The School of Engineering Curriculum Committee met 6 times during the 2005-2006 school year, and acted upon and approved the following requests for action:

1. **New Course:** *Computer Science 167: Computational Biology.*
2. **Revision of Musical Instrument Design Minor** to add more options for required courses.
3. **Revision of Bachelor of Science in Computer Science in Engineering Program** to satisfy ABET requirements for CAC accreditation. All other accredited programs in Engineering are accredited through the Engineering Accreditation Commission (EAC). To apply for accreditation, the BSCS degree must conform instead to Computing Accreditation Commission (CAC) guidelines. This required a substantive revision that included changes to requirements that were previously standard for all Engineering students, including a change from 6 to 10 humanities courses and a specific requirement for an ethics/professional practice course such as Ethics 24 or Civil and Environmental Engineering 84. This change takes effect for the class of 2010.
4. **Revision of Computing requirement for all Engineering students,** including expanding En1 from ½ credit to one full credit, offering En2 in Fall and En1 in spring, and eliminating one of two elective freshman ½ courses. This request was created by the Task Force on Undergraduate Engineering Education, as part of a general revamping of the common core curriculum for all Engineering students. The request takes effect for the class of 2011 after a one-year development period for the new EN1.
5. **Revision of the Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering degree,** with substantive course changes to streamline the program starting with the class of 2010.

Of these requests, 1-3 have already been approved by the faculty of the School of Engineering, and 4-5 are scheduled for discussion and potential vote at the May 10, 2006 School of Engineering faculty meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

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