

## MS Plan of Study

- **Submit the advisor-approved MS Plan of Study by the end of your first semester to the ECE MS Program Coordinator.**
- **Advisor Approval is needed for courses changes and a copy of the *updated* MS Plan of Study needs to be submitted to the ECE Program Coordinator.**
- **If there is a change of advisor, the new advisor needs to approve & sign your MS Plan of Study. Submit an updated copy to the ECE Program Coordinator. The new advisor needs to sign for any course changes from that point forward in the table on page 2.**

(If you change your advisor, ECE requires that you submit a [Change of Advisor](#) form to an ECE Program Coordinator, in addition to getting the new advisor's approval on your MS Plan of Study.)

- **For graduation clearance, your MS Plan of Study needs to be current and match the courses taken.**

Comments:

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Student Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's OSU ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

New Advisor: Advisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Admit term, semester & year: (Ex: Au16)			Second Semester & Year:			Third Semester & Year:		
Course #	Credits	Changes	Course #	Credits	Changes	Course #	Credits	Changes
<b>CREDIT SUB TOTAL:</b>			<b>CREDIT SUB</b>			<b>CREDIT SUB TOTAL:</b>		
Fourth Semester & Year:			Fifth Semester & Year:			Sixth Semester & Year:		
Course #	Credits	Changes	Course #	Credits	Changes	Course #	Credits	Changes
<b>CREDIT SUB TOTAL:</b>			<b>CREDIT SUB</b>			<b>CREDIT SUB TOTAL:</b>		

**M. S. Non-Thesis Option or Project Path Checklist**

30 or more graduate credits with a GPA of 3.0 or better, of which  
 At least 24 credits must be letter-graded graduate level courses (No S/U), of which  
 \_\_\_ At least 15 credits must be letter-graded ECE graduate courses, one of which is  
 \_\_\_ ECE 6070 Project Management taken within first 2 semesters. Does not count as advanced.  
 \_\_\_ At least 6 credits must be ECE 6000 or above (advanced level) completed at OSU  
 ECE 6070 (Project Management) does not count as an advanced requirement  
 \_\_\_ A maximum of 9 credits are allowed in a related field (such as engineering, biological sciences, physics, math, chemistry, business, economics, & ACCAD)  
 \_\_\_ ECE 7080 (Ethics & Professionalism) 1 credit. Mandatory for those admitted autumn 2015 or after. OSU grads that have passed ECE 3080 are automatically exempt and the individual study maximum increases by 1 credit.  
 \_\_\_ A maximum of 5 credits of Individual Study (ECE 6193) is permitted  
 \_\_\_ Satisfactory final written exam approved by faculty committee  
 \*ENGR 5901 and 5902 will count toward ECE 6193 individual studies only

**M.S Thesis Option or Research Path Checklist**

30 or more graduate credits with a GPA of 3.0 or better, of which  
 \_\_\_ At least 10 credits of thesis research credit (ECE 6999)  
 \_\_\_ At least 20 credits of graduate course work, of which  
 \_\_\_ At least 18 credits are letter-graded graduate level courses (no S/U), of which  
 \_\_\_ At least 9 credits are ECE courses, of which  
 \_\_\_ At least 6 credits are ECE 6000 level or above (advanced level) completed at OSU  
 \_\_\_ Maximum of 9 credits are allowed in a related field (such as engineering, biological sciences, physics, math, chemistry, business, economics, & ACCAD)  
 \_\_\_ ECE 7080 (Ethics & Professionalism) 1 credit. Mandatory for those admitted autumn 2015 or after. OSU grads that have passed ECE 3080 are automatically exempt and the individual study maximum increases by 1 credit.  
 \_\_\_ A maximum of 1 credits of Individual Study (ECE 6193) is permitted  
 \_\_\_ Satisfactory final oral exam and thesis approval by faculty committee  
 \*ENGR 5901 and 5902 will count toward ECE 6193 individual studies only