

MatSE PhD Degree Coursework Checklist

Student: _____ Admit Term: _____ Date: _____

Requirements	Entered with MS	Entered with BS	Hours Completed	Hours Needed
Total Credit for Degree	64	96		
Thesis MSE599	44	52		
Coursework	20	44		
MSE 500	4	4		
MSE 492(Lab Safety)	Does not count towards degree	Does not count towards degree		
MSE 595 Colloquium	0-2	0-4		
MSE 590, MSE 529, MSE 559	0-4	0-8		
Electives	12-16	32-40		
MSE Coursework	10	20		
500 Level(excluding 599)	10	24		

-MSE 595-Colloquium (0 or 1 hour) must be taken **every semester** in the first two years of residence. A maximum of 2 hours (if entering with an M. S. degree) or 4 hours (if entering with a B. S. degree) may be applied toward the degree.

-MSE 529 or MSE 559- Seminars (0 or 1 hour) must be taken **every semester**. A maximum of 4 hours (if entering with an M. S. degree) or 8 hours (if entering with a B. S. degree) may be applied toward the degree.

-Minimum program GPA 3.0

Please download and review your DARS audit. This can be found at: <http://registrar.illinois.edu/dars/generate.html> . When you meet with the Director of Graduate Studies, be prepared to discuss how you plan to complete your coursework requirements per the DARS audit.

This form should be completed and turned in with the DARS audit and any exam request form, i.e., quals, prelim, and final exam requests.