

Thesis Option Plan of Study/Completion Summary

Student Name:

Student ID:

Thesis proposal approved (y/n)?:

Thesis adviser signature: _____

Minimum 30 credits of numerically-graded coursework and minimum 12 credits of thesis research are required for graduation (minimum 42 credits total)

500-level ME coursework – Minimum 12 credits required, **including ME 564 and ME 565.**

Course no.	Quarter	Grade	Credits		Course no.	Quarter	Grade	Credits
ME 564			3					
ME 565			3					
Total credits			6	+	Total credits			/ 12

Computational or numerical analysis coursework – 1 course, selected from:

AA 540 (winter)	AMATH 581 (autumn)	CEE 504 (winter)	These courses count toward elective coursework requirement.
AA 543 (winter)	AMATH 581 (autumn)		
ME 535 (spring)	ME 599 Voxel Models (winter)		These courses count toward 500-level ME coursework requirement (or electives if 12-credit minimum has already been achieved).
ME 578 (winter)	(WQ 2017 or later)		

Elective coursework – May include additional 500-level ME credits beyond 12 required.

*A **maximum of 9** 400-level credits are allowed, excluding ME 495, 498, 499*

Course no.	Quarter	Grade	Credits		Course no.	Quarter	Grade	Credits
Total credits				+	Total credits			/ 18

ME 700 - Thesis research – Minimum 12 credits required; grading may be numerical or CR/NC.

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ME 700					ME 700			
ME 700					ME 700			
ME 700					ME 700			
Total credits				+	Total credits			/ 12
Grand total								/ 42

Additional requirements:

- Course grades must be **2.7 or higher** in order to count toward 42-credit total. A **minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0** must be maintained for graduation.
- All coursework must be **numerically-graded**; courses with S/NS grades do not count toward degree requirements.
- Non-ME elective courses must be from related departments:** engineering, mathematics, computational or physical sciences, or approved biological sciences **or** must appear on a [curriculum concentration course list](#).
- Seminars do not count** toward 42 credits required for MS and there is no seminar requirement for MS students.

ME 598 (Graduate Projects) and ME 600 (Independent Study) do not count toward thesis-track graduation requirements; see your academic advisor if you join the thesis track after having already earned ME 598 or ME 600 credits.

Completed by:

Date: