

ATLANTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE



Cybersecurity Pathways

In an age where there are more devices than people, there has never been a better time to consider a cybersecurity career. Cybersecurity professionals have a wide range of responsibilities, but the core of their job is to protect online data from being compromised. Not only must personal data be protected, but the integrity of the systems and networks that allow commerce to function is vital to social stability in the information age. Due to the increasing number and complexity of cyber-attacks, there is no shortage of jobs in this critical field. Job growth of 15% is projected nationally, with 13% growth anticipated in Fulton and Clayton counties in Georgia. The cybersecurity program not only prepares students to work in this exciting field, but offers credentials and industry certifications along the way that will allow students to begin working as while still completing their degree!

Cybersecurity Certificate

2 Semesters

8 Classes

(7 to Complete Certificate, 1 Towards Overall Program)

Receive CompTia Security + Industry Certification

Careers: Network administrator, IT technician, Security administrator, Network engineer, Computer software engineer

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$50,000/year



Cisco Network Specialist Certificate

1 Additional Semester

4 Classes

(1 to Complete Certificate, 3 Towards Overall Program)

Receive CCNA and CompTia Network + Industry Certs

Careers: Network Specialist, Entry Level Network Engineer, Junior Systems Administrator, Technical Support

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$57,000/year



Cybersecurity Associate's Degree

2 Additional Semesters

8 Additional Classes

Careers: Systems administrator, Database administrator, Web administrator, Web developer, Network administrator, IT technician, Security administrator, Network engineer, Computer software engineer

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$66,000/year

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*All job growth projections and estimated salaries are based on data from Emsi (Economic Modeling Specialists Inc) and are updated annually.