

WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY COMPUTER SCIENCE DEGREE?



Using the Major Sheet:

- Large headings indicate **industry** area and subheadings indicate **employers** within that area.
- Use the titles to search for careers and related careers in order to explore your options within different areas of industry. Note that some career titles have multiple names for similar positions.
- An asterisk (*) notes that additional training (certification, graduate school, high level of experience) may be needed in order to obtain this career. Make sure to thoroughly research career pathways.

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

- Software Engineer
- Software Designer
- Software Quality Assurance Engineer
- Software Project Manager
- User Experience (UX/UI) Designer
- Software Developer
- Software Security Specialist
- Software Engineering Manager
- Software Integration Engineer
- Systems Analyst
- Software Test Engineer
- DevOps Engineer
- Data Engineer

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

- AI Engineer
- AI Researcher
- Robotics Engineer
- Machine Learning Engineer
- NLP Engineer
- AI Ethics Specialist
- Data Scientist
- Computer Vision Engineer

CYBERSECURITY

- Information Security Analyst
- Cryptographer
- Security Architect
- Forensic Analyst
- Security Engineer
- Security Consultant
- Penetration Tester
- Ethical Hacker
- Incident Responder
- Network Security Engineer

DATA SCIENCE

- Data Scientist
- Business Intelligence Analyst
- Data Visualization Specialist
- Quantitative Analyst
- Data Mining
- Data Administrator
- Data Engineer
- Business Intelligence Analyst
- Machine Learning Engineer
- Big Data Engineer
- Data Warehousing
- Business Intelligence (BI) Developer
- Data Quality Manager
- Data Architect
- Predictive Analyst
- Data Analyst
- Data Visualization

MOBILE DEVELOPMENT

- Mobile Application Developer
- Customization Developer

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

- Full Stack Developer
- Mobile App Developer
- Software Architect
- Front-End Developer
- Game Developer
- Quality Assurance Engineer
- Back-End Developer
- DevOps Engineer
- Database Administrator

GAMING & ANIMATION

- Video Game Designer
- Rendering Engineer
- Augmented Reality Developer
- GPU Programmer
- Graphics Programmer
- Visualization Specialist
- Computer Animation Specialist
- CAD Designer
- 3D Artist
- Virtual Reality Developer
- Game Graphics Programmer
- Multimedia Developer

WEB DEVELOPMENT

- Web Designer
- Back-End Developer
- E-Commerce Developer
- Web Accessibility Specialist
- Web Developer
- Full Development
- CMS Developer
- Web Performance Engineer
- Front-End Developer
- Web Administrator
- User Interface Developer

SOFTWARE TESTING AND QUALITY ASSURANCE

- Quality Assurance Engineer
- QA Analyst
- Test Architect
- Test Environment Manager
- Test Automation Engineer
- Performance Tester
- Usability Tester
- Software Tester
- Test Manager
- Security Tester

NETWORKING AND SYSTEMS

- Network Administrator
- Cloud Architect
- Network Security Engineer
- Visualization Engineer
- Systems Administrator
- IT Project Manager
- Database Administrator
- Network Engineer
- Systems Analyst
- IT Support Specialist

IT MANAGEMENT AND CONSULTANCY

- IT Project Manager
- Chief Technology Officer (CTO)
- Solutions Architect
- IT Strategy Consultant
- IT Consultant
- IT Service Manager
- Technical Sales Engineer
- IT Director
- IT Business Analyst
- IT Auditor

MACHINE LEARNING

- Computer Vision Engineer
- Deep Learning Engineer
- Machine Learning Engineer
- Machine Learning Scientist

DATABASE MANAGEMENT

- Database Administrator (DBA)
- Database Analyst
- Data Migration Specialist
- Big Data Engineer
- Database Developer
- Data Warehouse Manager
- Database Performance Analyst
- Data Architect
- Database Security Specialist
- Database Consultant

Preparation for a Competitive Job Market:

- **Focus on transferable skill sets**, as you pursue a degree in Computer Science.
- **Obtain relevant internship, co-op, or volunteer experiences.**
- **Supplement Computer Science coursework** with **classes** that are **relevant** to your career.
- **Meet with a Career Specialist** to explore options, make decisions, and prepare for career choices.

Additional Career Center Resources:

- **Major Sheets (CMPE, CMSC, ENMG, HCC, IS, MATH):** <https://careers.umbc.edu/tools/majors/>
- **The Vault:** <https://careers2.umbc.edu/tools/vault/>
 - Use the top search bar to find these relevant guides:
 - [“Vault Career Guide to Information Technology”](#)
 - [“Vault Guide to Nanotechnology Jobs”](#)
 - [“Vault Guide to Computer and Video Game Design Jobs”](#)
 - [“Vault Guide to Internet Services and Security Jobs”](#)
 - [“Vault Guide to Computer Hardware Jobs”](#)
 - [“Vault Guide to Computer Software Jobs”](#)
- **Professional Associations:**
 - IEEE Computer Society: <https://www.computer.org/web/guest>
 - Association for Computing Machinery: <http://www.acm.org/>
 - American Association for Engineering Education: <https://www.asee.org/>
 - National Society of Black Engineers: <https://nsbe.org/>
 - Society of Women Engineers: <http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/>