## Mechanical & Industrial Engineering

## Writing Exemption Policy

The Mechanical & Industrial Engineering Department (M&IE) programs each have a writing course requirement as part of the curriculum. M&IE students must complete a writing intensive course totaling 3 or more credits.

Preapproved classes to meet this requirement are:

WRIT 101W College Writing I
WRIT 201W College Writing II

WRIT 221 Intermediate Technical Writing

HONR 202IH Text & Critics (If not being used as IH Core)

HONR 400-409 Honors Seminar (If not being used for IS or IH core or EGEN 310R)

Even if students are exempt by the University from taking WRIT 101W, one of the preapproved writing courses is required for each M&IE major. Students can petition to take a free elective course to meet the writing credits if the course contains a significant writing component. The student will provide a statement explaining their reason to count the petitioned course towards the writing credit requirement and a syllabus of the proposed course to the M&IE departmental academic advisor for approval.