Congratulations on your acceptance to the Computer Systems Engineering program at Northeastern University!

Please remember to confirm your enrollment at Northeastern. You will not be able to preregister for classes (information below) until you confirm enrollment. You can confirm your enrollment by logging into your application account and paying the enrollment deposit.

An important part of your first term as a CSYE student is registering for the right classes. Professor Kal Bugrara, your Academic Advisor, has included his recommendations for your first term classes below. Please register as soon as you are able to ensure you have a spot in the course.

Professor Bugrara recommends you take the following classes in your first term:

1. **CSYE 6200 – Concepts of Object-Oriented Design (34827 or 37364)**

   AND

2. **One INFO or CSYE elective that does not have a prerequisite requirement**

**What if I have questions regarding choosing courses or course registration?:** You will have the opportunity to meet with your Academic Advisor, Coop team, and Student Services Advisor during your department orientation. Please wait until you have attended the department orientation to get these questions answered. If the class is full and you can’t add yourself to the waitlist then please send us an email at support@husky.desk-mail.com. For all other questions, please wait until you attend the orientation.

**How do I register?:** Please watch the following webinars for instructions on how to register using your MyNEU account:

- Course Search Webinar: [http://www.northeastern.edu/registrar/webinar-search.html](http://www.northeastern.edu/registrar/webinar-search.html)
- Course Add/Drop Webinar: [http://www.northeastern.edu/registrar/webinar-adddrop.html](http://www.northeastern.edu/registrar/webinar-adddrop.html)

**Meeting with Professor Bugrara:** You will have an opportunity to meet with Professor Bugrara, the Director of the Computer Systems Engineering program and your Academic Advisor at Orientation.

**Am I eligible for Co-op?:** You are not eligible for co-op the first two semesters of your program, during which your focus will be strictly academic. You are allowed to begin your co-op after you complete 16 semester hours. During your last semester of study (in your second year), you must be fully on campus as a Full Time student, even if you are eligible to be on co-op. According to government rules and regulations, co-op is an educational opportunity to strengthen your engineering skills --not a job pursuit.

**How do I register for the Co-op course?:** One of the requirements to becoming eligible to go on co-op is to take ENCP 6000, Career Management for Engineers. This course will be available in both the Spring and Fall terms and you will learn more about it at orientation.

**Can I take courses from other departments?:** The only other department Computer Systems Engineering students are allowed to take classes from is INFO (Information Systems). INFO is a sister program to CSYE and focuses on the space where computer engineering and business skills merge.
Courses such as Data Sciences, Business Process Engineering, and Algorithms are available to CSYE students through this program in later terms.

**Can I transfer credit from other universities?:** No. Professor Bugrara firmly believes that all 32SH should be taken within the program at Northeastern University to uphold the integrity and continuity of the program.

**What is the duration of the Computer Systems Engineering Program?:** You are required to take eight courses, for a total of 32 credits. The program takes a minimum of three semesters to complete. The typical student takes 2.5 years to complete the program, which may include an eight month Co-op.

**Is there funding or Teaching Assistant jobs available for first year students?:** Unfortunately, there are no funding options in your first year. TA positions are filled by second year students only. You are expected to be fully dedicated to achieving academic success in the first year of the program.

**Am I required to bring a laptop?:** Yes. You must bring a high-quality laptop with a minimum of 8 GB memory AND a strong (4 hour) battery life- this is **required**.

**Will I get a bill from registering?:** 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 contact the Student Financial Services office directly: [http://www.northeastern.edu/financialaid/graduate/index.html](http://www.northeastern.edu/financialaid/graduate/index.html).

**How do I get a MyNEU account?:** After you confirm your enrollment, you will be able to utilize your MyNEU portal using this link, [http://myneu.neu.edu/cp/home/displaylogin](http://myneu.neu.edu/cp/home/displaylogin). If you have not set up your MyNEU account, login to your electronic application and look for instructions to do so: [https://app.applyyourself.com/AYApplicantLogin/fl_ApplicantConnectLogin.asp?id=neu-grad](https://app.applyyourself.com/AYApplicantLogin/fl_ApplicantConnectLogin.asp?id=neu-grad)

For more information about beginning your program at Northeastern University, please read your acceptance letter in full.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Graduate School of Engineering!

Sincerely,

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