

# REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

## COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the  
Oklahoma State System  
for Higher Education:  
**Summer 2015 through  
Spring 2016**

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

**Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) . . . . . 32**  
**Minimum Total Hours (Thesis). . . . . 30**

### Environmental Engineering

M390

*Master of Science in*

*Environmental Engineering*

### REQUIRED COURSES

**Required Courses (1 hour for thesis students; 3 hours for non-thesis students):**

Thesis (1 hour)  
CEES 5021 Technical Communications

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Non-Thesis (3 hours)  
CEES 5021 Technical Communications  
CEES 5020 Special Topics in Environmental Engineering (2 hours)

**Electives:**

(23 hours minimum for thesis students; 29 hours for non-thesis students) Accelerated students will dual count six of these professional electives as approved by their advisor.

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**CEES 5980** Research for Master's Thesis (Thesis students only)

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The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

All elective courses are subject to the following restrictions: no more than nine credit hours of 4000G courses from CEES including required core courses may count towards the master's degree; no 3000G courses from CEES may count toward the master's degree; no more than twelve credit hours of 3000G and 4000G courses from all departments, including CEES, may count toward the master's degree; and no more than nine credit hours of courses from departments outside CEES may count towards the master's degree.

While enrolled in CEES 5980, thesis students will participate in a non-credit seminar series. At least once during their course of study, each student will make a seminar presentation related to his or her research.

A student who has done satisfactory graduate work and has earned a 3.0 grade point average may file for master's candidacy.