

# Program of Study

## Degree Requirements (130 hours)

## 1. Carolina Core (34-46 hours)

- a. **CMW** (6 hours)
  - i. ENGL 101 Critical Reading and Composition -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - ii. ENGL 102 Rhetoric and Composition
- b. ARP (8 hours) -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - i. MATH 141 Calculus I
  - ii. MATH 142 Calculus II
- c. **SCI** (8 hours) *—must be passed with a grade of C or higher* 
  - i. BIOL 101 Biological Principles I
  - ii. BIOL 101L Biological Principles I Laboratory
  - iii. CHEM 111 General Chemistry I
  - iv. CHEM 111L General Chemistry I Laboratory
- d. **GFL** (0-6 hours): Students in the College of Engineering and Computing are required to demonstrate proficiency in one foreign language equivalent to the 121 course by 1) a score of two or better on the foreign language placement test; or 2) completion of the 109 and 110 courses in FREN, GERM, LATN, or SPAN or completion of the 121 course in another foreign language.
- e. GHS (3 hours): any approved CC-GHS course
- f. **GSS** (3 hours): any approved CC-GSS course
- g. AIU (3 hours): any approved CC-AIU course

### Carolina Core Stand Alone or Overlay Eligible Requirements:

Up to two of these requirements may be met in overlay courses. At least one of these requirements must be satisfied by a course not applied elsewhere in general education. (3-9 Hours)

- h. CMS (3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-CMS course
- i. **INF** (0-3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-INF course
- j. **VSR** (0-3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-VSR course
- 2. College Requirements: No college-required courses for this program.

### 3. Program Requirements (48 hours)

- a. **Supporting Courses** (48 hours)
  - i. CHEM 112 General Chemistry II must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - ii. CHEM 112L General Chemistry II Laboratory -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - iii. CHEM 333 Organic Chemistry I -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - iv. CHEM 334 Organic Chemistry II -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - v. CHEM 550 Biochemistry or BIOL 541 Biochemistry
  - vi. MATH 241 Vector Calculus -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - vii. MATH 242 Elementary Differential Equations must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - viii. PHYS 211 Essentials of Physics I -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - ix. PHYS 211L Essentials of Physics I Lab -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - x. PHYS 212 Essentials of Physics II
  - xi. PHYS 212L Essentials of Physics II Lab
  - xii. STAT 509 Statistics for Engineers
  - xiii. ECHE 320 Chemical Engineering Fluid Mechanics *or* ENCP 360 Fluid Mechanics *or* EMCH 360 Fluid Mechanics

- xiv. Biomedical Engineering Electives (6 hours): Students must take 6 credit hours of Biomedical Engineering electives. Of these 6 credit hours, at most 3 credit hours may come from BMEN 499 Independent Research. A list of acceptable Biomedical Engineering electives is maintained in the Biomedical Engineering office and on its website. These include the following:
  - 1. BMEN 342 Infectious Disease and Immunology for Biomedical Engineers
  - 2. BMEN 389 Special Topics in Biomedical Engineering for Undergraduates
  - 3. BMEN 392 Fundamentals of Biochemical Engineering
  - 4. BMEN 499 Independent Research
  - 5. BMEN 546 Delivery of Bioactive Agents
  - 6. BMEN 572 Tissue Engineering
  - 7. BMEN 589 Special Topics in Biomedical Engineering
  - 8. EMCH 580 Mechanics of Solid Biomaterials
  - 9. EXSC 535 Biomechanics of Human Movement
  - 10. PSYC 507 Cognitive Neuroscience
- xv. **Engineering Elective** (3 hours): Students must take 3 credit hours of engineering electives. A listing of acceptable engineering electives is maintained in the Biomedical Engineering office and on its website. Engineering electives include all Biomedical Engineering Electives and the following:
  - 1. CSCE 204 Program Design and Development /MGSC 298 Program Design and Development
  - 2. CSCE 206 Scientific Applications Programming
  - 3. CSCE 215 UNIX/Linux Fundamentals
  - 4. CSCE 240 Introduction to Software Engineering
  - 5. CSCE 317 Computer Systems Engineering
  - 6. CSCE 330 Programming Language Structures
  - 7. CSCE 350 Data Structures and Algorithms
  - 8. CSCE 355 Foundations of Computation
  - 9. CSCE 500 Computer Programming and Applications
  - 10. CSCE 551 Theory of Computation /MATH 562 Theory of Computation
  - 11. CSCE 555 Algorithms in Bioinformatics
  - 12. CSCE 561 Numerical Analysis /MATH 527 Numerical Analysis
  - 13. CSCE 563 Systems Simulation
  - 14. ECHE 300 Chemical Process Principles
  - 15. ECHE 321 Heat-Flow Analysis
  - 16. ECHE 322 Mass Transfer
  - 17. ECHE 372 Introduction to Materials
  - 18. ECHE 430 Chemical Engineering Kinetics
  - 19. ECHE 440 Separation Process Design
  - 20. ECHE 456 Computational Methods for Engineering Applications
  - 21. ECHE 550 Chemical-Process Dynamics and Control
  - 22. ECHE 567 Process Safety, Health, and Loss Prevention
  - 23. ECHE 572 Polymer Processing
  - 24. ECHE 573 Next Energy
  - 25. ECIV 350 Introduction to Environmental Engineering
  - 26. ECIV 521 Numerical Methods in Mechanics
  - 27. ELCT 220 Electrical Engineering for Non-Majors
  - 28. ELCT 321 Digital Signal Processing
  - 29. ELCT 331 Control Systems
  - 30. ELCT 361 Electromagnetics
  - 31. ELCT 363 Introduction to Microelectronics
  - 32. ELCT 350 Computer Modeling of Electrical Systems
  - 33. ELCT 540 Nanotechnology
  - 34. EMCH 111 Introduction to Engineering Graphics and Visualization
  - 35. EMCH 308 Introduction to Finite Element Stress Analysis

- 36. EMCH 327 Design of Mechanical Elements
- 37. EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations
- 38. EMCH 332 Kinematics and Dynamics of Machines
- 39. EMCH 354 Heat Transfer
- 40. EMCH 371 Engineering Materials
- 41. EMCH 497 Design of Thermal Systems
- 42. EMCH 501 Engineering Analysis I
- 43. EMCH 502 Engineering Analysis II
- 44. EMCH 507 Computer-Aided Design
- 45. EMCH 508 Finite Element Analysis in Mechanical Engineering
- 46. EMCH 516 Control Theory in Mechanical Engineering
- 47. EMCH 528 Product Safety Engineering
- 48. EMCH 529 Sustainable Design and Development
- 49. EMCH 532 Intermediate Dynamics
- 50. EMCH 535 Robotics in Mechanical Engineering
- 51. EMCH 554 Intermediate Heat Transfer
- 52. EMCH 555 Instrumentation for Nuclear Engineering
- 53. EMCH 557 Introduction to Radiation Shielding and Sources
- 54. EMCH 560 Intermediate Fluid Mechanics
- 55. EMCH 571 Mechanical Behavior of Materials
- 56. EMCH 575 Adaptive Materials and Smart Structures
- 57. EMCH 580 Mechanics of Solid Biomaterials
- 58. EMCH 584 Advanced Mechanics of Materials
- 59. EMCH 585 Introduction to Composite Materials
- 60. EMCH 586 Experimental Stress Analysis
- xvi. **Technical Electives** (6 hours): Students must take 6 credit hours of technical electives. A listing of acceptable technical electives is maintained in the Biomedical Engineering office and on its website. Technical Electives include all Biomedical Engineering Electives, all Engineering Electives and the following:
  - 1. BIOL 102 Biological Principles II
  - 2. BIOL 102L Biological Principles II Laboratory
  - 3. BIOL 250 Microbiology
  - 4. BIOL 250L Microbiology Laboratory
  - 5. BIOL 301 Ecology and Evolution
  - 6. BIOL 302 Cell and Molecular Biology
  - 7. BIOL 302L Cell and Molecular Biology Laboratory
  - 8. BIOL 303 Fundamental Genetics
  - 9. BIOL 415 Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy
  - 10. BIOL 460 General Physiology
  - 11. BIOL 505 Developmental Biology
  - 12. BIOL 530 Histology
  - 13. BIOL 531 Parasitology /ENHS 661/EPID 661
  - 14. BIOL 534 Animal Behavior
  - 15. BIOL 541L Biochemistry Laboratory or CHEM 550L Biochemistry Laboratory
  - 16. BIOL 553 Genomics
  - 17. BIOL 610 Hallmarks of Cancer
  - 18. BIOL 612 Virology Classical and Emerging Concepts
  - 19. BIOL 620 Immunobiology
  - 20. BIOL 635 Neurophysiology
  - 21. BIOL 653 Bioinformatics
  - 22. BIOL 655 Biotechnology
  - 23. BIOL 656 Experimental Biotechnology
  - 24. BIOL 662 Signal Transduction and Pathogenesis

- 25. BIOL 665 Human Molecular Genetics
- 26. BIOL 667 Molecular and Genetic Mechanisms of Disease Pathogenesis
- 27. BIOL 690 Electron Microscopy
- 28. CHEM 321 Quantitative Analysis
- 29. CHEM 321L Quantitative Analysis Laboratory
- 30. CHEM 322 Analytical Chemistry
- 31. CHEM 331L Essentials of Organic Chemistry Laboratory I or CHEM 333L -Comprehensive Organic Chemistry Laboratory I
- 32. CHEM 332L Essentials of Organic Chemistry Laboratory II or CHEM 333L -Comprehensive Organic Chemistry Laboratory I
- 33. CHEM 340 Elementary Biophysical Chemistry
- 34. CHEM 541 Physical Chemistry
- 35. CHEM 542 Physical Chemistry
- 36. CHEM 545 Physical Biochemistry
- 37. CHEM 550L Biochemistry Laboratory
- 38. EXSC 530 The Physiology of Muscular Activity
- 39. EXSC 562 Impairments of the Human Motor System
- 40. MATH 344 Applied Linear Algebra or MATH 526 Numerical Linear Algebra
- 41. MATH 374 Discrete Structures
- 42. MATH 520 Ordinary Differential Equations
- 43. MATH 524 Nonlinear Optimization
- 44. MATH 544 Linear Algebra
- 45. MATH 546 Algebraic Structures I
- 46. MATH 547 Algebraic Structures II
- 47. MATH 550 Vector Analysis
- 48. MATH 552 Applied Complex Variables
- 49. PHYS 514 Optics, Theory, and Applications
- 50. PHYS 515 Mathematical Physics I
- 51. PHYS 516 Mathematical Physics II
- 52. PHYS 517 Computational Physics
- 53. PHYS 521 Biophysics
- 54. STAT 516 Statistical Methods II
- 55. STAT 518 Nonparametric Statistical Methods
- 56. STAT 519 Sampling
- 57. STAT 520 Forecasting and Time Series /MGSC 520
- 58. STAT 523 Financial Mathematics II
- 59. STAT 525 Statistical Quality Control /MGSC 525
- 60. STAT 528 Environmental Statistics
- 61. STAT 530 Applied Multivariate Statistics and Data Mining
- 62. STAT 582 Bayesian Networks and Decision Graphs /CSCE 582

#### 4. Major Requirements (48 hours)

- a. Major Courses (48 hours)
  - i. BMEN 101 Introduction to Biomedical Engineering
  - ii. BMEN 211 Computational Tools for Modeling Biomedical Systems –*must be passed with a grade of C or higher*
  - iii. BMEN 212 Fundamentals of Biomedical Systems -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - iv. BMEN 240 Cellular and Molecular Biology with Engineering Applications –*must be passed with a grade of C or higher*
  - v. BMEN 263 Introduction to Biomechanics -must be passed with a grade of C or higher
  - vi. BMEN 271 Introduction to Biomaterials
  - vii. BMEN 290 Thermodynamics of Biomolecular Systems -must be passed with a grade of C or higher

- viii. BMEN 303 Professional Development and Ethics in Biomedical Engineering
- ix. BMEN 321 Biomonitoring and Electrophysiology
- x. BMEN 345 Human Anatomy and Physiology for Biomedical Engineers
- xi. BMEN 354 Biotransport
- xii. BMEN 363 Biomedical Instrumentation
- xiii. BMEN 381 Biomedical Engineering Laboratory I
- xiv. BMEN 382 Biomedical Engineering Laboratory II
- xv. BMEN 391 Kinetics in Biomolecular Systems
- xvi. BMEN 427 Senior Biomedical Engineering Design I
- xvii. BMEN 428 Senior Biomedical Engineering Design II

#### **Program GPA**

Program GPA requirement policies are described in the College of Engineering and Computing section of this bulletin. For the purpose of these policies, the following courses are used to determine the Program GPA for the Biomedical Engineering B.S. program: all Biomedical Engineering Major courses, all courses used to satisfy a Biomedical Engineering Elective, all courses used to satisfy an Engineering Elective, and ECHE 320 or equivalent.