Department of Mechanical Engineering

BS/MS (4+1) APPLICATION

MS in ME____ MS in Bioengineering ____

Please Print

Name_________________________________ Red ID No.________________________________________

Email:_________________________________ Phone:________________________________________

Units that count towards the SDSU BS or MS Degree Programs

DEGREE UNITS COMPLETED __________

UNITS REMAINING FOR BSME COMPLETION __________

Undergraduate Courses Grade/Score

ME 304 or CIV E 301 __________

ME 350 __________

ME 360 __________

I HAVE READ, AND UNDERSTOOD, AND WILL ABIDE BY THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK OF THIS SHEET. I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE BS/MS IF I HAVE APPLIED TO GRADUATE FOR THE B.S. DEGREE.

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Student Signature Date

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Department of Mechanical Engineering Approval Date
BS/MS (4+1) Program
IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the following information and instructions before completing this application to apply to the BS/MS (4+1) program.

Before you apply for the BS/MS (4+1) program, please be advised that this program is unique. It is a combined BS/MS program and students must successfully complete 150 units of coursework and a thesis to be awarded simultaneously the B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering and then the M.S. degree in either Mechanical Engineering or Bioengineering.

You are required to have an updated Master Plan on file in the ME Office before you apply for the (4+1) BSME/MSME or BSME/MSBioE program. This plan will show the semester in which you are expected to complete the requirements for the BSME degree. If you matriculate into the (4+1) BSME/MSME or BSME/MSBioE program, you will be charged graduate tuition fees from the semester following the one in which you complete the requirements for the BSME degree as indicated in the Master Plan on file in the Office.

Students must apply and be admitted to the BS/MS (4+1) program. Once you apply and are admitted into the program you must fulfill all requirements of the BS/MS (4+1) program before you will be granted the BS or the MS degree. If you change your mind and decide to go back to the Mechanical Engineering major BS degree, you will not be able to reenter the BS/MS (4+1) program and the graduate units you completed will not count towards a graduate degree at SDSU.

BRING A COPY OF YOUR DEGREE EVALUATION TO ME OFFICE AT E326

STUDENTS MAY APPLY FOR THE PROGRAM AFTER SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING A MINIMUM OF 82 AND A MAXIMUM OF 97 UNITS THAT COUNT TOWARDS EITHER THE BS OR THE MS PROGRAMS.

REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY FOR THE BS/MS (4+1) PROGRAM:

1. B or higher grade in ME 304 (or CIVE 301), ME 350, and ME 360
2. 3.0 overall GPA
3. 3.0 ME Upper Division Major GPA

Exceptions may be considered if a statement of justification is provided by the ME faculty advisor and is then approved by the departmental graduate committee and the Graduate Division.

SUBMIT COMPLETE APPLICATIONS TO E326
Department of Mechanical Engineering
THESIS ADVISOR FORM

NAME OF THESIS ADVISOR (S):______________________________

NAME OF STUDENT:_____________________________________

STUDENT RED ID:_______________________________________

CURRENT SEMESTER AT SDSU: ______________

FIRST SEMESTER AT SDSU: ______________

DEGREE PURSUED:
☐ MS in MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
☐ MS in BIOENGINEERING
☐ 4+1 BSME/MS in MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
☐ 4+1 BSME/MS in BIOENGINEERING

Most if not all of the thesis projects offered by a thesis advisor will be on the cutting edge of science & technology and therefore will be of a competitive and timely nature. Hence, by signing this form the student understands that when a faculty member acts as a thesis advisor, it will constitute a considerable investment of the faculty's time, ideas and department resources and the student therefore agrees to commit and be actively involved in the project for its duration.

Student Signature:______________________________ Date: ______________

Thesis Advisor (s) Signature(s):______________________________ Date: ______________

Graduate Advisor Signature:______________________________ Date: ______________

* Any request to change advisors or plans after working for more than one semester with the advisor will need to be made in writing and be sent to the Graduate Program Committee for review. The committee may request a meeting with the student.