Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering (B.S.Ch.E.) Department of Chemical & Biological Engineering

Catalog Year: 2023-2024

Minimum required credit hours required for graduation: 121

Recommended credit hours for graduation: 124 - Recommended credit hours are marked below with a caret (^).

A minimum grade of "C-" is required for all CBE courses. A minimum grade of "C" is required for all other courses (non-CBE courses).

| FRESHMAN YEAR | | | | | |
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| | FALL SEMESTER | | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
| CBE 101 | Introduction to Chemical and Biological Engineering ⁽¹⁾ | 1 | CBE 102 | Addressing Societal Challenges Using the Tools of Chemical and Biological Engineering ⁽¹⁾ | 1 |
| CHEM 1215 (or 1217) | General Chemistry I for STEM Majors ⁽¹⁾ (or Principles of Chemistry I) | 3 | CHEM 1225 (or 1222) | General Chemistry II for STEM Majors ⁽¹⁾ (or Principles of Chemistry II) | 3 |
| CHEM 1215L | General Chemistry I for STEM Majors Lab (1) | 1 | CHEM 1225L | General Chemistry II for STEM Majors Lab (1) | 1 |
| ENGL 1120 | Composition II | 3 | MATH 1522 | Calculus II ⁽¹⁾ | 4 |
| MATH 1512 | Calculus I ⁽¹⁾ | 4 | PHYS 1310 | Calculus-Based Physics I ⁽¹⁾ | 3 |
| GEN ED | Humanities ⁽²⁾ | 3 | PHYS 1311 | Problems in Calculus-Based Physics I | 1^ |
| | Total Required Semester Hours: | 15 | GEN ED | Communication ⁽²⁾ | 3 |
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| SOPHOMORE YEAR | | | | | |
| | FALL SEMESTER | | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
| CBE 251 | Chemical Process Calculations ⁽³⁾ | 3 | CBE 253 | Chemical & Biological Engineering Computing ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| CHEM 301 | Organic Chemistry | 3 | CBE 302 | Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| CHEM 303L | Organic Chemistry Laboratory | 1 | MATH 316 | Applied Ordinary Differential Equations | 3 |
| MATH 2530 | Calculus III | 4 | CHEM 312 | Physical Chemistry | 3 |
| PHYS 1320 | Calculus-Based Physics II | 3 | CHEM 302 | Organic Chemistry | 3 |
| PHYS 1321 | Problems in Calculus-Based Physics II | 1^ | | Total Required Semester Hours: | 15 |
| | Total Required Semester Hours: | 14 | | | |
| JUNIOR YEAR (4) | | | | | |
| | FALL SEMESTER | | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
| CBE 311 | Introduction to Transport Phenomena (3) | 3 | CBE 312 | Unit Operations ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| CBE 317 | Numerical Methods for Chemical and | 3 | CBE 319L | Chemical Engineering Laboratory II ⁽³⁾ | 1 |
| | Biological Engineering ⁽³⁾ | | CBE 321 | Mass Transfer ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| CBE 318L | Chemical Engineering Laboratory I: | 3 | CBE 371 | Introduction to Materials Engineering ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| | Introduction to Experimentation ⁽³⁾ | | CBE 213 | Laboratory Electronics for NE & CBE ⁽⁵⁾ | 3 |
| BIOL 2101 | Principles of Biology: Molecules to Cells (7) | 3 | CE 350 | Engineering Economy ⁽⁵⁾ | 3 |
| BIOL 2103L | Principles of Biology: Introductory Lab (7) | 1 | | Total Required Semester Hours: | 16 |
| GEN ED | Social & Behavioral Sciences(2) | 3 | | | |
| | Total Required Semester Hours: | 16 | | | |
| SENIOR YEAR (6) | | | | | |
| | FALL SEMESTER | | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
| CBE 418L | Chemical Engineering Laboratory III ⁽³⁾ | 1 | CBE 419L | Chemical Engineering Laboratory IV ⁽³⁾ | 1 |
| CBE 454 | Process Dynamics and Control ⁽³⁾ | 3 | CBE 451 | Senior Seminar ⁽³⁾ | 1 |
| CBE 461 | Chemical Reactor Engineering ⁽³⁾ | 3 | CBE 494L | Advanced Chemical Engineering Design ⁽³⁾ | 3 |
| CBE 486 | Introduction to Statistics and Design of | 3 | ELECTIVE | Technical Elective (6) | 3 |
| | Experiments ⁽³⁾ | | GEN ED | Arts & Design ⁽²⁾ | 3 |
| CBE 493L | Chemical Engineering Design ⁽³⁾ | 3 | GEN ED | Second Language ⁽²⁾ | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | Technical Elective ⁽⁶⁾ | 3 | CBE 491 | Undergraduate Research | 1^ |

⁽¹⁾ Admission to the BSCHE degree program requires completion of all math, science, and engineering courses listed in the freshman year with a grade of "C" or better and a minimum 2.5 GPA average in those courses, completion of ENGL 1110 or the equivalent with a "C" or better, and a minimum 2.3 cumulative UNM GPA.

- (3) CBE Core Courses must be taken in the order and semester in which they are listed on this sheet in order to avoid a delay in graduation.
- (4) Students must file an application for the B.S.Ch.E. degree prior to the completion of 95 credit hours of applicable courses.

Total Required Semester Hours:

- (5) CBE 213 and CE 350 may be taken in the fall or spring semester.
- (6) Technical electives are chosen with the consultation of the student's faculty advisor to ensure that they support the student's concentration as well as the student's individual academic, career, and/or research goals. A list of pre-approved technical electives based on concentration can be found on our website ht
- (7) Formerly BIOL 2110c (4 hours). Transfer credit for BIOL 2110c will be approved to satisfy BIOL 2101 and BIOI 2103L.

Total Required Semester Hours:

⁽²⁾ A list of acceptable General Education (GEN ED) Humanities, Social & Behavioral Sciences, Arts & Design, and Second Language courses can be found here: http://gened.unm.edu/. These courses may be taken whenever convenient. It is recommended that that students choose at least one course with a globe next to it so that it not only satisfies the General Education requirement but also the mandatory 3 credit hour U.S. Global Diversity & Inclusion Undergraduate Requirement.