### Department of Materials Science and Engineering

**Four Year Plan (2013-14 Catalog, ready for pre-calculus)**

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<td>MATH 143 + MATH 144 College Algebra + Analyt. Trig</td>
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<td>ENGL 101 Introduction to College Writing</td>
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<td>PHYS 423 Materials Characterization</td>
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**HIGHLIGHTED COURSES** are offered only in the semester in which they are listed.

**COMPSCI ELECTIVE:** The following courses fulfill the computer science elective requirement – CS 115 (Intro to C), CS 117 (Intro to C++), CS 119 (Intro to Java), CS 120 (Intro to Programming Concepts), and CS 125 (Intro to Computer Science)

**DISCIPLINARY LENS COURSES:** Students need to take one DLL, one DLV, and two DLS courses. DLL courses must come from two different fields.

**TECHNICAL + ENGINEERING ELECTIVES:** Students must complete 12 credits of technical and engineering electives. Six of these credits need to be in engineering disciplines (ENGR, MSE, ECE, CE, or MBE). The other 6 can come from engineering, math or science disciplines. Of the 12 credits, 6 must be upper division (300- or 400-level). All technical and engineering electives must be approved by the student’s advisor.

**GRADE POLICY:** A C- or above is required for all prerequisite courses and for all upper division courses within the student’s major.

**MSE UNDERGRADUATE ADVISORS:**

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