BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING: ACCELERATED PROGRAM, M.S.

ADMISSIONS

Please consult the table below for key information about this degree program's admissions requirements. The program may have more detailed admissions requirements, which can be found below the table or on the program's website.

Graduate admissions is a two-step process between academic programs and the Graduate School. **Applicants must meet** the minimum requirements **(**https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/requirements/**) of the Graduate School as well as the program(s).** Once you have researched the graduate program(s) you are interested in, apply online (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/).

Requirements	Detail
Fall Deadline	December 15
Spring Deadline	September 1*
Summer Deadline	December 15
GRE (Graduate Record Examinations)	Not required.
English Proficiency Test	Every applicant whose native language is not English or whose undergraduate instruction was not in English must provide an English proficiency test score and meet the Graduate School minimum requirements (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/requirements/#english-proficiency).
Other Test(s) (e.g., GMAT, MCAT)	n/a
Letters of Recommendation Required	3**

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Complete spring applications as of September 1 are guaranteed review, but domestic applicants are welcome to apply up to November 1 and will be reviewed as space is available.

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Not required for applicants with a UW–Madison Biomedical Engineering bachelor's degree.

Applicants should have a bachelor's degree in engineering (biomedical, chemical, electrical, industrial, mechanical, etc.) or science (biology, biochemistry, chemistry, genetics, immunology, physics, etc.). Each application is judged on the basis of:

- Official academic transcripts
- English Proficiency Test scores (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/requirements/#english-proficiency) (if applicable)

- Three letters of recommendation
- Statement of purpose (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/prepare/)
- Resume

All applicants must satisfy requirements that are set forth by the Graduate School (https://grad.wisc.edu/). Students admitted to the program may be required to make up deficiency course requirements.

To apply to the BME program, complete applications (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/), including supportive materials, must be submitted as described below and received by the deadline.

OFFICIAL ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT

Electronically submit one copy of your transcript of all undergraduate and previous graduate work in your online application to the Graduate School. Unofficial copies of transcripts will be accepted for review. Official copies are required after an applicant is recommended for admission. Please do not send transcripts or any other application materials to the Graduate School or the BME department unless requested. If you have questions, please contact bmegradadmission@engr.wisc.edu.

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY TEST SCORES (IF APPLICABLE)

The TOEFL is required for international students unless a degree from a U.S. educational institution is held. Scores should be sent using **institution code 1846.**

An applicant whose TOEFL (iBT) score is below 92; TOEFL (PBT) score is below 580; or IELTS score is below 7 must take an English assessment test upon arrival. Depending on the result, an applicant may need to register for recommended English as a Second Language (ESL) courses in the first semester of enrollment.

THREE LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

These letters are required from people who can accurately judge the applicant's academic performance. Letters of recommendation are submitted electronically to graduate programs through the online application. Applicants should not send any more than three letters (if more than three are sent, only the first three will be considered). See the Graduate School for FAQs (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/) regarding letters of recommendation.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

In this document, applicants should explain why they want to pursue further education in BME. See the Graduate School for more advice on how to structure a personal statement (https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/prepare/).

RESUME

Upload your resume in your application.

APPLICATION FEE

Submission must be accompanied by the one-time application fee. It is non-refundable and can be paid by credit card (Master Card or Visa) or debit/ATM. This fee cannot be waived or deferred. Fee grants are available through the Graduate School under certain conditions.