

## PhD Primary Area Course Requirements for Electrical and Computer Engineering

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Area: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Primary Area Course Requirements** consists of a list of University of Wisconsin courses specified by each of the eight graduate research areas (see Section 6 of ECE Graduate Student Handbook for details). These courses must be taken in the same specialty area that the student declares when registering for the Ph.D. Qualifying Examination. After the student takes the Qualifying Exam and achieves Advanced Graduate Standing, a different specialty area may be chosen only with the approval of the ECE Graduate Committee. **A grade point average of 3.3 or greater over all courses used to satisfy the primary area must be achieved.** A special primary area course program tailored for a student whose interests do not lie within a single area requires approval by the student's advisor and the Graduate Committee at least one year before the Preliminary Examination. Research and independent study courses cannot be used to satisfy this requirement. Courses used to fulfill PhD Primary area cannot be used to fulfill PhD secondary or minor course requirements.

Department & Course Number	Instructor	Course Title	Grade	Cr. #

Grades Verified By: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Date)

I approve the above graduate courses for use in satisfying the Primary Area Course Requirements.

Advisor Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Department Approval: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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