**Electrical Engineering, MSE**

The EE program offers two plans leading to the MSE with a Electrical Engineering option. These are designated:

- Plan I (Thesis)
- Plan II (Non-thesis)

The following sections describe the requirements for each of these options. With prior approval, up to 6 semester hours of 500-level courses may be taken in fulfillment of the MSE requirements. All courses in the program of study must be approved by a faculty advisor.

### Basic Program of Study

The Basic Program of Study, common to both the Plan I and Plan II MSE options, contains a minimum of 24 semester hours of graduate-level coursework that must include:

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<td>Select 12 semester hours of related graduate-level courses in an EE subject area</td>
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<td>6 hours of coursework with mathematical or theoretical foundation.</td>
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<td>Select a 2-course sequence from engineering, or computer science</td>
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**Total Semester Hours** 24

1. Typically, students take EE 629 and EE 630 or an approved sequence of courses in mathematics.

2. At least one of those courses should be at the 600 level.

### Plan I, Thesis Option

Students selecting this option must:

- Complete the Basic Program of Study as described above 24
- EE 699 MASTER’S THESIS 6
- Complete an acceptable thesis including a public defense

**Total Semester Hours** 30

### Plan II, Non-Thesis Option

Students selecting this option must:

- Complete the Basic Program of Study as described above 24
- Select 6 semester hours of graduate coursework to complete an approved extended program of study 6
- EE 693 ECE CAPSTONE 1

**Total Semester Hours** 31