



COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Mechanical Engineering Technology

UMaine's ADVANTAGE

- MET graduates sought after by New England companies (100 percent job placement)
- Hands-on experience on real-world projects from athletic shoes to robotics to jet engines
- Focus on green technology
- Team-based capstone public service project

WHY STUDY MECHANICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY AT UMAINE?

If you like solving puzzles or problems and hands on learning, a career in Mechanical Engineering Technology might be right for you. Mechanical Engineering Technology classes combine applied engineering with extensive laboratory experience. The MET program is a broad field which prepares students to work with industry designing and developing new and innovative products. Mechanical engineering technology graduates are involved in every process, from designing delicate tools, to working on huge ship and jet engine parts, to operation and maintenance of industrial equipment.

UMaine School of Engineering Technology has a nearly 100 percent job placement rate within six months of graduation. A wide range of New England companies know our graduates have excellent professional and technical skills, making the degree desirable and valuable. Advancement opportunities are excellent.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MECHANICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY DEGREE?

Mechanical Engineering Technology graduates work in a variety of fields, including product development, design, testing, manufacturing, operation and maintenance, marketing, sales and administration. Our graduates make our society "greener" and energy efficient, keep our families and workers safe and healthy, bring products from athletic shoes to robots to market, and build the latest Navy ships and assembly lines. Starting salaries for Engineering Technology graduates average \$52,000 annually.

OPPORTUNITIES TO EXCEL

All graduates design and fabricate a team-based capstone public service project such as bicycle-powered water filters, a portable wind turbine for backcountry aid workers, and restoring a 100-year-old log hauling engine at a local museum.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Several scholarships are available in the program, including a \$5000 renewable Dearborn Foundation, Manufacturer's Association of Maine, and ASHRAE scholarships (applications on campus). In addition, students have a high success rate in applying for numerous national and state society scholarships.

OUR FACULTY

Our faculty have years of experience in private practice and bring their practical experience into the classroom. All faculty are licensed as professional engineers.

NEBHE PROGRAM

Applicants to this program who reside in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont or Rhode Island are eligible for reduced tuition (in-state plus 50 percent) under the New England Regional Student Program, administered through the New England Board of Higher Education (nebhe.org).

THE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

Engineering Technology education is project-oriented and practical. If you're interested in learning the applied aspects of science so that you're ready to enter the workforce,

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ABOUT UMAINE

The University of Maine, founded in Orono in 1865, is the state's premier public university. It is among the most comprehensive higher education institutions in the Northeast and attracts students from across the U.S. and more than 73 countries. It currently enrolls 11,286 total undergraduate and graduate students who can directly participate in groundbreaking research working with world-class scholars. The University of Maine offers doctoral degrees in 35 fields, representing the humanities, sciences, engineering and education; master's degrees in roughly 70 disciplines; 90 undergraduate majors and academic programs; and one of the oldest and most prestigious honors programs in the U.S. The university promotes environmental stewardship on its campus, with substantial efforts aimed at conserving energy, recycling and adhering to green building standards in new construction. For more information about UMaine, visit umaine.edu.



All graduates design and fabricate a team-based capstone public service project. Students shown are working on modified wheelchairs.

Engineering Technology may be the right choice for you. UMaine's program is tied closely to industry and professional practice in New England, and students gain hands-on experience in the field. Graduates often receive job offers from the companies they worked with as students.

HOW DO I APPLY?

Visit go.umaine.edu for an application, as well as information about academics and life at UMaine.

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*Bachelor of Science in
Mechanical Engineering
Technology*

*Minors in
Electrical Engineering Technology*

*Renewable Energy Science
and Technology*

Business



The MET program gave me a tremendous knowledge base which I used to pursue a career in energy efficiency. I have always been passionate about the efficient use of energy, resources, and time! The MET program prepared me very well in many ways."

— Elizabeth L. Crabtree, Business Program Manager, Efficiency Maine



The Mechanical Engineering Technology Program is accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET, <https://www.abet.org>.

