

# Electrical Engineering Graduate Program Custom Degree Plan

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student number: \_\_\_\_\_

An EE graduate student interested in the MSEE Program must submit either a Concentration degree program plan or this Custom Degree Plan to the ECE office, according to the deadlines listed on the information page on the back of this form. Your academic advisor must approve and sign this form prior to submission. See the information page on the back for a discussion on establishing your academic advisor. Changes to your degree plan can be made by submitting an updated form, approved by your academic advisor. This Custom Degree Option is available only to students with a clear, coherent plan which can not be accommodated with an existing concentration.

Below, list the courses in the order in which you plan to take them, making note of prerequisites. A student following a Custom Degree Plan can not enroll for thesis credits.

ECE office fax: 610-519-4436. ECE office phone: 610-519-4970.

	<u>Semester</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
1.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
5.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
6.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
7.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
8.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
9.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____
10.	F S M	_____	_____	_____	_____

Academic Adviser signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Abbreviations:

- F Fall semester
- S Spring semester
- M Summer semester

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## **Information Page:**

Courses: For access to a list of graduate courses offered by the ECE Department, see the ECE Department Course Catalog Web page accessed as follows: go to

<http://www.villanova.edu/engineering/departments/electrical/graduate/masters/MSEE.htm>

and select "Course Catalog" on the right menu. Follow instructions from there.

Academic Advisor: Each student who selects the Custom Degree Option must work with his/her academic advisor to prepare and submit an approved degree plan. The academic advisor must be a full time ECE Department faculty member. Dr. Kevin Buckley is the assigned Academic Advisor for the Custom Degree Plan. Any student interested in the Custom Degree Plan is encouraged to meet with him until he/she has established a permanent academic advisor.

For a list of full time ECE faculty see the Department Web page accessed as follows: go to

<http://www.villanova.edu/engineering/departments/electrical/facstaff.htm>

Custom Degree Plan Requirements: The degree plan must meet general departmental requirements for graduation requirements detailed on the ECE Department Graduate Program Web page, which is accessed as follows: go to

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The following are deadlines for degree plan submission: full and part time MSEE student – by midterm of his/her first semester; 5 year BS/MS students – before registering for any course to be counted towards the MSEE degree.