

# ENERGY AND MINERAL ENGINEERING

## Integrated Undergrad-Grad Programs

The EME graduate program offers integrated B.S./M.S. programs designed to allow academically superior and research-focused undergraduate students in five B.S. degree programs—Energy Business and Finance; Energy Engineering; Environmental Systems Engineering; Mining Engineering; and Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering—also to obtain an M.S. degree in Energy and Mineral Engineering (EME) within five years of study.

### Integrated B.S. in Energy Business and Finance and M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering

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#### Undergraduate Degree

- University Park

#### Graduate Degree

- University Park

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### Admission Requirements

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Three faculty letters of recommendation are required. A statement of purpose and a plan of study covering the five year period, prepared in consultation with an adviser, and approved by the program officers of the B.S. major and the EME graduate program must accompany the application. The plan should be presented to the undergraduate and

graduate program officers prior to being admitted into the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores may be submitted by IUG applicants but are not required. The application will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee of the EME Graduate program and acted upon by the EME Graduate Program Officer.

### Degree Requirements

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Up to 12 credits may be double-counted towards the degree requirements for both the graduate and undergraduate degrees; a minimum of 50% of the double-counted courses must be at the 500 or 800 level. Independent study courses and credits associated with the culminating experience for the graduate degree cannot be double-counted.

The courses that will double count are: six (6) credits of the two 500-level EME core courses taken to satisfy M.S. core requirement and an additional six (6) credits of 400-level courses taken to satisfy 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> semester core courses from the undergraduate degree:

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Courses Eligible to Double Count for Both Degrees</b>		
EBF 401	Strategic Corporate Finance for the Earth, Energy, and Materials Industries	3
EBF 473	Risk Management in Energy Industries	3
EME 501	Design Under Uncertainty in Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 511	Interfacial Physical-Chemical Systems, Processes, and Measurements	3
EME 521	Mathematical Modeling of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 531	Thermodynamics of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 551	Safety, Health and Environmental Risks in Energy and Mineral Production	3

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### Graduate Degree

- University Park

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Three faculty letters of recommendation are required. A statement of purpose and a plan of study covering the five year period, prepared in consultation with an adviser, and approved by the program officers of the B.S. major and the EME graduate program must accompany the application. The plan should be presented to the undergraduate and graduate program officers prior to being admitted into the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores may be submitted by IUG applicants but are not required. The application will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee of the EME Graduate program and acted upon by the EME Graduate Program Officer.

### Degree Requirements

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are unable to complete the M.S. degree, they are still eligible to receive their undergraduate degree if all the undergraduate degree requirements have been satisfied.

Up to 12 credits may be double-counted towards the degree requirements for both the graduate and undergraduate degrees; a minimum of 50% of the double-counted courses must be at the 500 or 800 level. Independent study courses and credits associated with the culminating experience for the graduate degree cannot be double-counted.

The courses that will double count are: six (6) credits of the two 500-level EME core courses taken to satisfy M.S. core requirement and an additional six (6) credits of 400-level courses taken to satisfy 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> semester core courses from the undergraduate degree:

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Courses Eligible to Double Count for Both Degrees</b>		
EGEE 441	Electrochemical Engineering Fundamentals	3
EGEE 451	Energy Conversion Processes	3
EGEE 464W	Energy Design Project	3
EME 460	Geo-resource Evaluation and Investment Analysis	3
EME 501	Design Under Uncertainty in Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 511	Interfacial Physical-Chemical Systems, Processes, and Measurements	3
EME 521	Mathematical Modeling of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 531	Thermodynamics of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 551	Safety, Health and Environmental Risks in Energy and Mineral Production	3
FSC 432	Petroleum Processing	3

### Integrated B.S. in Environmental Systems Engineering and M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering

This Integrated Undergraduate/Graduate (IUG) degree program combines the B.S. in Environmental Systems Engineering with the M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering offered at the following campuses:

#### Undergraduate Degree

- University Park

#### Graduate Degree

- University Park

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### Admission Requirements

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Three faculty letters of recommendation are required. A statement of purpose and a plan of study covering the five year period, prepared in consultation with an adviser, and approved by the program officers of the B.S. major and the EME graduate program must accompany the application. The plan should be presented to the undergraduate and graduate program officers prior to being admitted into the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores may be submitted by IUG applicants but are not required. The application will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee of the EME Graduate program and acted upon by the EME Graduate Program Officer.

### Degree Requirements

Students must fulfill all degree requirements for each degree in order to be awarded that degree, subject to the double-counting of credits as outlined below. Degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science degrees are listed in the Undergraduate Bulletin (<https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/>). Degree requirements for the Master of Science in EME are listed in the Master of Science Degree Requirements section above. Students must sequence their courses so all undergraduate degree requirements are fulfilled before taking courses to count solely towards the graduate degree. Students are expected to complete the undergraduate degree requirements within the typical time to degree for the undergraduate major. In the semester in which the undergraduate degree requirements will be completed, IUG students must apply to graduate, and the undergraduate degree should be conferred at the next appropriate Commencement. If students accepted into the IUG program are unable to complete the M.S. degree, they are still eligible to receive their undergraduate degree if all the undergraduate degree requirements have been satisfied.

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<b>Courses Eligible to Double Count for Both Degrees</b>		
EME 501	Design Under Uncertainty in Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 511	Interfacial Physical-Chemical Systems, Processes, and Measurements	3

EME 521	Mathematical Modeling of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 531	Thermodynamics of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 551	Safety, Health and Environmental Risks in Energy and Mineral Production	3
ENVSE 404W	Surface and Interfacial Phenomena in Environmental Systems	3
ENVSE 427	Pollution Control in the Process Industries	3
ENVSE 450	Environmental Health and Safety	3
ENVSE 457	Industrial Hygiene Measurements	3
ENVSE 470	Engineering Risk Analysis	3
ENVSE 480	Environmental Systems Engineering Process Design	3

## Integrated B.S. in Mining Engineering and M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering

This Integrated Undergraduate/Graduate (IUG) degree program combines the B.S. in Mining Engineering with the M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering offered at the following campuses:

### Undergraduate Degree

- University Park

### Graduate Degree

- University Park

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Three faculty letters of recommendation are required. A statement of purpose and a plan of study covering the five year period, prepared in consultation with an adviser, and approved by the program officers of the B.S. major and the EME graduate program must accompany the application. The plan should be presented to the undergraduate and

graduate program officers prior to being admitted into the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores may be submitted by IUG applicants but are not required. The application will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee of the EME Graduate program and acted upon by the EME Graduate Program Officer.

### Degree Requirements

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EME 551	Safety, Health and Environmental Risks in Energy and Mineral Production	3
GEOSC 470W	Introduction to Field Geology	3
MNG 410	Underground Mining	3
MNG 441	Surface Mining Systems and Design	3
MNG 451W	Mining Engineering Project	1-5

### Integrated B.S. in Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering and M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering

This Integrated Undergraduate/Graduate (IUG) degree program combines the B.S. in Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering with the M.S. in Energy and Mineral Engineering offered at the following campuses:

#### Undergraduate Degree

- University Park

#### Graduate Degree

- University Park

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Three faculty letters of recommendation are required. A statement of purpose and a plan of study covering the five year period, prepared in consultation with an adviser, and approved by the program officers of the B.S. major and the EME graduate program must accompany the application. The plan should be presented to the undergraduate and graduate program officers prior to being admitted into the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores may be submitted by IUG applicants but are not required. The application will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee of the EME Graduate program and acted upon by the EME Graduate Program Officer.

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EME 531	Thermodynamics of Energy and Mineral Systems	3
EME 551	Safety, Health and Environmental Risks in Energy and Mineral Production	3
PNG 420	Applied Reservoir Analysis and Secondary Recovery	3
PNG 425	Principles of Well Testing and Evaluation	3
PNG 430	Reservoir Modeling	3
PNG 440W	Formation Evaluation	3
PNG 480	Surface Production Engineering	3