

REQUIRED ADVISING FOR FALL 2008 REGISTRATION

Dear First-Year EGR Student,

In just a few weeks, you will be able to register for Fall 2008 courses. Before you can register at the time assigned to you by the Registrar's Office, **you must attend a group advising meeting to remove an advising hold.** Your attendance will ensure that you receive current advising information so you can make good course choices and register successfully. Of course, you may also want to meet with an advisor one-on-one, **but you first must attend a group meeting (no exceptions!).**

To receive advising and to remove the advising hold, **you must attend ONE group advising meeting.** Note that they are organized by interest, with a special meeting for undecided students and one for students who have decided not to pursue engineering. Each meeting will last 60 minutes. After the meeting, your advising hold will be removed so that you may register at your assigned time.

These meetings are for all first-year engineering students. Each session will have the same format: (1) You will receive updated copies of the departmental curriculum guide; (2) An EGR advisor will discuss course options and highlight curriculum details that might affect your course choices; and (3) A representative of the department will explain opportunities that await you (except for undecided meetings). You will also learn about DARS (the Degree Auditing Reporting System) and we will answer as many of your questions as time allows.

Summer/Fall 2008 Group Advising Meetings

Major	Room	Date	Time	Advisor
Biomedical Engineering	1610 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	5-6 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Biomedical Engineering	1610 Engineering Hall	Thursday, April 3	6-7 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Chemical Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	6-7 pm	Beth Dawson
Chemical Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	5-6 pm	Beth Dawson
Civil Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 1	7-8 pm	Eman Zaki
Civil Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Monday, April 14	5-6 pm	Eman Zaki
Computer Engr/Electrical Engr	1800 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 1	5-6:30 pm	Eman Zaki
Computer Engr/Electrical Engr	1800 Engineering Hall	Monday, April 14	6:30-8 pm	Eman Zaki
Electrical Engr/Computer Engr	1800 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 1	5-6:30 pm	Eman Zaki
Electrical Engr/Computer Engr	1800 Engineering Hall	Monday, April 14	6:30-8 pm	Eman Zaki
Engr Mechanics/Nuclear Engr/Engr Physics	1610 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	6-7 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Engr Mechanics/Nuclear Engr/Engr Physics	1610 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	5-6 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Engr. Physics/Engr Mechanics/ Nuclear Engr	1610 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	6-7 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Engr. Physics/Engr Mechanics/ Nuclear Engr	1610 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	5-6 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Geological Engineering	2535 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	5-6 pm	Eman Zaki
Industrial Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Thursday, April 3	6-7 pm	Don Woolston
Industrial Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Wednesday, April 9	5-6 pm	Don Woolston
Materials Science & Engineering	1610 Engineering Hall	Thursday, April 3	5-6 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Materials Science & Engineering	1610 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	6-7 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Mechanical Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	5-6 pm	Beth Dawson
Mechanical Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	6-7 pm	Beth Dawson
Nuclear Engr/Engr Mechanics/Engr. Physics	1610 Engineering Hall	Monday, March 31	6-7 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Nuclear Engr/Engr Mechanics/Engr. Physics	1610 Engineering Hall	Tuesday, April 8	5-6 pm	Suzy Sandrik
Undecided, Not Engineering	1610 Engineering Hall	Monday, April 7	5-6 pm	Don Woolston
Undecided, Engineering	1800 Engineering Hall	Wednesday, April 9	6-7 pm	Don Woolston

No longer interested in engineering? At the April 7th meeting, a Cross-College advisor and an EGR advisor will help you identify courses, campus resources, and other advising opportunities to help you steer your academics toward a degree outside engineering.

After attending a group meeting, **you are welcome to make an appointment with your EGR advisor** by contacting the EGR Office, 1150 EH (262-2473, 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., M-F). That way the two of you can focus on your particular issues instead of repeating material covered at the group sessions.

Frequently Asked Questions

If I attend a student organization's advising meeting, do I still have to get more advising and get my advising hold removed?

Yes, you must follow the instructions on the front of this page. Nevertheless, we encourage you also to attend advising meetings sponsored by engineering student organizations. Peer advice is helpful!

If I'm considering other majors or programs, may I see other advisors?

Although you may seek advising outside of engineering, you must still get your advising hold removed by an EGR advisor. Therefore, if you are interested in engineering, you must attend an "Engineering" group advising meeting. If you definitely plan to transfer out of engineering, you must attend the "Undecided, not engineering" meeting.

Other questions? Or questions unrelated to registration?

As always, your EGR advisor will be glad to talk with you. Call 262-2473 or stop by 1150 Engineering Hall. Office hours are 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, M-F. If you have a quick question, you may email egradvisor@engr.wisc.edu.