

Jacobs School of Engineering Cooperative Education (Co-op) Pilot Program Details

Students who participate in the Jacobs School of Engineering Cooperative Education (Co-op) Program are expected to work full-time (30-40 hours per week) in Electrical & Computer Engineering, Mechanical & Aerospace Structural Engineering.

We strongly encourage students participating in the Co-op to register as either part-time students for Fall Quarter, and take their department's internship course.

Students who decide not to enroll full-time in Fall Quarter should carefully consider implications that may depend on them being a full-time student, such as, but not limited to: financial aid, insurance, student housing, etc. Students who enroll as either part-time or full-time students must adhere to all normal timelines, payments, and policy requirements for the classes in which they are enrolled. Students who choose not to enroll in classes for Fall Quarter will not be considered a full-time student for that quarter. Please see the chart below for more information.

Special considerations apply for international students, as described below. International students should consult with an international student advisor at the International Students & Programs Office (ISPO) as soon as possible before applying for Co-op positions.

Fall Enrollment options for Domestic Students participating in the Co-op Pilot

	Part-time Status (1-10 units)	Not Enrolled
Enrollment Options	<p>Students may elect to enroll in their academic department's internship course, and elect the number of units for the course, if applicable.</p> <p>It is recommended that students take a minimum of 6 units. Students may accomplish this through the internship course and classes that fit within their work schedule (i.e. early morning, evening or remote classes).</p>	<p>Students may elect not to enroll for classes in Fall Quarter if they were enrolled in Spring Quarter.</p>

Approval for enrollment status

Complete and submit the [Part-time Study Application](#).

No application required. Students will remain in good standing, and will be invited to register for Winter Quarter classes as usual if they were enrolled in Spring Quarter.

It is recommended that students inform their college advisor that they are not planning to enroll in classes for Fall Quarter.

Summer Enrollment options for Domestic Students participating in the Co-op Pilot

	Enrolled	Not Enrolled
Enrollment options	Students may take summer session courses to stay on track for graduation.	Students can choose not to enroll in the summer session.

International Students

International students, who would like to participate in the Co-op, are required to meet with an international student advisor at the International Students & Programs Office prior to applying for any Co-