Master of Engineering (Structural)

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Overview:	Structural engineers apply mathematical and scientific principles to the design, development and evaluation of materials and systems used in building load-bearing structures like roads, buildings, rail lines, dams and offshore platforms. It is the objective of this course that graduates have acquired a sound fundamental understanding of the scientific principles underlying a number of sub-disciplines that are associated with structural engineering. Great emphasis is also placed on the development of generic skills with management, communication, problem-solving and design and innovation in structural engineering. Students in this specialisation learn from high quality researchers recognised internationally for their expertise in high-rise structures, and wind, waves, earthquake, impact and blast resistant technologies. Design seminars, field work and workshops provide students with opportunities to work with industry professionals in their final year. Career opportunities exist in a variety of roles related to the design of structures, their longevity, and their ability to withstand extremes such as earthquake, high winds, blast or fire.
Objectives:	To produce graduates who have acquired the educational and professional standards of Engineers Australia with which the course is accredited, and are both skilled in structural engineering principles and have the ability to apply them to complex, open-ended engineering tasks and problems
Structure & Available Subjects:	The Master of Engineering (Structural) consists of 300 points of study - 237.5 points core (compulsory) plus 62.5 points elective subjects as listed below Advanced standing will be awarded for equivalent subjects taken in prior study to applicants on the following basis: # A maximum of 100 points for applicants with a 4 year Bachelor of Engineering or equivalent # A maximum of 100 points for applicants with a 3 year undergraduate degree. Students entering with a three year bachelor degree must complete at least 200 points of study within the Masters of Engineering. In cases where applicants have completed the equivalent of more than 100 points of core masters subjects, discipline specific electives must be taken to fulfill the 200 minimum masters study requirement Note: applicants from the University of Melbourne with: # An appropriate “Engineering System” major will receive 100 points of advanced standing. Applicants who have completed more than 100 points of core subjects in their undergraduate degree will obtain exemption for the cores taken but will need to replace the points in excess of 100 points with elective subjects # Engineering breadth sequences (including those in the Bachelor of Commerce) will receive advanced standing to a maximum of 100 points
Subject Options:	Total 300 points Students must complete all 300 points of subjects, including all core subjects, or have advanced standing or exemption Students must complete the following in the Master of Engineering (Structural): # 237.5 credit points of core subjects

62.5 credit points of structural engineering electives according to the lists below

The order of subjects below is one way of progressing through the course - students who meet subject requisites may tailor their individual study plan to take into account advanced standing and their preferred study load. Students plan their study on-line, however Melbourne School of Engineering course advisors are available to assist students with individual study plans

Suggested first 100 points:

100 points Core as listed below

Please note: In 2013 ENGR30001 Fluid Mechanics & Thermodynamics was replaced with ENGR30002 Fluid Mechanics. Students who have completed ENGR30001 are not required to completed ENGR30002.

Students who completed CVEN30008 Risk Analysis or equivalent. Please consult with a course advisor to discuss your course structure.

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
CVEN30008 Risk Analysis	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENGR20004 Engineering Mechanics	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENGR30002 Fluid Mechanics	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENGR90021 Engineering Communication	Not offered 2013	12.50
MAST20029 Engineering Mathematics	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN30009 Structural Theory and Design	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENEN20002 Earth Processes for Engineering	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENGR20003 Engineering Materials	Not offered 2013	12.50

Suggested second 100 points:

75 points Core
25 points structural engineering electives from the list below

Core (75 points)

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
CVEN90043 Sustainable Infrastructure Engineering	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90044 Engineering Site Characterisation	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90049 Structural Theory and Design 2	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90045 Engineering Project Implementation	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90035 Structural Theory and Design 3	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN30010 Systems Modelling and Design	Not offered 2013	12.50

Suggested third 100 points:

37.5 points Core
25 points from the Research Component (core) listed below
37.5 points from the Structural Engineering Electives listed below

Core (37.5 points)

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
CVEN90052 Integrated Design	Not offered 2013	25

CVEN90050 Geotechnical Engineering	Not offered 2013	12.50

Research Component (25 points)

Students must choose only ONE of the subjects listed below:

Note: *CVEN90022 IE Research Project 1 is of year-long duration, students may commence in either Semester 1 or Semester 2 and continue in the consecutive semester. CVEN90047 IE Research Project 2 is completed over one Semester only.*

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
CVEN90022 IE Research Project 1	Semester 1	12.50
CVEN90047 IE Research Project 2	Not offered 2013	25

Structural Engineering Electives

Total 62.5 points
Students are strongly advised to include CVEN90016 Concrete Design and Technology and ENEN90014 Sustainable Buildings

Students may also choose one Civil Engineering elective subject not on the list below.

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
CVEN90017 Earthquake Resistant Design of Buildings	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90024 High Rise Structures	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90026 Extreme Loading of Structures	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90016 Concrete Design and Technology	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90018 Structural Dynamics and Modelling	Semester 2	12.50
CVEN90027 Geotechnical Applications	Not offered 2013	12.50
CVEN90051 Civil Hydraulics	Not offered 2013	12.50
ENEN90014 Sustainable Buildings	Not offered 2013	12.50

Links to further information:	http://www.eng.unimelb.edu.au/Postgrad/MEng/me_structural.html
Related Course(s):	Master of Engineering