University of Idaho

B.S. Physics - General Emphasis

(starting in an odd-numbered year)

First Year - Fall Semester			
	Course		Credit
ENGL	101	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	3
		Elective	2
		Total Credits	15

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
		Total Credits	15

Second Year - Fall Semester			
	Course		
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	

Second Year - Spring Semester		
	Course	
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
	Elective	1
	Total Credits	15

Third Year - Fall Semester			
	Course		Credit
MATH	310	Ordinary Differential Equations	3
PHYS	305	Modern Physics	3
PHYS	341	Electromagnetic Fields	3
		400-level Physics Elective	3
		Elective	3
		Total Credits	15

Third Year - Spring Semester			
	Course		Credit
MATH	330	Linear Algebra	3
PHYS	333	Statistical Thermodynamics	3
PHYS	342	Electromagnetic Fields II	3
PHYS	411	Advanced Physics Lab	4
		Social Science Elective	3
		Total Credits	16

Fourth Year - Fall Semester		
	Course	
PHYS 321	Analytical Mechanics	3
PHYS 371	Mathematical Physics	3
PHYS 400	Seminar	1
	400-level Physics Elective	3
	International Elective	3
	Elective	3
	Total Credits	16

Fourth Year - Spring Semester		
	Course	
PHYS 351	Introductory Quantum Mechani	3
PHYS 400	Seminar	1
	400-level Physics Elective	3
	400-level Physics Elective	2
	Senior Experience Course	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Total Credits	15

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