What Can I Do With This **Ohio State** Major?

Bachelor of Science

Materials Science & Engineering

College of Engineering

The materials science and engineering (MSE) program at Ohio State is designed to train engineers to design, process, characterize, and manufacture all of the materials used today as well as those yet to be developed. Materials scientists and engineers are experts in the performance, specification, and manufacture of metals, ceramics, semiconductors, plastics, and composites. They must have broad knowledge of a variety of scientific and engineering fields to be competitive. The MSE program enjoys an international reputation and places its graduates in every facet of industry and academia. Students in MSE may focus their studies on ceramics, metallurgy, biomaterials, polymers, and electronic materials.

Career Areas/Job Titles:

Management and Industry

General Manager
Site Manager
Project Coordinator
Quality Control Auditor

Consultant

Science and Technology

Ceramic Engineer
Composite Engineer
Metallurgical Engineer
Plastics Engineers
Semiconductor Process

Engineer

Materials Laboratory Scientist

Product Developer

Education
Professor
Researcher

*Some careers may require licensure, certification, or further education. Talk to an advisor about specific requirements.

Transferable Skills:

Engineering Fundamentals Mathematic Skills

Physics Foundation

Provide/Respond to Feedback

Speaking Effectively

Use Technology Effectively

Written Communication Social Perceptiveness

Teaching/Instructing Others

Teamwork

Conceptualization

Developing Evaluation

Strategies

Experimental Design

Forecasting/Predicting

Research Skills

Attention to Detail

Judgment & Decision Making

Administrative Skills
Organization Skills

Prioritizing Tasks

Strategic Planning/Visioning Creating Innovative Solutions

Quantitative Reasoning

Data Analysis

Analytical/Critical Thinking

Problem Solving

*This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here: http://ccss.osu.edu

Professional Links:

The Materials Research Society: www.mrs.org

The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society: www.tms.org

ASM International: www.asminternational.org/portal/site/www/

OSU Engineering Project Teams: http://engineering.osu.edu/studentprojects/index.php

American Chemical Society: http://portal.acs.org/portal/acs/corg/content