

## CONCENTRATIONS WITHIN THE BSEChE PROGRAM

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All concentrations consist of 12 credits and must include at least one 300 or 400 level course. Only engineering and general electives can be used as part of a concentration. Up to three research credits in a related area can count toward a concentration with Lisa Clark's approval. Contact her at [cheugadvising@umich.edu](mailto:cheugadvising@umich.edu) for approval of any other courses. Courses taken for a concentration cannot be taken Pass/Fail. Concentrations are not available to students pursuing dual degrees or SUGS masters in the same area. Student must earn a C- or better in all courses counting towards a concentration and must earn a 2.0 or above overall concentration GPA.

### **Conc. In BioPharmaceutical Engineering**

*12 credits total, including at least 1 course each from categories A, B, & C:*

#### *Category A: BioPharm Science and Engineering*

ChE 517 / Biopharm engineering (3 cr.)  
PharmSci 717

ChE/Pharm 519 Modern pharmaceutical engr (3 cr.)

PIBS 601 Principles of pharmacology (3 cr.)

ChE 497 Solids handling (3 cr.)

ChE 496/696 Introduction to Synthetic Biology (3 cr.)

ChE 696 Principles & Predictions of Drug Distribution (3 cr.)

ChE 574 Engr principles in drug delivery and targeting (3 cr.)

Biochem 415/515 Introductory biochemistry (3 cr.), or Chem 351 (4 cr.), MCDB 310 (3 cr.)

BME 410 Design & applictions of biomaterials (3 cr.)

Pharm Sci 608 Pharmacokinetic concepts & appl's (4 cr.)

PIBS 621 Translational pharmacology (2 cr.)

#### *Category B: Applied Statistics and Math*

ChE 431 Engineering stats & problem solving (3 cr.)

Stat 412 Intro to probability and statistics (3 cr.)

Stat 470 Intro to design of experiments (4 cr. w/ Instructor permission)

Stat 570 Design of experiments (3 cr.)

Math 419 Linear spaces and matrix theory (3 cr.)

Math 217 Linear Algebra (4 cr alternative-Math 419)

IOE 460 Decision analysis (3 cr.)

#### *Category C: Regulatory Science*

BL 319 Intellectual property law (3 cr.)

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#### *Other Relevant Courses*

BME 500 BME Seminar (1 cr.)

ChE 407 Chem Process Safety Risk Manag. (2 cr.)

IOE 436 Human Factors (3 cr.)

IOE 813 Provid. better hltchre thru syst engr (2 cr.)

Psych 449 Decision processes (3 cr.)

### **Concentration in Electrical Engineering**

*NOTE: EECS students are given priority in enrollments.*

#### *Required Courses – 4 credits:*

EECS 215 Intro to electronic circuits (4 cr. preferred) or  
EECS 314 Electrical circuits, systems, & appl'n's (4 cr.)

#### *Technical Electives - 8 credits.*

##### *Process Controls:*

EECS 216 Intro to Signals & Systems (4cr.)

EECS 460 Control Systems Analysis & Design (4cr.)

EECS 461 Embedded Control Systems (4cr.)

##### *Electronic Devices:*

EECS 320 Intro to semiconductor devices (4 cr.)

EECS 414 Introduction to MEMS (4 cr.)

EECS 421 Properties of transistors (4 cr.)

EECS 423 Solid-state device laboratory (4 cr.)

EECS 429 Semiconductor optoelectronic devices(4 cr.)

### **Concentration in Energy Systems Engineering**

#### *Technical Electives - 9 credits. Select from:*

AERO 533/ Combustion processes

ENSCEN 533 (3 cr., requires AEROSP 225)

CEE 567/ Energy infrastructure systems (3 cr.)

ESEng 567

ChE 496 Fuel processors & fuel cells (3 cr.)

ChE 496 Solar Energy Conversion (3 cr.)

ChE 407 Chem Proc. Safety Risk Manag. (2 cr.)

ME 433/ Adv. energy solutions (3 cr., req. ME 235)

AUTO 533

ME 438 Internal combustion engines (4 cr.)

ME 538 Advanced IC Engines (3 cr.)

ME 539 Heat transfer physics (3 cr., req. ME 235 and ME 335)

ME 571/ Energy generation & storage using

ESENG 505 modern materials (3 cr.)

NERS 250/ Fundamentals of nuclear energy &

ENSCEN 211 Radiological sciences (4 cr.)

#### *Policy/law course – 3 credits. Select from:*

ESENG 501 Seminars on energy systems, tech, and policy (3 cr.)

### EAS 475 / Environ law (3 cr.)

EHS 588/ Environ 475

### EAS/BE 527 Energy markets and politics (3 cr.)

PubPol 250 Soc. systems, energy, & pub policy (3cr.)

### PubPol 468/ Environ 468 Oil and Gas Policy in the US (3 cr.)

### PubPol 481 Science, tech, & pub policy (3 cr.)

PubPol 519/EAS Sustainable Energy Systems (3 cr.)  
574/RCNSCI 419

### **Concentration in Environmental Engineering**

#### *Technical electives - 9 credits. Select from:*

*(sustainability-focused courses are underlined)*

ChE 407 Chem Proc. Risk Safety Manag. (2 cr.)  
CEE 265 Sustainable engineering principles (3 cr.)

CEE 365 Enviro engr principles (4 cr.)

CEE 366 Enviro engr lab (2 cr. reqs)

CEE 270 and 365

CEE 428 Groundwater hydrology (3 cr., requires CEE 265 and CEE 325 or equivalent)

CEE 465 Enviro process engr (3 cr., requires CEE 325 and CEE 365)

CEE 480 Design of enviro. engr systems (3 cr.)

CEE 481 Aquatic chemistry (3 cr.)

CEE 482 Enviro microbiology (3 cr., requires CEE 325 and 365)

CEE 526 Design of hydraulic systems (3 cr., requires CEE 325 or equivalent)

CEE 563 Air quality engineering fundamentals (3 cr.)

CEE 564 Greenhouse gas control (3 cr.)

CEE 586 Industrial ecology (3 - 4 cr., sr, std.)

CLIMATE 350 Atmospheric thermodynamics (3 cr.)

CLIMATE 410 Earth system modeling (4 cr.)

CLIMATE 475 Earth system interactions (4 cr., sr std)

Earth 305 Earth's surface and sediment (4 cr.)

Earth 313 Geobiology (4 cr.)

Earth 325 Environ geochemistry (3 cr.)

Earth 477 Hydrogeology (4 cr.)

Earth 478 Geochemistry of natural waters

ME 589 Sustainable design of technology systems (3 cr., sr, std.)  
SPACE 370 Solar terrestrial relations (4 cr.)

*Policy/law/economics course - 3 credits. Select from:*  
BE 562 Grwth & Stabilization in the Macro Econ (2.25 cr.)  
CEE 534 Environmental economics and finance  
Earth 380 Mineral resources, economics, & the environment (4 cr.)  
Econ 370/ Environ & resource econ (3 cr.)  
Environ 375  
Environ 235 Natural Resources & Environ Econ (3 cr.)  
Environ 312/ Envirol politics and policy (3 cr.)  
Polsci 380  
Environ 365 International environmental law (3 cr.)  
Environ 412/ Environ values in public policy (3 cr.)  
PubPol 412  
EAS 475/ Environmental law (3 cr.)  
EHS 588/Environ 475  
ESENG 501/ Seminars of Energy Tech & Policy  
CEE 565  
EAS/BE 527 Energy markets and energy politics (3cr)  
PubPol 481 Science, tech, and public policy (3 cr.)

## Concentration in the Life Sciences

### Required Course:

MCDB 310 Intro biochem (3 cr.), (or Chem 351 (4 cr.) or Biolchem 415/515 (3 cr.)

### Technical Electives - 8 or 9 credits, for 12 credits total:

Biology 205 Developmental biology (3 cr.)  
Biology 207 Intro microbiology (4 cr.)  
Biology 225 Principles of animal physiology (3 cr.)  
Biology 305 Genetics (3 cr.)  
BME 418 Quantitative cell biology (3 cr.)  
BME 419 Quantitative physiology (4 cr.)  
BME 476 Biofluid mechanics (4 cr.)  
BME 479/ Biotransport (4 cr.)  
CEE 482 Environmental microbiology (3 cr., requires CEE 325 and 365)  
ChE 517 Biopharm engineering (3 cr.)  
ChE 519 Pharmaceutical eng.. (3 cr., sr. std.)  
ChE 574 Engineering principles in drug delivery & targeting (3 cr.)  
ChE 584 Tissue Engineering (3 cr.)  
MCDB 411 Protein structure function (3 cr.)  
MCDB 436 Introductory immunology (3 cr.)  
Micrbiol 405 Medical microbiology & infectious diseases (3 cr.)

Micrbiol 440 Human Immunology (3 cr.)  
Micrbiol 460 Eukaryotic Microbiology (3 cr.)  
Physiol 201 Intro to human physiology (4 cr.)  
Physiol 502 Human physiology (4 cr.)  
Stats 449 Topics in biostatics (3 cr.)

## Conc. in Materials Science and Engineering

### Technical Electives - 12 credits. Select from:

MSE 242 Physics of materials (4 cr.)  
Any 300, 400, 500 level MSE course

## Concentration in Mechanical Engineering

### Required Courses:

ME 211 Intro. to solid mechanics (4 cr.)  
ME 240 Intro. to dynamics and vibrations (4 cr.)

### Technical Electives - 4 credits. Select from:

ME 311 Strength of materials (3 cr.)  
ME 350 Design and manufacturing II (4 cr. requires ME 211, 240 and 250)  
ME 382 Mechanical Behavior of Materials (4 cr. - requires ME 211)  
ME 400 Mechanical engr analysis (3 cr.)  
ME 401 Statistical quality control & design (3 cr.)  
ME 420 Fluid mechanics II (3 cr., requires ME 320)  
ME 440 Intermediate dynamics & vibrations (4 cr.)  
ME 476 Biofluid Mechanics (4 cr. requires ME 320)

## Concentration in Nuclear Engineering

### Required Courses:

NERS 250 Fundamentals of NERS (4 cr.)  
NERS 311 Elements of NERS I (3 cr.)  
NERS 312 Elements of NERS II (3 cr.)

### At least 2 additional credits, which require the above 3 courses. Choose from:

NERS 421 Nuclear engineering materials (3 cr.)  
NERS 425 Applications of radiation (4 cr.)  
NERS 441 Nuclear reactor theory I (4 cr. reqs NERS 312 and Math 454)  
NERS 471 Introduction to plasmas (3 cr.)  
NERS 481 Engr principles of radiation imaging (2 cr.)  
NERS 484 Radiological health engr fund (4 cr.)

## Conc. in Petroleum and Gas Exploration

To include 3 lecture courses, composed of at least 3 credits of 300 level or higher EARTH courses and 3 credits of 300

level or higher CEE courses. Only one of Earth 116 or Earth 119 can count toward the concentration

Earth 116/ Introductory geology (5 cr.)  
Earth 118 Introductory geology laboratory (1 cr.)  
Earth 119 Introductory geology lecture (4 cr.)  
Earth 284 Environmental geology (4 cr.)  
Earth 305 Earth's surface & sediments (4 cr., requires intro geology course)  
Earth 310 Geochemistry of the solid earth (4 cr. requires intro geology course)  
Earth 314 Global & applied geophysics (4 cr.)  
Earth 351 Earth structure (4 cr.)  
Earth 380 Mineral resources, econ, & the environment (4 cr.)  
Earth 422 Principles of geochemistry (3 cr., requires intro geology course)  
Earth 467 Stratigraphy & basis analysis (4 cr. requires introductory geology course)  
Earth 477 Hydrogeology (4 cr.)  
CEE 345 Geotechnical engineering (4 cr.)  
CEE 428/ Groundwater hydrology (3 cr.)  
Enscen 428  
CEE 522 Sediment transport (3 cr.)  
CEE 527 Coastal hydraulics (3 cr.)  
CEE 535 Excavation and tunneling (3 cr.)

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