

# CSE M.S. Degree Plan of Study Cover Sheet

Please complete the top portion and submit to the CSE graduate administrator with your signed UConn Graduate School M.S. plan of study form.

Name: _____	Student ID: _____
Master's Program: <input type="checkbox"/> Plan A (thesis) or <input type="checkbox"/> Plan B (non-thesis)	
Semester of admission: <input type="checkbox"/> Fall or <input type="checkbox"/> Spring, year: _____	

- **M.S. Plan A (thesis) program requirements:**

- At least 21 credits of graduate level courses (excluding thesis research credits), reflecting a weighted GPA of 3.0 or better.
- At least 9 credits of CSE graduate courses other than CSE5097, CSE5099, and CSE5600.
- Successful completion, with a grade of B- or above, of CSE5050 or CSE5500 (Algorithms). (See note below regarding CSE3500.)
- At most 6 credits, in total, of CSE5099, CSE5097, and CSE5600.
- At most 3 credits of CSE5097.
- At most 3 credits of GRAD5930.
- At least 9 credits of GRAD5950 Master's Thesis Research.

- **M.S. Plan B (non-thesis) program requirements:**

- At least 30 credits of graduate level courses, reflecting a weighted GPA of 3.0 or better.
- At least 18 credits of CSE graduate courses other than CSE5097, CSE5099, and CSE5600.
- Successful completion, with a grade of B- or above, of CSE5050 or CSE5500 (Algorithms). (See note below regarding CSE3500.)
- At most 6 credits, in total, of CSE5097, CSE5099, and CSE5600.
- At most 3 credits of CSE5097.
- At most 3 credits of GRAD5930.

## Remarks on M.S. Programs.

- At the discretion of the student's advisor, up to six credits of advanced undergraduate CSE coursework may be counted as graduate credits towards the degree. Note, however, that while these credits may be counted toward the degree, such courses do not count as "CSE graduate courses" for the purposes of the requirements above. CSE3500 may not be counted towards the degree.
- CSE3500 may be used to satisfy the algorithms requirement (rather than CSE5050 or CSE5500); however, as noted above, the credits for CSE3500 may not be used towards the degree.
- At the discretion of the student's advisor, successful completion of a 3-credit graduate independent study with significant algorithmic content may replace the requirement for CSE5050/CSE5500.

CSE graduate administration approval: _____
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**Effective date.** These requirements apply to students commencing graduate studies in the Fall semester, 2018, or later. Earlier program requirements are available on the CSE website.