FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY

U.A. WHITAKER COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION CONCENTRATION

OVERVIEW

The U.A. Whitaker College of Engineering and the Department of Construction Management now offer a unique opportunity to earn a Master of Science in Engineering (M.S.E.) degree with a concentration in Construction in just 19 months. The new Construction concentration, launching in Fall 2020, is open to qualified working professionals who have completed a regionally accredited undergraduate degree from any U.S. college or university.



- Increase your earning and promotion potential
- A great alternative to an MBA for working professionals in construction and/or engineering careers
- ▶ This multi-discipline graduate program has no Engineering prerequisites
- Degree can be structured as thesis or non-thesis option.
- ▶ GRE requirement may be waived for applicants with minimum 3.2 GPA in upper-division coursework (last 60 credit hours) within the last seven (7) years from an accredited undergraduate degree program in Engineering or Construction Management.
- Low in-state graduate tuition fees
- ▶ Designed for individuals who want to interact with peers using state-of-the-art online instructional methods. Typically, two 3-credit courses are taken each semester (Fall, Spring, Summer)
- Learn from instructors with extensive construction and industry experience.

REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ Earned baccalaureate degree in Engineering or Construction Management, or baccalaureate degree in a closely related discipline, from a regionally accredited institution of higher learning.
 - ▶ Grade Point Average (GPA) must be of 3.0 or higher for the last 60 credits of undergraduate coursework.
- International students must have a bachelor's in engineering or a science-related field and submit TOEFL or IELTS

















CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

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TYPICAL COURSE OFFERINGS

- Both the Non-Thesis and Thesis options for the Construction concentration require completion of 10 courses, each 3 credit hours.
- ▶ Courses common to both options include Construction Management, Equipment and Methods, Comprehensive Estimating, Advanced Planning and Control, Construction Finance, Engineering/Project Management, Research Methods, and Advanced Engineering Analysis.
- The Non-Thesis Option adds courses in Construction Law and either a project or Special Topics in Engineering course
- ▶ The **Thesis Option** requires 1 and 2 level Thesis courses.

ABOUT THE M.S.E. PROGRAM

- ▶ The **Master of Science in Engineering (M.S.E.)** prepares students for leadership positions in industries working to solve some of the world's most challenging problems by applying science and technology in innovative ways.
- Besides the new Construction concentration, other concentrations are Renewable Energy Engineering and Sustainable Water Engineering.
- ▶ This 30 credit-hour degree program can be pursued on a full- or part-time basis. Classes are held either online or in the evenings for working adults.
- ▶ The program takes **fewer than two years** to complete, tuition support may be available, and the **GRE requirements can be waived** for qualified applicants.
- We offer small class sizes and opportunities for research and professional development.

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