



## CYBERSECURITY SEMESTER



The 18-credit undergraduate Cybersecurity Semester addresses the urgent need for developing future leaders in an increasingly vital discipline of cybersecurity. Coursework includes how to build and verify highly assured systems.

### LEARNING OUTCOMES

Students graduating from this program will be able to:

- identify and analyze vulnerabilities in systems
- assess the risks faced by systems
- develop countermeasures to remedy risks
- develop systems that are secure
- deliver software components or systems that have verifiable assurance properties

### PREREQUISITES

- Background in Computer Science or Computer Engineering
- Junior or Senior Undergraduate Status
- Students must have completed appropriate prior coursework
- GPA of 3.3 or higher preferred
- Discrete mathematics, programming experience in a high-level language, familiarity with Linux at the command-line level
- May require U.S. Citizenship or Permanent Resident status to be eligible for internship opportunities (optional part of the program)

### COURSES

Our program of study consists of a core set of courses, electives to meet individual student needs, and professional development.

#### Core

- CIS 400: Certified Security by Design
- CSE 484: Introduction to Computer and Network Security
- CIS 487: Access Control, Security, and Trust

#### Electives

- Tailored to individual student needs
- Electives from EECS and across Syracuse University

#### Professional Preparation

- Internship
- Leadership development

### ELIGIBILITY

- Open to all Syracuse University students.
- Open to all ROTC scholarship cadets from any academic institution.
- Limit of 10 non-Syracuse University scholarship cadets at cost neutrality.

### APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications must be submitted on or before 11:59pm EDST on March 18, 2018.

To apply, email a single PDF file with the following items to [cyberengineering@syr.edu](mailto:cyberengineering@syr.edu):

- Resume
- Unofficial college transcripts (including transfer credits)
- A 100-word biography (include hobbies, interest, and goals) with a recent headshot photograph

A letter of recommendation from an academic advisor or faculty member must be sent to the above email directly from the reference by the deadline. For ROTC cadets, a letter of reference from ROTC detachment leadership is also acceptable.

To the extent possible, we will make admission decisions on a rolling basis.