

# SNAPSHOT

**DEPARTMENT OF** 

# **ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING**





Our faculty, staff and students work collaboratively to address some of society's most complex technological challenges, and we are globally known for our innovative research advances. Our diverse faculty—more than a quarter of whom are women—are leaders or affiliates of several research centers and institutes at UW-Madison. Their innovations make

an impact in areas ranging from energy sustainability and advanced materials and design to machine learning in healthcare. And in the past eight years alone, ECE faculty have received 188 patents and disclosed nearly 300 inventions.



Students at every stage of their educational career benefit from engaging classroom experiences with exceptional instructors; state-of-the-art instructional, lab and design spaces; and opportunities to conduct

research. Our faculty members have earned prestigious honors for their teaching excellence including Chancellor's Distinguished teaching Awards and national/international teaching recognitions from the IEEE Education Society.



As a large department in the College of Engineering, we have grown an alumni base of over 13,000 ECE Badgers. Whether

overseeing Qualcomm's technical roadmaps for wireless chipsets, creating new technologies that enable deaf and hard-of-hearing people to communicate, serving as the first woman president of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society, or leading as CEO of Rockwell Automation, our alumni have made extraordinary contributions to the lives of people throughout the world.

#### STUDENT ENROLLMENT

# NATIONAL PUBLIC RANKING according to U.S. News & World Report

494\*
UNDERGRADUATE

Electrical engineering

211
GRADUATE
Electrical & computer
engineering

605\*

Computer engineering

174

PHD Electrical & computer engineering Electrical engineering

15<sup>th</sup>

**UNDERGRADUATE** 

9th GRADUATE Computer engineering

10<sup>th</sup>

UNDERGRADUATE

9th

## BS

- · Computer Engineering
- Computer Engineering: Machine Learning and Data Science
- Electrical Engineering
- Electrical Engineering: Machine Learning and Data Science

# PhD

 Electrical and Computer Engineering

## MS

- Electrical and Computer Engineering: Research
- Electrical and Computer Engineering: Machine Learning and Signal Processing (accelerated 12-16 month program)
- Electrical and Computer Engineering: Professional (accelerated 12–16 month program)
- Electrical and Computer Engineering: Power Engineering (online)

\$76K+

UNDERGRADUATE Electrical engineering

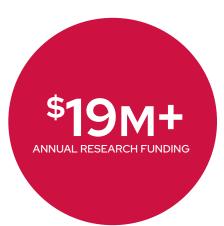
\$94K+

UNDERGRADUATE
Computer engineering



Undergraduates placed in a job or post-graduate studies within a year of graduation

\*approximate per year



## **ACCOMPLISHED FACULTY**

34

National Science Foundation CAREER Award recipients 3

Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers (PECASE) recipients 33
Fellows of IEEE and

other societies

## RESEARCH FACILITIES

## **RESEARCH AREAS**

Applied Electromagnetics and Acoustics

Communications, Networks, Privacy and Security

Computer Systems and Architecture

Plasma Science and Fusion Energy

Machine Learning, Signal Processing, and Information Theory

Solid-state Electronics and Quantum Technologies

**Optics and Photonics** 

**Energy Systems** 

**Optimization and Control** 

## HSX - Helically Symmetric eXperiment

Materials Research Science and Engineering Center

Wisconsin Centers for Nanoscale Technology

- Nanoscale Fabrication Center
- Soft Materials Characterization Lab
- Nanoscale Imaging and Analysis Center

Wisconsin Electric Machines and Power Electronics Consortium (WEMPEC)

Wisconsin Energy Institute

Wisconsin Institute for Discovery

Power Systems Engineering Research Center

Center for High Throughput Computing

Wide-Bandgap Materials and Devices Lab with III-Nitride MOCVD Reactor

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