University of Idaho

B.S. Physics - Applied Physics Emphasis Four-Year Sample Curriculum (starting in an even-numbered year)

First Year - Fall Semester			
	Course	Credit	
	Writing and Rhetoric I	3	
MATH 143	College Algebra	3	
MATH 144	Analytic Trigonometry	1	
PHYS 200	Physics Seminar	1	
	Oral Communication Elective	2	
	Humanties Elective	2	
	Humanties Elective	3	
	Total Credits	15	
Secon	d Year - Fall Semester		
	Course	Credit	
CHEM 111	General Chemistry I	3	
CHEM 111L	General Chemistry I Lab	1	
MATH 175	Calculus II	4	
PHYS 212	Engineering Physics II	3	
PHYS 212L	Engineering Physics II Lab	1	
	Social Science Elective	3	
	Total Credits	15	
Third	d Year - Fall Semester		
	Course	Credit	
MATH 310	Ordinary Differential Equations	3	
PHYS 305	Modern Physics	3	
PHYS 321	Analytical Mechanics	3	
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3	
	Social Science Elective	3	
	Total Credits	15	
Fourth	Year - Fall Semester		
	Course	Credit	
PHYS 371	Mathematical Physics	3	
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3	
PHYS 341	Electromagnetic Fields	3	
PHYS 490	Research	2	
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3	
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3	
	Total Credits	17	

First Year - Spring Semester					
Course			Credit		
CS	120	Computer Science I	4		
ENGL	102	Writing and Retoric II	3		
MATH	170	Calculus I	4		
PHYS	211	Engineering Physics I	3		
PHYS	211L	Engineering Physics I Lab	1		
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Seco	Second Year - Spring Semester				
Course		Credit			
CHEM	112	General Chemistry II	3		
CHEM	112L	General Chemistry II Lab	2		
MATH	275	Calculus III	3		
PHYS	213	Engineering Physics III	3		
		American Diversity Course	3		
		Social Science Elective	1		
		Total Credits	15		

Third Year - Spring Semester				
Course		Credit		
MATH 330	Linear Algebra	3		
PHYS 351	Introductory Quantum Mechanics I	3		
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3		
	ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3		
	International Course	3		
	Total Credits	15		

Fourth Year - Spring Semester			
	Course		Credit
		ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3
PHYS	411	Advanced Physics Lab	4
PHYS	490	Research	1
PHYS	492	Senior Research	1
		ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3
		ENGINEERING/PHYS Elective	3
		Total Credits	15