

# Nanoscience and Engineering Certificate

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Advances in nanoscience and nanotechnology (the ability to predict, create, and design with nanoscale materials and systems) have led to revolutionary changes in industrial practice. Strength in nanoscience and nanotechnology has been identified as a key to the nation's future competitiveness and prosperity and strategic plans have been developed to accelerate research and development, encourage knowledge transfer to spur economic growth, and expand educational programs, all in a socially and environmentally responsible and sustainable manner.

This certificate program requires 15 credits, described as follows.

ENGR 0240 Nanotechnology and Nan-Engineering  
PHYS 1375 Foundations of Nanoscience  
PHYS 1903 Directed Research