

To: The Engineering Faculty

From: The Faculty of Mechanical Engineering

RE: Thesis option added to ME Online Master's Degree

The Faculty of Mechanical Engineering has approved the addition of a thesis option to ME's online Master's Degree program. This action is now submitted to the Engineering Faculty with a recommendation for approval.

Description: Online Master's thesis students will be required to take 21 credits of coursework and at least 9 credits of online thesis research, under the newly created online research course number ENGR 69810.

Reason: Mechanical Engineering does not currently have an official online Master's thesis program, and it has been requested by current sponsors and prospective students.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Edward Spoll", is written above a horizontal line.

ME Department Head