

## FAST FACTS: COMPUTER SCIENCE AND THE B.S DEGREE PROGRAM IN CS AT BINGHAMTON

- **Computer Science is not just programming** but rather a discipline that stresses the design, analysis, implementation, management, and application of large software systems as well as systems that combine both hardware and software.
- **Jobs in Computing are growing**, contrary to popular perceptions.
- **We were the first ABET accredited computer science program among the SUNY universities.** ABET is the national accreditation board for engineering and technology. **We have been accredited since 1988.** Many employers look for this “seal of approval” from a national board.
- Our program offers a rich set of courses on **software design, programming, hardware design and everything in between.**
- **We have 23 full-time faculty members, small classes and individual advising.**
- Beyond computing careers, Computer Science skills can also be applied to many fields like **Business and Financial Management, Bioinformatics, Law and a host of others.**
- We offer two combined degree programs that gives you a Master’s degree and a BS in Computer Science in 5 years: **BS in CS and a MBA** or a **BS and MS in CS.**
- **We offer a flexible program:** You will start taking courses in Computer Science from the very first semester you are here and then **you can specialize in areas such as networking, operating systems, web-based systems, graphics, robotics, microprocessor-based design and game design just to name a few!** The flexibility in choosing courses also gives you an opportunity to minor in areas such as the arts, business, math, music, languages, the sciences and many more!
- We have a **proven track record of placing our graduates with top companies and institutions**, such as:
  - **Microsoft**
  - **IBM**
  - **Intel**
  - **Google**
  - **Pixar**
  - **Goldman-Sachs**
  - **Bloomberg**
  - **KPMG Consulting**
  - **Computer Associates**
  - **Merrill Lynch**
  - **Federal Government**
  - **Graduate Schools**

Many of these companies (and others as well) have interviews on campus

- We also have a well-established **internship and co-op programs** to cater to your interests.

Please visit our website at: <http://www.cs.binghamton.edu> to learn more about our program. The Student Service Office also has a website packed full of information at:

<http://watson.binghamton.edu/WatsonStudentServices/index.htm>

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