

Conducting Degree Evaluations in Howdy

Updated: July 2016

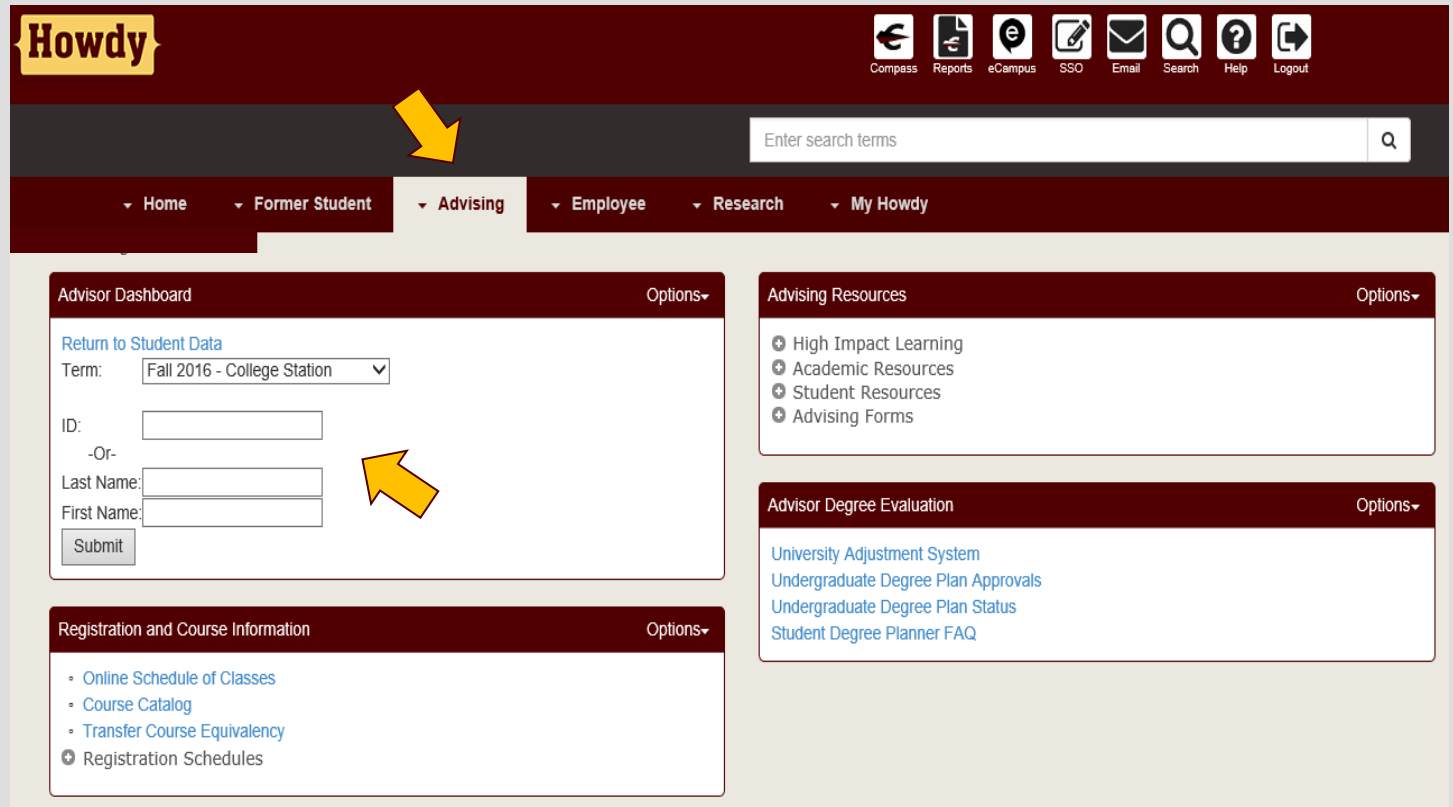
COMPASS



Generating a degree evaluation is accomplished in the Howdy Portal. The Advising Tab provides links to the self-service degree evaluation pages.

To generate a degree evaluation, first:

- Go to the Advising Tab in the Howdy Portal.
- Enter students T# or UIN or Last Name & First Name.



The screenshot shows the Howdy Portal interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'Howdy' logo and a search bar. Below the search bar is a menu with tabs: Home, Former Student, Advising (highlighted with a yellow arrow), Employee, Research, and My Howdy. The main content area is divided into three sections:

- Advisor Dashboard:** Contains a 'Return to Student Data' link, a 'Term' dropdown menu (set to 'Fall 2016 - College Station'), an 'ID' input field, a '-Or-' separator, 'Last Name' and 'First Name' input fields, and a 'Submit' button. A yellow arrow points to the 'Last Name' field.
- Advising Resources:** Lists links for High Impact Learning, Academic Resources, Student Resources, and Advising Forms.
- Advisor Degree Evaluation:** Lists links for University Adjustment System, Undergraduate Degree Plan Approvals, Undergraduate Degree Plan Status, and Student Degree Planner FAQ.

At the bottom of the Advisor Dashboard section, there is a 'Registration and Course Information' section with links for Online Schedule of Classes, Course Catalog, Transfer Course Equivalency, and Registration Schedules.

Advisor Dashboard

[Change Student](#)

Degree Evaluation (,DEGEVAL)



No image Available

Classification: Freshman 0-29 Hours **Major:** Applied Mathematical Sciences
Honors Cohort: NA


Student Information:

- [General Student Information](#)
- [Address and Phone](#)
- [Student E-mail Address](#)
- [Test Scores](#)
- [Credit by Examination](#)
- [Advisor Comments](#)
- [Certified Dependent](#)

Academics:

- [Student Grades](#)
- [Registration History](#)
- [Graphic Schedule](#)
- [Concise Student Schedule](#)
- [Detailed Student Schedule](#)

Degree Evaluation:

- [Degree Evaluation](#) 
- [View Unofficial Transcript](#)
- [View Unofficial Transcript \(PDF\)](#)
- [Graduation Status Check](#)
- [Undergraduate Degree Planner](#)
- [TSI and Core Curriculum Information](#)

Select Degree Evaluation

Howdy

[Back to Advising Tab](#)

[Compass](#)
[Reports](#)
[Groups](#)
[SSO](#)
[eCampus](#)
[eLearning](#)
[Help](#)
[Logout](#)

Search [Go](#)

[Print](#)

Degree Evaluation

Mar 27, 2014 11:31 am

Viewing: [Ann Aggie](#) (123004567, T00012354) [Email](#)
[Change Student](#)

Select a program to view the most recent evaluation results. If a program has no link you will need to generate a new evaluation before you can view the results.

Curriculum Information

Primary Curriculum

Program: PHD [EN]
Catalog Term: Fall 2008 - College Station
Level: Graduate
Campus: College Station
College: Dwight Look College of Engr
Degree: Doctor of Philosophy

First Major: Biomedical Engineering

Department: Biomedical Engineering

E-mail



[\[Previous Evaluations \]](#) |
 [Generate New Evaluation](#) |
 [What-if Analysis](#) |
 [ID Selection](#) |
 [Term Selection](#)]

[Print](#)

To request evaluation:

- Click on "Generate New Evaluation."

- Select the Program radio button.
- Select the appropriate term.
- Click “Generate Request.”

Note:
 Unchecking the “Use In-Progress Courses” box will perform a final audit, which will not include in-progress courses.

Howdy

[Back to Advising Tab](#)

[Print](#)

Generate New Evaluation Mar 27, 2014 11:40 am

Information for **Ann Aggie** (123004567, T00012354)

☛ To generate a new degree evaluation, choose the button in front of the program you wish to evaluate, select the appropriate term, and then select Generate Request.

Program: PHD [EN]
Degree: Doctor of Philosophy
Major: Biomedical Engineering

Term: **Use In-Progress Courses**

[[Current Enrollment](#) | [Current Enrollment](#) | [Previous Evaluations](#) | [What-If Analysis](#)] [Print](#)



After processing your request, the degree evaluation options page is presented.

There are three different options for viewing the degree evaluation results. For graduate students, the “Detail” and “Additional Information” options are used.

To view:

- Select the display option you want to view.
- Click “Submit”

Howdy

Back to Advising Tab

Compass Reports Groups SSO eCampus eLearning Help Logout

Search Go

Print

Degree Evaluation Options

Mar 27, 2014 12:36 pm

Viewing **Ann Aggie** (123004567, T00012354) [, Email](#)
[Change Student](#)

Information for

Please select the desired display.

- General Requirements** - a brief view of completed coursework
- **Detail Requirements** - recommended view, shows requirements completed, in progress and remaining
- Additional Requirements** - displays non-course requirements and rejected courses

General Requirements
 Detail Requirements
 Additional Information

Submit

[[Current Enrollment](#) | [Current Enrollment](#) | [Previous Evaluations](#) | [Generate New Evaluation](#) | [What-If Analysis](#)] [Print](#)

Detail Requirements

- **Program Details**
Program information, Cumulative Graduate GPR
- **Courses for Degree Plan GPR**
All degree plan courses, Degree Plan GPR
- **Work Not Applied**
Courses which are not on the student's degree plan
- **Graded Degree Plan Courses**
Courses on the degree plan which must be taken for a letter grade
- **S/U Degree Plan Courses**
Courses on the degree plan which must be taken on a satisfactory/unsatisfactory basis

Additional Information


- **Non-Course Requirements**
Research Proposal, Preliminary Exam, Thesis, etc.


Evaluation Detail Requirements Program Information

At the top of a graduate student's degree evaluation you will see the degree program information with details about each requirement and degree plan course limitations.









Specific limitations for degree plan courses are included in this section. The course limitation text is static and will not change as a student completes the requirements or adds courses to the degree plan.

Scroll down the page to see more degree evaluation results.





[Back to Advising Tab](#)

Program Evaluation

Doctor of Philosophy

Time Limits: All requirements for the degree must be completed within ten consecutive years.

Degree Plan: A Graduate Degree Plan of at least 96 hrs beyond a baccalaureate degree or 64 hrs beyond a master's degree or a DVM or a MD from a U.S. institution.

Course Limitations: Courses exceeding limits below will not be considered for meeting degree requirements.

1. Only approved courses on the degree plan will be considered for this program.
2. No correspondence study may be used.
3. No credit hours of FREN 601 or GERM 603 may be used.
4. No credit hours of extension course work may be used.
5. For other course exclusions refer to the Graduate Catalog.

Advisory Committee: The Advisory Committee consists of at least four members of the Graduate Faculty, one of which must be from outside the student's major department.

Residence Requirement: If entering with a baccalaureate degree, one year plus one semester must be spent in resident study. If entering with a master's degree, or a DVM or MD from a U.S. institution, one year must be spent in resident study. One year may include two adjacent long semesters or one long semester and one adjacent 10-week summer term of 9 hrs each.

Research Proposal: A dissertation proposal approved by the Advisory Committee, Department Head and the Office of Graduate Studies is required.

Preliminary Examination: The result of the Preliminary must be received, along with the Checklist, by the Office of Graduate Studies within ten days of the oral examination date. All degree requirements must be completed within a four year time period following the preliminary exam or the preliminary exam is voided and must be repeated.

To be eligible to hold a preliminary exam, the student:

Evaluation Detail Requirements Graduate Cumulative GPR

The degree program used for the evaluation.

Graduate Cumulative GPR

- Listed in the Program GPA field
- Calculated with all courses which are eligible to be used on the graduate degree plan

Howdy

TEXAS A&M
UNIVERSITY

Back to Advising Tab

Compass
Reports
Groups
SSO
eCampus
eLearning
Help
Logout

Program Evaluation

Program :	PHD [EN]	Catalog Term :	Fall 2008 - College Station
Campus :	College Station	Evaluation Term :	Spring 2014 - College Station
College :	Dwight Look College of Engr	Expected Graduation Date :	May 20, 2014
Degree :	Doctor of Philosophy	Request Number :	2
Level :	Graduate	Results as of :	Mar 27, 2014
Majors :	Biomedical Engineering	Minors :	
Departments :	Biomedical Engineering	Concentrations :	

	Met	Credits		Courses	
		Required	Used	Required	Used
Total Required :	Yes		104.000		29
Program GPA :	Yes	3.00		4.00	
Overall GPA :	Yes	.00		4.00	

Other Course Information

Transfer :	0.000	0
In Progress :	1.000	1
Unused :	153.000	55

This is NOT an official evaluation.

Area : Courses for Degree Plan GPR (101.000 credits) - Met

Description : A minimum degree plan GPR of 3.000 is required. Courses with grades of D, F or U are not acceptable for degree plan credit and m grade of C or better or Satisfactory (S).

Met	Condition Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute C
Yes		BMEN		624		3.000		200911	BMEN	624	NANO SENSING & IMAGING	
Yes	AND	BMEN		626		3.000		201011	BMEN	626	OPTICAL BIOSENSORS	

Evaluation Detail Requirements Graduate Degree Plan GPR

Howdy ATM | TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Back to Advising Tab | Compass Reports Groups SSO eCampus eLearning Help Logout

Area : Courses for Degree Plan GPR (101.000 credits) - Met
Description : A minimum degree plan GPR of 3.000 is required. Courses with grades of D, F or U are not acceptable for degree plan credit and must be repeated for a grade of C or better or Satisfactory (S).

Met	Condition Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
Yes		BMEN		624	3.000		200911	BMEN 624	NANO SENSING & IMAGING		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		626	3.000		201011	BMEN 626	OPTICAL BIOSENSORS		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		630	3.000		200731	BMEN 630	MEDICAL DEVICE REGULATN		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		640	3.000		200811	BMEN 640	DESN OF MEDICAL DEVICES		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		650	3.000		200831	BMEN 650	BIOMEDICAL OPTICS LAB		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		662	3.000		200811	BMEN 662	VASCULAR FLUID MECHANICS		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		669	3.000		200831	BMEN 669	ENTREPREN ISSUES IN BMEN		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		674	2.000		200911	BMEN 674	COMMUNICATIONS IN BME		2.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		681	4.000		200831	BMEN 681	SEMINAR		1.000	S	H	
							201111	BMEN 681	SEMINAR		1.000	S	H	
							201011	BMEN 681	SEMINAR		1.000	S	H	
							200911	BMEN 681	SEMINAR		1.000	S	H	
Yes	AND	BMEN		691	65.000		200831	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		2.000	S	H	
							200911	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		3.000	S	H	
							200921	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		3.000	S	H	
							200931	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		9.000	S	H	
							201011	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		2.000	S	H	
							201211	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		8.000	S	H	
							201031	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		6.000	S	H	
							201111	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		8.000	S	H	
							201121	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		6.000	S	H	
							201131	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		9.000	S	H	
							201021	BMEN 691	RESEARCH		9.000	S	H	
Yes	AND	CHEM		627	3.000		201031	CHEM 627	PRIN OF BIOLOGICAL CHEM		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	CPSC		601	3.000		200921	CPSC 601	PROGRAMMING WITH C&JAVA		3.000	A	H	
Yes	AND	ECEN		694	3.000		201011	ECEN 694	NANOBIOTECHNOLOGY		3.000	A	H	
											Total Credits and GPA		101.000	4.00

Courses for Degree Plan GPR

- Courses on the student's degree plan
- These courses are used to calculate the degree plan GPR

Required Course

Required Credit Hours

Courses Used

Degree Plan GPR

- Displays the total required degree plan hours next to the area name

Evaluation Detail Requirements Work Not Applied

Howdy

TEXAS A&M
UNIVERSITY

[Back to Advising Tab](#)

[Compass](#)
[Reports](#)
[Groups](#)
[SSO](#)
[eCampus](#)
[eLearning](#)
[Help](#)
[Logout](#)

Total Credits and GPA 101.000 4.00

unofficial evaluation

Area : Courses Not Applied - Met

Description : See Graduate Committee Chair or Graduate Advisor for acceptable changes to degree plan coursework.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source	
Yes		A.	Additional Unused Courses							200931	BMEN	685		1.000	A	H
									201231	BMEN	691		9.000	I	H	
									201221	BMEN	691		6.000	I	H	
									201411	BMEN	691		1.000		R	
									201311	BMEN	691		9.000	I	H	
									201331	BMEN	691		9.000	I	H	
									201211	ENGR	681		1.000	S	H	
Total Credits and GPA													3.000	4.00		

unofficial evaluation

Area : Graded Degree Plan Courses - Met

Description : A grade of C or better is required in all courses listed.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
Yes			BMEN		624		3.000		200911	BMEN	624		3.000	A	H
Yes	AND		BMEN		626		3.000		201011	BMEN	626		3.000	A	H

Courses Not Applied

- Displays courses which were not used on the degree plan
- May be eligible to add to the current degree plan
- These courses factor into Program GPR

Detail Requirements – Graded and S/U Degree Plan Courses

Graded Degree Plan Courses

- Must be taken for a letter grade
- Must receive a grade of 'C' or better to satisfy a requirement
- Transfer courses must have a grade of 'TB' or better

S/U Degree Plan Courses

- Must have a grade of 'S' to complete requirement

Choose "Back to Display Options" and select the "Additional Information" option to view the non-course requirements.

Area : **Graded Degree Plan Courses - Not Met**

Description : A grade of C or better is required in all courses listed.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	No	Approved Degree Plan											
Total Credits and GPA													0.000	.00	

unofficial evaluation

Area : **S/U Degree Plan Courses - Not Met**

Description : A grade of S is required in all courses listed.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	No	Approved Degree Plan											
Total Credits and GPA													0.000	.00	

unofficial evaluation

E-mail Ann Aggie

[Back to Display Options](#)

[Print](#)

[[Current Enrollment](#) | [Current Enrollment](#) | [Previous Evaluations](#) | [Generate New Evaluation](#) | [What-If Analysis](#)]

Non-Course Requirements

- Additional requirements for the graduate degree
- Status and status date update as documents are entered by the Office of Graduate and Professional Studies
- When the requirement is satisfied, the “Met” column displays “Yes”

Rejected Courses

- Not acceptable for use in a student’s degree program
- This will include:
 - Expired Courses
 - Minimum grade has not been met

Howdy

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Back to Advising Tab

[Compass](#)
[Reports](#)
[Groups](#)
[SSO](#)
[eCampus](#)
[eLearning](#)
[Help](#)
[Logout](#)

Search

Additional Information Print

Mar 27, 2014 01:26 pm

Viewing: [Ann Aggie](#) (123004567, T00012354) [Email](#) [Change Student](#)

Information for

Program : PHD [EN]

Program Non-Course Requirements - Met

Met	Description	Year Limit	Status	Status Date	Action
Yes	Doctoral Degree Plan		Approved	Oct 13, 2010	
Yes	Preliminary Examination	4	Passed	Oct 04, 2011	
Yes	Doctoral Research Proposal		Approved	Jan 14, 2013	
Yes	Doctoral Residence Req		Completed	Oct 12, 2011	
Yes	Admission to Candidacy		Completed	Feb 20, 2013	
Yes	Doctoral Defense	1	Passed	Feb 21, 2014	
Yes	Dissertatn/Rec of Study		Thesis/Dissertation Cleared	Mar 18, 2014	

In-Progress Courses

Area	Group	Subject	Course	Credits	Attribute
Courses Not Applied		BMEN	691	1.000	

Rejected Courses

Subject	Course	Area	Reason	Attribute
AGEC	659	Graded Degree Plan Courses	Program Restricted Subj/Attr.	
ESSM	651	Graded Degree Plan Courses	Program Restricted Subj/Attr.	
GEOG	434	Graded Degree Plan Courses	Program Restricted Subj/Attr.	

Questions?

Email us at: ogapsprocessing@tamu.edu

or

Contact your college specific representative at OGAPS