Course Articulation between New Mexico State University
and
NMSU at Alamogordo

For students pursuing a bachelor of science degree in
ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY
“Linking Theory and Applications”
with a major in
Electronics and Computer Engineering Technology

Students wishing to begin their studies at the Community College or branch campus before transferring to NMSU typically spend at least four semesters and get an AAS or AS degree in Electronics Engineering Technology. This is typically followed by four to six semesters at NMSU. An advisor in Engineering Technology should be consulted for all transfers. A complete description of the requirements for the degree may be found below and at the link:


This agreement voids all previous agreements and is valid for students transferring to NMSU until modified by the parties.

Note (1): According to 5 NMAC 55.3 a set of 35 semester hours of standardized General Education common core classes in five areas of study may be taken at the Community College and transferred to NMSU in any department. To fulfill all these requirements “may” require the student to take additional classes beyond their AS or AAS degree.
http://hed.state.nm.us/

Note (2): Math sequences may be taken at the Community College or branch campus and a “math placement” exam will determine the students’ math level upon entering NMSU. It is strongly recommended that transferring students have at a minimum of College Algebra to permit the easiest transition to NMSU College of Engineering – the more math the better!

Note (3): Residency requirement. The last 30 credits used to meet degree requirements must be taken at NMSU, of which at least 20 of these must be upper division.

Note (4): C or better grade requirement. The NMSU College of Engineering requires a C or better grade in all required lower division science, mathematics, engineering and engineering technology courses. This requirement applies to NMSU courses and all transfer courses.

Courses which may be taken at the Community College or branch campus which will transfer to ETSE at NMSU are indicated in blue italics in the degree plan below:
DEGREE: Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology
MAJOR: Electronics and Computer Engineering Technology (Total Credits 128)

Accredited by the Technology Accreditation Commission of the ABET, Inc.

**Freshman Year (32 credits)**
Gen Ed from Area I: Public Speaking 3
   *Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr. *(COMM 265G or 253G)*

Gen Ed from Area I: English Composition 3-4
   *Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr. *(ENGL 111G)*

ET 101, Introduction to Engineering Technology 1
   *ETSE will transfer this credit if the student completes the AAS or AS degree*

ET 120, Computational and Presentation Software 3
   *ET 122 Fundamentals of Computer Applications 3cr.*

ET 182, Digital Logic 3
   *ET 182 Digital Electronic Circuits 3cr*

ET 190, Applied Circuits 3
   *ET 183 and ET 184 4cr.*

ET 191, Applied Circuits Laboratory 1
   *ET 183L and 184L lab components 2cr*

MATH 190, Precalculus 4

PHYS 211-211L, General Physics I, General Physics Lab I 4
   *PHYS 211 & Lab General Physics I 4cr.*

Gen Ed from Area V: Humanities and Fine Arts 3
   *Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr.*

*NOTE: the above class is not part of the normal Elect.Tech. pgrm at NMSU Alamo*

Free elective 3
   *Any 3 cr. class not otherwise used will count as transfer credit*

**Sophomore Year (35 credits)**
Gen Ed from Area III: Laboratory Science* 4
   *Appropriate approved class from this area 4cr.*
   *NOTE: must have a lab component*

*NOTE: the above class is not part of the normal Elect.Tech. pgrm at NMSU Alamo*

Gen Ed from Area I: College Level Writing 3
   *ENGL 218 3cr.*

ET 246, Electronic Devices I 4
   *ET 246, Electronic Devices I 4cr*

ET 262, Software Technology I 3
   *ET 262 Software Technology I 3cr*

ET 272, Electronic Devices II 4
ET 272 Electronic Devices II 4cr
ET 282, Digital Electronics 4
ET 282 Digital Electronics II 4cr
MATH 235, 236, Calculus for the Technical Student I, II 6
PHYS 212-212L, General Physics II, General Physics Lab II 4
PHYS 212 & 212 Lab General Physics I 4cr.
Gen Ed from Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences 3
Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr.
*NOTE: the above class is not part of the normal Elect.Tech. pgrm at NMSU Alamo

Junior Year (31 credits)
ET 302, Manufacturing Data Analysis 3
ET 324, Linear Integrated Circuits 4
ET 344, Microcomputer Systems 3
ET 362, Software Technology II 3
ET 377, Computer Networking 3
ET 398, Digital Systems 3
Viewing a Wider World from the Business College 3
Approved technical elective 3

An approved class or group of classes “may” fulfill this requirement
For example: ET 276 Electronic Comm. 4cr
Or
ET 284 Software PC Maintenance 3cr
Gen Ed from Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences 3
Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr.
Gen Ed from Area V: Hum. And Fine Arts 3
Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr.

Senior Year (31 credits)
CE 450, Engineering Economy and Law 3
ET 381 Renewable Energy Technology or ET 365 Building Utilities 3
ET 402, Instrumentation 3
ET 314 Communication Systems I 3
ET 410, Senior Seminar 1
ET 444, Hardware Senior Design 3
ET 462, Remote Access Operating Systems and Advanced Scripting 3
Approved technical electives 6
Gen Ed from Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences or
from Area V: Humanities and Fine Art
Appropriate approved class from this area 3cr.
Viewing a Wider World – outside of Engineering and Business 3
Courses which must be taken at NMSU (do NOT have a corresponding transfer class at SIPI) in the Freshman and Sophomore years:
Math 190 – PreCalculus 3cr
Math 235-236 Calculus I and Calculus II 6cr
Some Gen Ed. classes which are not part of the NMSU Alamo program

NMSU Alamagordo technical degree classes not specifically used:
ET 104 Soldering Techniques – material not in the ECET option
ET 153 Intro to Networks I - material in the ECET option is covered in upper division classes
ET 273 Fundamental of Networking Communications I - material in the ECET option is covered in upper division classes
ET 283 Hardware PC Maintenance – material not in the ECET option (see IET option).
ET 284 Software PC Maintenance – material not in the ECET option (see IET option).

NOTE: These classes may be used to satisfy transfer credit for an ECET technical elective (see above).

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Renewable Energy Technology Concentration

What follows is a list of classes and the corresponding basic study areas that will result in a Concentration in “Renewable Energy Technology” within the ECET major. Students can fulfill this Concentration by using their three required technical electives without any additional credit requirements.

**Required**

ET 381 Renewable Energy Technology. Note: this class can not be considered to simultaneously fulfill the requirement for both a technical elective and that for a required class – see ET365 below

**2 Courses From:**

ET 365 Building Utilities – Note: this class can not serve both as a tech. elective and as a required ECET class, toward fulfilling degree requirements

ET 304 Electrical Machines,

ET 374 Electric Power Distribution,

ET 382 Solar Energy,

ET 384 Wind Energy,

ET 396 Heat Transfer and Applications,

ET 401 Heating & Air Conditioning Systems,

EE 332 Introduction to Electric Power Engineering,

CHE 466 Fuel Cell and Hydrogen Technology, or

Students may only take one class from the following choices:

1. ET 420 Senior Internship – (must be related to a renewable energy field)
2. ET 435 Senior Design and Project Management (must be related to a renewable energy application)
3. ET 440 Senior Design – (must be related to a renewable energy application)
   ET 441 Senior Project – (must be related to a renewable energy application)

Additionally, it is strongly “recommended” that students select the following courses from the General Education menu options:

**English Composition:** English 218G or 318G “Technical Writing”

**Basic Natural Sciences:** Chem. 110G or 111

**Human Thought and Behavior:** Phil 240G Ethics for Engineering and Scientific Careers

**Viewing a Wider World recommendations:**

- College of AG: AG/ECON 337G “Natural Resource Economics” or AGHE 380G “Ecosystem Earth; The Impact of Human Activities”
- College of Arts & Science: Phys 303G “Energy and Society in the New Millennium” or Hist 302G “Science in Modern Society” or Hist 303G “History of Technology”
- College of BA&Econ: ECON 337G “Natural Resource Economics” or ECON 384G “Water Resource Economics”