

NAME: _____ UNM ID NUMBER: _____

NE CORE COURES (6 hrs)

Must be completed in the first year of the program.

Semester	Course	Title	Hours	Grade
SP	*NE 510	Nuclear Reactor Theory	3	
FA	NE 525	Methods of Analysis in Nuclear, Chemical & Biological Engineering	3	

NE 501 (6 hrs)

Required each fall and spring unless otherwise approved by NE Director of Graduate Programs. Only 6 hours can be applied to the Ph.D.

Semester	Course	Title	Hours	Grade
	NE 501	Nuclear Engineering Seminar	1	
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TECHNICAL ELECTIVES (36 hrs)

Technical Electives are chosen in consultation with the student's research/faculty advisor or NE Graduate Director. If you have taken Nuclear Reactor theory you must have a B and will need to make up those hours if you took it at the UG level.

Semester	Course	Title	Hours	Grade

NE 699 (18 hrs)

Must be completed after having passed the Comprehensive Exam. May be taken for 3-12 hrs at a time. No limit on how many times it may be taken.

Semester	Course	Title	Hours	Grade
	NE 699	Dissertation		

EXAMS & PAPERWORK

STEP ONE: Qualifying Exam	
Recommended after completing four NE courses at UNM.	
Form deadline for Fall: July 30th	
Form deadline for Spring: November 30th	
Exam date: Friday before school starts each semester	
<i>Note: Email Form to the Graduate Director and Academic Advisor</i>	
Date Complete:	
Outcome:	

STEP TWO: Announcement of Exam: Comprehensive Exam	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/gs-forms/announcement-examination.html	
Due: 2 weeks prior to exam	

STEP THREE: Comprehensive Exam	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/start-to-finish-unm/phd/comprehensive-exam.html	
Formal proposal of your research for your dissertation.	
Must be completed before the end of your 5th semester in the PhD program.	
Must complete all degree requirements within 5 years from the date the Comprehensive Exam is passed.	
Date Complete:	
Outcome:	

STEP FOUR: Application for Candidacy (AC)	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/gs-forms/application-candidacy.html	
Deadline to be APPROVED by Department	
Spring Graduation: Last day of Fall term	
Summer Graduation: Last day of Spring term	
Fall Graduation: Last day of the Summer term	
<i>Note : It is recommended that you review your AfC with an NE academic advisor before submitting it.</i>	
Date AC Approved by GS:	
Date Added to Grad List:	

STEP FIVE: Announcement of Exam: Dissertation Defense	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/gs-forms/announcement-examination.html	
Due: 2 weeks prior to exam	

STEP SIX: Defend Dissertation	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/start-to-finish-unm/phd/defend-dissertation.html	
Deadlines	
Spring Graduation: April 15th	
Summer Graduation: July 15th	
Fall Graduation: November 15th	
Date Complete:	
Outcome:	

STEP SEVEN: Format & Submit Dissertation	
https://grad.unm.edu/resources/start-to-finish-unm/phd/format-submit-dissertation.html	
Deadlines	
Spring Graduation: April 15th	
Summer Graduation: July 15th	
Fall Graduation: November 15th	