

**UAB SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
CORE CURRICULUM: HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES REQUIREMENTS**

A total of 18 semester hours in Core Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts and Core Area IV: Social and Behavioral Sciences are required to fulfill the undergraduate program requirements in every engineering discipline. There are nine (9) credit hours required in each of these two areas. **Please note: for Core Area IV, students cannot use more than 6 hours of History.**

In addition, as part of the common core curriculum, engineering majors must complete a six-semester-hour sequence in a discipline. To be considered a sequence, courses must have the same prefix and must be sequential if possible. (i.e., HY 101 and HY 102 Western Civilization I and II, EH 221 and EH 222 British and Irish Literature I and II, Any introductory foreign language I and II, PY 101 and PY 212 Introduction to Psychology and Developmental Psychology, EC 210 and EC 211 Micro and Macroeconomics)

CORE AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (9 semester hours required)

- **Minimum of 3 hours in literature** (prerequisite: EH 102 with a “C” or better)—acceptable courses highlighted in gold below:
- **3 hours in fine arts**—acceptable courses highlighted in green below:
- **3 hours in humanities and/or fine arts** (see list below)

Choose Core II courses from the following:

AAS 200	Introduction to African American Studies	GN 101	Introductory to German I
AAS 201	Honors Intro to African American Studies	GN 102	Introductory to German II
ARA 101	Introductory Arabic I	GN 201	Intermediate German I
ARA 102	Introductory Arabic II	GN 202	Intermediate German II
ARH 101	The Experience of Art	GN 204	Readings in German Literature
ARH 203	Survey History of Ancient & Medieval Art	ITL 101	Introductory Italian I
ARH 204	Renaissance through Modern Art	ITL 102	Introductory Italian II
ARH 206	Survey of Asian Art	JPA 101	Introductory Japanese I
ARS 280	Creativity & Imagination	JPA 102	Introductory Japanese II
CHI 101	Introductory Chinese I	LA 101	Introductory Latin I
CHI 102	Introductory Chinese II	LA 102	Introductory Latin II
CMST 101	Public Speaking	MU 120	Music Appreciation
EH 212	Form of Literature	PHL 100	Introduction to Philosophy
EH 213	Ideas in Literature	PHL 115	Contemporary Moral Issues
EH 216	Introduction to Literature	PHL 116	Bioethics
EH 217	World Literature before 1660 (I)	PHL 120	Practical Reasoning
EH 218	World Literature since 1660 (II)	PHL 125	Introduction to Ethics
EH 221	British and Irish Literature (I)	PHL 203	Philosophy of Religion
EH 222	British and Irish Literature (II)	SPA 101	Introductory Spanish I
EH 223	American Literature I (1620-1865) (I)	SPA 102	Introductory Spanish II
EH 224	American Literature II (1865-Pres) (II)	SPA 108	Introduction to Intensive Spanish
FLL 120	Foreign Cultures	SPA 201	Intermediate Spanish I
FLL 220	Foreign Literatures in English Translations	SPA 202	Intermediate Spanish II
FR 101	Introductory French I	THR 100	Introduction to the Theatre
FR 102	Introductory French II	THR 102	Introduction to the Cinema
FR 108	Introduction to Intensive French	THR 105	Introduction to Dance
FR 201	Intermediate French I	THR 200	Plays on Film
FR 202	Intermediate French II		

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CORE AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (9 semester hours required)

- **Minimum of three (3) hours in history (maximum hours allowed in history is 6)—acceptable courses highlighted below.**
- **6 hours in other disciplines** in the social and behavioral sciences (see list below)

Choose Core IV courses from the following:

ANTH 101	Introductory Cultural Anthropology	HY 121	The United States since 1877 (II)
ANTH 106	Introductory Archaeology	ITS 101	Introduction to International Studies (not offered frequently)
ANTH 120	Language and Culture	PSC 101	Foundations of American Government
CMST 105	Introduction to Human Communication	PSC 102	Foundations of Comparative Politics
DCS 101	Media and Society	PSC 103	Foundations of International Relations
EC 210	Principle of Microeconomics	PSC 221	American State & Local Government
EC 211	Principles of Macroeconomics	PY 101	Introduction to Psychology
GEO 121	World Regional Geography	PY 201	Honors Introduction to Psychology
HY 101	Western Civilization I	PY 212	Developmental Psychology
HY 102	Western Civilization II	SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology
HY 104	World History to 1600 (I)	SOC 245	Contemporary Social Problems
HY 105	World History Since 1600 (II)	WS 100	Introduction to Women's Studies
HY 106	World History and Technology I		
HY 107	World History and Technology II		
HY 120	The United States to 1877 (I)		