

Study with us

About your course

Courses covered

| Code | Title | UCAS Code |
|-------|---|-----------|
| EIEEN | BEng (Hons) Electrical and Electronic Engineering | H600 |

You can find full details of your course in the Programme Specification.

Important points

- The University of Hertfordshire has over 60 years' experience of teaching engineering, we
 have long-established links with the industry. Our links with businesses ensure that our
 courses are tailored to meet the needs of employers.
- Accreditation is a mark of assurance that the degree meets the standards set by the Engineering Council in the UK Standard for Professional Engineering Competence (UKSPEC). All awards on the programme have been accredited by the Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) for cohort intakes from 2012 up to and including 2024.
- Students must achieve in all 15 credit point modules, after all available attempts under the
 University regulations, a minimum of 30% (in any allowable attempt) at levels 4, 5 and 6,
 before the board of examiners will be able to consider compensation for an accredited
 honours degree. A maximum of 30 credit points can be compensated across the
 programme, in line with University regulations, and professional body requirements.
- A compensated pass cannot be awarded for the Individual Major Project, which must be included in the calculation of degree classification.
- Students have the option available to undertake additional study abroad or an industrial placement; however, students who have not achieved the minimum progression requirements at the end of level five may not be eligible to take these.

Academic Year

The University's academic year is made up of 3 Semesters. Normally most undergraduate programmes use Semesters A and B, additionally postgraduate programmes and specific undergraduate programmes use Semester C. Each of these is made up of teaching weeks followed by exams (the re-sit period falls within Semester C).

Academic Year 2023 - 2024

- Semester A runs from Monday 25 September 2023 to Friday 15 December 2023
- Semester B runs from Monday 08 January 2024 to Friday 22 Mar 2024
- Semester C runs from Monday 08 April 2024 to Friday 10 May 2024

Expected workload

In the UK, a full-time student is expected to spend 1200 hours on their studies each year. Please find below an estimate of how your time will be spent on this course during each year of study.

| | Lectures, seminars, tutorials | Independent study | Placement |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Year 1 | 36% | 64% | 0% |
| Year 2 | 34% | 66% | 0% |
| Year 3 Sandwich | 0% | 0% | 100% |
| Final Year | 21% | 79% | 0% |

Method of assessment

| | Test | Written Exam | Coursework | Practical |
|--------|------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| Year 1 | 9% | 8% | 83% | 0% |
| Year 2 | 0% | 36% | 64% | 0% |
| Year 3 | 17% | 23% | 55% | 5% |

Additional expenses

| Description | Year | Mandatory/ Optional | Estimated cost |
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| Desktop or laptop computer. Please see: https://ask.herts.ac.uk/buying-a-computer-for-uni . Having your own desktop or laptop computer to support your academic studies is highly recommended. | All years | Optional | From £400 |
| Placement year/ Study Abroad/ Combination of Study Abroad and Placement | 3 | Optional | The University does not charge tuition fees during your placement year or study abroad, but you |

| | | | may incur additional costs i.e. travel and accommodation. The exact value of these costs will depend on where your placement is located. | |
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| Texts to support curriculum | All years | Optional | Undergraduate study requires extensive reading and access to reference works. Recommended texts are available in the Learning Resource Centre either as ebooks or printed material. Please note that availability of printed material may be limited so students may wish to purchase their own copies. The average price of a recommended text is estimates at £50, although you may be able to buy second-hand copies. | |
| No additional expenses have been specified for this course. | | | | |