STEM Education

Department Information

• **Program Director:**
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• **Department Web Site:**
  [www.ndsu.edu/csme/stem_education_graduate_programs/](http://www.ndsu.edu/csme/stem_education_graduate_programs/)

• **Credential Offered:**
  Ph.D. (Dual Major in STEM Education and STEM discipline is an option)

• **English Proficiency Requirements:**
  TOEFL IBT 88, IELTS 6.5

Program Description

Applicants are invited for NDSU’s interdisciplinary Ph.D. program in Science-Technology-Engineering-Mathematics (STEM) Education. The program conducts and disseminates empirical research to improve STEM learning and teaching in higher education.

Coursework centers on graduate-level courses in the discipline area, a common core of STEM Education courses, and elective courses focused on research training. An interdisciplinary team of faculty supervised the candidate’s dissertation research, which will investigate teaching and learning within/across one or more STEM disciplines.

Although interdisciplinary in nature, graduate students in the STEM Education Ph.D. Program have an academic home in the STEM department/program of their discipline preference. Graduate committee membership includes faculty from the STEM Education program and from the department/program of discipline preference.