# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & NETWORKING



#### **ABOUT THIS DEGREE PROGRAM**

# CORE

#### A FOUNDATION IN TECHNOLOGY

This program is anchored with Tech Core, curriculum designed to help you build a foundation of interdisciplinary skills you'll

need for today's Internet of Things (IoT) economy. You'll learn relevant skills in operating systems, programming, hardware, connectivity and security – giving you a hands-on foundation in engineering technology, information technology and software and information systems.

#### A PROGRAM TO FUEL YOUR FUTURE

With this program, you'll not only be armed with the Tech Core experience, but you'll also be exposed to a variety of concepts that can help guide your specialization choice in Cloud Based Networking and Virtualization, Cyber Security or Mobile and Networked Devices.

#### IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?

Interested in a career in information technology but not sure where to focus? With this program, you'll be exposed to cyber security, networking, mobile technologies and cloud-based systems and be better armed to choose your path.

#### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Graduates of DeVry's <u>Information Technology and Networking degree program</u> may consider, but are not limited to, the following careers:

- Computer Network Support Specialist
- Computer Systems Analyst

#### WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

#### **ESSENTIALS**

- · Communicate methods and findings
- Collaborate in dynamic work environments
- Solve complex problems
- Analyze numerical data
- Apply appropriate technologies

#### **TECH CORE**

- Produce, secure, operate and troubleshoot small enterprise networks
- Network, secure and deploy digital devices and sensors into the IoT ecosystem
- Solve technical problems using an algorithmic approach and basic programming and coding methods
- Install and configure operating systems using command-line interface (CLI)

#### **PROGRAM**

- Develop applications in an IDE framework
- Design LANs and VLANs
- Understand architecture and design
- Understand operation, regulation and trends

#### **QUICK FACTS**

## 120 CREDIT HOURS

minimum credit hours required for graduation



#### THE SMART WAY TO BE UNDECIDED

With our undecided model, you'll be exposed to three different specializations and be better armed to choose your path.<sup>1</sup>



# ACCELERATE ON YOUR SCHEDULE

Choose the schedule that best fits your goals and commitments. You can earn your **Bachelor's Degree** in as little as **2 years 8 months**.

Or, follow a normal schedule and complete your program in 4 years.

- \* Minimum completion time does not include breaks and assumes 3 semesters of year-round, full-time enrollment in 12-19 credit hours a semester per 12-month period.
- \*\* Normal completion time includes breaks and assumes 2 semesters of enrollment in 12-19 credit hours per semester per 12-month period.



### **Information Technology & Networking**

#### **ESSENTIALS**

51 CREDIT HOURS

#### **COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

ENGL135 Advanced Composition ENGL216 Technical Writing

#### Select one

SPCH275 Public Speaking

SPCH276 Intercultural Communication ★

#### **HUMANITIES**

LAS432 Technology, Society, and Culture 😣

#### Select one

ETHC232 Ethical and Legal Issues in the Professions

ETHC334 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in the

Workplace ⊗

#### **SOCIAL SCIENCES**

ECON312 Principles of Economics SOCS185 Culture and Society ⊛

#### Select one

SOCS325 Environmental Sociology

SOCS350 Cultural Diversity in the Professions ⊗

#### MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL SCIENCES

MATH114 Algebra for College Students

MATH234 Discrete Math in Information Technology

TECH204 Everyday Physics

TECH221 Data-Driven Decision - Making

#### PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

CARD405 Career Development

COLL148 Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving

#### BE AN ACTIVE PART OF AN INCLUSIVE FUTURE



Customize your curriculum by choosing Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DE&I) course alternates for your Communication Skills, Humanities and Social Science courses. These course options – denoted by this icon – highlight relevant topics to help empower you to promote an inclusive workplace.

#### **TECH CORE**

21 CREDIT HOURS

TECH CORE

CEIS101 Introduction to Technology and

Information Systems

CEIS106 Introduction to Operating Systems
CEIS110 Introduction to Programming
CEIS114 Introduction to Digital Devices

NETW191 Fundamentals of Information Technology

and Networking

NETW212 Introduction to Cloud Computing SEC285 Fundamentals of Information

Systems Security

#### **PROGRAM**

36 CREDIT HOURS \_

#### INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND PROGRAMMING

CEIS150 Programming with Objects

CEIS236 Database Systems and Programming

**Fundamentals** 

SEC313 Applied AI for Cybersecurity

#### **NETWORK SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATION**

NETW260 Intermediate Information Technology and

Networking I

NETW270 Intermediate Information Technology and

Networking II

NETW310 Wired, Optical and Wireless

Communications with Lab

NETW404 Data Center Virtualization

TECH408 Applied AI for Management and Technology

#### CAREER PREPARATION

CEIS298 Introduction to Technical Project Management

CEIS499 Preparation for the Profession

MGMT404 Project Management

TECH460 Senior Project

#### **SPECIALIZED**

13 CREDIT HOURS

Students who have not chosen an area of specialization may begin the program in "Undecided" status; however, they must select a specialization by the time they have earned 60 semester credit hours toward their degree.

Available specializations are:

- Cloud Based Networking and Virtualization
- Cyber Security
- Mobile and Networked Devices

#### **Demonstrate Skills at Every Step**



#### **EMBEDDED PROGRAMS**

Earn two additional credentials with our unique 3-in-1 design. All courses in our Networking Essentials certificate and Information Technology and Networking associate degree are embedded within this program.<sup>2</sup> So you can earn a certificate and an associate degree on the way to your bachelor's degree.

<sup>2</sup> Future programmatic changes could impact the ability to earn additional credentials en route to an eligible degree program. Refer to the academic catalog for details. The figures displayed represent the minimum credit hours required for graduation. Additional coursework may be necessary to complete program requirements.





