* Shared between two departments – csce and ecen
* Bls projects that 76% of new stem jobs will be in the field of computing, also some of the highest paid jobs
* Cpen is a balance of hardware and software, spectrum between software dev and processor design
  + Emphasis on hardware
  + Better job security
* Certain “built in minors”
  + Math, cybersecurity, game dev
  + Depends on area electives
  + Cpsc and elen minors not available to cpen – too closely related
* Internship and coop options:
  + Engr 385 coop
  + Ecen 484 supper internship
  + Can receive credit
  + Can count ot engrx if receiving credit
  + Good work experience, helps with job seeking later
* Study abroad in Thessaloniki, Scotland, England Ireland, natal & rio de Janeiro, lyon, and doha, and other
  + Apply a year ahead
  + Higher gpa = higher chance of being accepted
* Bs+ms 5 year fast track
* You can be either be knowledgeable in a broad range of stuff or super knowledgeable in something specific, the degree lets you to be either
* “smart people can go into any field very deep given enough time” – Indian man
  + Breadth = better?