The Surveying stream is full time and extends over four years. This stream aims to prepare a graduate for a broad range of career opportunities in the various branches of Surveying and the numerous Spatial Information disciplines. To this end the stream covers general scientific and IT principles, as well as specialised Surveying and Spatial Information topics. Specialisation is provided for through the provision of elective courses offered in the third and fourth years of the program and the choice of a targeted final year thesis project often aligned with an external industry partner.

The degree of BE in Surveying is recognised by the Board of Surveying and Spatial Information of New South Wales as meeting the requirements for entry as a candidate to become a Registered Surveyor. The degree is also recognised by the Institution of Surveyors, New South Wales, the Spatial Sciences Institute and Engineers Australia, for admission as corporate members.

Suggestions for course sequences consistent with timetabling and availability can be found on the School website. The timing of the general education courses and elective courses may be modified to optimize the student's choice of courses. While some courses are given twice a year, many courses are given only once a year. In addition, courses may have prerequisites and exclusions. Thus students should plan their enrolments appropriately.

The day to day administration of the stream is conducted through the School of Civil & Environmental Engineering, to which inquiries should be directed.
**Faculty**
Faculty of Engineering

**School**
School of Civil and Environmental Engineering

**Study Level**
Undergraduate

**Minimum Units of Credit**
168

**Specialisation Type**
Honours
Available in Program(s)

Program(s) in which this honours is available

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - BE (Hons)

3707 Engineering (Honours)

Faculty: Faculty of Engineering
Campus: Kensington
Units of Credit: 192
Typical Duration: 4 Years
**Specialisation Structure**

Students must complete 168 UOC.

**Level 1 Core Courses**

Students must take 36 UOC of the following courses.

- **ENGG1000 | 6 UOC**  
  Introduction to Engineering Design and Innovation

- **ENGG1811 | 6 UOC**  
  Computing for Engineers

- **GMAT1110 | 6 UOC**  
  Surveying and Geospatial Engineering

One of the following:
- **MATH1131 | 6 UOC**  
  Mathematics 1A

- **MATH1141 | 6 UOC**  
  Higher Mathematics 1A

One of the following:
- **MATH1231 | 6 UOC**  
  Mathematics 1B

- **MATH1241 | 6 UOC**  
  Higher Mathematics 1B

One of the following:
- **PHYS1121 | 6 UOC**  
  Physics 1A

- **PHYS1131 | 6 UOC**  
  Higher Physics 1A
# Level 2 Core Courses

Students must take 48 UOC of the following courses.

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# Level 3 Core Courses

Students must take 48 UOC of the following courses.
CVEN3101 | 6 UOC
Engineering Operations and Control

CVEN3501 | 6 UOC
Water Resources Engineering

GMAT3100 | 6 UOC
Surveying Applications and Design

GMAT3150 | 6 UOC
Surveying Field Projects

GMAT3220 | 6 UOC
Geospatial Information Systems

GMAT3420 | 6 UOC
Cadastral Surveying and Land Law

GMAT3500 | 6 UOC
Remote Sensing and Photogrammetry

GMAT3700 | 6 UOC
Geodetic Positioning and Applications

**Level 4 Core Courses**

Students must take 18 UOC of the following courses.

CVEN4050 | 6 UOC
Thesis A

CVEN4051 | 6 UOC
Thesis B

CVEN4951 | 4 UOC
Research Thesis A
Students must take at least 6 UOC of the following courses. Students who wish to take any courses outside of this list need to get approval from the Program Authority.

**CVEN4800** | 6 UOC  
Satellite Remote Sensing and Applications

**ENGG3001** | 6 UOC  
Fundamentals of Humanitarian Engineering

**ENGG4060** | 6 UOC  
Student Initiated Project

**ENGG4102** | 6 UOC  
Humanitarian Engineering Project

**GEOS3911** | 6 UOC  
Environmental Impact Assessment

**GMAT4220** | 6 UOC  
Geospatial Information Science

**GMAT4400** | 6 UOC  
Land Management Project

**GMAT4450** | 6 UOC
Land Management and Development Project 2

GMAT4900 | 6 UOC
Principles of GPS Positioning

GMAT9600 | 6 UOC
Principles of Remote Sensing

MINE2010 | 6 UOC
Mining Project Development

**Level 1 Prescribed Electives**

Students must take at least 12 UOC of the following courses.

ENGG1300 excludes CVEN1300, MINE1300, and MMAN1300.

CHEM1031 and CHEM1041 will only be available to students enrolled in a program which has a Chemistry major.

BABS1201 | 6 UOC
Molecules, Cells and Genes

BIOM1010 | 6 UOC
Engineering in Medicine and Biology

BIOS1301 | 6 UOC
Ecology, Sustainability and Environmental Science

CEIC1000 | 6 UOC
Sustainable Product Engineering and Design

CHEM1011 | 6 UOC
Chemistry 1A: Atoms, Molecules and Energy

CHEM1021 | 6 UOC
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Fundamentals of Geology

GMAT1110 | 6 UOC
Surveying and Geospatial Engineering

MATH1081 | 6 UOC
Discrete Mathematics

MATS1101 | 6 UOC
Engineering Materials and Chemistry

MINE1010 | 6 UOC
Mineral Resources Engineering

PHYS1231 | 6 UOC
Higher Physics 1B

PSYC1001 | 6 UOC
Psychology 1A

SOLA1070 | 6 UOC
Sustainable Energy

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