

College of Science  
**Bachelor of Science in Computational Modeling and Data Analytics**  
 Major in Computational Modeling and Data Analytics (CMDA)  
**Option: Physics**  
 For students graduating in calendar year **2018**

<b>CORE REQUIREMENTS (50 Credits)</b>				<b>PHYSICS ELECTIVES (15 Credits)</b>			
<i>Complete all following courses in CMDA, STAT, MATH, CS &amp; PHYS</i>				<i>Complete five courses from the list below</i>			
CMDA 3605* <sup>1</sup>	Math Modeling: Methods, Tools (Pre: CMDA 2006)	(3)( )	PHYS 3355*	Intermediate Mechanics (Pre: MATH 2204 or 2204H, MATH 2214, PHYS 2306, PHYS 2504)	(3)( )		
CMDA 3606*	Math Modeling: Methods, Tools (Pre: CMDA 3605)	(3)( )	PHYS 3356*	Intermediate Mechanics (Pre: PHYS 3355)	(3)( )		
CMDA/CS 3634*	CS Finds for CMDA (Pre: CS 2114)	(3)( )	PHYS 3405*	Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism (Pre: MATH 2214, PHYS 2306, PHYS 2504)	(3)( )		
CMDA/STAT/CS 3654* <sup>1</sup>	Intr Data Analytics and Visualization (Pre: CMDA 2006, CS 1114)	(3)( )	PHYS 3406*	Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism (Pre: PHYS 3405)	(3)( )		
CMDA/STAT/CS 4654* <sup>1</sup>	Intermed Data Analytics & ML (Pre: CMDA 2006)	(3)( )	PHYS 3704*	Thermal Physics (Pre: PHYS 2306, PHYS 3324; Co: MATH 2214, PHYS 2504)	(3)( )		
CMDA 4864* <sup>1</sup>	CMDA Capstone (Pre: (CMDA 3605, 3606) or (CMDA 3654, 4654) or (CMDA 3634, CS 2114))	(3)( )	PHYS 4455*	Introduction to Quantum Mechanics (Pre: PHYS 3356; Co: PHYS 3406)	(3)( )		
CS 1114	Introduction to Software Design	(3)( )	PHYS 4456*	Introduction to Quantum Mechanics (Pre: PHYS 4455)	(3)( )		
CS 2114	Software Design and Data Structures (Pre: CS 1114 (C) or CS 1124 (C))	(3)( )	PHYS 4504*	Introduction to Nuclear and Particle Physics (Consent required. Co: PHYS 4456)	(3)( )		
MATH 1225	Calculus of a Single Variable	(4)( )	PHYS 4554*	Introduction to Solid State Physics (Consent required. Co: PHYS 4456)	(3)( )		
MATH 1226	Calculus of a Single Variable (Pre: MATH 1225)	(4)( )	PHYS 4574*	Nanotechnology (Pre: PHYS 2206 or PHYS 2306)			
MATH 2114	Introduction to Linear Algebra (Pre: MATH 1225 (B) or MATH 1226 (P))	(3)( )	PHYS 4614*	Optics (Pre: PHYS 2306, MATH 2214, MATH 2224 or MATH 2204 or MATH 2204H)	(3)( )		
MATH 2204* <sup>#</sup>	Intro Multivariable Calculus (Pre: MATH 1226)	(3)( )	PHYS 4674*	Introduction to General Relativity (Pre: MATH 2214 or MATH 2514, PHYS 3356; Co: PHYS 3406)	(3)( )		
MATH 2214* <sup>#</sup>	Introductory Differential Equations (Pre: MATH 2114, 1226)	(3)( )	PHYS 4714*	Introduction to Biophysics (Pre: PHYS 2206 or PHYS 2306)	(3)( )		
STAT 3005* <sup>#</sup>	Statistical Methods (Pre: MATH 1226)	(3)( )					
STAT 3006* <sup>#</sup>	Statistical Methods (Pre: STAT 3005)	(3)( )					
STAT 3104* <sup>#</sup>	Probability and Distributions (Pre: (MATH 1206 or 1226 or 2015 or 1026 or 1526), (MATH 3005 or 3615))	(3)( )					
			<b>PHYSICS OPTION (18 Credits)</b>				
			<i>Complete all courses from the list below</i>				
			PHYS 2305*	Foundations of Physics (Pre: MATH 1225; Co: MATH 1226)	(4)( )		
			PHYS 2306*	Foundations of Physics (Pre: MATH 1226, PHYS 2305)	(4)( )		
			PHYS 3324*	Modern Physics (Pre: PHYS 2306; Co: MATH 2214, PHYS 2504)	(4)( )		
			PHYS 4755*	Intro to Computational Physics (Pre: 2306, CS 1044)	(3)( )		
			PHYS 4756*	Intro to Computational Physics (Pre: PHYS 4455, PHYS 4755)	(3)( )		

\* Courses for computing “in-major GPA.”

# CMDA 2005 and CMDA 2006 will substitute for MATH 2204, MATH 2214, STAT 3005, STAT 3006 and STAT 3104.

1 Prerequisites for this course include MATH 2114, MATH 2214, MATH 2204, STAT 3005, STAT 3006, STAT 3104.

**Prerequisites:** Students are required to double check course prerequisites and equivalents.

**Progress Toward Degree** (two conditions are required for continuation in the major):

- (1) Upon having attempted 72 semester credits (including transfer, AP, advanced standing, credit by examination, course withdrawal) majors must have completed the following courses with grades of C- or better in two or fewer attempts (including attempts that were withdrawn): STAT 3005, 3006, 3104; MATH 1225, 1226, 2114, 2204, 2214; CS 1114, 2114.
- (2) Upon having attempted 90 semester credits, students must have an in-major GPA of 2.0 or better.

**Foreign Language**

The College of Science requires three units of a single foreign or classical language during high school or the second semester of a college-level foreign or classical language. These credit hours do not count toward the total minimum hours required for the declared degree program.

**Graduation Requirements:** 120 credit hours are required for graduation. These credits must include the courses required for the major (see above section). To graduate, a student must have at least a 2.0 in-major GPA and overall GPA. If 120 credit hours are reached and a student does not meet the GPA requirement, the student must take additional in-major courses to raise the in-major GPA to a 2.0.

Requirements for the College and University Curriculum for Liberal Education (CLE)

Consult the University Undergraduate Course Catalogue or the CLE Guide at <http://www.cle.prov.vt.edu/> for approved courses.

<b>Area 1</b>
Writing & Discourse (6)
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<b>Area 2</b>
Ideas, Cultural Traditions & Values (6)
_____ (3) ( )
_____ (3) ( )

<b>Area 3</b>
Society & Human Behavior (6)
_____ (3) ( )
_____ (3) ( )

<b>Free Electives (13)</b>	
_____	(3) ( )
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<b>Area 6</b>
Creativity & Aesthetic Experience (3)
_____ (3) ( )

<b>Area 7</b>
Critical Issues in a Global Context (3)
_____ (3) ( )