



Congratulations on your acceptance to the Master of Science in Applied Sustainability with Concentration in Infrastructure and Environmental Systems program at Northeastern University on the Boston campus! At this time, we suggest that you register for Fall 2026 courses. Before registering, please make sure to read the instructions at the following link:

<https://registrar.northeastern.edu/article/new-registration-experience/>

As an incoming Fall 2026 student, there are some steps that you need to take before the semester starts. Please read this document thoroughly as it contains helpful information and can answer many of your questions before you begin your first semester. If you have any questions, please contact COE Graduate Student Services team at coe-gradadvising@northeastern.edu

Confirm your Enrollment

Please confirm your enrollment at Northeastern University, as you will not be able to register for classes until you complete this step. To confirm your enrollment, log into your [electronic application account](#) and pay the enrollment deposit. If you have any questions, please contact Graduate Admissions at coe-gradadmissions@northeastern.edu. Check your SPAM for a response.

Know your faculty and administrative advisors

As a student in the Master of Science in Applied Sustainability with Concentration in Infrastructure and Environmental Systems program, you have a team of faculty and staff to assist you in your academic career at the Graduate School of Engineering. You will meet these faculty and staff members during your orientation and have the opportunity to ask them any questions you might have.

- [Professor Matthew Eckelman](#)
- [COE Graduate Advising Team](#)
- [Co-op Team](#)

Course Registration

We recommend that full-time students enroll in two courses and part-time students take at least one course during their first semester. If you are an international student, please be mindful of your full time and on-ground requirements. We have provided our course recommendations to you below. As these are recommendations, students can take courses in any order or other courses to fulfill their degree requirements.

Core Requirements:

AERG 5920 – Complexity in Systems

PPUA 5254 – Sustainability Foundations in Strategy and Policy

STRT 6422 – Strategy for Sustainable Transformation: Leading Organizational Change

Concentration Requirements:

CIVE 5255 – Tools and Techniques of Environmental Health

CIVE 5261 – Dynamic Modeling for Environmental Investment and Policymaking

CIVE 7150 – Data-Driven Decision Support for Civil and Environmental Engineering

SBSY 5100 – Sustainable Design and Technologies in Construction

Frequently Asked Questions

How do I get a me.Northeastern account?

After you confirm your enrollment, you will be able to log in to your [me.Northeastern](#) portal. If you have not set up your me.Northeastern account, log in to your [electronic application account](#) and look for instructions to do so

Do I need to attend both the Graduate School of Engineering General Orientation and Program/ Department-Specific Orientation? What is the difference between these two orientations?

We strongly recommend that you attend both. These are two entirely different orientations and will provide you with information you need in order to succeed. These sessions provide an opportunity not only to get your questions answered but also to meet with your academic and co-op advisors.

How do I register for classes?

Visit the Registrar Office [Registration Experience](#) page to learn how to search and register for courses using your me.Northeastern account. The online registration system will allow you to add or drop courses. The deadline to add a class can be found through the [University's Academic Calendar](#). If you have any questions about course registration, please email your College of Engineering Academic Advisor at coe-gradadvising@northeastern.edu.

What if my course is full?

Enrollments are always shifting as students are allowed to change their registration. If a seat isn't available in your preferred class right away, you can join the waitlist. To join a waitlist, enter the CRN (the 5 numbers in parentheses next to the course number) directly into your registration sheet and hit submit. You will then have an option to select "waitlist" from a drop down-menu. The waitlist system will automatically inform you when a seat opens. When a seat opens, you need to just log into your account and accept it within the 24-hour time limit.

Do I need to register for the Introduction to Cooperative Education course?

Please note that registration for the Co-op course is not required. This course is one of the requirements to become eligible for Co-op Experience. Students interested in participating in a Co-op should plan to register for this course either in their first or second semester.

Will I get a bill by registering for courses?

Yes, your first e-bill is generated when you register for your courses. You will receive an e-bill from the University with instructions on how to pay the e-bill. If you have questions about payment, please to the [Billing and Payments](#) website of the Student Financial Services page.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering!

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