# MASTER OF ENGINEERING IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

## Degree Requirements

*For additional details and requirements, please refer to the department’s Graduate Studies Web site (http://mechse.illinois.edu/graduate) and the Graduate College Handbook (http://grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook).

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<td>ME or TAM course work</td>
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<td>Applied math/computational science requirement</td>
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<td>Elective courses chosen in consultation with advisor</td>
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**Total required hours**: 32

1. Choose from approved list; consult the program’s website (http://mechanical.illinois.edu/graduate/mechse-graduate-degrees/master-engineering-mechanical-engineering) for more information.

2. Choice or combination of (a) graduate-level capstone project (e.g., ME 597 Independent Study), or (b) course in leadership, entrepreneurship, or other business-related course.

A minimum of 4 elective hours must be completed outside of the major department.

A minimum of 12 500-level credit hours applied toward the degree, 8 of which must be in ME or TAM.

A maximum of 4 hours of independent study may be applied toward degree requirements.

Elective course category may include a maximum of 4 hours of special topics credit.

Professional development category may include a maximum of 4 hours of special topics credit.

The minimum program GPA is 3.0.

Requirements and conditions may overlap.

## Financial Aid

Students in the Mechanical Engineering major for the M.Eng. degree are not eligible for tuition waivers through research assistantships or teaching assistantships.