

Major Map: Aerospace Engineering Bachelor of Science in Engineering (B.S.E.)

Molinaroli College of Engineering and Computing Department of Mechanical Engineering

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This course plan is a recommended sequence for this major. Courses designated as critical (!) may have a deadline for completion and/or affect time to graduation. Please see the Program Notes section for details regarding "critical courses" for this particular Program of Study.

!	Course Subject and Title		Min. Grade ¹		Code	Prerequisites	Notes
е	emester One (17 Credit Hours)						
	ENGL 101 Critical Reading and Composition	3	С		CC-CMW		
	MATH 141 Calculus 1 ³	4	С			C or better in MATH 112/115/116 or placement through the MAP	
	CHEM 111 General Chemistry I	3	С		CC-SCI	C or better in MATH 111/115/122/141 or higher math or placement through the MAP; Coreq: CHEM 111L	
	CHEM 111L General Chemistry I Lab	1	С		CC-SCI	MATH 111 or 115 or higher; Prereq or Coreq: CHEM 111	
	AESP 101 Intro. to Aerospace Engineering (or ENCP 101) fall only	3		*	PR		
	Carolina Core AIU ⁴	3			CC-AIU		
	mester Two (18 Credit Hours)						
	ENGL 102 Rhetoric and Composition	3			CC-CMW CC-INF	C or better in ENGL 101	
	MATH 142 Calculus II	4	С		CC-ARP	C or better in MATH 141	
	CHEM 112 General Chemistry II	3			PR	C or better in CHEM 111, MATH 111/115/122/141 or higher math; Coreq: CHEM 112L	
	CHEM 112L General Chemistry II Lab	1			PR	C or higher in CHEM 111 & 111L or CHEM 141; Prereq or Coreq: CHEM 112	
	PHYS 211 Essentials of Physics I	3	С		CC-SCI	C or better in MATH 141; Coreq: PHYS 211L	
	PHYS 211L Essentials of Physics I Lab	1	С		CC-SCI	Prereq/Coreq: C or better in PHYS 211	
	EMCH 111 Intro. to Computer-Aided Design (or ENCP 102)	3		*	PR		
	mester Three (15 Credit Hours)	1					
	EMCH 200 Statics (or ENCP 200)	3	С	*	PR	Prereq or Coreq: C or better in MATH 142	
	EMCH 201 Intro. to Applied Numerical Methods (or ENCP 201)	3		*	PR	Prereq or Coreq: D or better in MATH 142	
	ELCT 220 Electrical Engr. For Non-Majors (or ELCT 221 Circuits)	3			PR	MATH 142 (ELCT 220) or C or better in MATH 142; C or better in either ELCT 102 or AESP 265 or D or better in ELCT 220 (ELCT 221 only)	
	MATH 241 Vector Calculus	3			PR	C or better in MATH 142	
	Carolina Core GSS ⁴	3			CC-GSS	C of better in MATTI 142	
	emester Four (15-18 Credit Hours)	U			00 000		
	EMCH 290 Thermodynamics (or ENCP 290)	3		*	PR	C or better in PHYS 211 & MATH 142	
	EMCH 260 Solid Mechanics (or ENCP 260)	3		*	PR	C or better in EMCH 200 or ENCP 200; Prereq or Coreq: C or better in MATH 242	
	MATH 242 Elem. Differential Equations	3	С		PR	C or better in MATH 142	
	STAT 509 Statistics for Engineers	3			PR	MATH 142 or equivalent	
	Carolina Core VSR ⁴	3			CC-VSR	,	
	Carolina Core CMS ⁴	0-3			CC-CMS		
	emester Five (15 Credit Hours)						
	AESP 265 Aerodynamics I Incompressible Flow fall only	3		*	MR	D or better in MATH 242 & EMCH 290	
	EMCH 310 Dynamics (or ENCP 210)	3		*	MR	C or better in MATH 242 & EMCH 200 or ENCP 200	· · · · ·
	EMCH 371 Materials	3		*	MR	D or better in EMCH 260 or ENCP 260	
	EMCH 308 Intro. to Finite Element Stress Analysis <i>fall only</i>	3		*	MR	D or better in EMCH 260 or ENCP 260	
	MATH 344 Applied Linear Algebra	3			PR	C or better in MATH 142	
	emester Six (15 Credit Hours)			*	MR	D or better in STAT 509 & AESP 265; Prereq or Coreq:	
	AESP 361 Aerospace Laboratory I spring only	3			IVIIX	B 1 11 1 E110110E1 0 E11011E1 E110	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow	3		*	MR	D or better in EMCH 371 & EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only	3			MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only	3		*	MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330)	3			MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only	3		*	MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 260 & EMCH 310 or ENCP	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only	3 3 3		*	MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210	
	spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only emester Seven (15-18 Credit Hours) AESP 314 Air-Breathing & Rocket Propulsion	3 3 3		*	MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 260 & EMCH 310 or ENCP	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only mester Seven (15-18 Credit Hours) AESP 314 Air-Breathing & Rocket Propulsion Technologies fall only	3 3 3 3		*	MR MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 260 & EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in AESP 365	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only mester Seven (15-18 Credit Hours) AESP 314 Air-Breathing & Rocket Propulsion Technologies fall only AESP 362 Aerospace Laboratory II fall only	3 3 3		* * *	MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 260 & EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in AESP 365 AESP 361	
	AESP 365 Aerodynamics II Compressible Flow spring only AESP 350 Aerospace Systems spring only EMCH 330 Mechanical Vibrations (or ENCP 330) spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only EMCH 577 Aerospace Structures I spring only EMCH 578 Credit Hours AESP 314 Air-Breathing & Rocket Propulsion Technologies fall only AESP 362 Aerospace Laboratory II fall only AESP 415 Aircraft Design fall only	3 3 3 3 3		* * *	MR MR MR MR MR	D or better in EMCH/ENCP 290 & AESP 265 D or better in AESP 101 or ENCP 101 MATH 242 & either EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in EMCH/ENCP 260 & EMCH 310 or ENCP 210 D or better in AESP 365	
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Semester Eight (15-18 Credit Hours)							
AESP 428 Design I spring only	3		*	MR	D or better in AESP 350 & EMCH 577; Prereq or		
					Coreq: D or better in AESP 314		
AESP 466 Flight Dynamics and Control spring	3		*	MR	EMCH 330 or ENCP 330 and AESP 420		
only							
Aerospace Engineering Elective ⁵	3		*	PR	See Bulletin listing.		
Aerospace Engineering Elective ⁵	3		*	PR	See Bulletin listing.		
Carolina Core GHS ⁴	3			CC-GHS			
Carolina Core GFL ⁶	0-3			CC-GFL			

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Major Requirements Hours	College & Program Requirements Hours		
125	45	46	34	2.00

- 1. Regardless of individual course grades, students must maintain a minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA.
- 2. Some colleges require a minimum GPA for major courses. Courses indicated in this column are included in the program GPA of 2.00 for this program.
- 3. Students who place into MATH 115 will be required to successfully complete it before taking MATH 141.
- 4. The Carolina Core provides the common core of knowledge, skill and academic experience for all Carolina undergraduate students.
- 5. Aerospace Engineering Electives (9 hours): AESP 460, 543; ELCT 221, 222, 321, 331, 361, 371, 531, 562, 564, 572; EMCH 332, 354, 377, 516, 530, 532, 535, 544, 554, 560, 578, 585, 592.
- 6. Students in the College of Engineering and Computing are required to demonstrate proficiency in one foreign language equivalent to the 121 course by 1) a score of two or better on the foreign language placement test; or 2) completion of the 109 and 110 courses in FREN, GERM, LATN, or SPAN or completion of the 121 course in another foreign language. Students who do not place out of the GFL requirement may need to take additional hours to meet this requirement.

Program Notes:

- Courses identified as "critical" must be completed in the semester in which they are listed in order to ensure a timely graduation due to prerequisite requirements for subsequent required courses.
- All undergraduate students must take a 3-credit course or its equivalent with a passing grade that covers the founding documents. This course may
 fulfill any requirement in the program of study. Courses that meet this requirement are listed in the academic bulletin.
- A student cannot repeat courses from the College of Engineering and Computing in which they earned a grade of C or better. In addition, a student cannot repeat any course from the College a second time. No more than four courses from the College of Engineering and Computing may be repeated in order to satisfy the requirements for any degree from the College, regardless of satisfactory work. For this purpose, withdrawal from a course with a grade of **W** is not regarded as enrollment in that course. A student that does not satisfactorily complete a degree-required College course within two attempts must change major or transfer out of the College of Engineering and Computing.
- The last 25% of a student's degree must be completed in residence at the University, and at least half of the hours in the student's major courses and in the student's minor courses (if applicable) must be taken at the University.
- Disclaimer: Prerequisites on courses are subject to change. Please refer to the Bulletin.

University Requirements: Bachelor's degree-seeking students must meet Carolina Core (general education) requirements. For more information regarding these requirements, please visit the Carolina Core page on the University website.

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Codes:							
CC	Carolina Core	CC-INF	Carolina Core – Information Literacy				
CC-AIU	Carolina Core-Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding	CC-INT	Carolina Core – Integrative Course				
CC-ARP	Carolina Core-Analytical Reasoning and Problem-Solving	CC-SCI	Carolina Core – Scientific Literacy				
CC-CMS	Carolina Core-Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component	CC-VSR	Carolina Core – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility				
CC-CMW	Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written Component	CR	College Requirement				
CC-GFL	Carolina Core-Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language	MR	Major Requirement				
CC-GHS	Carolina Core – Historical Thinking	PR	Program Requirement				
CC-GSS	Carolina Core – Social Sciences						

Disclaimer: Major maps are only a suggested or recommended sequence of courses required in a program of study. Please contact your academic advisor for assistance in the application of specific coursework to a program of study and course selection and planning for upcoming semesters.