2020 Virtual MS Open House

Department of Chemical Engineering Columbia University

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Open House Agenda

- o 8:00 am Welcome remarks, Prof. Jingguang Chen, chair
- 8:05 am Intro to department and program overview, Prof.
 Kumar and Moment
- 8:45 am Research, Prof. Esposito
- o 9:00 am Career Placement, Raina Ranaghan
- 9:20 am Housing and International Student Affairs, Kathy Marte-Garcia + ISSO representative
- 9:35 am Break-out Chatrooms

Type questions you have into the **Zoom chat** (reply to everyone or privately to Alex Urban)





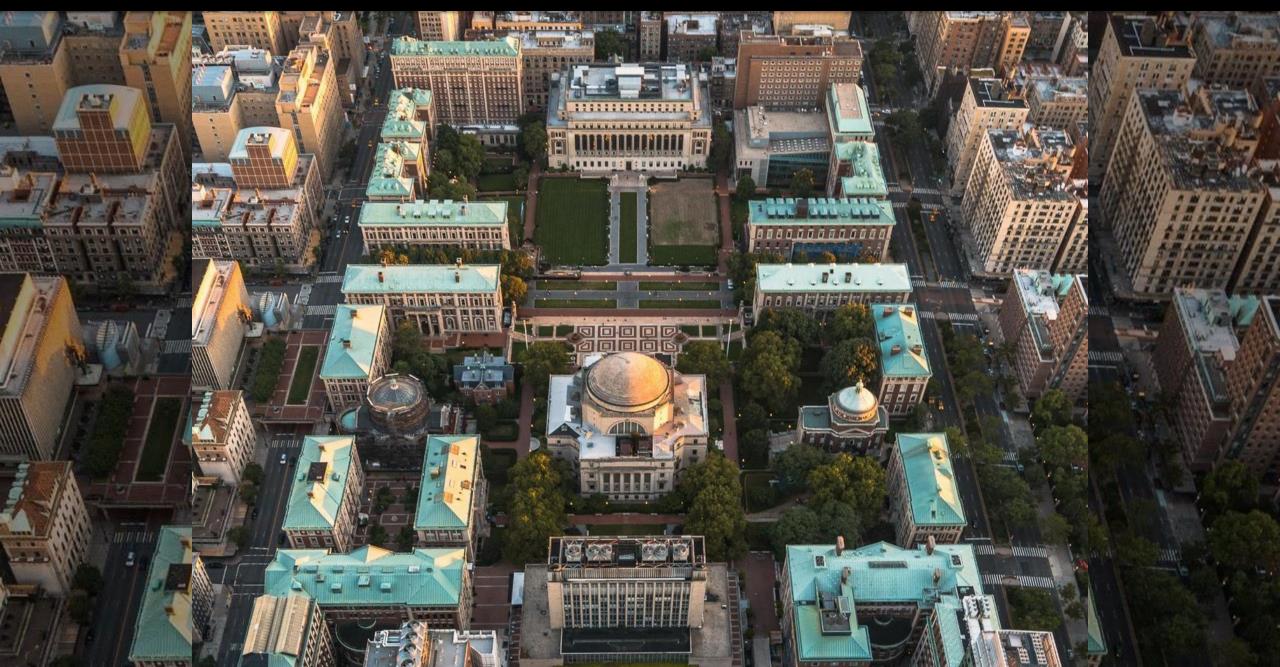






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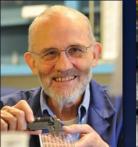
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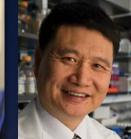




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A Decade of Growth in Chemical Engineering







Our Faculty















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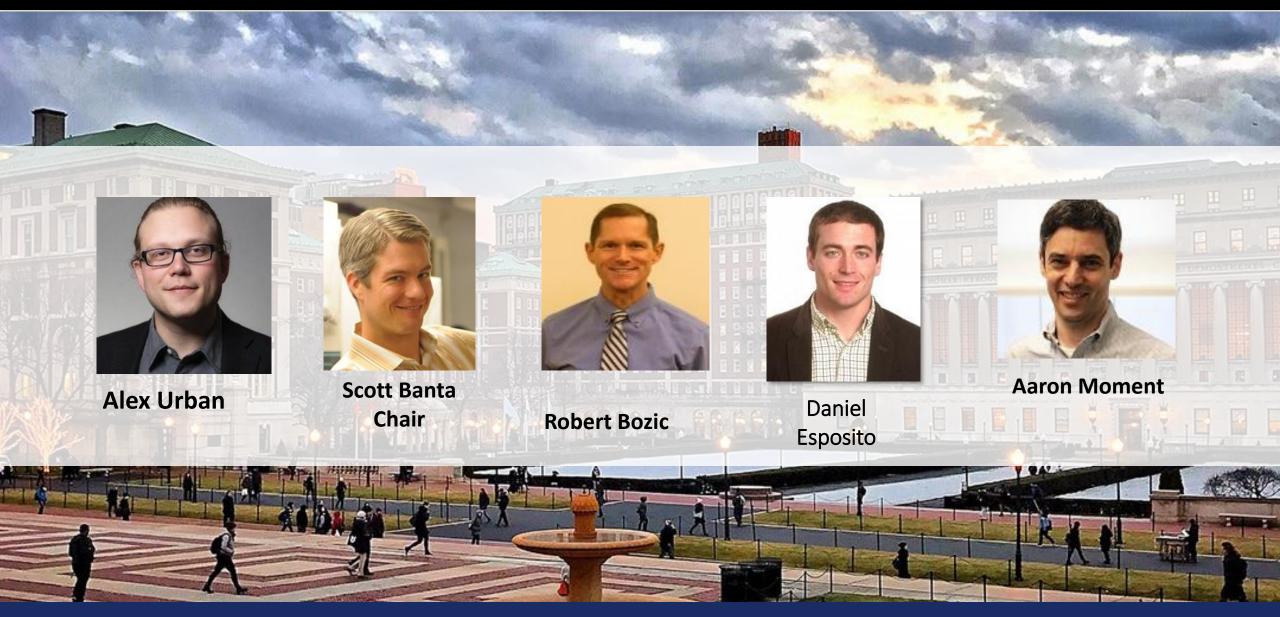
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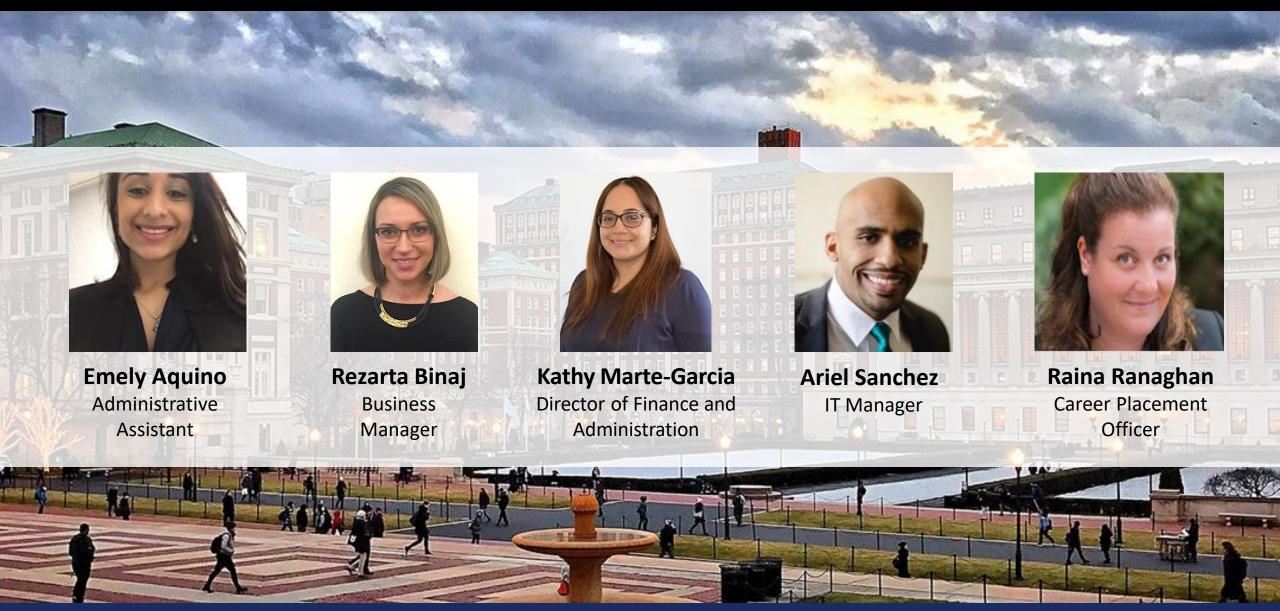


MS Committee – Direction and Oversight





Our Staff





Our Students

• Chemical Engineering Students

- ≈ 75 PhD students (growing)
- ≈ 120 undergraduate students
- ≈ 100 M.S. students
- ≈ 10 postdoctoral & staff associates

• Interactions with M.S. and undergrads

- **Research:** MS students who do research often work closely with Ph.D. students or postdocs.
- Shared events: ChEGO brunch and happy hour, Gaden lecture, professional development activities
- **Classes/Teaching:** MS and Ph.D. students take the same classes; Ph.D.s serve as TAs for courses and hold office hours.



Recent Chemical Engineering M.S. graduating class



Marshall Scholarship recipient Amar Bhardwaj (class of 2020)



Chemical Engineers....

"... take laboratory or conceptual ideas and turn them into value added products. From computer chips to innovations in recycling, treating disease, cleaning water, and generating energy, the processes and products that chemical engineers have helped create touch every aspect of our lives."

> <u>"Grand Challenges¹"</u> related to ChemE: Making solar energy economical Provide energy from fusion Provide access to clean water Develop carbon sequestration methods Restore and improve urban infrastructure Engineer better medicines Manage the nitrogen cycle

¹ US National Academy of Engineering Poll: http://www.engineeringchallenges.org





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Scientist to Engineer Timeline – 30 credits + Essentials

Fall	Spring	Summer	Fall
Sep- Dec	Jan- May	Jun- Aug	Sep- Dec
CHEN E4001 Essentials A CHEN E4002 Essentials B MS Colloquium Elective	Core MS Course Core MS Course Elective Elective	Time for Summer Internships Time for Research	Core MS Course Core MS Course Elective Elective
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Core Classes: Kinetics Math Methods Advanced Thermo. or Statistical Mechanics Transport Phenomena One Design Elective



Scientist to Engineer Essentials of Chem Eng A and B

Essential chemical engineering principles

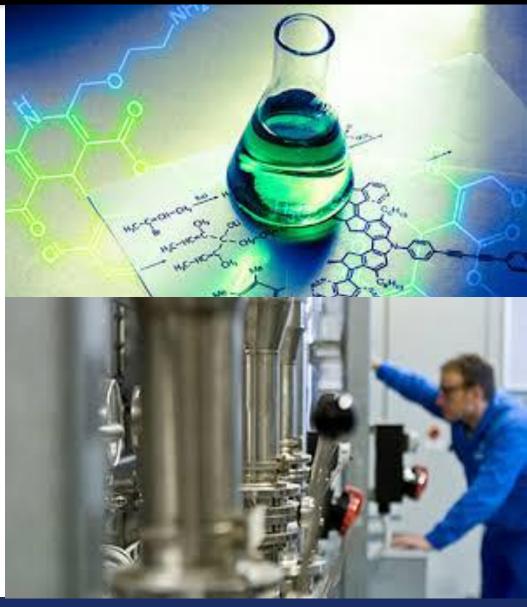
CHEN E4001x Essentials of Chem Eng – A

- 1. Introduction to Chemical Engineering
- 2. Chemical Engineering Control
- 3. Transport Phenomena I
- 4. Transport Phenomena II

CHEN E4002x Essentials of Chem Eng – B

- 1. Thermodynamics I
- 2. Thermodynamics II
- 3. Reaction Kinetics & Reactor Design
- 4. Chemical & Biochemical Separations

A graduate-level course with substantial design





MS Colloquia

Program Welcome! Life as a Graduate Student Pursuing a PhD

Guest Speakers from Academia and Industry

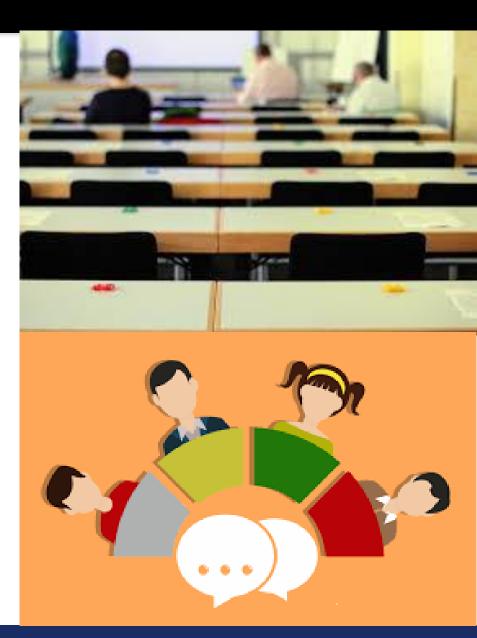
Networking

Internships, Resumes and Corporate Recruiting



American Institute of Chemical Engineers Young Professionals

Contemporary topics in Chemical Engineering





Electives

• Broad selection in areas such as

- Soft Matter and Polymer Science
- Electrochemical Energy
- Biotechnology and Biopharmaceuticals
- Computation and Data Scince

• More details

- Up to two electives outside of Chemical Engineering
- Fieldwork and internships may count as elective credit
- Concentrations are collections of four focused electives
- Research counts as elective credit





• Three current areas

- Computation and Data Science
- Climate Solutions
- Biotechnology and Biopharmaceuticals

Elective choices are available here <u>https://cheme.columbia.edu/master-science-program-0</u>





Advising and your calendar

Advising of MS students is currently the responsibility of the Masters Committee. Each incoming MS student will be assigned an advisor who will meet with you and approve courses.

Chemical Engineering Graduate Student Handbook: <u>http://cheme.columbia.edu/masters-program-2</u>)

Registration for classes is done through student services on line: <u>https://ssol.columbia.edu/</u>

Graduate student course registration dates are dictated by the CU Registrar Office and posted at the Columbia Academic Calendar site.

http://registrar.columbia.edu/event/academic-calendar





Questions



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Please type them into Zoom Chat!





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Concentration in Data and Computational Science

Electives

Numerical Methods in Chemical Eng. Chem. Eng. Data Analysis Al in Chem. Eng. Statistical Mechanics Computational Fluid Dynamics Atomistic Simulations Research





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Concentration in Climate Solutions

Electives

Eng. Appl. In Electrochemistry Solar Fuels Electrochemical Energy Storage Sys. Carbon Utilization and Conversion Atmospheric Aerosols **Energy Sources and Conversion** Intro. to Atmospheric Science Managing and Adapting to Climate Change NMR in Bio, Soft, Energy Materials **Atmospheric Radiation**





Concentration in Biotechnology and Biopharmaceuticals

Electives

Tissue and Mol. Eng. Lab (inst. perm.) Principles of System Pharm. (inst. perm.) Biopharm., entrepreneurship, and Chem. Eng. Solid State Chem. In Pharm. Dev. Pharm. Eng. **Biopharm.** Process Lab Summer Intensive Lab in Biotech. (inst. perm.) Research **Bioseparations Biochemical Eng.** Principles of Genomic Tech. Protein Eng. **Biostatistics for Eng.**

