

This is not an official list of degree requirements. Adjustments may be required due to curriculum changes.

BS in Applied Geophysics 2021-2022 (Minimum of 128 Credits)

Geology Approved Electives (Minimum of 6 credits)

Geo Approved Electives can be any GE, PH, MA, or EE course 3000 level or above that is not already required or counted elsewhere.

Second Degree Policy: Candidates for a second degree must meet all the coursework requirements for the major in the second degree with a minimum of 25% of the credit hours required for the degree, beyond the primary degree.

BS Applied Geophysics Curriculum Overview (128 Total Credits)

General Education & Free Electives

- Chemistry
- Physics & Geophysics Fundamentals
- Calculus, Statistics, & Economic Analysis
- Physical Geology, Mineralogy, Petrology, Historical, Structure & Depositional Systems
- Computational Geosciences & Geology Electives
- Field Geology & Geophysics
- Advanced Geophysics Electives



Advanced Geophysics Electives			General Education Requirements
Course Title	Offered	Prerequisite(s)	(https://www.mtu.edu/registrar/pdfs/core-and-hass-list-20-21.pdf) I. Core Courses (6 Credits) UN 1015 UN 1025* * Or one semester of a 3000 level or higher modern language.
GE 4250 Fundamentals of Remote Sensing	Spring	PH 2200, MA 2160	
GE 4500 Plate Tectonics and Global Geophysics	Fall	GE 2000, PH 2200, MA 3160	II. Sophomore Core Courses (6 Credits) Creative and Critical Thinking (HU/FA) Social Responsibility and Ethical Reasoning (SS)
GE 4530 Planetary Geology and Geophysics	Fall	GE 2000, PH 2200, MA 2160	III. Hass Course Requirements (12 Credits) (https://www.mtu.edu/registrar/pdfs/core-and-hass-list-20-21.pdf)
GE 4560 Earthquake Seismology	Fall	GE 3050, PH 2100, MA 3160	 6 credits 3000- or 4000- level 3 credits required from each of these 3 lists: Communication and Composition, Humanities and Fine Arts (HU/FA), and Social and Behavioral Sciences (EC/PSY/SS) No more than 3 credits on the Restricted HASS List A. 6 credits 3000- or 4000- level: 2
GE 4600 Reflection Seismology	Spring	GE 3040	
GE 4610 Formation Eval. & Petroleum Engineering	Fall/Spring		
GE 4933 Special Topics in Geophysics*	On Demand		
GE 4962 Ind. Geophysics Research Project**	On Demand		The co-curricular requirement consists of three semester units of physical education activities. These units are required for graduation, but are not included in the overall degree-credit requirement.
* GE 4610 Restrictions: Permission of instructor required **GE 4962 Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Classes: Freshman, Sophomore			Note: Most physical education activities will last for 7 ½ weeks or ½ semester. A student would need six of these ½-semester units to fulfill the 3-semester unit co-curricular requirement. PE PE PE
Note: With approval of Advisor and Department Chair, exceptions may be granted for Advanced Geophysics Elective requirements.			PE PE PE