ECE Admission Requirements
For students gaining 300-level ECE course admission FALL 2017

Terms of Admission & Deadlines
- Fall admission only
- Application deadline is April 15
- If not a current PSU student apply first to PSU (www.pdx.edu/admissions/)
- ECE application is on the ECE website (https://portlandstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5dKJMZuFl5EFWWp)

Students Should:
- Plan to complete all required/shaded freshmen and sophomore classes on the Electrical Engineering or Computer Engineering blue sheet/course plan prior to admission
- Earn a C or above (not C-) in each required/shaded course, and a 2.25 or higher Selective Admission GPA

Admission
- Selective GPA is calculated from shaded/required classes (excluding Freshmen Inquiry or, for transfers, WR 121 and COMM 220)
- All students with a Selective Admission GPA of 3.0 will be admitted
- Students with a selective GPA below 3.0 will be reviewed by committee on a case by case basis for remaining spots

Required classes
- Preferred that all required/shaded classes be completed prior to first term of admission, however:
  - EE students may be admitted without up to 4 of the following: ECE101, CH 221/227, ECE 223, ECE 271, COMM 220 (transfers only)
  - CMPE students may be admitted without up to 5 of the following: CH 221/227, CS 163, ECE 271, PH 213/223 and PH 216, MTH 256, COMM 220 (transfers only)
- Students missing the required courses listed above (but no more) are admitted on a conditional basis (complete missing courses within one academic year while maintaining 3.0 technical GPA and no grades below C). View CH 221/227 as less important than the ECE, CS, and MTH courses.
- No limit to the number of required/shaded courses that may be in progress at the time of application or during summer

Repeated Classes
- Standard PSU repeat/replace policy applies to Selective Admission GPA:
  - If a student earned a D+ or below in a class the first time, then only the repeated (second) grade will be used in the Selective GPA calculation
  - If a student earned a C- or above in a class the first time, then both the first grade and the second (repeated) grade will be used in the Selective GPA calculation
- Should a class be taken a third time it does not replace the second attempt regardless of either grade

**Additional testing/bridge classes**
- All students must complete an ECE entrance exam (link on ECE website) prior to application deadline (April 15)
- No bridge class required

**Pass/No Pass**
- Required/shaded classes must be taken for a grade (not P/NP)
- No GPA penalty for a Pass or No Pass (but the course does not count and must be repeated for a grade)

**Additional Information (exceptions, preferences, etc.)**
- No preference given to PSU students versus students who completed required/shaded courses elsewhere

**Department Communication**
- Fall 2018 admission requirements available spring 2017 (in time for fall 2017 registration which occurs in May 2017)