

2021-22 ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS AND SYSTEMS

LOWER DIVISION COURSES [72 UNITS]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E
PHYS 2A-B-C-D
CHEM 6A
ECE 5, 15, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

UPPER DIVISION COURSES [68 UNITS]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 102, 103, 107, 109
Depth: ECE 164, 165, 166
Technical Electives: five upper division engineering, math, or physics courses
Professional Electives: two upper division courses
Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND MATERIALS

Lower Division Courses [72 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E
PHYS 2A-B-C-D
CHEM 6A
ECE 5, 15, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [68 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 102, 103, 107, 109
Depth: ECE 135A-B, 136L, 183
Technical Electives: four upper division engineering, math, or physics courses
Professional Electives: two upper division courses
Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

PHOTONICS

Lower Division Courses [72 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E
PHYS 2A-B-C-D
CHEM 6A
ECE 5, 15, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [68 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 103, 107, 109
Depth: ECE 181, 182, 183 and either ECE 184 or 185
Technical Electives: five upper division engineering, math, or physics courses
Professional Electives: two upper division courses
Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

POWER ENGINEERING

LOWER DIVISION COURSES [72 UNITS]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E
PHYS 2A-B-C-D
CHEM 6A
ECE 5, 15, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

UPPER DIVISION COURSES [68 UNITS]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 102, 103, 107, 109
Depth: ECE 121A-B, 125A, 128A and either ECE 125B or 128B
Technical Electives: three upper division engineering, math, or physics courses
Professional Electives: two upper division courses
Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS

Lower Division Courses [72 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E

PHYS 2A-B-C

CHEM 6A

ECE 5, 15, 17, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [68 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 102, 107, 109

Depth: ECE 153, 155, 157A, 158A, 159

Technical Electives: four upper division engineering, math, or physics courses

Professional Electives: two upper division courses

Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

MACHINE LEARNING AND CONTROLS

Lower Division Courses [72 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E

PHYS 2A-B-C

CHEM 6A

ECE 5, 15, 17, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [68 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 107, 109

Depth: ECE 171A, 174, 175A and one of ECE 171B, 172A, or 175B

Technical Electives: six upper division engineering, math, or physics courses

Professional Electives: two upper division courses

Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

SIGNAL AND IMAGE PROCESSING

Lower Division Courses [72 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E

PHYS 2A-B-C

CHEM 6A

ECE 5, 15, 17, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [68 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 107, 109

Depth: ECE 153, 161A-B-C

Technical Electives: six upper division engineering, math, or physics courses

Professional Electives: two upper division courses

Design: one of ECE 111, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

COMPUTER SYSTEM DESIGN

Lower Division Courses [76 units]

MATH 18, 20A-B-C-D-E

PHYS 2A-B-C

CHEM 6A

ECE 5, 15, 16, 17, 25, 30, 35, 45, 65

Upper Division Courses [64 units]

Breadth: ECE 100, 101, 109

Depth: Any five of ECE 102, 103, 111*, 140A-B, 141A-B, 143, 158A-B, or 165

Technical Electives: five upper division engineering, math, or physics courses

Professional Electives: two upper division courses

Design: one of ECE 111*, 115, 140B, 190, or 191

**ECE 111 MUST be taken as either a depth, tech. Elective or design course*

NOTES:

ALL courses used to satisfy major requirements must be taken for a **letter grade and passed with a C– or better.**

Due to seven different college requirements, only **major** requirements are listed. Students must speak to their college advisor for questions regarding General Education requirements.

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COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS DEPTH

	Fall quarter	Winter quarter	Spring quarter
YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 17 ECE 30 ECE 65
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 102 ECE 107 ECE 109	ECE 153 TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE155 ECE 158A ECE 161A*	ECE 159 DESIGN PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE157A* PROF. ELECTIVE

*ECE 157A requires ECE 109 and 161A. ECE 161A will count towards one Technical Elective.

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COMPUTER SYSTEM DESIGN DEPTH

	Fall quarter	Winter quarter	Spring quarter
YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 ECE 65	ECE 16 ECE 30 MATH 20E
YEAR 2	ECE 17 ECE 100 ECE 101	ECE 109 DEPTH* TECH. ELECTIVE	DEPTH* DEPTH* TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	DEPTH* TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	DEPTH* TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	DESIGN TECH. ELECTIVE

* Pick any five of ECE 102,103, 111, 140A-B, 141A-B, 143, 158A-B or 165 to satisfy the Computer System Design Depth. ECE 111 must be taken either as a Depth, Elective or Design course.

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ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS & SYSTEMS DEPTH

	Fall quarter	Winter quarter	Spring quarter
YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 30 ECE 65 PHYS 2D
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 ECE 103	ECE 102 ECE 107 ECE 109	ECE 165 TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 164 ECE 166 PROF. ELECTIVE	TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	DESIGN TECH. ELECTIVE

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ELECTRONIC DEVICES & MATERIALS DEPTH

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YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 30 ECE 65 PHYS 2D
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 ECE 103	ECE 102 ECE 107 ECE 109	TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 135A TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 135B ECE 183 PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 136L DESIGN

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MACHINE LEARNING & CONTROLS DEPTH

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YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 17 ECE 30 ECE 65
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 107 ECE 109 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 171A TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 174 ECE 171B* PROF. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 175A ECE 172A* PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 175B* DESIGN TECH. ELECTIVE

*Pick one of ECE 171B, 172A or 175B to satisfy the 4th course in the Machine Learning & Controls Depth.

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PHOTONICS DEPTH

	Fall quarter	Winter quarter	Spring quarter
YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 30 ECE 65 PHYS 2D
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 ECE 103	ECE 107 ECE 109 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 181 TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 182 TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 183 ECE 184* PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 185* DESIGN TECH. ELECTIVE

* Pick ECE 184 or ECE 185 for the 4th course in the Photonics Depth.

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POWER ENGINEERING DEPTH

	Fall quarter	Winter quarter	Spring quarter
YEAR 1	ECE 5 or 15 ECE 25 ECE 35	ECE 15 or 5 ECE 45 MATH 20E	ECE 30 ECE 65 PHYS 2D
YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 ECE 103	ECE 102 ECE 107 ECE 109	PROF. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 121A ECE 128A PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 121B ECE 125A ECE 128B*	ECE 125B* DESIGN TECH. ELECTIVE

* Pick ECE 125B or ECE 128B for the 5th course in the Power Engineering Depth.

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SIGNAL & IMAGE PROCESSING DEPTH

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YEAR 2	ECE 100 ECE 101 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 107 ECE 109 TECH. ELECTIVE	ECE 153 TECH. ELECTIVE TECH. ELECTIVE
YEAR 3	ECE 161A TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 161B TECH. ELECTIVE PROF. ELECTIVE	ECE 161C DESIGN

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