



JACOBS SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
Electrical and Computer Engineering

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Dear Yusuf Morsi (A16663165),

We are delighted to offer you admission to the combined BS/MS program in the Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering (Machine Learning & Data Science (Impacted)). You will remain an undergraduate student until you complete all the requirements for your BS degree **by Fall 2023** and you will officially be admitted as an MS student for **Winter 2024 after you complete the following***:

- ☐ **Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA in all courses (undergraduate and graduate).**
- ☐ **Be continually enrolled throughout the entire duration of their undergraduate degree program.**

Admitted BS/MS students are expected to begin their MS program in the academic term immediately following the completion of their undergraduate degree. Under no circumstances can students take a "gap quarter" between the end of the BS program and the start MS program. If you would like to take a gap quarter between both programs, please apply through the [general MS admissions cycle](#).

- ☐ **Submit an official UCSD [Graduate Admissions application](#)** (you must wait to be notified by ECE student affairs before submitting your online application. Notification will occur in **Fall 2023**).
- ☐ **Submit a final academic transcript indicating evidence of undergraduate degree conferral.**

**As of now, you are still classified as an undergraduate student. You will be classified as a master's student once you have completed the above requirements.*

If you cannot complete the above requirements, you will not be permitted to enter this program, and you must re-apply for the MS after taking the GRE.

Congratulations on your academic achievements!

Best Regards,

Charmaine Samahin-Manns
Director, ECE Student Affairs

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT COURSEWORK

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY:

- During your senior year as an undergraduate student, you have the option of taking graduate-level (ECE 200+) classes. **You will need to submit an [EASy request](#) and receive departmental approval. Please denote that you are a BS/MS admitted student in the comment section when submitting your EASy request.**
- To start planning your MS program, you may read about our **ECE MS degree requirements and timeline on this [page](#).**
- If you take classes while you are an undergraduate that you would like to count towards your graduate requirements, you will have to submit a request to transfer the units to your graduate record **after** you begin your Master's program. To transfer/waive courses/units from your UCSD undergraduate record to reflect on your ECE MS graduate record, here are the guidelines:

Course(s) must have been used in excess (**CANNOT** count towards any aspect of your undergraduate major or college requirements, this would be in the electives section at the end of your Degree Audit Report).

- Taken for a letter grade.
 - Must be B- or better.
 - Only courses that count towards the ECE MS graduate degree can be transferred.
 - Up to 24 units (6 courses) can be transferred from your UCSD undergraduate record.
 - Please read the [UCSD GEPA Transferring Credit policy and procedures](#) for more information.
 - Grades from your transferred undergraduate courses will **NOT** apply to your graduate GPA. **Only the units transfer, not the grades.**
- Be sure to check the [MS degree planners and course requirements](#) to verify what courses can or cannot be used towards your MS degree.
- Incoming BS/MS students who enroll in eligible **Course-Hosted Comprehensive Exam** courses may register for those courses to count towards their capstone requirement upon passing the exam, prior to starting the MS program. If you are interested in this option, please follow the [guidelines](#).
- If you are graduating from your BS program and will begin your MS program the following quarter, please wait until your graduate record is created before enrolling/waitlisting in courses.
- For more detailed information about your BS/MS program, please visit our [Admitted Students page](#) and [FAQ page](#).

Questions?

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Advising: Speak with an [ECE B.S./M.S. Admissions Advisor](#)