

Mechanical Engineering

Major Academic Plan for B.S.

“Scientists study the world as it is, engineers create the world that never has been.”

— Theodore von Karman



UCLA Study Abroad

HOW TO STUDY ABROAD



RESEARCH

Review your remaining UCLA degree requirements (GE, tech breadth, major, & minor).



IDENTIFY

Find UCEAP courses and identify options that are comparable to your degree requirements.



DISCUSS

If you have questions, meet the advisors at the International Education Office to review program details and locate syllabi.



COURSE EVALUATION

Meet with any Engineering Advisor for your major to learn how to apply study abroad coursework toward your degree requirements.

- * The Henry Samueli School of Engineering grants pre-approvals for study abroad coursework, which are issued by faculty or OASA, and are typically valid for a few years. *Disclaimer: Course evaluations may take a couple of months for review.*
- * Please account for processing time for course evaluations and ensure prospective courses are pre-approved prior to departure on study abroad program.
- * Study abroad is possible as soon as the summer after your first year through the Fall after your senior year. If you are planning on going after senior year, meet with your major advisor and a degree auditor to confirm eligibility.

MAJOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Lower Division Major Prep	Depends. If the course is within the School of Engineering, please reach out to your engineering advisor. If the course is housed outside of the school of engineering, please reach out to the respective department directly.
Major Requirements & Electives	Yes. However, the capstone courses and labs <i>cannot</i> be taken abroad.
GE's / Technical Breadth / Ethics	Yes. GE's and Technical Breadth courses are more likely to be approved as long as they match the particular category.
List of Pre-approved Coursework?	Yes. While there is not a list of pre-approved courses posted online, students may meet with their Engineering advisor to inquire about previously approved courses. <i>Disclaimer: Even if courses have been previously approved, you will still need to go through the Course Evaluation process for approval.</i>

HOW TO PETITION FOR ACADEMIC CREDIT

STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3
Identify UCEAP Program & Course Catalog	Gather Syllabi	Submit Course Evaluation and Meet with Advisor

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