

Course Work

(1st-2nd Year)

Depending on your degree, you must complete the following credit hours of graduate level course work:

CSIS PhD Coursework (1-2 Years)

- 30 credit hours of graduate-level (5000-level or above) coursework.
- Up to 6 credit hours of 7000-level Independent Study under supervision of a CSE faculty research advisor is allowed/recommended.

EAS PhD Coursework (1-2 Years)

- 30 credit hours of graduate-level (5000-level or above) coursework.
- 12 credit hours of the total 30 **must** be from a secondary (non-Computer Science) area.
- 2 Semesters of Engineering Seminar (0.5 credits/semester will not be counted towards the 30 hours of required coursework).
- Must include 3 credit hours of 7000-level Independent Study under supervision of a CSE faculty research advisor.

While you are completing your coursework, you can take your Preliminary Exams.

You may not begin dissertation credits until you have completed your required coursework.