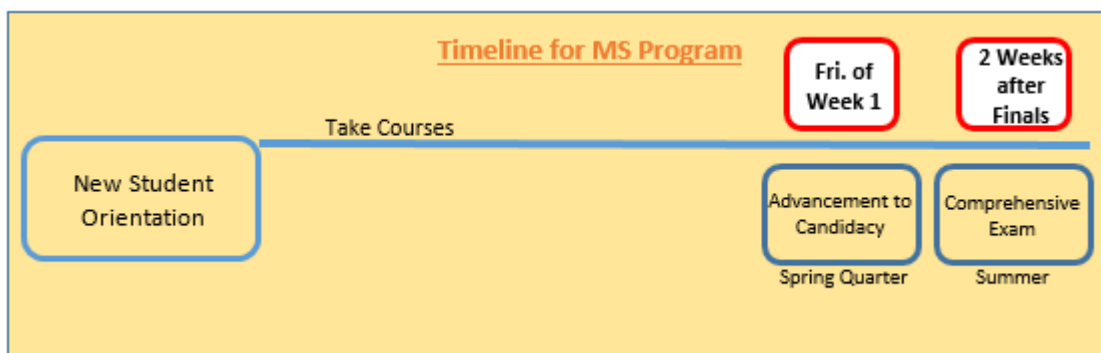


MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING PROGRAM

PREPARING FOR THE MS COMPREHENSIVE EXAM



Steps to Complete the Application for Candidacy

1. Visit Materials Science & Engineering (MSE) Graduate Coordinator during walk-in or appointment hours, to pick up the form. See Advising hours here: <http://matsci.ucsd.edu/advising.php>
2. Using the guidelines below, complete the form: **Application for Candidacy for the Thesis or Comprehensive Examination, Plan I or Plan II, for the Degree of Master of Arts and Sciences** (see example below).
3. Bring the form to the MSE Graduate Coordinator and he/she will obtain the program director's signature and send to the Office of Graduate Studies for filing.
4. THIS FORM MUST BE TURNED INTO THE MSE GRADUATE COORDINATOR BY **FRIDAY OF WEEK 1** IN SPRING QUARTER IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE ON TIME. If the form is turned in after Friday of Week 1 in the start of the spring quarter, your degree will be delayed by a quarter, and will be considered a Fall degree.

Form Guidelines

- 3 quarters of MATS 200
- MATS 201A, 201B, 201C, 227
- 2 Elective Core Courses from list (see page 2):
http://matsci.ucsd.edu/docs/handbooks/Handbook_2016-2017_Final.pdf
- 36 units total
- Maximum of 12 units of 100-level courses in Engineering, Chemistry, Physics, Biology
- GPA must be 3.0 or higher to advance
- Courses must be taken for a letter grade. P/NP or S/U grades will not be accepted, with the exception of MATS 200.

EXAMPLE

MS Comp. EXAM TRACK

MUST BE TURNED IN BY FRIDAY OF WEEK 1

Graduate Division
University of California, San Diego
La Jolla, CA 92093-0003



APPLICATION FOR CANDIDACY FOR THE
THESIS OR COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION,
PLAN I OR II, FOR THE DEGREE OF
MASTER OF ARTS OR SCIENCE

STUDENT

Name: STUDENT SUSIE Q.
Last First M.I.

PID#: A12345678

Department/Group: MSE

Area of Specialization: MS76

List only courses completed in satisfaction of the requirements for your Master's degree.

GRADUATE COURSES IN MAJOR (200 series) 36 units total UPPER-DIVISION COURSES IN MAJOR (100 series)

Department	Course Number	Units	Quarter	Year
MATS	200	-	FA	16
MATS	201A	4	FA	16
MATS	227	4	FA	16
MATS	252	4	FA	16
MATS	200	-	WI	17
MATS	201B	4	WI	17
MATS	251B	4	WI	17
MATS	200	-	SP	17
MATS	201C	4	SP	17
MATS	253	4	SP	17

Department	Course Number	Units	Quarter	Year

GRADUATE OR UPPER-DIVISION COURSES FROM OTHER DEPARTMENTS/INSTITUTIONS

Department	Course Number	Units	Quarter	Year
ECE	136	4	WI	17
NANO	239	4	SP	17

↑ courses outside of MATS

Signature
Signature of Student

DATE
Date

DEPARTMENT/GROUP

Master of Arts Science in: Materials Science and Engineering
Degree Title

Language requirement: Examination not required Examination passed _____ / ____ / ____
Language Date

PLAN I: Nominees for Thesis Committee
(Use Official Name)

Departmental Affiliation

_____, Chair

PLAN II: Comprehensive Examination

→ Bring to Katie for Director's Signature

Approved: DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE / DATE
Graduate Adviser Date

Approved: DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE / DATE
Department or Group Chair Date

GRADUATE DIVISION

Student is currently registered: YES NO; is fulfilling residency requirement in _____ Quarter Year

Current GPA:	
Units completed:	
Units in progress:	

Approved: _____ / ____ / ____
Dean of the Graduate Division Date