

Application for Rensselaer Co-Terminal BS/MS or ME Program

Application Process

It is the student's responsibility to make sure that all required signatures are obtained and all paperwork is completed and delivered to OGE no later than the end of the 1st semester of the senior year.

1. Complete this application and determine which additional application materials are required by your program of interest (eg. test scores, recommendations, etc.)
2. Obtain the signed endorsement of your undergraduate academic advisor. **Your advisor must verify your current number of accumulated credits and current cumulative GPA and sign the application in the space provided.** Endorsement from your graduate advisor is also needed in the space provided.
3. Present your application and additional required application materials to your department of interest. Have the application signed by the **Graduate Program Director (GPD) or Department Head** of the program you are applying to. If written justification is needed for your admission, please have the GPD include it in a separate memo and include with this application.
4. Submit this completed application **along with your CAPP report, approved Graduate Plan of Study, and Program Planner** to the Office of Graduate Education (OGE - located at **1516 Peoples Avenue**) for the Dean of Graduate Education's approval.
5. The Office of Graduate Education will forward approved applications to Graduate Admissions for processing.
6. Admitted students will receive admission notification via the mail from the Graduate Admissions Office.
7. Students will be required to participate in OGE's Academic Orientation near their admitted start term (i.e., August for students admitted in the Fall; January for Spring admitted students).

Requirements for Application

- Students should first check with the department they are applying to for additional requirements and application procedures.
- Completion of 90 credits (including AP credits, transfer credits and courses in progress) of coursework towards the undergraduate degree (101 credits for B.Arch students).
- Overall GPA of 3.0 or above (individual programs may have higher GPA requirements).
- Co-terminal applications must be submitted to OGE before the end of an applicant's first semester of his/her senior year.
- An approved MS/ME Plan of Study must accompany this application.

** Your Co-Terminal start term will be the semester following your application date and at least one term prior to your Normal BS Graduation Date. For example, if you would normally graduate in May 2014, your Co-Terminal start term may be Fall 2013 or Spring 2014. It cannot be Summer or Fall 2014.*

☐ Check if you plan to include courses as a part of the International Scholars Program (ISP). Be sure to check <http://www.ewp.rpi.edu/isp/index.html> for logistics and travel fees.

SECTION I:

PROGRAM of INTEREST _____ Degree _____
Electrical Engineering, Biology, Computer Science, etc. MS or ME

Intended areas of research or specialization, if any (example: astrophysics, bioinformatics, nanotechnology, etc.): _____

PERSONAL DATA

Mr./Ms. _____ RIN: 66 _____
(Last Name/Surname) (First/Given) (Middle Jr., II, etc.) (Former/Other Names)

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Date application received in OGE: _____ OGE Staff Initials: _____

CAPP Report included: ☐ Yes ☐ No Comments: _____

Signed MS/ME Plan of Study included: ☐ Yes ☐ No Comments: _____

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Permanent address

(Number and Street or P.O. Box, Rural Route or Apt. No.)

(City State/Province Zip/Postal Code Country)

Home phone () _____ Work () _____ Fax () _____
Area Code or Country/City Code Area Code or Country/City Code Area Code or Country/City Code

Current mailing address

(Number and Street or P.O. Box, Rural Route or Apt. No.)

(City State/Province Zip/Postal Code Country)

Current phone () _____ Current work () _____
Area Code or Country/City Code Area Code or Country/City Code

Until what date may we reach you at the current address? _____

E-mail address _____ Country of birth _____ Date of birth _____

Citizenship

☐ United States Citizen

☐ Permanent Resident of U.S. Green Card # _____

☐ Citizen of _____ Native Language _____

Please indicate the type of visa you have: ☐ F-1 ☐ J-1 Other (please specify) _____ Visa expiration date
_____/_____/____

SECTION II: ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Name of Institution Attended. List all universities you have attended, regardless of whether or not a degree was completed. Grade point averages (GPA) must be provided. Incomplete or falsified transcript or GPA information may result in denial of admission.

1. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute _____ GPA _____
Institution Name Normal BS Graduation Date Major Degree

2. _____ GPA _____
Institution Name Dates of Attendance Major Degree

If you answer “yes” to either of the following statements, please attach a separate statement.

Have you ever been expelled or suspended from a post-secondary institution? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? ☐ Yes ☐ No

SECTION III: CERTIFICATION

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I hereby certify that the information given by me on this application is complete and accurate in every respect, and the information I have submitted as an applicant for admission is my own work. I understand and agree that any misrepresentation may be cause for denial or revocation of admission or subsequent dismissal from Rensselaer. Furthermore, I understand that credits applied to the BS degree cannot be used toward the MS/ME degree. I also understand that speaking with a Financial Aid counselor during the application process is highly recommended to determine financial aid eligibility, if any.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT _____ **Date** _____

We recommend _____ for admission to the Co-terminal BS/MS or ME
Name of Student

Program, and verify that the student has accumulated _____ credit hours (including AP credits, transfer credits and courses in progress) for the BS degree; that no credits used for the BS degree can or will be used toward the MS/ME degree; and the student's current cumulative GPA is _____.

ENDORSEMENT OF UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC ADVISOR:

Print Name: _____ **Date** _____

Please provide the following information:

Number of Semesters remaining in undergraduate program: _____

List of Courses on UG CAPP Report being applied to MS/ME Degree:

_____	_____	_____	_____
Course Number and Title	Credits	Course Number and Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
Course Number and Title	Credits	Course Number and Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
Course Number and Title	Credits	Course Number and Title	Credits

Approved **Plan of Study, CAPP Report, and Program Planner** must accompany this application.

ENDORSEMENT OF GRADUATE ADVISOR:

Print Name: _____ **Date** _____

ENDORSEMENT OF GRADUATE PROGRAM DIRECTOR/DEPARTMENT HEAD:

Print Name: _____ **Date** _____

APPROVAL OF DEAN OF GRADUATE EDUCATION:

_____ **Start Term** _____

Print Name: _____ **Date** _____

Co-Terminal Applicant Fourth and Fifth Year Planner

Name: _____ RIN: _____ Date: _____

Department: _____ Advisor: _____

**Please note that "UG" should be listed for courses that will be applied to one's undergraduate degree. "G" should be listed for courses that will be applied to one's graduate degree. For example, if a student is taking a 4000-level course and the course will be listed on the Graduate Plan of Study, a "G" should be the identifier for that course.*

FOURTH YEAR

FALL SEMESTER

Undergraduate (UG) or Graduate (G)*	Course Subject/Number	Course Name	Credit Hours

UG Credits: _____ Grad Credits: _____ TOTAL CREDITS: _____

SPRING SEMESTER

Undergraduate (UG) or Graduate (G)*	Course Subject/Number	Course Name	Credit Hours

UG Credits: _____ Grad Credits: _____ TOTAL CREDITS: _____

FIFTH YEAR

FALL SEMESTER

Undergraduate (UG) or Graduate (G)*	Course Subject/Number	Course Name	Credit Hours

UG Credits: _____ Grad Credits: _____ TOTAL CREDITS: _____

SPRING SEMESTER

Undergraduate (UG) or Graduate (G)*	Course Subject/Number	Course Name	Credit Hours

UG Credits: _____ Grad Credits: _____ TOTAL CREDITS: _____