



Swansea University
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FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT STUDENT HANDBOOK

MSc (FHEQ LEVEL 7)

STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING DEGREE PROGRAMME

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

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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

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Compulsory Modules

Semester 1 Modules	Semester 2 Modules
EG-M24 Advanced Structural Design 10 Credits Miss X Yin CORE	EG-M190 Socio-Technical Engineering 10 Credits Dr SA Rolland/Dr A Larimi CORE
EG-M346 Construction Methods & Temporary Works Coordination 20 Credits Prof C Li	EG-M344 Structural Mechanics III 10 Credits Prof Y Feng CORE
EGIM07 Dynamics and Earthquake Analysis of Structures 10 Credits Prof Y Feng CORE	EG-M47 Business Leadership for Engineers 10 Credits Dr JE Norambuena-Contreras/Dr Z Tehrani CORE
EGTM79 Sustainability and Environmental Assessment 10 Credits Prof GTM Bunting/Mr MH Green CORE	EG-M52 Strategic Engineering Management 10 Credits Dr CAC Wood/Mr LI Hamilton CORE
	EGEM00 Transportation Engineering 10 Credits Dr Y Hou CORE
	EGIM08 Plasticity in Structural and Geotechnical Engineering 10 Credits Prof D Peric CORE
Dissertation	
EG-D12 MSc Dissertation. Structural Engineering 60 Credits Dr J Clancy CORE	
Total 180 Credits	

Optional Modules

Choose exactly 10 credits

Swansea University Civil BEng Graduates, and any other students with a high level of past taught experience of Finite Element Analysis should select EG-M23. Students without a high level of past taught experience of Finite Element Analysis should select EG-M92

EG-M23	Finite Element Computational Analysis	Prof R Sevilla	TB1	10
EG-M92	Finite Elements for Civil Engineers	Prof EA De Souza Neto	TB1	10