

ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING, B.A.E.

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: University Park

Entrance to Major

In order to be eligible for entrance to this major, students must satisfy the following requirements by the end of the semester during which the admission to major process is carried out:

- 29-55 cumulative credits (excludes transfer and AP credits)
- completed with a grade of C or better: EDSGN 100 or EDSGN 130, CHEM 110, MATH 140, MATH 141, PHYS 211
- earned a minimum cumulative grade-point average (GPA) of 2.60

* In the event that the major is under enrollment control, a higher minimum cumulative grade-point average is likely to be needed and students must be enrolled in the College of Engineering or Division of Undergraduate Studies at the time of confirming their major choice.

Transfer Students

Under the new Entrance to Major (ETM) parameters, transfer students requesting admission to the College of Engineering at University Park will be evaluated in the following way:

Transfer Admission into College of Engineering Pre-Major Status

Applicants who have attempted or completed 18 or more credits but no more than 2 full-time academic semesters at another college or university after high school graduation may apply for transfer admission to pre-major status in the College of Engineering (ENGR_PMAJ). A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 and at least 4 credits of college calculus, completed with a C or better, are required for consideration.

After Penn State admission, to be eligible for entrance into a College of Engineering major, transfer students (TRN admit status) must meet all the ETM course and GPA requirements and have completed at least 12 credits earned at Penn State but not more than 25 credits.

Transfer Admission Directly into a College of Engineering Major Majors Not Under Administrative Enrollment Controls

Applicants who have more than one year (2 full-time academic semesters) of attempted college coursework post-high school may only apply for admission directly into a College of Engineering major that does not have administrative enrollment controls. These students are not eligible to enter College of Engineering pre-major status (ENGR_PMAJ). A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 and the following coursework completed with a C or better are required for consideration:

- 8 credits of college calculus
- 3 credits of college chemistry
- 4 credits of college physics - mechanics

The individual department will make the final admission determination, considering possible alternatives for Penn State specific ETM course requirements (such as EDSGN 100).

Majors under Administrative Enrollment Controls

Applicants who have more than one year (2 full-time academic semesters) of attempted college coursework post-high school may not apply for admission to any College of Engineering major under administrative enrollment controls.