

Civil & Materials Engineering Department

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The department of Civil and Materials Engineering (CME) offers programs leading to the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees in Civil Engineering. Study and research leading to a degree in Civil Engineering is available in the areas of soil mechanics and foundations, environmental engineering, structural engineering, earthquake engineering, reinforced and prestressed concrete, steel structures, and transportation engineering.

The department also offers programs leading to degrees in Materials Engineering at both the master's and doctoral levels, and the Doctor of Philosophy in Geotechnical Engineering and Geosciences.

Updated information about the faculty, staff, curriculum and courses is found on the CME home page at the following address: <http://www.uic.edu/depts/cme/cme.html>.

Admission Requirements

Applicants are considered on an individual basis. Complete transcripts for all undergraduate and any graduate work must be submitted. **In addition to the Graduate College minimum requirements**, applicants must meet the following program requirements:

Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy

Baccalaureate Field: Civil engineering or a related field.

Grade Point Average: At least 3.00 (A=4.00) for the final 60 semester hours (90 quarter hours) of undergraduate study.

Tests Required: GRE General (1100).

Minimum TOEFL Score (International applicants): 600 (paper-based); 250 (computer-based); for TOEFL iBT: 80 minimum [Writing > 21; Speaking > 20; Listening > 17; Reading > 19]

Letters of Recommendation: Three required for PhD applicants.

Personal Statement: Required for PhD applicants.