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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Minor

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Making Minor Changes to an Existing Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours,
changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or
Track)

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2021

College/School Code

**Graduate School and International Education (GRAD) Provost's Office
(PROV)**

Department Code

Materials Science and Engineering (MSEN) PROV

Program Code NANO-M

Degree Minor

CIP Code

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5. Jun 12, 2020 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)

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Program Title

Nanotechnology Minor

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

Yes ~~No~~

College(s)/School(s)

College/School Name

College of Engineering (ENGR)

Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total hours needed to complete the program?

15

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Requirements for the Nanotechnology Minor

Students wishing to participate in the Nanotechnology minor must declare participation formally. The students

are required to meet with the faculty coordinator of an individual department who will help the student to develop a list of courses suitable for the minor and a schedule for taking those courses. Examples of model programs for each participating department are given below.

Students need to take a total of 15 credit hours, which includes 6 credit hours of required courses and 9 credit hours of elective courses and must earn a grade of "C" or better for all courses used to fulfill the requirements of the Nanotechnology minor.

Required Research Courses

Nanotechnology Laboratory

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BENG 4753L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
BMEG 4103L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
or BMEG 4103M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory
CHEM 4153L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
MEEG 4323L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
or MEEG 4323M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory
PHYS 4793L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
or PHYS 4793M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory

Nanotechnology Research (Independent Study or Honors Thesis in nanotechnology)

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Students can choose from the following courses:

BENG 450V	Special Problems
BENG 451VH	Honors Thesis
BMEG 450VH	Honors Thesis
BMEG 460V	Individual Study
BMEG 460VH	Honors Individual Study
CHEG 488V	Special Problems
CHEM 400V	Chemistry Research
CHEM 400VH	Honors Chemistry Research
ELEG 488V	Special Problems
ELEG 488VH	Honors Special Problems
MEEG 4903H	Honors Mechanical Engineering Research
MEEG 492V	Individual Study in Mechanical Engineering
MEEG 492VH	Honors Individual Study in Mechanical Engineering
PHYS 306V	Projects
PHYS 399VH	Honors
PHYS 498V	Senior Thesis

Elective Courses

A minimum of 9 hours of elective courses selected from the following:

9

BENG 3113	Measurement and Control for Biological Systems
or BENG 3113H	Honors Measurement and Control for Biological Systems
BENG 3733	Transport Phenomena in Biological Systems
BENG 4743	Food and Bio-Product Systems Engineering

BENG 4123	Biosensors & Bioinstrumentation
BENG 4743	Food and Bio-Product Systems Engineering
BMEG 3634	Biomaterials
BMEG 3824	Biomolecular Engineering
BMEG 4243	Advanced Biomaterials and Biocompatibility
BMEG 4873	Bionanotechnology
CHEG 3713	Chemical Engineering Materials Technology
CHEG 5043	Colloid and Interface Science
CHEM 4123	Advanced Inorganic Chemistry I
CHEM 4213	Instrumental Analysis
CHEM 4283	Energy Conversion and Storage
CHEM 4443	Physical Chemistry of Materials
CHEM 5443	Physical Chemistry of Materials
ELEG 4203	Semiconductor Devices
ELEG 4303	Introduction to Nanomaterials and Devices
MEEG 491V	Special Topics in Mechanical Engineering
MEEG 4303	Materials Laboratory
MEEG 4313	Introduction to Tribology
MEEG 5263	Introduction to Micro Electro Mechanical Systems
MEEG 5343	Computational Material Science
PHYS 3213	Electronics in Experimental Physics
PHYS 3613	Modern Physics
PHYS 4073	Introduction to Quantum Mechanics
PHYS 4213	Physics of Devices
PHYS 4713	Solid State Physics
PHYS 4773	Introduction to Optical Properties of Materials

or from other appropriate courses not on this list if approved first by the Nanotechnology Minor Curriculum Committee and by the course instructor.

Total Hours

15

Below are model programs for students from different participating departments. Students also have the flexibility to design their own programs according to the stated requirements above.

Model program for a student majoring in Biological Engineering

Required Courses (6 hours)

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BENG 4753L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
BENG 450V	Special Problems
BENG 451VH	Honors Thesis

Elective Courses (9 hours)

9

BENG 3113	Measurement and Control for Biological Systems
or BENG 3113H	Honors Measurement and Control for Biological Systems
BENG 4743	Food and Bio-Product Systems Engineering

<u>BENG 4123</u>	Biosensors & Bioinstrumentation	
Total Hours		15
Model program for a student majoring in Biomedical Engineering		
Required Courses (6 hours)		6
BMEG 4103L	Nanotechnology Laboratory	
or BMEG 4103M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory	
<u>BMEG 450VH</u>	Honors Thesis	
<u>BMEG 460V</u>	Individual Study	
or BMEG 460VH	Honors Individual Study	
Elective Courses (9 hours)		9
<u>BMEG 3634</u>	Biomaterials	
<u>BMEG 3824</u>	Biomolecular Engineering	
<u>BMEG 4243</u>	Advanced Biomaterials and Biocompatibility	
Total Hours		15
Model program for a student majoring in Chemical Engineering		
Required Courses (6 hours)		6
PHYS 4793L	Nanotechnology Laboratory	
or PHYS 4793M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory	
<u>CHEG 488V</u>	Special Problems	
Elective Courses (9 hours)		9
<u>CHEG 3713</u>	Chemical Engineering Materials Technology	
CHEG 5023	Nano-Bio-Photonics (will be co-listed 4000-level course in the future)	
CHEG 4043	Colloids and Surfaces	
<u>CHEG 5043</u>	Colloid and Interface Science	
<u>CHEM 4213</u>	Instrumental Analysis	
Total Hours		15
Model program for a student majoring in Chemistry		
Required Courses (6 hours)		6
CHEM 4153L	Nanotechnology Laboratory	
<u>CHEM 400V</u>	Chemistry Research	
or CHEM 400VH	Honors Chemistry Research	
Elective Courses (9 hours)		9
<u>CHEM 4123</u>	Advanced Inorganic Chemistry I	
<u>CHEM 4213</u>	Instrumental Analysis	
<u>CHEM 4283</u>	Energy Conversion and Storage	
Total Hours		15
Model program for a student majoring in Electrical Engineering		
Required Courses (6 hours)		6
PHYS 4793L	Nanotechnology Laboratory	
<u>ELEG 488V</u>	Special Problems	

or ELEG 488VH	Honors Special Problems	
Elective Courses (9 hours)		9
PHYS 4213	Physics of Devices	
ELEG 4203	Semiconductor Devices	
ELEG 4303	Introduction to Nanomaterials and Devices	

Total Hours 15

Model program for a student majoring in Mechanical Engineering

Required Courses 6

MEEG 4323L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
or MEEG 4323M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory
MEEG 492V	Individual Study in Mechanical Engineering
or MEEG 492VH	Honors Individual Study in Mechanical Engineering
MEEG 4903H	Honors Mechanical Engineering Research

Elective Courses 9

MEEG 491V	Special Topics in Mechanical Engineering
MEEG 4303	Materials Laboratory
MEEG 4313	Introduction to Tribology
MEEG 5263	Introduction to Micro Electro Mechanical Systems

Total Hours 15

Model program for a student majoring in Physics

Required Courses (6 hours) 6

PHYS 4793L	Nanotechnology Laboratory
or PHYS 4793M	Honors Nanotechnology Laboratory
PHYS 306V	Projects
PHYS 498V	Senior Thesis
or PHYS 399VH	Honors

Elective Courses (9 hours) 9

PHYS 4073	Introduction to Quantum Mechanics
PHYS 4713	Solid State Physics
PHYS 4773	Introduction to Optical Properties of Materials

Total Hours 15

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student Demand for Program NA

Scheduled Program NA

Review Date

Program Goals and Objectives

Program Goals and Objectives

NA

Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes

NA

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Updated course lists to reflect removal of Nanotechnology Laboratory course (and MEEG 491V - Special Topics).	<p>Nanotechnology Laboratory course is no longer offered. Six hours of required research for the minor are fulfilled by courses in special problems, honors thesis, projects, research, etc. depending upon the department of the student.</p> <p>Appropriate special topics courses may be taken as electives if approved by the Nanotechnology Minor Curriculum Committee and by the course instructor.</p>

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 10:37 am): Changed effective catalog year from spring 2021 to fall 2021. Program changes (not new programs) take effect with the new catalog publication.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 10:41 am): Checked total box in each model to demonstrate program's total hours are 15 credits.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/04/20 1:18 pm): Removed duplicate listing of BENG 3113H with permission from submitter.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/09/20 1:37 pm): After discussions with program director, COE and GSIE, the college and department have been updated. See attached correspondence.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/09/20 1:49 pm): As an interdisciplinary program, this request will require campus approval.

