CYBERSECURITY (AAS)

Business & Information Technology

Program website (https://www.harpercollege.edu/academics/business/ info-systems/cybersecurity-degree.php)

Program Overview

The 60-hour technical curriculum provides a strong theoretical and practical foundation for students entering the growing field of cybersecurity. This program will prepare students for technician-level positions in this emerging field including cybersecurity and information assurance, information security analysts, penetration testers, and digital forensics analysts.

Program Requirements

First Semester	-	Hours
CIS 106	Computer Logic and Programming Technology	3
ENG 101	Composition I	3
Mathematics ¹		3
NET 101	Orientation to Cybersecurity Careers	1
NET 105	Information Technology Fundamentals	3
NET 121	Computer Networking	3
	Hours	16
Second Semester		
CIS 226	Programming for Cybersecurity	3
ENG 102	Composition II	3
NET 240	Linux Server Administration	3
NET 260	Windows Server Administration	3
NET 280	Cybersecurity Fundamentals	3
	Hours	15
Third Semester		
NET 262	Windows 365 Administration	3
NET 281	Enterprise And Network Security	3
NET 283	Ethical Hacking and Penetration Testing	3
NET 284	Digital Forensics	3
SPE 101	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
	Hours	15
Fourth Semester		
CIS 211	IT Project Management	3
NET 282	Cybersecurity Governance, Risk	3
	Management, and Compliance	2
NET 290 NET 298	Cloud Computing	3 2
SOC 101	Cybersecurity Capstone	2
300 101	Introduction to Sociology *	3 14
	Hours	
	Total Hours	60

¹ Students must take at least 3 credit hours in a mathematics course at the level of MTH 101 or above. MTH 103 is recommended.

+ This course meets the World Culture and Diversity graduation requirement.