

## BEST MASTER'S IN COMPUTER SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAMS OF 2022

Computer science professionals use technology to solve problems. Because of the pervasiveness of computer technology in today's society, computer scientists play an important role in every industry in the United States and can earn lucrative salaries.

## Why This Matters

THE U.S. NEEDS 531,200 MORE COMPUTER SCIENTISTS BY 2029	COMPUTER SCIENTISTS HAVE ENDLESS JOB OPPORTUNITIES	THOSE WITH A MASTER'S CAN EARN OVER \$122,000 YEARLY
Employment opportunities For computer and information echnology occupations is projected to <u>increase by 11%</u> <u>chrough 2029,</u> which is much Faster than average.	With jobs available in every sector due to the pervasiveness of computer technology, computer science degrees are highly marketable. A few of the many careers include computer programmer, software developer, and database administrator.	The <u>median annual salary</u> for all computer and information technology workers is \$88,240 nationally. However, computer scientists in occupations that require a master's degree earn a median \$122,840 per year.

## **Our Research**

This list focuses on graduate programs in computer science that offer master's degrees. Computer science programs typically award a master of science in computer science degree, although some award a Master of Computer Science degree. We reviewed programs that are offered online, in person, and in hybrid formats.

Several regional organizations accredit master's degree programs that meet high standards of quality in computer science within the United States. One such example is the Higher Learning Commission (HLC). All listed programs are accredited by a regional organization to ensure that they meet the highest standards of quality and that employers will recognize your degree.

We evaluated each program on the basis of flexibility, faculty, course strength, cost, and reputation. Then we calculated the Intelligent Score for each program on a scale from 0 to 100. For a more extensive explanation, check out <u>Our Ranking Methodology</u>. 78 HOURS TO WRITE THIS ARTICLE

196 UNIVERSITIES

AND COLLEGES WE ASSESSED

265 EDUCATION PROGRAMS WE COMPARED



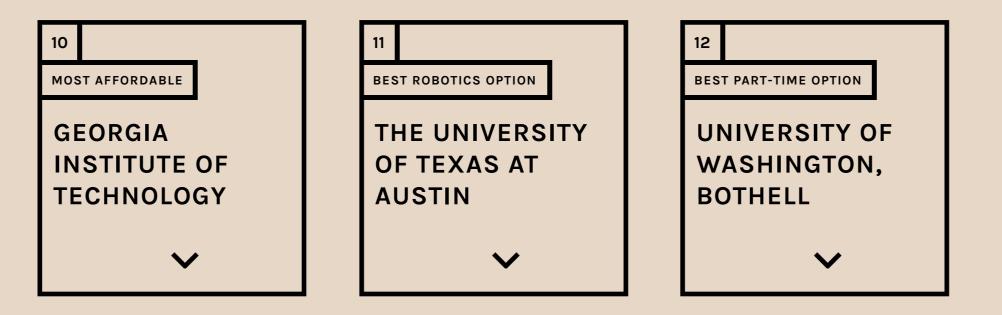
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The Top 45 Master's in Computer Science Degree Programs











SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY	KUTZTOWN UNIVERSITY	NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY
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22 BEST PRE PHD PROGRAM UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY	23 BEST NO GRE OPTION BOSTON UNIVERSITY	24 BEST SELF-DESIGNED PROGRAM CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY
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COMPUTER SCIENCE - MISSOURI S&T	UNIVERSITY	STATE UNIVERSITY
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## Computer Science - Missouri × S&T

INTELLIGENT SCORE	AWARD
69.92	Best for Wireless/Mobile
DEPARTMENT	Systems
Computer Science Department	
	DELIVERY FORMAT
ESTIMATED COST PER CREDIT	On-Campus
\$731.66 per credit	
-	PROGRAMS
ACCREDITATION	Master of Science in Computer Science
Higher Learning Commission	
0	REQUIRED CREDITS TO GRADUATE
MORE PROGRAM INFORMATION	31 credits
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