New Technical Elective Policy for MechE

Starting Fall 2017, ME will be changing its technical elective requirement. These changes will not affect those who will be graduating in Spring or Summer 2017. Here’s the overview:

- As always, you need 120 total units to graduate
- Starting Fall 2017, you will only need 15 units of technical electives for ME
- At least 9 of the 15 required units have to be ME-Sponsored (ME or some of the Eng courses) Upper Division. We will no longer accept petitions for outside courses as they pertain to these 9 units. (If you already have had petitions approved to the contrary of this, we will honor those past petitions.)
- The rest of the 15 (6 units) can be ME-Sponsored (ME or some of the Eng courses) or can come from our list at http://www.me.berkeley.edu/undergraduate/course-information/undergraduate-technical-electives.

Specifics:

Of the 15 total units
- 1 course must be taken from the QS list (this can be an ME-Sponsored course or an outside course). Math 128A will be considered to be an outside course starting Fall 2017.
- 1 course must be taken from the DE list (all are ME-Sponsored)
- 3 units can still be fulfilled from the Lower Division List (these are all outside)

Changes to the list:
- A few Econ and UGBA courses will be added to the list in late March.
- STEM courses that do not appear on the list at http://www.me.berkeley.edu/undergraduate/course-information/undergraduate-course-syllabi will be considered by petition to contribute to the 15 units, but not the 9/15 required to be ME Sponsored.