

Mechanical Engineering Suggested Graduation Timeline

Following are recommendations and a timeline suggested by the Kiewit Undergraduate Student Services Center for successful completion of a degree in 4 years

Freshman Year Expectations	Sophomore Year Expectations	Junior Year Expectations	Senior Year Expectations
Curriculum: ➤ Start and complete most Basic Program courses with 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ ME 170 and possibly some Gen. Ed. Courses	Curriculum: ➤ Basic Program courses complete with 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Start ME core courses: 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Finish up Math & Physics courses ➤ ME 202	Curriculum: ➤ ME Foundations courses complete with 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Technical electives courses ➤ ME core courses: 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Stat 305, Engl 314 and General Ed. Courses	 Curriculum: ME Foundations courses complete with 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Technical electives courses ➤ ME core courses: 2.0 GPA avg. ➤ Stat 305, Engl 314 and General Ed.
Advisor: ➤ Assigned to advisor – 2043 Black Engineering Building		Second Major and/or Minor Review graduation requirement checklist	Courses > Second Major and/or Minor > Review graduation requirement checklist
Advisor Responsibilities: > Available to meet with students > Assist with course selection and academic planning > Share rules & regulations of CoE, ME and University > Referrals as needed > Assist with degree audit updates	Advisor: ➤ Advisors available in 2043 Black Engineering Building to assist with: ■ Audit corrections ■ Declaring minor or 2 nd major ■ Study Abroad ■ Academic planning/big picture ■ General Ed. and tech elective suggestions	Advisor: ➤ Advisors available in 2043 Black Engineering Building to assist with: ■ Audit corrections ■ Declaring minor or 2 nd major ■ Study Abroad ■ Academic planning/big picture ■ General Ed. and tech elective suggestions	Advisor: > Advisors available in 2043 Black Engr. Building to assist with: • Audit corrections • FE information • Career/post graduate ideas • Recommendations
Student Responsibilities: > Learn ME curriculum & all requirements to attain degree > Check own class schedule for conflicts, accuracy, or problems > Check degree audits for errors; discuss with advisor > Know and use ME, CoE & University resources > Begin exploring clubs and organizations > Begin researching 2 nd majors, minors & career choices > Career Services/Resume > Attend Engineering Career Fairs	Get Involved: > CoE & other clubs/organizations > Pursue study abroad options > Volunteer work > Prepare for internship > Pursue additional scholarships > Career Services/Resume > Attend Engineering Career Fairs	Get Involved: CoE & other clubs/organizations; accept officer position Study Abroad Volunteer work Complete internship Pursue additional scholarships Career Services/Refine Resume Attend Engineering Career Fairs Apply for long-term employment Research post-graduate school options	Get Involved: > Update online grad plan > Attend Engineering Career Fairs > Continue to apply and interview for long-term employment/sign contract > Update Career Services on long-range plans > Pursue post-graduate school options > Turn over clubs/organizations responsibilities to underclass members; train as needed > Attend ME and ISU Graduation ceremonies

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