5-Step Application Process

Connect
FACULTY, STAFF, AND STUDENTS CAN GIVE YOU A GREAT IDEA OF THE CULTURE OF OUR DEPARTMENT
Try to set up informational interviews with students, faculty, and staff over Skype, on the phone, or in person to get a sense of the department culture and determine if you would be a good fit.

Start early
IT NEVER HURTS TO GET A HEAD START
Even if you’re an undergraduate early in your career, think about what connections you will need to make to request letters of recommendation, get research or undergraduate teaching experience, or volunteer your time. What research projects can you help on now? What organizations can you start working with now?

Fulfill the requirements
GO TO GPADMISSIONS.OSU.EDU AND SEARCH FOR ENGINEERING EDUCATION
We require 3 letters of recommendation, a CV, transcripts from all schools you have attended, and short essay answers to four targeted application questions.

Follow up
ENSURE EVERYTHING IS IN ORDER BY THE PUBLISHED DEADLINE
We can’t consider a student for admission unless all of the above application requirements are in. You may need to follow up with recommenders to remind them of deadlines!
- Autumn admission deadline: February 1
- Spring admission deadline: August 12
- For Fellowship consideration: November 30

Complete and submit
BEST TO SUBMIT BEFORE DEADLINE
It’s a good idea to give yourself some wiggle room with application submissions. You don’t want to run into a technical issue at the last minute!

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