

## MERCER UNIVERSITY



Mercer University | Macon, GA

Mercer University's BS in Cybersecurity degree prepares students to be leaders a critical field of the 21st century. Our mission is to equip graduates with technical expertise, ethical grounding, and practical experience to address complex cybersecurity challenges, safeguard systems, and contribute meaningfully to organizations and communities.

Mercer's program distinctively combines rigorous academics, real-world applications, and focus on ethical leadership. Students gain hands-on experience through labs and participate in national competitions. These experiences sharpen technical skills plus foster teamwork and problem-solving abilities.

Liberal Learning Mercer's liberal arts foundation ensures students engage deeply with the sciences, arts, and humanities, fostering critical thinking,

## **DESIGNATIONS**

• CAE-Cyber Defense

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creativity, and a pursuit of excellence. Students benefit from interdisciplinary programs, research, and a leadership-driven curriculum that prepares them for professional and academic success.

Professional Knowledge Mercer equips students with the professional knowledge needed for successful careers. Cybersecurity students gain expertise in ethical hacking, forensics, secure software, and advanced areas with theory and practice. Student can complete internships.

Discovery Mercer's commitment to interdisciplinary research positions students to address global challenges. Cybersecurity students collaborate across disciplines, with external agencies such as US CyberCom Academic Engagement Network, contributing to innovative solutions in fields like national security and digital infrastructure. Several students conduct original research with faculty and publish in professional academic venues.

Service to Humankind Service is deeply ingrained in the Cybersecurity program. All graduates complete at least one service course. Through Mercer on Mission, students combine study abroad with service-learning to address pressing global challenges.

Community Cybersecurity students collaborate in small classes, fostering support and respect among peers and faculty. Externally, partnerships with organizations like Robins Air Force Base and community projects provide invaluable opportunities to engage and lead.