the most diverse of the engineering fields, embracing many sub-fields and affecting all aspects of our lives. Mechanical engineers work on new machines, products, and processes that hold the promise of better lives for all of us. They are concerned with both technological and economic aspects in the design, development, and use of their products. Today, one of the challenges is to design efficient, low-cost machines and processes that use the fewest possible natural resources to improve the lives of people throughout the world.

The technical portion of the Mechanical Engineering program curriculum is designed as a sequence of increasingly specialized experiences. The student's first year is spent mastering the basics of science: math, chemistry, and physics. Building on this base, in the second year, students begin to take fundamental engineering courses such as statics, dynamics, basic circuits and electronics, thermodynamics, and strength of materials. By the third year, students are taking specialized mechanical engineering courses in the sub-fields of fluid mechanics, heat transfer, dynamic systems and controls, materials, mechanical design, and manufacturing. Finally, during the senior year, students have the opportunity to both broaden and deepen their knowledge of the field through technical elective courses. At the end of the curriculum, students take the capstone senior design course in which the knowledge and skills they have learned are applied to projects submitted to the department by industrial firms or by faculty members. Engineering design, communication, teamwork, and laboratory experiences are integrated throughout the curriculum from the first year to the last year.

During their junior and senior years students are encouraged to take courses and involve themselves in research projects in cross-disciplinary areas with Civil and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering, and others.

2. Graduation Requirement

1) Grade Point Average Requirement

A student must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 (A=4.0) to remain in good standing and graduate.

2) Junior Eligibility Requirement

To qualify for registration for the ME courses shown in the third year of the curriculum, a student must have completed, with a combined 2.25 grade point average, the mathematics, physics, computer science, and mechanical engineering courses shown in the first two years.

3) Curriculum Requirement

The curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from UIUC requires 128 hours and is organized into required courses and elective courses.

| I. Required courses, see section 3 for details. | 2016-2017 | 2018-2021 | 2022- |
|--|-----------|-----------|-------|
| a) Orientation and Professional Development | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| b) Foundational Mathematics and Science | 29 | 29 | 29 |
| c) Technical Core | 53 | 53 | 53 |
| d) Composition | 6 | 8 | 8 |
| e) Advanced Composition* | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Total required | 93 | 95 | 95 |
| II. Elective courses, see section 4 for details. | | | |
| a) Science Electives | 4 | 4 | 4 |

| b) Statistic Electives | 3 | 3 | 3 |
|------------------------|----|----|----|
| c) MechSE Electives | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| d) Technical Elective | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| e) Liberal Education. | 18 | 18 | 12 |
| f) Free Electives | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Total required: | 39 | 37 | 37 |

*Students take ME 470/498 to satisfy advanced composition and technical core requirement, and credits can be given for both.

For UIUC degree, in addition to above specific course and scholastic average requirements, each candidate for a bachelor's degree from UIUC must satisfy following requirements:

- Residency Requirement: Earn a minimum 60 semester hours of UIUC credit, of which at least 21 hours must be 300 or 400 level UIUC credit courses.
- Transfer requirement: Have a satisfactory English Proficiency Test score on TOEFL, IELTS or others approved by UIUC, and maintain a good standing on academic studies that all term GPAs, overall GPA on UIUC courses are suggested to be above 2.5, and get admission through transfer applications during junior year, changing status from non-degree student to degree student.

For ZJU degree, in addition to the 128 hours requirement set out above, the curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Engineering from ZJU requires students to complete extra ZJU required liberal education courses for domestic students and extra five courses in Chinese language and society study for international students. Please refer to section 5 for detail.

3. Required Courses

3.1 Orientation and Professional Development

These courses introduce the opportunities and resources our institute and curriculum can offer you as you work to achieve your career goals. They also provide the skills to work effectively and successfully in the engineering profession.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------|-------------------------|-------|
| ENG 100 | Engineering Orientation | 1 |
| ME 290 | Seminar | 0 |
| | Total | 1 |

3.2 Foundational Mathematics and Science

These courses stress the basic mathematical and scientific principles upon which the engineering discipline is based.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016-2020 | 2021- |
|-------------|---|-----------|-------|
| CHEM 102 | General Chemistry I | 3 | 3 |
| CHEM 103 | General Chemistry Lab I | 1 | 1 |
| MATH 221 | Calculus I | 4 | 4 |
| MATH 231 | Calculus II | 3 | 3 |
| MATH 241 | Calculus III | 4 | 4 |
| Math 257 | Linear Algebra with Computational Application | | 3 |
| MATH 415 | Applied Linear Algebra | 3 | |
| MATH 285* | Intro Differential Equations | 3 | 3 |
| PHYS 211 | University Physics: Mechanics | 4 | 4 |
| PHYS 212 | University Physics: Elec & Mag | 4 | 4 |
| | Total | 29 | 29 |

*Math 285 can be substituted by Math 286 (Introduction to Differential Equation Plus, 4 hours).

3.3 Technical Core

These courses stress fundamental concepts and basic laboratory techniques that comprise the common intellectual understanding of mechanical engineering.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------|--|-------|
| CS 101 | Intro Computing: Engineering & Science | 3 |
| ECE 205* | Electrical and Electronic Circuits | 3 |
| ECE 206 | Electrical and Electronic Circuits Lab | 1 |
| TAM 210* | Introduction to Statics | 2 |
| TAM 212 | Introductory Dynamics | 3 |
| TAM 251 | Introductory Solid Mechanics | 3 |
| ME 170 | Computer-Aided Design | 3 |
| ME 270 | Design for Manufacturability | 3 |
| ME 200 | Thermodynamics | 3 |
| ME 310 | Fundamentals of Fluid Dynamics | 4 |
| ME 320 | Heat Transfer | 4 |
| ME 330 | Engineering Materials | 4 |
| ME 340 | Dynamics of Mechanical Systems | 3.5 |
| ME 360 | Signal Processing | 3.5 |
| ME 370 | Mechanical Design I | 3 |
| ME 371 | Mechanical Design II | 3 |
| ME 470* | Senior Design Project | 3 |
| ME 498* | Senior Design Supplement | 1 |
| | Total required | 53 |

*ECE 205 can be substituted by ECE 110 (Introduction to Electronics, 3 hours)+ECE 211 (Analog Circuit & System, 2 hours) or ECE 210 (Analog Signal Processing, 4 hours); TAM 210 can be substituted by TAM 211; ME 470+ME 498 satisfy the Advanced Composition requirements.

3.4 Composition

These courses teach the fundamentals of expository writing.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016-2017 | 2018- |
|-------------|------------------------|-----------|-------|
| RHET 101 | Principles of Writing | 3 | 4 |
| RHET 102 | Principles of Research | 3 | 4 |
| | Total required | 6 | 8 |

3.5 Advanced Composition

The Advanced Composition requirement is fulfilled by a writing-intensive course beyond basic composition. It is normally taken in the junior or senior years.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------|--------------------------|-------|
| ME 470* | Senior Design Project | 3 |
| ME 498* | Senior Design Supplement | 1 |
| | Total required | 4 |

*ECE 470+498 is also a required technical core. Students may also take other advanced composition courses from general education course list to satisfy this requirement.

4. Elective Courses

4.1 Science Electives

The science electives augment the foundational science courses in an area of interest to the student and provide preparation for later courses. The science, statistics, and MechSE electives, and additional technical courses, stress the rigorous analysis, design, and statistics principles practiced in mechanical engineering.

Select Chem 104 and Chem 105, or Phys 213 and Phys 214, or MCB 150.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------|------------------------------------|-------|
| CHEM 104 | General Chemistry II | 3 |
| CHEM 105 | and General Chemistry Lab II | 1 |
| PHYS 213 | Univ Physics: Thermal Physics | 2 |
| PHYS 214 | and Univ Physics: Quantum Physics | 2 |
| MCB 150 | Molecular & Cellular Basis of Life | 4 |
| | Total required | 4 |

4.2 Statistic Electives

One course chosen from:

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------------|--|-------|
| IE 300 | Analysis of Data | 3 |
| STAT 400/Math 463 | Statistics and Probability I | 4 |
| ECE 313 | Probability with Engineering Application | 3 |
| | Total required | 3 |

4.3 MechSE Electives

MechSE electives include all 400 level ME courses, except 470 and potentially 497, 498 (As Approved); all 400 level TAM courses, except potentially 497, 498 (As Approved)

chose 2 courses, 6 hours, from the list below:

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- |
|-------------|---|-------|
| ME 400 | Energy Conversion System | 3 |
| ME 401 | Refrigeration and Cryogenics | 3 |
| ME 402 | Design of Thermal Systems | 3 |
| ME 403 | Internal Combustion Engines | 3 |
| ME 404 | Internal Thermodynamics | 4 |
| ME 410 | Intermediate Gas Dynamics | 3 |
| ME 411 | Viscous Flow & Heat Transfer | 4 |
| ME 412 | Numerical Thermo-Fluid Mechanics | 3 |
| ME 420 | Intermediate Heat Transfer | 4 |
| ME 430 | Failure of Engineering Materials | 3 |
| ME 431 | Mechanical Component Failure | 3 |
| ME 432 | Fundamentals of Photovoltaics | 3 |
| ME 440 | Kinematics & Dynamics of Mechanical System | 3 |
| ME 445 | Introduction to Robotics | 4 |
| ME 446 | Robot Dynamics and Control | 4 |
| ME 447 | Computational Design and Dynamics of Soft Systems | 4 |
| ME 451 | Computer-Aided Manufacturing System | 3 |
| ME 452 | Numerical Control of Manufacturing Processes | 3 |
| ME 453 | Data Science in Manufacturing Quality Control | 3 |
| ME 455 | Micromanufacturing Process & Automation | 3 |
| ME 458 | Additive Manufacturing and Product Design | 3 |
| ME 460 | Industrial Control System | 4 |
| ME 461 | Computer Control of Mechanical System | 3 |

| ME 462 | Advanced Computer Control | 4 |
|---------|---|--------|
| ME 465 | Optics: Theory & Application | 4 |
| ME 471 | Finite Element Analysis | 3 |
| ME 472 | Introduction to Tribology | 3 |
| ME 475 | Bioinspired Design | 3 |
| ME 481 | Whole-Body Musculoskeletal Biomechanics | 3 |
| ME 482 | Musculoskeletal Tissue Mechanics | 3 |
| ME 483 | Mechanobiology | 4 |
| ME 485 | MEMS Devices & Systems | 3 |
| ME 496 | Honors Project | 1 to 4 |
| ME 497 | Independent Study | 1 to 3 |
| ME 498 | Special Topics | 0 to 4 |
| TAM 412 | Intermediate Dynamics | 4 |
| TAM 413 | Fund of Engineering Acoustics | 3 |
| TAM 416 | Introduction to Nonlinear Dynamics and Vibrations | 4 |
| TAM 424 | Mechanics of Structural Metals | 3 |
| TAM 428 | Mechanics of Composites | 3 |
| TAM 435 | Intermediate Fluid Mechanics | 4 |
| TAM 445 | Continuum Mechanics | 4 |
| TAM 451 | Intermediate Solid Mechanics | 4 |
| TAM 456 | Experimental Stress Analysis | 3 |
| TAM 461 | Cellular Biomechanics | 4 |
| TAM 470 | Computational Mechanics | 3 |
| TAM 497 | Independent Study | 1 to 3 |
| TAM 498 | Special Topics | 1 to 4 |
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4.4 Technical Electives

Students can choose extra two technical electives from the list in section 4.3 and are also encouraged to build up their cross-disciplinary study by taking two non-MechSE technical courses shown below from Civil Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Science, and others at ZJUI or during exchange at UIUC.

| Course Code | Course Name | Credits |
|-------------|--|---------|
| CEE 310 | Transportation Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 330 | Environmental Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 340 | Energy and Global Environment | 3 |
| CEE 350 | Water Resources Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 360 | Structural Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 380 | Geotechnical Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 398 | Special Topics (No more than 3 hours of individual study courses may be used to satisfy the MechSE electives requirement. Additional hours may be used as Free Electives.) | 0 to 4 |
| CEE 401 | Concrete Materials | 4 |
| CEE 405 | Asphalt Materials I | 3 |
| CEE 406 | Pavement Design I | 3 |
| CEE 407 | Airport Design | 3 |
| CEE 408 | Railroad Transportation Engrg | 3 |
| CEE 409 | Railroad Track Engineering | 3 |
| CEE 410 | Railway Signaling & Control | 3 |

| CEE 411 | RR Project Design & Constr | 3 | |
|---------|--|--------|--|
| CEE 412 | High-Speed Rail Engineering | | |
| CEE 415 | Geometric Design of Roads | 4 | |
| CEE 416 | Traffic Capacity Analysis | 3 | |
| CEE 417 | Urban Transportation Planning | 4 | |
| CEE 418 | Public Transportation Systems | 3 | |
| CEE 420 | Construction Productivity | 3 | |
| CEE 421 | Construction Planning | 3 | |
| CEE 422 | Construction Cost Analysis | 3 | |
| CEE 424 | Sustainable Const Methods | 4 | |
| CEE 430 | Ecological Quality Engineering | 2 | |
| CEE 434 | Environmental Systems I | 3 | |
| CEE 437 | Water Quality Engineering | 3 | |
| CEE 438 | Science & Environmental Policy | 3 | |
| CEE 440 | Fate Cleanup Environ Pollutant | 4 | |
| CEE 442 | Environmental Engineering Principles, Physical | 4 | |
| CEE 443 | Env Eng Principles, Chemical | 4 | |
| CEE 444 | Env Eng Principles, Biological | 4 | |
| CEE 445 | Air Quality Modeling | 4 | |
| CEE 446 | Air Quality Engineering | 4 | |
| CEE 447 | Atmospheric Chemistry | 4 | |
| CEE 449 | Environmental Engineering Lab | 3 | |
| CEE 450 | Surface Hydrology | 3 | |
| CEE 451 | Environmental Fluid Mechanics | 3 | |
| CEE 452 | Hydraulic Analysis and Design | 3 | |
| CEE 453 | Urban Hydrology and Hydraulics | 4 | |
| CEE 457 | Groundwater | 3 | |
| CEE 458 | Water Resources Field Methods | 4 | |
| CEE 460 | Steel Structures I | 3 | |
| CEE 461 | Reinforced Concrete I | 3 | |
| CEE 462 | Steel Structures II | 3 | |
| CEE 463 | Reinforced Concrete II | 3 | |
| CEE 465 | Design of Structural Systems | 3 | |
| CEE 467 | Masonry Structures | 3 | |
| CEE 468 | Prestressed Concrete | 3 | |
| CEE 469 | Wood Structures | 3 | |
| CEE 470 | Structural Analysis | 4 | |
| CEE 471 | Structural Mechanics | 3 | |
| CEE 472 | Structural Dynamics I | 3 | |
| CEE 480 | Foundation Engineering | 3 | |
| CEE 483 | Soil Mechanics and Behavior | 4 | |
| CEE 484 | Applied Soil Mechanics | 4 | |
| CEE 491 | Decision and Risk Analysis | 3 | |
| CEE 497 | Independent Study | 1 to 4 | |
| CEE 498 | Special Topics | 1 to 4 | |

| CS 225 | Data Structures | 4 | |
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| CS 233 | Computer Architecture | | |
| CS 241 | System Programming | 4 | |
| CS 242 | Programming Studio | 3 | |
| CS 357 | Numerical Methods I | 3 | |
| CS 374 | Introduction to Algorithms & Models of Computation | 4 | |
| CS 410 | Text Information Systems | 3 | |
| CS 411 | Database Systems | 3 | |
| CS 412 | Introduction to Data Mining | 3 | |
| CS 413 | Intro to Combinatorics | 3 | |
| CS 414 | Multimedia Systems | 3 | |
| CS 418 | Interactive Computer Graphics | 3 | |
| CS 419 | Production Computer Graphics | 3 | |
| CS 420 | Parallel Progrmg: Sci & Engrg | 3 | |
| CS 421 | Programming Languages & Compilers | 3 | |
| CS 422 | Programming Language Design | 3 | |
| CS 423 | Operating Systems Design | 3 | |
| CS 424 | Real-Time Systems | 3 | |
| CS 425 | Distributed Systems | 3 | |
| CS 426 | Compiler Construction | 3 | |
| CS 427 | Software Engineering I | 3 | |
| CS 428 | Software Engineering II | 3 | |
| CS 429 | Software Engineering II, ACP | 3 | |
| CS 431 | Embedded Systems | 3 | |
| CS 433 | Computer System Organization | 3 | |
| CS 436 | Computer Networking Laboratory | 3 | |
| CS 438 | Communication Networks | 3 | |
| CS 439 | Wireless Networks | 3 | |
| CS 440 | Artificial Intelligence | 3 | |
| CS 445 | Computational Photography | 3 | |
| CS 446 | Machine Learning | 3 | |
| CS 447 | Natural Language Processing | 3 | |
| CS 450 | Numerical Analysis | 3 | |
| CS 457 | Numerical Methods II | 3 | |
| CS 460 | Security Laboratory | 3 | |
| CS 461 | Computer Security I | 4 | |
| CS 463 | Computer Security II | 3 | |
| CS 465 | User Interface Design | 3 | |
| CS 466 | Introduction to Bioinformatics | 3 | |
| CS 467 | Social Visualization | 3 | |
| CS 468 | Tech and Advertising Campaigns | 3 | |
| CS 473 | Algorithms | 4 | |
| CS 475 | Formal Models of Computation | 3 | |
| CS 476 | Program Verification | 3 | |
| CS 477 | Formal Software Devel Methods | 3 | |

| CS 481 | Advanced Topics in Stochastic Processes & Applications | 3 |
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| CS 483 | Applied Parallel Programming | 4 |
| CS 484 | Parallel Programming | 3 |
| CS 498 | Special Topics | 1 to 4 |
| ECE 329 | Fields and Waves I | 3 |
| ECE 330 | Power Ckts & Electromechanics | 3 |
| ECE 333 | Green Electric Energy | 3 |
| ECE 340 | Semiconductor Electronics | 3 |
| ECE 342 | Electronic Circuits | 3 |
| ECE 343 | Electronic Circuits Laboratory | 1 |
| ECE 380 | Biomedical Imaging | 3 |
| ECE 385 | Digital Systems Laboratory | 3 |
| ECE 395 | Advanced Digital Projects Lab | 2 or 3 |
| ECE 401 | Signal and Image Analysis | 4 |
| ECE 402 | Electronic Music Synthesis | 3 |
| ECE 403 | Audio Engineering | 3 |
| ECE 408 | Applied Parallel Programming | 4 |
| ECE 411 | Computer Organization & Design | 4 |
| ECE 412 | Microcomputer Laboratory | 3 |
| ECE 414 | Biomedical Instrumentation | 3 |
| ECE 415 | Biomedical Instrumentation Lab | 2 |
| ECE 416 | Biosensors | 3 |
| ECE 417 | Multimedia Signal Processing | 4 |
| ECE 418 | Image & Video Processing | 4 |
| ECE 419 | Security Laboratory | 3 |
| ECE 420 | Embedded DSP Laboratory | 2 |
| ECE 422 | Computer Security I | 4 |
| ECE 424 | Computer Security II | 3 |
| ECE 425 | Intro to VLSI System Design | 3 |
| ECE 428 | Distributed Systems | 3 |
| ECE 431 | Electric Machinery | 4 |
| ECE 432 | Advanced Electric Machinery | 3 |
| ECE 435 | Computer Networking Laboratory | 3 |
| ECE 437 | Sensors and Instrumentation | 3 |
| ECE 438 | Communication Networks | 3 |
| ECE 439 | Wireless Networks | 3 |
| ECE 441 | Physcs & Modeling Semicond Dev | 3 |
| ECE 444 | IC Device Theory & Fabrication | 4 |
| ECE 447 | Active Microwave Ckt Design | 3 |
| ECE 448 | Artificial Intelligence | 3 |
| ECE 451 | Adv Microwave Measurements | 3 |
| ECE 452 | Electromagnetic Fields | 3 |
| ECE 453 | Wireless Communication Systems | 4 |
| ECE 454 | Antennas | 3 |
| ECE 455 | Optical Electronics | 3 |

| ECE 456 | Global Nav Satellite Systems | 4 | |
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| ECE 457 | Microwave Devices & Circuits | | |
| ECE 458 | Applic of Radio Wave Propag | | |
| ECE 459 | Communications Systems | 3 | |
| ECE 460 | Optical Imaging | 4 | |
| ECE 462 | Logic Synthesis | 3 | |
| ECE 463 | Digital Communications Lab | 2 | |
| ECE 464 | Power Electronics | 3 | |
| ECE 465 | Optical Communications Systems | 3 | |
| ECE 466 | Optical Communications Lab | 1 | |
| ECE 468 | Optical Remote Sensing | 3 | |
| ECE 469 | Power Electronics Laboratory | 2 | |
| ECE 470 | Introduction to Robotics | 4 | |
| ECE 472 | Biomedical Ultrasound Imaging | 3 | |
| ECE 473 | Fund of Engrg Acoustics | 3 | |
| ECE 476 | Power System Analysis | 3 | |
| ECE 478 | Formal Software Devel Methods | 3 | |
| ECE 480 | Magnetic Resonance Imaging | 3 | |
| ECE 481 | Nanotechnology | 4 | |
| ECE 482 | Digital IC Design | 3 | |
| ECE 483 | Analog IC Design | 3 | |
| ECE 485 | MEMS Devices & Systems | 3 | |
| ECE 486 | Control Systems | 4 | |
| ECE 487 | Intro Quantum Electr for EEs | 3 | |
| ECE 488 | Compound Semicond & Devices | 3 | |
| ECE 489 | Robot Dynamics and Control | 4 | |
| ECE 490 | Introduction to Optimization | 3 | |
| ECE 491 | Numerical Analysis | 3 | |
| ECE 492 | Parallel Progrmg: Sci & Engrg | 3 | |
| ECE 493 | Advanced Engineering Math | 3 | |
| ECE 495 | Photonic Device Laboratory | 3 | |
| ECE 498 | Special Topics in ECE | 0 to 4 | |
| MSE 304 | Electronic Properties of Matls | 3 | |
| MSE 307 | Materials Laboratory I | 3 | |
| MSE 308 | Materials Laboratory II | 3 | |
| MSE 401 | Thermodynamics of Materials | 3 | |
| MSE 402 | Kinetic Processes in Materials | 3 | |
| MSE 403 | Synthesis of Materials | 3 | |
| MSE 405 | Microstructure Determination | 3 | |
| MSE 406 | Thermal-Mech Behavior of Matls | 3 | |
| MSE 420 | Ceramic Materials & Properties | 3 | |
| MSE 421 | Ceramic Processing | 3 | |
| MSE 422 | Electrical Ceramics | 3 | |
| MSE 423 | Ceramic Processing Laboratory | 3 | |
| MSE 440 | Mechanical Behavior of Metals | 3 | |

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| MSE 442 Metals Laboratory | | 3 |
| MSE 443 Design of Engineering Alloys | | 3 |
| MSE 445 Corrosion of Metals | | 3 |
| MSE 450 Polymer Science & Engineeri | ng | 3 |
| MSE 452 Polymer Laboratory | | 3 |
| MSE 453 Plastics Engineering | | 3 |
| MSE 454 Mechanics of Polymers | | 3 |
| MSE 455 Macromolecular Solids | | 3 |
| MSE 456 Mechanics of Composites | | 3 |
| MSE 457 Polymer Chemistry | | 3 |
| MSE 458 Polymer Physics | | 3 |
| MSE 460 Electronic Materials I | | 3 |
| MSE 461 Electronic Materials II | | 3 |
| MSE 462 Electronic Materials Lab | | 3 |
| MSE 466 Materials in Electrochem Sys | | 3 |
| MSE 470 Design and Use of Biomateri | als | 3 |
| MSE 472 Biomaterials Laboratory | | 3 |
| MSE 473 Biomolecular Materials Scien | ce | 3 |
| MSE 474 Biomaterials and Nanomedic | ine | 3 |
| MSE 480 Surfaces and Colloids | | 3 |
| MSE 481 Electron Microscopy | | 3 |
| MSE 484 Composite Materials | | 3 |
| MSE 485 Atomic Scale Simulations | | 3 |
| MSE 487 Materials for Nanotechnolog | у | 3 |
| MSE 488 Optical Materials | | 3 |
| MSE 489 Matl Select for Sustainability | | 3 |
| MSE 497 Independent Study | | 1 to 4 |
| MSE 498 Special Topics | | 1 to 4 |

Technical electives approved in other areas are as below:

Aerospace Eng. (AE): 352, 402, 403, 410, 412, 416, 419, 420, 428, 433, 434, 435, 442, 443, 451, 460, 461, 482, 483, 497, 498

Agri. Bio Eng. (ABE): 420, 430 , 436, 445, 455, 456, 459, 463, 466, 469, 474, 476, 483, 488, 489, 497 , 498

Biochemistry (BIOC): 406, 440, 446, 455

Bioengineering (BIOE): 380, 414, 415, 416, 461, 473, 476, 479, 481, 482, 497, 498

Biophysics (BIOP): 401, 419, 432¹

Chem & Bio Eng (CHBE): 422, 424, 451, 452, 453, 456, 457, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476

Chemistry (CHEM): 232, 233, 236, 237, 312, 315, 317, 332, 420, 436, 437, 438, 440, 442, 444, 445, 447, 450, 451, 460, 472, 474, 480, 482, 483, 488, 497

Computational Science and Engineering (CSE): 401, 402, 412, 441, 450, 451, 461

ECON: 302

Engineering (ENG): 461

System Engineering and Design (SE): 402, 411, 412, 413, 420, 422, 423, 424, 450, 462, 497, 498

Industry Engineering (IE): 310, 311, 330, 340, 360, 410, 411, 412, 413, 420, 430, 431, 445, 497, 498

Mathematics (MATH): 347, 357, 403, 409, 412, 413, 414, 417, 418, 423, 424, 425, 427, 428, 432, 442, 444, 446, 447, 448, 450, 453, 464, 469, 471, 472, 473, 475, 476, 478, 479, 481, 482, 484, 487, 488, 489, 490, 492

Molecular and Cell Biology (MCB): 401, 402, 403, 404, 450, 493

Nuclear, Plasma, Radiological Engineering (NPRE): 402, 412, 421, 423, 429, 431, 435, 441, 442, 444, 446, 447, 448, 451, 455, 457, 461, 470, 475, 498

Physics (PHYS): 330, 401, 402, 403, 404, 406, 427, 435, 436, 460, 466, 470, 475, 485, 486, 487, 496, 497, 498

Statistics (STAT): 410, 420, 424, 425, 426, 428, 429, 430, 440, 443, 448, 458, 466, 480

Technology and Management (TMGT): 460, 461

4.5 Liberal Education

The liberal education courses develop students' understanding of human culture and society, build skills of inquiry and critical thinking, and lay a foundation for civic engagement and lifelong learning. To satisfy the Liberal Education requirements, students must take all courses for grade and complete courses based on the table below:

| | 2016-2017 | 2018-2019 | 2020-2021 | 2022- |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| 1) Humanities & Arts (Two courses) | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 2) Social & Behavioral Sciences (Two courses) | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 3) Culture Studies | | | | |
| Western/Comparative Culture(s) (One course) | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Non-Western Culture(s) (One course) | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| U.S. Minority Culture(s) ¹ (One course) | | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 4) Aesthetic Education ² (One course) | | | 3 | 3 |
| Total required | 18 | 18 | 18 | 12 |

¹Not required if students pursue ZJU degree only. ²Required only for ZJU degree.

One of the Social and Behavioral Science courses must be an introductory economics course (ECON 102 or ECON 103).

Proper choices on Social and Behavioral Sciences and in Humanities and the Arts will assure that these courses also satisfy the requirements in the areas of Western, non-Western and US minority cultures.

4.6 Free Electives

These unrestricted electives give the student the opportunity to explore any intellectual area of unique interest. This freedom plays a critical role in helping students to define research specialties or to complete minors. Students are encouraged to take cross-discipline courses as free electives.

| Free electives | 2016-2017 | 2018-2021 | 2022- |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Total | 2 | 0 | 6 |

5. ZJU Required Liberal Education

These courses introduce Chinese modern history, social development, government policies, etc., help students to improve their English and maintain a healthy lifestyle.

Domestic students must complete all courses below, which can be taught in Chinese, to fulfill the graduate requirement along with the above 128 credit hour courses towards the Bachelor of Engineering Degree at ZJU.

| Course Code | Course Name | 2016- 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022- |
|-------------|---|---------------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| LAW1001 | Mental Education and Foundation of Law | 2.5 | 3 | 3 | 3 | | |
| LAW1002 | Ideology, Morality and Rule of Law | | | | | 3 | 3 |
| HIST2001 | Modern Chinese History | 2.5 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| PHIL2001 | Introduction to the Principle of Marxism | 2.5 | 3 | 3 | 3 | | |
| PHIL2002 | Introduction to the Principle of Marxism | | | | | 3 | 3 |
| PS2011 | Intro.to Mao Thought & Theoretical System of China Socialism | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| PS3011 | General Introduction to Xi Jinping Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for a New Era | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| PS1001 | Situation and Policy I | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PS2001 | Situation and Policy II | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| ENGL1001 | Integrated English I | 4 | 4 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| ENGL1002 | Integrated English II | 2 | 2 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| ENGL2001 | Advanced Spoken English I | | | | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| ENGL2002 | Advanced Spoken English II | | | | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| PE1001 | Physical Education I | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE1002 | Physical Education II | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE2001 | Physical Education III | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE2002 | Physical Education IV | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE3001 | Physical Education V | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE3002 | Physical Education VI | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| PE3011 | Physical-fitness Test I | 0.5 | 0.5 | | | | |
| PE4011 | Physical-fitness Test II | 0.5 | 0.5 | | | | |
| PE4021 | Physical Education VIIFitness test and exercise | | | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| MITR1001 | Military Training | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| MITR2001 | Military Theory | 1.5 | 1.5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| | Total | 28 | 32.5 | 31.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 33.5 |

International students are required to complete the following courses in Chinese language study and Chinese society to fulfill the graduation requirements along with the above 128 credit hours of courses towards the Bachelor of Engineering Degree at ZJU.

| | | 2016-2022 | 2023 |
|-------------|----------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| Course Code | Course Name | Credits | Credits |
| CHIN 1001 | Chinese I | 4 | 4 |
| CHIN 1002 | Chinese II | 5 | 4 |
| CHIN 1003 | Chinese III | 4 | 4 |
| CHIN 1004 | Chinese IV | 4 | 4 |
| CHIN 1005 | Language Proficiency and Testing | | 2 |
| CULT 2001 | China Survey | 3 | |
| | Total | 20 | 21 |

6. Sample Schedule by Semester

6.1 First Year-First (Fall) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Rhet 101 | Principles of Writing | 4 |

| 2 | Chem 102 | General Chemistry I | 3 |
|---|----------|--|----|
| 3 | Chem 103 | General Chemistry Lab I | 1 |
| 4 | Math 221 | Calculus I | 4 |
| 5 | ECE 110 | Intro to Electronics | 3 |
| 6 | CS 101 | Introduction to Computing: Engineering & Science | 3 |
| 7 | Eng 100 | Engineering Orientation | 1 |
| 8 | ME 290 | Seminar | 0 |
| | | Total | 19 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|--|--------------|
| 1 | MITR 1001 | Military Training | 2 |
| 2 | ENGL 1001 | Integrated English I | 1.5 |
| 3 | PE 1001 | Physical Education I | 1 |
| 4 | PS 1001 | Chinese Social Development Situation and Policies I | |
| 5 | CHIN1001* | Chinese I | 4.0 |

*International students required only

6.2 First Year-Second (Spring) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Rhet 102 | Principles of Research | 4 |
| 2 | Math 231 | Calculus II | 3 |
| 3 | Phys 211 | University Physics: Mechanics | 4 |
| 4 | ME 170 | Computer-Aided Design | 3 |
| 5 | Chem 104 | General Chemistry II | 3 |
| 6 | Chem 105 | General Chemistry II Lab | 1 |
| | | Total | 18 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | LAW1001 | Mental Education and Foundation of Law | 2.5 |
| 2 | LAW1002 | Ideology, Morality and Rule of Law | |
| 3 | ENGL1002 | Integrated English II | 2 |
| 4 | PE1002 | Physical Education II | 1 |
| 5 | PS 1001 | Chinese Social Development Situation and Policies I | 1 |
| 6 | CHIN1002* | Chinese II | 5 |

*International students required only

6.3 Second Year-First (Fall) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | Math 241 | Calculus III | 4 |
| 2 | MATH 257 | Linear Algebra with Computational Application | 3 |
| 3 | Phys 212 | University Physics: Elec& Mag | 4 |
| 4 | TAM 211 | Statics | 3 |
| 5 | ME 270 | Design for Manufacturability | 3 |
| | | Total | 17 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|----------------|--|--------------|
| 1 | PS2011 | Intro.to Mao Thought & Theoretical System of China Socialism | 3 |
| 2 | ENGL2001 | Advanced Spoken EnglishI | 1.5 |
| 3 | PE2001 | Physical Education III | 1 |
| 4 | MITR2001 | Military Theory | 2 |
| 5 | PS2001 | Situation and Policy II | |
| 6 | CHIN1003* | Chinese III | 4 |
| 7 | CULT2001* | China Survey | 3 |

*International students required only

6.4 Second Year-Second (Spring) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Math 285 | Intro to Differential Eq | 3 |
| 2 | TAM 212 | Introductory Dynamics | 3 |
| 3 | TAM 251 | Introductory Solid Mechanics | 3 |
| 4 | ME 200 | Thermodynamics | 3 |
| 5 | ECE 211 | Analog Circuits & Systems | 2 |
| 6 | GenEd 1 | Liberal Education Elective | 3 |
| | | Total | 17 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | HIST2001 | Modern Chinese History | 3 |
| 2 | PHIL2002 | Introduction to the Principle of Marxism | 3 |
| 3 | ENGL2002 | Advanced Spoken EnglishII | 1.5 |
| 5 | PS2001 | Situation and Policy II | |
| 5 | PE2002 | Physical Education IV | 1 |
| 6 | CHIN1004 | Chinese IV | 4 |

*International students required only

6.5 Third Year-First (Fall) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | ME 340 | Dynamics of Mechanical Systems | 3.5 |
| 2 | ME 330 | Engineering Materials | 4 |
| 3 | ME 370 | Mechanical Design I | 3 |
| 4 | STAT 400* | Statistics and Probability I | 4 |
| 5 | ECE 206 | Elec & Electronic Circuits Lab | 1 |
| | | Total | 15.5 |

*IE 300, Math 463, ECE 313 can be a substitute.

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|----------------------|--------------|
| 1 | PE3001 | Physical Education V | 1 |

6.6 Third Year- Second (Spring) Semester

Juniors continue exchange to UIUC (dual degree only)

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| | | | |

| 1 | ME 310 | Fundamentals of Fluid Dynamics | 4 |
|---|--------|--------------------------------|------|
| 2 | ME 371 | Mechanical Design II | 3 |
| 3 | ME 360 | Signal Processing | 3.5 |
| 4 | FE | Free Elective | 3 |
| 5 | GenEd | Liberal Education Elective | 3 |
| | | Total | 16.5 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| 1 | PE3002 | Physical Education VI | 1 |

6.7 Fourth Year-First (Fall) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | ME 320 | Heat Transfer | 4 |
| 2 | MechSE E | MechSE Elective | 3 |
| 3 | MechSE E | MechSE Elective | 3 |
| 4 | Free Elec | Free Elective | 3 |
| 5 | GenEd | Liberal Education Elective | 3 |
| | | Total | 16 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | PS3011 | General Introduction to Xi Jinping Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for a New Era | 3 |
| 2 | PS2001 | Situation and Policy II | 1 |

6.8 Fourth Year- Second (Spring) Semester

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | ME 470 | Senior Design Project | 4 |
| 2 | ME 498 | Senior Design Supplement | 1 |
| 3 | Tech Elec | Technical Elective | 3 |
| 4 | Tech Elec | Technical Elective | 3 |
| 5 | Free Elec | Free Elective | 3 |
| 6 | GenEd | Liberal Education Elective | 3 |
| | | Total | 17 |

| No | Course Code | Course Name | Credit Hours |
|----|-------------|---|--------------|
| 1 | PE4021 | Physical Education VIIFitness test and exercise | 3 |
| 2 | PS2001 | Situation and Policy II | 1 |

7. Curriculum Flow Map

The following flow map offers a quick summary of the main features of the Mechanical Engineering curriculum.



ZJU Required Liberal Education Course

