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GWU is 3 blocks from the White House

One of the most successful feeder institutions into the federal cybersecurity workforce pipeline, educating and sending computer security experts into government service since 2004, is **The George Washington University (GW),** with its Partnership in Securing Cyberspace through Education and Service (Project PISCES). Through its Cyber Security and Privacy Research Institute (CSPRI), GW is a Center of Academic Excellence in Research (CAE-R), focusing on research areas in cryptography, secure elections, mobile security, related AI, and social implications of cybersecurity.

GW provides education opportunities for students with diverse backgrounds to become cybersecurity professionals and help protect the safety and security of our nation's information infrastructure. We do this by combining scholarships, community college student access, university coursework across disciplines, internships, laboratories, and government service. Our unifying and reinforcing Signature Seminar uses current practitioners and recognized leaders in cybersecurity to inspire and motivate our CyberCorps®: Scholarship for Service (SFS) students. It prepares them with the knowledge, perspective, and expertise to perform well in their future government positions, repay their obligation as scholarship recipients, and serve their country.

Our multidisciplinary academic program in cybersecurity and our location five blocks from the White House and a subway ride from hundreds of government agencies combine to make GW's CyberCorps® program attractive for students and for government. Our placement rate for CyberCorps® graduates reflects that fact, as does our success in recruiting and graduating higher than average numbers of women in the field.

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