

BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

REQUIREMENTS

CORE CURRICULUM

The Core Curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and introduce students to basic domains of thinking that transcend disciplines. The Core applies to all majors. Information on specific classes in the Core can be found at marshall.edu/gened.

CORE 1: CRITICAL THINKING

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	3	_____
MTH 229	Critical Thinking Course	5	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Course	3	_____
Additional University Requirements			
_____	Writing Intensive	3	_____
_____	Writing Intensive	3	_____
_____	Multicultural or International	3	_____
BME 465	Capstone I	2	_____
BME 466	Capstone II	2	_____

CORE 2:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	3	_____
ENG 201	Advanced Composition	3	_____
CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	3	_____
MTH 229	Calculus I (CT)	5	_____
BSC 120/120L	Principles of Biology I/ BSC120L	4	_____
_____	Core II Humanities	3	_____
_____	Core II Social Science	3	_____
_____	Core II Fine Arts	3	_____

MAJOR-SPECIFIC

All Biomedical Engineering majors are required to take the following courses:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
MTH 229	Calculus I	5	_____	EE 202	Circuits II	3	_____
MTH 230	Calculus II	4	_____	ENGR 102	Introduction to CAD	2	_____
MTH 231	Calculus III	4	_____	ENGR 104	Engineering Profession	1	_____
MTH 335	Differential Equations	3	_____	ENGR 111	Engineering Computations	3	_____
BSC 120	Principles of Biology I	3	_____	ENGR 213	Statics	3	_____
BSC 120L	Principles of Biology I Lab	1	_____	ENGR 214	Dynamics	3	_____
BSC 121	Principles of Biology II	3	_____	ME 245	Circuits and Instrumentation	3	_____
BSC 121L	Principles of Biology II Lab	1	_____	ME 360	Fluid Dynamics	4	_____
BSC 227	Human Anatomy	3	_____	BME 101	Intro to Biomedical Engineering	1	_____
BSC 227L	Human Anatomy Lab	1	_____	BME 201	Biomedical Engineering Seminar	2	_____
BSC 228	Human Physiology	3	_____	BME 302	Engineering Biomechanics	3	_____
BSC 228L	Human Physiology Lab	1	_____	BME 305	Intro to Biophysical Measurement	3	_____
CHM 211	Chemistry I	3	_____	BME 306	Mechanics of Biological Tissues	3	_____
CHM 217	Chemistry I Lab	2	_____	BME 310	Modeling & Simulat of BME Syst	3	_____
CHM 212	Chemistry II	3	_____	BME 405	Mech & Performance Biomaterials	3	_____
CHM 218	Chemistry II Lab	2	_____	BME 460	Mechanics of Bio-Fluids	3	_____
PHY 211	University Physics I	4	_____	BME 465	Capstone I	2	_____
PHY 213	University Physics II	4	_____	BME 466	Capstone II	2	_____
				_____	BME Technical Elective	3	_____
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Area of Emphasis

Major Requirement

College Requirement

General Education Requirement












MAJOR INFORMATION

- Students are required to know and track their degree requirements for graduation or for entrance to a professional school.
- BME Technical Elective: At least two BME technical electives must be taken from the following list of courses: any BSC 300- or 400-level course, any CHM 300- or 400-level course, ENGR 222, ENGR 451, ME 330, or any BME 300- or 400-level course not already taken to satisfy degree requirements.
- The B.S.B.M.E. degree program requires a minimum of 136 credit hours of coursework.
- Course offerings and course attributes are subject to change each semester. Please consult each semester's schedule of courses for availability and attributes.

Milestone Course: This is a key success marker for your major. See your advisor to discuss the importance of this course in your plan of study.

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The Biomedical Engineering discipline is the application of engineering principles and design concepts to medicine and biology for health care purposes. This discipline aims to narrow the gap between engineering and medicine, combining the design and problem-solving skills of engineering with medical and biosciences to advance health care treatment, including diagnosis, monitoring, and therapy. Biomedical engineering has only recently emerged as its own study, compared to many other engineering fields. Biomedical engineering is a rapidly growing field, and Marshall University has a unique program that will highlight the technical strengths of the university and garner interest in the development of the biomedical industry in the state.

FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER				
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	
BME 101	Intro to Biomedical Engineer	◆	1	_____	BSC 120	Principles of Biology I	◆	3	_____
BSC 227	Human Anatomy	◆	3	_____	BSC 120L	Principles of Biology I Lab	◆	1	_____
BSC 227L	Human Anatomy Lab	◆	1	_____	 BSC 228	Human Physiology	◆	3	_____
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	●	3	_____	 BSC 228L	Human Physiology Lab	◆	1	_____
ENGR 104	Engineering Profession	◆	1	_____	ENGR 102	Introduction to CAD	◆	2	_____
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	●	3	_____	ENGR 111	Engineering Computations	◆	3	_____
 MTH 229	Calculus I (CT)	◆	5	_____	MTH 230	Calculus II	◆	4	_____
UNI 100	Freshman First Class		1	_____					
TOTAL HOURS			18		TOTAL HOURS			17	
Summer Term (optional):									
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER				
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	
BME 201	Biomedical Engineering Seminar	◆	2	_____	BSC 121	Principles of Biology II	◆	3	_____
CHM 211	Chemistry I	◆	3	_____	BSC 121L	Principles of Biology II Lab	◆	1	_____
CHM 217	Chemistry I Lab	◆	2	_____	CHM 212	Chemistry II	◆	3	_____
 ENGR 213	Statics	◆	3	_____	CHM 218	Chemistry II Lab	◆	2	_____
 MTH 231	Calculus III	◆	4	_____	 ENGR 214	Dynamics	◆	3	_____
PHY 211	University Physics I	◆	4	_____	PHY 213	Physics II	◆	4	_____
TOTAL HOURS			18		TOTAL HOURS			16	
Summer Term (optional):									
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER				
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	
 BME 302	Engineering Biomechanics	◆	3	_____	BME 306	Mechanics of Biological Tissues	◆	3	_____
BME 305	Intro to Biophysical Measurement	◆	3	_____	BME 310	Modeling & Simulation of BME Syst	◆	3	_____
ME 245	Circuits and Instrumentation	◆	3	_____	 EE 202	Circuits II	◆	3	_____
 ME 360	Fluid Dynamics	◆	4	_____	 ENG 201	Advanced Composition	●	3	_____
					 MTH 335	Differential Equations	◆	3	_____
TOTAL HOURS			13		TOTAL HOURS			15	
Summer Term (optional):									
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER				
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	
BME 405	Mech & Performance of Biomaterials	◆	3	_____	BME 466	Capstone II	◆	2	_____
BME 460	Mechanics of Bio-Fluids	◆	3	_____	_____	BME Technical Elective	◆	3	_____
BME 465	Capstone I	◆	2	_____	_____	Core II Humanities (WI, CT)	●	3	_____
_____	BME Technical Elective	◆	3	_____	_____	Core II Social Science (MC/I, WI)	◆	3	_____
CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	●	3	_____	_____	Core II Fine Arts	●	3	_____
TOTAL HOURS			14		TOTAL HOURS			14	
Summer Term (optional):									

◆ Area of Emphasis

◆ Major Requirement

■ College Requirement

● General Education Requirement

YEAR ONE

YEAR TWO

YEAR THREE

YEAR FOUR

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