

# REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

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## GALLOGLY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education  
**Summer 2018 through Spring 2019**

**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**  
Total Credit Hours . . . . . **123•**  
**Minimum Retention/Graduation Grade Point Averages:**  
Overall - Combined and OU . . . . . **2.00**  
Major - Combined and OU . . . . . **2.00**  
Curriculum - Combined and OU . . . . . **2.00**  
**A minimum grade of C is required for each course in the curriculum.**

Chemical Engineering  
(Standard)  
**B160**  
Bachelor of Science in  
Chemical Engineering

**OU encourages students to complete at least 32 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in four years.**

Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours
<b>FRESHMAN</b>	ENGL 1113, Prin. of English Composition (Core I)	3	ENGL 1213, Prin. of English Composition (Core I), or	3
	*CHEM 1315, General Chemistry (Core II)	5	EXPO 1213, Expository Writing (Core I)	5
	‡MATH 1914, Differential and Integral Calculus I (Core I)	4	*CHEM 1415, General Chemistry	4
	HIST 1483, U.S., 1492-1865, or	3	‡MATH 2924, Differential and Integral Calculus II	4
	1493, U.S., 1865-Present (Core IV)	4	PHYS 2514, General Physics for Engineering & Science	4
	ENGR 1411, Freshman Engineering Experience	1	Majors (Core II)	4
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>SOPHOMORE</b>	‡MATH 2934, Differential and Integral Calculus III	4	MATH 3113, Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations	3
	PHYS 2524, General Physics for Engineering & Science Majors	4	ENGR 2002, Professional Development	2
	CH E 2002, Intro. to Chemical Engineering Computing	2	CH E 3113, Momentum, Heat & Mass Transfer I	3
	†CH E 2033, Chemical Engineering Fundamentals	3	CHEM 3153, Organic Chemistry II: Biological Emphasis	3
	CHEM 3053, Organic Chemistry I: Biological Emphasis	3	CHEM 3152, Organic Chemistry Lab: Biological Emphasis	2
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	†Approved Elective: Artistic Forms (Core IV)	3
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<b>JUNIOR</b>	CH E 3123, Momentum, Heat & Mass Transfer II	3	CH E 3313, Structure and Properties of Materials	3
	CH E 3473, Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics	3	CH E 3333, Separation Processes	3
	CH E 3723, Numerical Methods for Engineering Computation	3	CH E 3432, Unit Operations Laboratory	2
	CHEM 3423, Physical Chemistry I	3	CH E 4473, Kinetics	3
	CHEM 3421, Physical Chemistry Lab	1		
	†Approved Elective, Core III: Social Science	3	†Approved Elective, Core IV: Western Civ. & Culture	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>SENIOR</b>	P SC 1113, American Federal Government (Core III)	3	‡ENGR 2411, Applied Engineering Statics	1
	CH E 4153, Process Dynamics and Control	3	CH E 4273, Advanced Process Design (Capstone)	3
	CH E 4253, Process Design & Safety	3		
	CH E 4262, Chemical Engineering Design Lab	2	\$Technical Elective II	3
	‡ENGR 2431, Electrical Circuits	1	#Advanced Chemistry Elective	3
	‡ENGR 3431, Electromechanical Systems	1	†Approved Elective, Core IV: Non-Western Culture	3
	\$Technical Elective I	3		
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>13</b>

**NOTE:** Engineering transfer students may take ENGR 3511 in place of ENGR 1411.

Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV or Capstone are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list.

†To be chosen from the **University-Wide General Education Approved Course List**. Three of these 12 hours must be upper-division (3000-4000). See list in the Class Schedule.

In the College of Engineering, in order to progress in your curriculum, and as a specific graduation requirement, a grade of C or better is required in each course in the curriculum. Please refer to the General Catalog for additional enrollment limitations.

Students must successfully complete prerequisite courses (with a minimum C grade) before proceeding to the next course.

• Two college-level courses in a single foreign language are required; this may be satisfied by successful completion of 2 years in a single foreign language in high school. Students who must take foreign language at the University will have an additional 6-10 hours of coursework.

\$One of the Technical Elective I, Technical Elective II, or the Advanced Chemistry elective must be CH E. Prior faculty approval is needed.

#Advanced chemistry elective must be pre-approved as having significant chemistry content. This elective may be chosen from but is not limited to the following: CHEM 3523, 3653, 4333; CH E 5163, 5243, 5273, 5453, 5673.

♦It is recommended that ENGR 2431, and 3431 be taken in the same semester. The courses are offered in sequential five-week blocks during the semester.

†Chemical engineering courses are sequential and usually offered only in the semester shown above. Note prerequisites on the back of this page.

‡MATH 1823, 2423, 2433, and 2443 sequence can be substituted for MATH 1914, 2924, and 2934.

\*CHEM 1315 and CHEM 1415 can be substituted with CHEM 1335 (Fall only) and 1435 (Spring only), respectively.

## Chemical Engineering-Standard Option—B160—Page 2 COURSES IN CHEMICAL, BIOLOGICAL & MATERIALS ENGINEERING (CH E)

**2002 Introduction to Chemical Engineering Computing.** Prerequisite: MATH 1823 or 1914 or concurrent enrollment. Introduction to engineering computing and programming using prevalent engineering computing software; program design and development; computer application exercises in engineering. (F, Su)

**2033 Chemical Engineering Fundamentals.** Prerequisite: CHEM 1415 or CHEM 1425 or CHEM 1435 or equivalent. Material balances involving physical equilibria and chemical reaction; energy balances; gas behavior including vapor pressure and Raoult's Law. (F)

**3113 Momentum, Heat and Mass Transfer I.** Prerequisite: CH E 2033; MATH 2443 or 2934 or concurrent enrollment in 2443 or 2934; completion or concurrent enrollment in PHYS 2524 and completion or concurrent enrollment in MATH 3113. The common mathematical and physical basis of these processes is presented. Calculation methods for all three processes are developed. Design procedures of equipment for fluid flow, heat transfer and diffusional processes are given. (Sp)

†**G3123 Momentum, Heat and Mass Transfer II.** Prerequisite: CH E 3113 and MATH 3113 or concurrent enrollment in MATH 3113. The common mathematical and physical basis of these processes is presented. Calculation methods for all three processes are developed. Design procedures of equipment for fluid flow, heat transfer and diffusional processes are given. (F)

**3313 Structure and Properties of Materials.** Prerequisite: CHEM 1415 or CHEM 1425, PHYS 2524, and CHE 3473 or instructor permission. The behavior of materials under various conditions and environments is correlated to atomic and molecular structure and bonding. (Sp)

†**G3333 Separation Processes.** Prerequisite: 3123, 3473, 3723. Coverage of the fundamentals and modeling techniques of various separation processes found in the chemical process industries. Discussion of various computational approaches for binary and multicomponent separations; factors affecting efficiency, capacity and energy requirements. (Sp)

†**G3432 Unit Operations Laboratory.** Prerequisite: CH E 3123, CH E 3333 or concurrent enrollment in CH E 3333, and CH E 3473. Experimental examination of processes involving fluid flow, heat and mass transfer, kinetics and process control. Process parameters and physical properties are measured. Results are presented in written reports and oral presentations. Laboratory. (Sp)

†**G3473 Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics.** Prerequisite: CH E 2033, CH E 3113, MATH 2443 or 2934. Application of the first and second laws of thermodynamics to the analysis of phase change, solution behavior and chemical equilibria and reaction. (F)

†**G3723 CH E Numerical Methods for Engineering Computation.** Prerequisites: CHE 2002 (or concurrent enrollment in CHE 2002) and Mathematics 3113 or 3413. Course uses specific software applications tailored toward chemical engineering. Basic methods for obtaining numerical solutions with a digital computer. Included are methods for the solutions of algebraic and transcendental equations, simultaneous linear equations, ordinary and partial differential equations, and curve fitting techniques. The methods are compared with respect to computational efficiency and accuracy. Any student who earns credit for CH E 3723 cannot receive duplicate credit for AME 3723, C S 3723, or P E 3723. This course may not be taken for graduate credit within the College of Engineering. (F)

**G4153 Process Dynamics and Control.** Prerequisite: 4473. Formulation of first-order models for storage tanks, chemical reactors and heated, stirred tanks; transient and steady-state process dynamics; three-mode control of unit operations; higher-order systems and counter-current operations; analog simulation and digital control of chemical processes. (F)

**G4253 Process Design & Safety.** Prerequisite: CH E 3333, CH E 4473. Processes and process equipment design including safety considerations; technical design of units combined into plants. (F)

**G4262 Chemical Engineering Design Laboratory.** Prerequisite: CH E 3432 and CH E 4253 or concurrent enrollment in CH E 4253. Experimental techniques for the acquisition of pilot plant data, using unit operations equipment and reactors for use in process design. Results are presented in written reports and oral presentations. Laboratory (F)

**G4273 Advanced Process Design.** Prerequisite: CH E 3333, CH E 4253, CH E 4262, CH E 4473, CH E 4153. Process and process equipment design, complete design of process plants including complete flow sheets, estimated plant costs, costs of process development, economics of investment. Results are presented in written reports and oral presentations. (Sp) [V]

**G4473 Kinetics.** Prerequisite: 3473, 3723, Mathematics 3113. Fundamentals of rates, homogeneous isothermal reactions, non-isothermal reactions, reactors and design, heterogeneous reactions, fixed and fluidized bed reactors, experimental data reduction, non-ideal flow reaction systems. (Sp)

**G5163 Heterogeneous Catalysis.** Prerequisite: CH E 4473; graduate standing or instructor permission. Physical characterization of heterogeneous catalysts; catalytic activity of metals, semiconductors, solid acids, and shape-selective materials. Theories of catalytic activity, catalytic reactors, basics of catalyst surface characterization and activity measurement. (F)

**G5243 Biochemical Engineering.** (Crosslisted with BME 5243) Prerequisite: CH E 3123 or permission of instructor. Current bioprocesses for reaction and separation with emphasis on fundamental principles of chemical engineering, biochemistry, and microbiology. (Sp)

**G5453 Polymer Science.** Prerequisite: graduate standing or permission. Nomenclature, synthesis, structure and properties of high polymers, survey of production, processing and uses of commercial polymeric materials. (Sp)

**G5673 Colloid and Surface Science (Crosslisted with CEES 5673).** Prerequisite: graduate standing or permission of instructor. Capillarity, surface thermodynamics, adsorption from vapor and liquid phases, contact angles, micelle formation, solubilization, emulsions and foams. Applications to be discussed include detergency, enhanced oil recovery and adsorption for pollution control. (Irreg.)

**G5843 Advanced Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics.** Prerequisite: CH E 3473, graduate standing in Chemical Engineering, or permission of instructor. Advanced thermodynamics as applied to engineering problems and design. (F)

## COURSES IN CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY (CHEM)

**1315 General Chemistry.** Prerequisite: Mathematics 1503 or 1643, or math ACT equal to or greater than 23. General Chemistry is an overview of the chemical basis of natural phenomena. First of a two-semester sequence in general chemistry. Topics covered: basic measurement, atomic theory, electron configuration, periodicity, chemical reactivity and energetics, stoichiometry, gas laws and changes in state, bonding and molecular structure. A student may not receive credit for this course and CHEM 1335. Laboratory. (F, Sp, Su) [II-LAB]

**1415 General Chemistry (Continued).** Prerequisite: CHEM 1315 with a minimum grade of C or CHEM 1335 with a minimum grade of C or a satisfactory score on the chemistry placement examination. Topics covered include thermochemistry, equilibrium, thermodynamics, acid and base properties, kinetics and electrochemistry. A student may not receive credit for this course and CHEM 1435. Laboratory. (F, Sp, Su) [II-LAB]

**3053 Organic Chemistry I: Biological Emphasis** Prerequisite: CHEM 1415 or CHEM 1425. Intended for life science majors. First course in a two-semester sequence (3053 and 3153). This course will cover the concepts of organic structure, nomenclature, and reactivity with an emphasis on biological applications. (F, Sp, Su)

**3152 Organic Chemistry Laboratory: Biological Emphasis.** Prerequisite: CHEM 3053 or concurrent enrollment. Intended for life science majors. Laboratory course designed to accompany CHEM 3053 and CHEM 3153. Selected experiments designed to illustrate the fundamental techniques used in organic chemistry, to develop familiarity with the properties of organic compounds and to introduce analytical techniques including spectroscopy. (F, Sp, Su)

**3153 Organic Chemistry II: Biological Emphasis.** Prerequisite: CHEM 3053 with a grade of C or better. Intended for life science majors. Second course in a two-semester sequence (3053 and 3153). This course will cover the concepts of organic chemical reactivity with an emphasis on carbohydrates, lipids, and proteins. (F, Sp, Su)

†**G3421 Physical Chemistry Laboratory.** Prerequisite: 3423 or concurrent enrollment. Physicochemical measurements and calculations. (F, Sp, Su)

†**G3423 Physical Chemistry I.** Prerequisite: CHEM 1415 or CHEM 1425; MATH 2423 or MATH 2924 or concurrent enrollment. States of matter, chemical thermodynamics, equilibria, etc. (F, Sp, Su)

†**G3523 Physical Chemistry II.** Prerequisite: 3423 with a grade of "C" or above. Continuation of 3423. Kinetics, electrochemistry, atomic and molecular states of matter, etc. (F, Sp)

†**G3653 Introduction to Biochemistry.** Prerequisite: CHEM 3013, CHEM 3053, or CHEM 3064. Chemistry of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acids; enzyme kinetics; biochemical energetics; intermediary metabolism; regulatory processes. (F)

**G4333 Advanced Inorganic Chemistry—Periodic System.** Prerequisite: CHEM 3053 or CHEM 3064. A survey of all elements and important compounds based on atomic structure and position in the Periodic System; effect of atomic size, ionic size and charge on the properties of elements. Inorganic nomenclature. (F)

## COURSES IN ENGINEERING (ENGR)

**1411 Freshman Engineering Experience.** Prerequisite: declared major in Engineering or permission of instructor. Required of all entering freshmen with a declared Engineering major. Lecture hours cover a variety of topics including: majors and minors; career planning; advising; and extra-curricular activities. Students also work on multi-disciplinary engineering projects in smaller groups during the lab hour. (F)

**2002 Professional Development.** Prerequisite: ENGR 1410 or ENGR 1411, or ENGR 3511 or ENGR 3410 or concurrent enrollment; ENGL 1213 or EXPO 1213, and sophomore standing. Develop an understanding of engineering ethics, teamwork, leadership, and professional responsibility through the concepts of contemporary, social, and global issues. (F, Sp)

**2411 Applied Engineering Statics.** Prerequisites: Physics 2514 and Mathematics 2433 or concurrent enrollment in Mathematics 2433. Review of fundamentals of statics calculations and their applications to common engineering situations. (Sp)

**2431 Electrical Circuits.** Prerequisite: Mathematics 2423 or 2924; and Physics 2524 or concurrent enrollment. Introduction to basic principles of electrical circuits. Topics include DC circuits analysis, DC transients, static electrical fields, static magnetic fields, capacitors, inductors, and filters. (F, Sp)

**3431 Electromechanical Systems.** Prerequisite: ENGR 2431. Introduction to basic principles of electromechanical systems. Topics include electric machines and motors, physical principles of sensing and actuation, types of sensors and actuators, digital logic gates, signal conditioning, A/D and D/A conversion, and interfacing and communication protocols. (F, Sp)

## COURSES IN MATHEMATICS (MATH)

**1914 Differential and Integral Calculus I.** Prerequisite: satisfactory score on the math assessment. Duplicates three hours of MATH 1823 and one hour of MATH 2423. Limits and continuity, differentiation, applications of differentiation to optimization and curve sketching, integration, the fundamental theorem of calculus, the substitution rule, applications of integration to computation of areas and volumes. (F, Sp, Su) [I-M]

**2924 Differential and Integral Calculus II.** Prerequisite: 1914 with a grade of C or better. Duplicates two hours of 2423 and two hours of 2433. The natural logarithmic and exponential functions, indeterminate forms, techniques of integration, improper integrals, parametric curves and polar coordinates, infinite sequences and series, vectors in two and three dimensions. (F, Sp, Su)

**2934 Differential and Integral Calculus III.** Prerequisite: 2924 with a grade of C or better. Duplicates one hour of 2433 and three hours of 2443. Vectors and vector functions, functions of several variables, partial differentiation and gradients, multiple integration, line and surface integrals, Green-Stokes-Gauss theorems. (F, Sp, Su)

†**G3113 Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations.** Prerequisite: MATH 2423 or MATH 2924. Duplicates two hours of 3413. First order ordinary differential equations, linear differential equations with constant coefficients, two-by-two linear systems, Laplace transformations, phase planes and stability. (F, Sp, Su)

## COURSES IN PHYSICS (PHYS)

**2514 General Physics for Engineering and Science Majors.** Prerequisite: Mathematics 1823 or Mathematics 1914 with grade of C or better. Not open to students with credit in 1205. Vectors, kinematics and dynamics of particles, work and energy systems of particles, rotational kinematics and dynamics, oscillations, gravitation, fluid mechanics, waves. (F, Sp, Su) [II-NL]

**2524 General Physics for Engineering and Science Majors.** Prerequisite: PHYS 2514 and MATH 2423 or MATH 2924 with grade of C or better. Not open to students with credit in PHYS 1215. Temperature, heat, thermodynamics, electricity, magnetism, optics. (F, Sp, Su)