Spring 2021 Course Registration Information for MS Robotics

Congratulations on your acceptance to the MS Robotics program at Northeastern University! At this time, we suggest that you register for Spring 2021 courses. Before registering, please make sure to read the instructions at the following link:

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

**Enrollment Confirmation:** Please make sure to confirm your enrollment at Northeastern University by logging into your application account and paying the enrollment deposit. *You will not be able to register for classes until you confirm your enrollment.*

**Setting up your myNortheastern account:** After you confirm enrollment, you will be able to utilize your myNortheastern portal. If you have not yet set up this account, then please log in to your electronic application and look for instructions at this link:

https://app.applyyourself.com/AYApplicantLogin/fl_ApplicantConnectLogin.asp?id=neu-grad

**Spring 2021 courses are available to view at the following link:**

https://wl11gp.neu.edu/udcprod8/bwlkffcs.p_disp_dyn_sched

When searching for courses at the above link, please make sure to select “Spring 2021 Semester” for the term. Then, enter the appropriate subject code (see examples below), followed by selecting “Graduate” for course level.

Example subject codes:

- ME - Mechanical Engineering
- MEIE - Mechanical and Industrial Engineering
- EECE - Electrical and Computer Engineering
- CS - Computer Science
- IE - Industrial Engineering
- DS - Data Science

**Course Registration:** We advise full-time students to register for two courses and part-time students to register for at least one course however, with the changing pandemic these guidelines may be altered. Full-time or Part-time students in the Boston area do have the option to register for NU-flex courses by taking the courses at Northeastern or synchronously online (V30). Full-time or Part-time students not in the area can register for online courses that are not synchronous (V35) or NU-flex courses by taking the courses synchronously (on-ground or synchronous). Please note that you can choose to register for any combination of your required core courses or elective during your first semester. For example, in your first term: you can either choose to take only required courses, only elective courses, or one required course and one elective course.

You will have the opportunity to meet with your Faculty Advisor (CS Robert Platt, ECE Hanumant Singh, ME Rifat Sipahi) during your program orientation. Please plan to meet with your Faculty Advisor after attending orientation to discuss your course selection for the first semester. Also note that you will be able to change your course registration (add or drop courses) using the online system during the first two weeks of the semester.
We highly recommend exploring the MS Thesis or MS Project track for your degree program as well. However, at this time, we suggest that you do not register for MS Thesis or MS Project because you must discuss and seek the approval of your Faculty Advisor before you register for these courses.

Courses Recommended by the Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, or Computer Science Faculty Advisor: You can choose to register for courses listed in your approved curriculum. Please click to see your curriculum below, and select your concentration from the left side bar:

http://catalog.northeastern.edu/graduate/engineering/mechanical-industrial/
http://catalog.northeastern.edu/graduate/engineering/electrical-computer/#text
http://catalog.northeastern.edu/graduate/computer-information-science/computer-science/#text

The following is a 2-year course plan for your program suggested by the Faculty Advisor. Deviation from this plan is accepted upon consultation with your advisor.

Computer Science:

Spring Entry:
Year 1, Spring: CS 5335 (CRN 35676 (NU-flex)), and ME 5659 (CRN 37355 (NU-flex), 32823 (V35)) or EECE 5554 (CRN 34291 (NU-flex))
Year 1, Fall: CS 5180, and ME 5250 or EECE 5550 (If you chose EECE in the Spring you must take ME and vice versa)
Year 2, Spring: Elective, Elective
Year 2, Fall: Elective, Elective

Electrical Engineering:

Spring Entry:
Year 1, Spring: EECE 5554 (CRN 34291 (NU-flex)), and CS 5335 (CRN 35676 (NU-flex)) or ME 5659 (CRN 37355 (NU-flex), 32823 (V35))
Year 1, Fall: EECE 5550 and CS 5180 or ME 5250 (If you chose CS in the Spring you must take ME and vice versa)
Year 2, Spring: Elective, Elective
Year 2, Fall: Elective, Elective

Mechanical Engineering:

Spring Entry:
Year 1, Spring: ME 5659 (CRN 37355 (NU-flex), 32823 (V35)), and CS 5335 (CRN 35676 (NU-flex)) or EECE 5554 (CRN 34291 (NU-flex))
Year 1, Fall: ME 5250 and EECE 5550 or CS 5180 (If you chose CS in the Spring you must take EECE and vice versa)
Year 2, Spring: Elective, Elective
Year 2, Fall: Elective, Elective
Frequently Asked Questions

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?

Please make sure to 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.

What if I was admitted as a Provisional or Conditional Student?

If page 2 of your Admission Letter states that you must fulfill additional requirements (such as “REQUIREMENTS: Student must take a course in Multivariate Calculus and a course in Linear Algebra before she/he is granted Regular Student status,” then you must meet with your Faculty Advisor as soon as possible after orientation to determine your Plan of Study.

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 up. When a seat opens up, you need to just log into your account and accept it within the 24-hour time limit. Also note that specific seats are reserved for incoming MS Robotics students. If a core course is marked as full, please speak with your departmental graduate coordinator.

Will I get a bill by registering for courses?

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 it. If you have questions about billing or payment, then please contact the Student Financial Services Office at studentaccounts@northeastern.edu. Please do not contact faculty members or the registrar’s office regarding billing or payment.

What if I have questions regarding choosing courses or course registration?

You will have the opportunity to meet with your Faculty Advisor, a Co-op Advisor, and an Academic Advisor during your department orientation. Please wait until you have attended the department orientation to get these questions answered.
If I have any questions, who do I reach out to?

There are departmental graduate coordinators who can support you through your programs who you can reach out to. These coordinators and their contacts are below:
- ECE: Vu Tran vu.tran@northeastern.edu
- ME: Jake Kearney j.kearney@northeastern.edu
- CS: Michelle Ormerod m.ormerod@northeastern.edu

We wish you all the best and look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

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