

San José State University
Charles W. Davidson College of Engineering
Department of Mechanical Engineering
ME 295A, Mechanical Engineering Project I, Fall 2021

Course and Contact Information

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Prerequisites: Admission to Candidacy for Master’s Degree and written proposal approved by the instructor and graduate advisor.

Reference: Check the ME Department Website for MSME Program at <http://www.sjsu.edu/me/msme/>

Course Description

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All the students are expected to:

- Make an end-of-the-semester presentation.
- Provide an end-of-the-semester report.

Course grades will be issued when the following items are received by the student's committee chair prior to the 'grades due date':

- A copy of semester report approved by the committee chair
- A copy of the approved 'Oral Presentation and Grade Form' by the committee members.
- Proof of regular consulting with the advisory committee.

Important dates:

- Oct. 15:** Turn in a 2-page progress update report to the committee.
- Nov. 26:** Turn in the draft report for initial evaluation to the committee.
- Dec. 2-7:** Present the project to the committee.
- Dec. 14:** Turn in the approved semester report.

Semester Report:

The semester report must be prepared and submitted to the committee chair and the committee members. The semester report must follow a professional report writing format, with proper grammar and composition. It must include sufficient review of the state-of-the-art literature, the application of modern tools, and the presentation of experimental or numerical results to date. Although not as complete as the final report that is submitted