



University of Nevada Reno, Graduate Program of Hydrologic Sciences
ACCELERATED BS/MS PROGRAM APPLICATION

An Accelerated BS/MS Program encourages outstanding students in the BS Civil Engineering, BS Environmental Engineering, and BS Ecohydrology undergraduate degrees to obtain a MS degree in Hydrology or Hydrogeology in a shorter time at the University of Nevada, Reno. A student can obtain either a Plan A (Thesis) or Plan B (non-thesis) MS degree. Students apply for the Accelerated Program after completing at least 75 credits towards their BS degree with a 3.2 GPA (only UNR courses are included in the GPA calculation). This will typically occur during the spring of their junior year. It is best to apply one month in advance of course registration, therefore by October 15 and March 1 for spring and fall semester entry, respectively. As part of the admission process, a student must select a faculty advisor for their graduate degree (see www.hydro.unr.edu for a list of faculty in the Graduate Program of Hydrologic Sciences (GPHS)). Students should contact their academic faculty advisor or the GPHS Director for details.

Student Information

 Last Name First Name Middle Name Student ID (Net ID Number)

 Email Address Student Signature Date

 Local Mailing Address and Phone Number (include area code)

Courses Proposed to be Taken for both Undergraduate and Graduate Degrees (up to 12 credits; at least 3 courses)

See next page for a list of eligible courses. Note: 600 level courses must be approved by the Graduate School.

- 1) Course Prefix and Number: _____ Course Title: _____
 Term to be taken: _____
- 2) Course Prefix and Number: _____ Course Title: _____
 Term to be taken: _____
- 3) Course Prefix and Number: _____ Course Title: _____
 Term to be taken: _____
- 4) Course Prefix and Number: _____ Course Title: _____
 Term to be taken: _____

If courses change, this form must be resubmitted. Check this box if this is a resubmission.

Undergraduate Degree

 Major No. of Credits toward Degree Completed GPA in those Credits

 Name and Signature of Current Undergraduate Advisor Date

Graduate Degree

 Major

 Name and Signature of Future Graduate Advisor Date

College Approval (College of Engineering or College of Agriculture, Biotechnology, and Natural Resources)

Student Meets GPA and Course Requirements: **Yes** **No** _____
 (Completed by Dean's Office Representative)

 Name and Signature, Dean Date

 Name and Signature, Director, Graduate Program of Hydrologic Sciences Date

Note: During their senior year, student will apply for admission to the Graduate School. The student must meet all requirements of the Graduate School and the Graduate Program of Hydrologic Sciences (see [ww.hydro.unr.edu](http://www.hydro.unr.edu) for details). This includes GPA and GRE requirements. Only 12 credits of graduate work completed before entering the Graduate School can count towards a graduate degree.



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Courses eligible for counting for Undergraduate and Graduate degrees:

CEE 604	3 credits	Open Channel Flow
CEE 618	3 credits	Principles of Water Quality Modeling
CEE 653	3 credits	Environmental Microbiology
CEE 658	3 credits	Environmental Chemistry Concepts and Design
*GE 684	3 credits	Groundwater Hydrology
GE 685	4 credits	Waste Containment
*GEOL 616	3 credits	Environmental Geochemistry
*GEOL/NRES 614	3 credits	Hydrologic Fluid Dynamics
*NRES 682	4 credits	Small Watershed Hydrology

Asterisk (*) denotes required courses for the MS degree in Hydrology or Hydrogeology. All other courses are on elective pick lists for the degree, but only one course is required from the pick lists.