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FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT STUDENT HANDBOOK

MSc (FHEQ LEVEL 7)

POWER ENGINEERING AND SUSTATINABLE ENERGY DEGREE PROGRAMME

SUBJECT SPECIFIC
PART TWO OF TWO
MODULE AND COURSE STRUCTURE
2025-26

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It should be noted that not every module listed in this handbook may be available every year, and changes may be made to the details of the modules. You are advised to contact the Faculty of Science and Engineering directly if you require further information.

IMPORTANT

Term Dates

The 25-26 academic year begins on 29 September 2025

Full term dates can be found here

Academic Integrity

Swansea University and the Faculty of Science of Engineering takes any form of **academic misconduct** very seriously. In order to maintain academic integrity and ensure that the quality of an Award from Swansea University is not diminished, it is important to ensure that all students are judged on their ability. No student should have an unfair advantage over another as a result of academic misconduct - whether this is in the form of **Plagiarism**, **Collusion** or **Commissioning**.

It is important that you are aware of the **guidelines** governing Academic Misconduct within the University/Faculty of Science and Engineering and the possible implications. The Faculty of Science and Engineering will not take intent into consideration and in relation to an allegation of academic misconduct - there can be no defence that the offence was committed unintentionally or accidentally.

Please ensure that you read the University webpages covering the topic – procedural guidance here and further information here. You should also read the Faculty Part One handbook fully, in particular the pages that concern Academic Misconduct/Academic Integrity.

The difference between compulsory and core modules

Compulsory modules must be **pursued** by a student.

Core modules must not only be **pursued**, but also **passed** before a student can proceed to the next level of study or qualify for an award. Failures in core modules must be redeemed.

Further information can be found under “Modular Terminology” on the following link - https://myuni.swansea.ac.uk/academic-life/academic-regulations/taught-guidance/essential-info-taught-students/your-programme-explained/

Key Programme Staff

Electronic and Electrical Engineering Programme Director	Power Engineering and Sustainable Energy Year Coordinator
Dr Augustine Egwebe	Dr Meghdad Fazeli

Supporting Your Studies

- Centre for Academic Success
- Faculty of Science and Engineering- Student Support

Supporting Your Professional Development

As a student studying MSc Power Engineering and Sustainable Energy at Swansea University, you are continuing your educational journey, which we hope will end with Engineering Council registration as a Chartered Engineer (CEng).

The Master of Science (MSc) programme Power Engineering and Sustainable Energy has been accredited by the Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) on behalf of the Engineering Council as meeting the requirements for Further Learning for registration as a Chartered Engineer (CEng). Candidates must hold a CEng-accredited BEng/BSc (Hons) undergraduate first degree to comply with full CEng registration requirements.

What this means for you is that the learning outcomes of each year of your programme of study have been carefully designed to align with Version 3 of the Engineering Council's Accreditation of Higher Education Programmes (AHEP), which forms the educational foundation for the UK Standard for Professional Engineering Competence (UK-SPEC).

The knowledge and skills you will have demonstrated by completing your programme of study are defined by achieving a set of learning outcomes distributed across the following key areas of competence:

- Science and mathematics
- Engineering analysis
- Design and innovation
- The engineer and society
- Engineering practice

To find out more about Professional Registration and what the AHEP competences are, please refer to the Engineering Council's Student Guide to Professional Registration and the Accreditation of Higher Education Programmes collated learning outcomes.

The IET – Your Professional Home for Life

As a student at Swansea University, you are privileged to be associated with one of the small groups of universities that have been selected to be Academic Partners of the IET. The most tangible benefit of this is that you can register as a student member of the IET at no cost to yourself for the duration of your study. And as a student member of the IET, you can take *full advantage* of the benefits that membership of the IET offers. These include an impressive range of services supporting *Networking*, *Professional Development*, *Learning Resources* and *Membership Benefits*. A summary of these is shown on the Get more from your partnership page.

As well as these benefits, as an Academic Partner of the IET, the University can offer you access to the IET's Graduate Advantage Scheme: that is, we will pay for your first year of full Membership of the IET,

and you can use the post-nominals MIET straight after graduation for no cost. This will be especially useful as you start to gain and evidence the UK-SPEC competences you will need to complete your IEng or CEng professional registration.

IET on Campus

IET On Campus is designed to support everyone in the Department of Electronic and Electrical Engineering with students at the heart of it. The IET gives you access to tailored practical, technical, and career-related resources and helps you to create links with industry and other universities, building a platform for you to demonstrate your skills and raise your profile. At Swansea, the local branch of IET on Campus is run by the Electrical & Electronic Engineering Society (EEESoc) and is supported by the IET South Wales Local Network.

For more information, please join EEESoc and access their social media channels.

IET Student Advisor

Dr Karin Ennser (MIET, CEng) is the *IET Student Advisor* for Swansea University. Please get in touch with her if you want to find out more about the AHEP and UKSPEC, the IET, IET student membership, IET Scholarships, Graduate Advantage, IET Communities, or opportunities to get involved with Wales Southwest Local Network as an IET young professional volunteer. He will be happy to help.

Other members of staff associated with the IET at Swansea include:

- Dr Timothy Davies (MIET, CEng)
- Dr Augustine Egwebe (MIET)
- Prof Lijie Li (FIET)
- Mr David Moody (MIET)

UK Electronics Skills Foundation

Swansea University is an academic partner of the UK Electronics Skills Foundation (UKESF). The partnership means that you can benefit from the UKESF scholarship scheme, competitions, awards, and internship programme, which connects the most capable Electronics undergraduates with leading companies in the sector.

UKESF offers opportunities for undergraduates to take advantage of an industry placement, develop their employability skills, generous financial support, and the opportunity to network with professionals in the Electronics sector. Dr Karin Ennser is the *UKESF Student Advisor* for Swansea University. Please contact her if you want to find out more.

Faculty prizes

The Faculty of Science and Engineering awards graduation prizes to the best MSc Power Engineering and Sustainable Energy student in each graduating year.

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Semester 1 Modules	Semester 2 Modules
EG-M125 Advanced Optical Materials and Devices 10 Credits Dr WC Tsoi	EG-M190 Socio-Technical Engineering 10 Credits Dr SA Rolland/Dr A Larimi CORE
EGLM00 Power Semiconductor Devices 10 Credits Prof MR Jennings	EG-M47 Business Leadership for Engineers 10 Credits Dr JE Norambuena-Contreras/Dr Z Tehrani
EGLM02 Advanced Power Electronics and Drives 10 Credits Dr Z Zhou	EGLM01 Wide band-gap Semiconductors 10 Credits Prof OJ Guy CORE
EGLM07 Power Systems with Project 10 Credits Dr M Fazeli	EGLM03 Modern Control Systems 10 Credits Dr M Monfared
EGTM71 Power Generation Systems 10 Credits Prof I Masters CORE	EGLM05 Advanced Power Systems 10 Credits Dr M Fazeli
EGTM79 Sustainability and Environmental Assessment 10 Credits Prof GTM Bunting/Mr MH Green CORE	EGLM06 Sustainable Energy and Power Electronics Laboratory 10 Credits Dr Z Zhou
Dissertation	
EG-D05 MSc Dissertation - Electrical Engineering 60 Credits Dr M Fazeli CORE	
Total 180 Credits	