ENGINEERING PHYSICS

Undergraduate Program Information

The Engineering Physics program is offered jointly by the Department of Physics and the College of Engineering. The faculty is drawn from the Departments of Physics, Chemical and Materials Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering.

The B.S. in Engineering Physics confers an engineering credential. Students in the program complete an engineering core curriculum, as well as a rigorous course of study in physics and mathematics. A strong laboratory component prepares students in experimental techniques and technology using state-of-the-art equipment. The B.S. degree in Engineering Physics is accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission (EAC) of ABET, Inc.

The goals of the program are:

1. to give students a strong education in the fundamentals of physics, engineering, applied mathematics and computation;
2. to develop skill in real-world problem solving starting from fundamental physical principles;
3. to improve communication skills; and
4. to develop ability to work in a team.

The student must choose one of four concentrations in

- Aerospace Engineering,
- Chemical Engineering,
- Electrical Engineering, or
- Mechanical Engineering.