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Vision
The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering will provide programs of the highest quality to produce world class engineers who can address challenges of the millennium.

Mission
The Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering will:

• Dedicate itself to providing its students with the skills, knowledge and attitudes that will allow its graduates to succeed as engineers and leaders.
• Maintain a vital, state-of-the-art research enterprise, which provides its students and faculty with opportunities to create, interpret, apply and disseminate knowledge.
• Prepare its graduates for life-long learning to meet intellectual, ethical and career challenges.
• Recognize and act upon the special mandate to make high quality engineering education available to the residents of El Paso and the surrounding region.

Programs
The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering offers a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, and a Minor in Electrical Engineering for non-majors.

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

• BS in Electrical Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/undergrad/college-of-engineering/electrical-computer-engineering/electrical-engineering-bs/)

Minor

• Minor in Electrical Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/undergrad/college-of-engineering/electrical-computer-engineering-minor/)

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