MAJOR IN WHAT’S COMING NEXT. AND TURN CONCEPTS INTO REALITY. Computing drives innovation in the sciences – think vaccine research, environmental monitoring, genetic research, etc. – but also in engineering, business, entertainment and education. Studying Computer Science allows our graduates to work with professionals in many other disciplines to make a positive difference in the world.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

- Focus on cybersecurity, Artificial Intelligence, software engineering, data science or computer networks.
- Earn a Bachelor of Science degree for a career in the sciences or engineering.
- Earn a Bachelor of Arts degree for a business-focused career. Our program is designed to help you earn an MBA with just one year of study after your bachelor’s degree.

- Unlike many other Computer Science programs at large universities, we offer small class sizes, close interaction between students and faculty, and a strong connection between our students and our industry partners.
- Research is a priority at SIU. You’ll have the chance to work with faculty in ongoing, grant-funded research.
- We work with other majors and departments for research and to introduce related career paths. We want to help you find a career path that is all yours!

Careers

- Our job placement for graduates in nearly 100%.
- The job outlook for this career track is excellent – more than 60% of all STEM jobs are in computer science.
- Our practical problem-solving, career-focused Senior Design Project will have you working with industry leaders for hands-on, practical experience. This can lead to internships and even first career jobs!
- A Computer Science degree can lead to many careers:
  - Software developer
  - database administrator
  - computer systems analyst
  - computer network architect
  - web developer
  - information security analyst
  - research scientist
  - computer and information systems manager
  - IT project manager
  - Future career we haven’t even thought of yet!
- Here are some of the places our Salukis work:
  - Microsoft
  - Motorola
  - IBM
  - Sun Microsystems
  - Google
  - Ebay
  - Amazon
  - The Boeing Company
  - Intel
  - Caterpillar
  - Lockheed
  - OpenText

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