

Global Engineering & Science Certificate

Applicable for ALL South Dakota Mines majors

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Many engineers and scientists encounter projects in unfamiliar cultures and work on multinational/multicultural teams throughout their careers. In a survey of employers recruiting on campus, more than 75% said that competence in cultural and global inclusion and other Mines Advantage skills were important for career success in their organizations. The Certificate in Global Engineering and Science provides cross cultural insight and experience that will increase the ability of engineers and scientists to work successfully on projects and teams in other countries and cultures. Students learn intercultural communication and teaming skills, and then complete a cross cultural design, research, or capstone project while working on multinational/multicultural teams, or by working on a project in a different country or culture, including Native American communities. This certificate will more fully prepare graduates as global professionals and provide evidence to employers of the ability to understand client expectations and unspoken priorities and select appropriate and indigenous technology.

Students from any engineering or science discipline at South Dakota Mines may pursue a certificate in global engineering and science by completing **11 credit hours** of coursework as described below. Students should complete this form with appropriate signatures and turn it into the Registrar’s Office by the beginning of the first semester of the senior year.

Core Course for Design/Research Activity/Study Abroad Experience

Students must complete **2 credit hours** of cross-cultural engineering design/research activity or science research/capstone project selected from the list below. This design activity, science research or capstone project ***in a foreign country or culture, including Native American reservations***, can take the form of (1) an approved design project, (2) a co-op or engineering design course, or (3) a research or capstone project.

The design activity, research or capstone project or study abroad experience must be approved in writing IN ADVANCE by your technical advisor and the review committee.

Course #	Description	Credits	Completed / # Credits	Term
Institutional Design/Research Courses*				
EXCH X87/X89	Student Exchange; short term, semester, or academic year	0-18	0	
EXPL X85	Study Abroad Experiences (Experiential Learning)	1-3		
CP X97	Cooperative Education	1-3		
XXX 464/465	Capstone Design I and II	1-4		
XXX 491	Independent Study	1-3		
XXX 498	Undergraduate Research/Scholarship	3-12		
Department-Specific Design/Research Courses*				
CBE 463/466/467	Capstone Design, Process/Product Design	2-6		
CBE 487	Global and Contemporary Issues in Chemical Engineering **	1		
CEE 489	Capstone Design	3		
GEOL 410	Field Geology	6		
GEOL/GEOE 412	Science & Engineering Field Applications	3-6		
ME 477/479	Mechanical Engineering Design I and II	2/4		
MEM 464	Mine Design and Feasibility Study	4		
PHYS 412/414	Advanced Design Projects I and II	3/4		
	TOTAL			

Briefly describe your cross-cultural engineering design/research activity or science research project including the dates, location, type of activity, and your final product (attach a separate sheet if needed). This can include an approved design/research project, co-op, engineering design course, science research or capstone project in a foreign culture or country, including American Indian reservations.

(Technical Advisor's Signature)

(Date)

(Certificate Coordinator's Signature)

(Date)

Course #	Description	Credits	Completed/ # Credits	Term
HIST 121	Western Civilization I	3		
HIST 122	Western Civilization II	3		
HUM 100	Introduction to Humanities	3		
HUM 200	Connections: Humanities and Technology	3		
Languages XXX 101/102 ***	Introductory Language I and II	4		
PHIL 100	Introduction to Philosophy	3		
PHIL 220	Introduction to Ethics	3		
PHIL 233	Philosophy and Literature	3		
POLS 250	World Politics	3		
POLS 350	International Relations	3		
POLS 407	Environmental Law and Policy	3		
PSYC 461	Theories of Personality	3		
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3		
SOC 150	Social Problems	3		
	TOTAL			

* Course numbers may be subject to change and will match departmental courses for design, research, and capstone courses. Courses may include options below the 400 level.

** Specialized courses being developed in conjunction with efforts to create study-abroad pathways within all undergraduate programs of study will be considered for inclusion as electives as they are developed (i.e., CBE 487, Global and Contemporary Issues in Chemical Engineering). These courses are examples and others may be approved by the committee, including courses taken at other universities.

***Intermediate or advanced language courses or language courses taken while studying abroad may be substituted for introductory language courses with approval of the program coordinator.

Additional Student Information:

Student Major

Anticipated Graduation Date (Month/Year)

Student Signature

Date