As a German IEP student you will pursue two degrees simultaneously: a B.S. in an engineering discipline and a B.A. in German. You will spend a semester at the Braunschweig University of Technology in Germany, then hold a paid internship at an engineering firm in a German-speaking country. Students have previously interned at BMW, ZF, Züblin, Lufthansa Technik and others. Your German IEP advisor is Dr. Sigrid Berka (sberka@uri.edu). For more information, see http://uri.edu/iep/.

Note: The academic plan below is a sample to demonstrate one way the dual degree program may be completed in 10 semesters. It is not meant to be a replacement for academic advising. Be sure to touch base with both your language and engineering advisor regularly.

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**TERM MILESTONES**

- Overall GPA 2.00
- *Complete with "C-" or better
- Meet with UC engineering advisor - Required
- Enroll in IEP and attend IEP Orientation in Fall

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**TERM MILESTONES**

- Overall GPA 2.00
- *Complete with "C-" or better
- Meet with engineering advisor - Required
- Meet with IEP advisor - Required
- Eligible to move from UC to COE (see UC requirements)

### Year 3

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**TERM MILESTONES**

- Overall GPA 2.00
- Meet with engineering advisor - Required
- Study abroad preparation meetings with IEP advisor
- Meet with UC engineering advisor - Required
- Meet with UC engineering advisor - Required
- Study abroad preparation meetings with IEP advisor
- German Summer School or internship - Recommended
Meet with EGR advisor to complete COE Intent to Graduate form - Overall GPA 2.00

TERM MILESTONES
Semester of study at partner university abroad
Email EGR advisor to lift Spring advising hold

Year 5
TERM 9 CREDITS
CHE 303 3
MCE 401 3
MCE 414 3
Professional Elective 3
Gen Ed 3
GER 4xx 3
TOTAL CREDITS 18

TERM MILESTONES
Overall GPA 2.00
Meet with EGR advisor to complete COE Intent to Graduate form - Required
Meet with IEP advisor for credit transfers and A&S Intent to Graduate form - Required
Schedule COE Exit Interview

GENERAL EDUCATION CHECK LIST
English Communication (EC): __________________________
English Communication (Ecw): __________________________
Letters (L): __________________________
Letters (L): __________________________

SOCIAL SCIENCE (USE ECN 201): __________________________

LITERATURE (400-LEVEL GER Lit.): __________________________

FINE ARTS: __________________________

BASIC LIBERAL STUDIES (GEN ED) REQUIREMENTS (See course catalog for more detail.)

English Communications (EC): 6 credits, must include writing course (Ecw). Can only take one of the following 100-level writing courses for General Education credit: WRT 104, WRT 105, WRT 106 (Ecw).

Social Science (5): 6 credits, one course is fulfilled by ECN 201, which is already required for engineering majors. Consider opting for a second course with a global or German focus.

Letters (L): 6 credits. Consider taking a German History or Philosophy class to fulfill one of your two general education Letters requirements.

Fine Arts and Literature (A):
1. 3 credits of literature: As an IEP student the 400-level German literature course fulfills the literature portion of the Fine Arts & Literature requirement. (NOTE: This is a special exemption. If you later drop the program but keep your language major you might need to take an additional literature course.)
2. 3 credits of fine arts: You must choose from music, theater, arts selections as indicated in catalog, or seek prior-approval for a comparable course abroad. Consider taking a course with a German focus.

Note: There are additional General Education Requirements in Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning, Natural Sciences, and Foreign Language/Cross-Cultural Competence, which are fulfilled automatically through your progress toward your two degrees (B.S. in Engineering and B.A. in a Language).

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MECHANICAL ENGINEERING MAJOR (See course catalog and department website for more detail.) CHM 101, 102, 333; CVE 220; ECN 201; EGR 105, 106; ELE 220; ISE 240, 241; MCE 201, 262, 263, 301, 302, 313, 341, 348, 354, 366, 372, 401, 402, 414; MTH 141, 142, 243, 244; PHY 203, 204, 205, 273, 274, 275; three MCE professional electives (2 of which must be taken at URI) and one additional professional elective (300-, 400- or 500-level course offered by the COE, or the Dept. of: Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science & Statistics; or a 400- or 500-level mathematics course). One professional elective may be fulfilled by GER/EGR 411 with prior approval. Professional elective courses taken outside URI are subject to URI rules on transfer credit and require prior written approval.

REQUIREMENTS FOR IEP GERMAN MAJOR (See course catalog for more detail.) At least 30 credits in German, not including GER 101, 102, or 392. You must complete six credits in literature, at least three of which must be taken at the 400-level; and EGR/GER 411.
SPECIAL NOTES FOR STUDENTS IN THE INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING PROGRAM

- As a dual degree IEP student, you are a student of both the College of Arts & Sciences and the College of Engineering. Be sure to file for graduation (and any other paperwork such as a leave of absence, etc.) with the dean’s office of each college.
- You have two academic advisors—one for your language major and one for your engineering major. The German advisor for all IEP students is Dr. Sigrid Berka (sberka@uri.edu). You can check with your engineering department to find out who has been assigned as your advisor.
- Your general education requirements are determined by the College of Arts & Sciences Basic Liberal Studies Program for a Bachelor of Arts (not a B.S.). Consult the course catalog for details and verify any Gen Ed questions with your language advisor.
- As an IEP student, you are exempt from the one-course-per-discipline rule for the Letters, Natural Sciences, and Social Sciences Basic Liberal Studies Requirements of the College of Arts & Sciences. This is important to know in the event that you drop the program but still want to pursue your German major as a non-IEP student.
- You are required to complete a six-month professional internship abroad to be considered an IEP student.
- It is highly recommended that you precede your semester internship with a semester of study abroad through an IEP exchange. General education requirements, language major courses, free electives and engineering professional electives tend to be the easiest courses to find equivalents for overseas, so you might want to “hold” them for a semester abroad. Consult with your advisors and plan your semesters accordingly.

It is YOUR responsibility to stay in contact with your engineering major advisor AND your language major advisor (Dr. Berka) to make sure that you are fulfilling all requirements for both majors and your general education requirements.