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Have an interest in other disciplines?

If you are excited about exploring a wide spectrum of disciplines like economics, psychology, and political science, along with STEM fields, the Economics & Engineering (E&E) major at Claremont McKenna College may be the perfect opportunity for you.

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spend three years at CMC and two years at an engineering institution. At the conclusion of the five years, they are granted two degrees: a BA from CMC in Economics & Engineering and a BS degree in their chosen engineering field from the college or university they transferred to. Popular engineering majors include civil engineering, mechanical engineering, industrial engineering, operations research, computer engineering, and computer science.

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is ideal for students deciding between a small liberal arts college and a larger university, or for students who are not ready to commit completely to engineering. With the E&E program, students are able to explore a wide spectrum of interests, while taking advantage of the benefits of both types of institutions.

For the past 20 years, nearly every student who completed the E&E requirements at CMC was admitted to a top-tier engineering school. Some of the engineering schools that students were accepted to include:

- Brown University
- Columbia University
- Cornell University
- Harvey Mudd College
- University of Southern California
- Washington University in St. Louis

Annually, ten to fifteen CMC students graduate from this popular, but demanding, program. Post-graduation, many students have continued their engineering education by taking advantage of the fact that most of the engineering schools provide an opportunity to add a Masters in Engineering with only a single year of additional effort. Some students have also obtained advanced degrees in other disciplines such as a Masters in Business Administration.

In terms of employability, nearly every student has found employment before they were finished with the program. This is because an E&E graduate has the technical and quantitative skills, economics knowledge, teamwork experience, and breadth of knowledge that informs sound decision-making that makes them uniquely attractive to employees.

If combining management with engineering looks like an attractive career to you, consider Economics & Engineering at Claremont McKenna College.

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