

Master of Science

Information Technology



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AND HUMAN SERVICES

Information technology helps drive every business forward. Now, advance in your own career with a Master's in Information Technology.

The Master of Science in Information Technology (MSIT) is an applied computing discipline that centers on the technology needs of businesses and individuals. It focuses on today's most relevant IT demands, with coursework in Cybersecurity, Mobile/Social App Development, and IT Infrastructure.

Program Benefits

- As a full-time student you can earn your degree in one year
- Online and on-campus options give you flexibility
- Tailor your experience with thesis and capstone options
- Receive personal attention from IT graduate faculty
- Transfer hands-on skills directly and immediately to your career

Program Requirements

To apply for graduation you must complete all required courses within a three-year period from your date of acceptance as well as:

- Complete 30 graduate credit hours of core courses, electives, and a capstone or thesis
- Maintain a GPA of 3.0
- Choose thesis or capstone option
 - Thesis option: complete a thesis with an advisor, defend and get approval from the thesis committee
 - Capstone option: complete 3 additional graduate credit hours in IT electives and 3 graduate credits in an IT project course



Some Career Possibilities

National staffing firms predict IT to have among the largest salary gains in 2018. Demand for expertise in mobile, cybersecurity, and big data continues to grow. Career options include:

- Information Security Analysts / Computer Security Incident Responders
- Network and Computer System Administrators / Network Engineers / Network Architects
- Program / Mobile App / Game Developers



Ready to Begin?

For more information about this program or to schedule a visit, please contact:

Email: cechgradstudies@uc.edu

Visit us online:

cech.uc.edu/it/grad-programs/it.html

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Admission Requirements

To apply for the MSIT program, you must have completed an accredited baccalaureate degree with a 3.0 GPA and submit the following to UC:

- Current resume or curriculum vitae
- Two reference letters
- A personal statement
- TOEFL score (International students only)

**** No GRE required for qualified applicants. ****

Please contact us if you don't meet the requirements. Bridge courses are available for those who don't have a background in computing and those who don't meet the baccalaureate GPA requirement.

Please visit the Graduate School and School of Information Technology website for more information:

grad.uc.edu/admissions.html
cech.uc.edu/it/grad-programs.html

Application Deadlines

Fall Enrollment

Domestic Students:
August 1

International Students:
March 1

Spring Enrollment

Domestic Students:
December 1

International Students:
September 1

Summer Enrollment (online only)
April 1

About the School and Program

The School of Information Technology (SoIT) is housed in the College of Education, Criminal Justice, and Human Services (CECH), and offers both undergraduate and graduate programs.

The School offers a diverse faculty, including adjunct faculty comprised of IT professionals and leaders who bring industry experience and individual trends and tools to the classroom.

Distinctions of the School

- The School of Information Technology houses one of the first 10 ABET-accredited IT undergraduate programs in the nation and is emerging as a top IT program in Ohio.
- Our MSIT Online program was ranked #11 by U.S. News for the 2019 Best Online Programs.
- Centers and Labs give students real-world experience developing state-of-the-art mobile and web apps.
- More than 35 professionals from 33 companies provide industry insights, networking, and more.
- National Security Agency National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense

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