



Concordia University Chicago

Computer Information Systems (BA)

Study details

Course type: Bachelor's degree

Degree: BA in Computer Information Systems

Study mode: Full time

Duration: 48 Month

Cost of study

Cost : 37 740 USD

Reg. fee : 96 USD

Scholarship :

Insurance : N/A USD

Intake/s

Aug/Jan/May

Requirements

To apply, you will need the following:

- A completed admission application for Concordia University Chicago.
- Official transcripts of all college coursework from each institution you have attended.
- Foreign transcripts evaluated by a Concordia-Chicago-approved international credentialing service. Concordia-Chicago accepts evaluations from Educational Credential Evaluators (ECE).
- A certified document pledging financial support for your first year of study and without any unexpected events, and enough funding from the same or an equally dependable source for the following years.
- Proof of graduation from a secondary school.
- A transfer verification form for students transferring from a school in the United States.
- Proof of English proficiency, via one of the following:
 - A score of at least 72 (internet-based) on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) — Concordia-Chicago's DI code is 1140
 - A score of 6.0 on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS)
 - Successful completion of Level 112 at an ELS Language School (ELS) or a certificate of completion of program from an English Language Institute (ELI), along with a recommendation of the program director
 - Duolingo test with a minimum score of 95

Accommodation

Description	Per Year	Per Semester	Notes
Room & Board			
Room	\$6,772.00	\$3,386.00	
Board	\$5,100.00	\$2,550.00	
Total Room & Board**	\$11,872.00	\$5,936.00	\$200.00 annual reservation fee students
Total (Resident)	\$50,670.00	\$25,335.00	

Speciality

Description	Per Year	Per Semester
Technology Fee	\$436.00	\$218.00
Wellness/Medical Fee	\$160.00	\$80.00

Student Activity Fee	\$356.00	\$178.00
Registration and Records Fee	\$96.00	\$48.00
Green Fee	\$10.00	\$5.00
Total (commuter)	\$38,798.00	\$19,399.00

Additional information

Computer Information Systems Program and Degree Overview

The CIS program at Concordia-Chicago provides a theoretical and practical foundation that is hands-on and adaptable to rapid changes in the field.

A quality computer information systems program must include a professional component. Students also must have a theoretical foundation that provides flexibility in a rapidly changing field. CUC's courses provide for both. The introductory classes emphasize hands-on exercises. In our advanced classes, students work in project teams to gain experience working cooperatively on a complex computer system.

Your coursework will include foundation courses, which will be built upon with supplementary courses as you progress through your degree track. Other courses will focus on hardware and operating systems, analysis and design, database management, programming and troubleshooting, electronic business and management information systems.

Computer Information Systems Major Opportunities

Independent studies are available if students wish to work one-on-one with a faculty member to study a subject in greater depth. As a junior or senior, students may elect to take higher-level courses offered by the Associated Colleges of the Chicago Area at Argonne National Laboratory.

Internships are available to give students the valuable experience so critical for success once the job search begins. Our students have interned at many respected organizations such as:

- Argonne National Laboratory
- Baxter Health Care
- Cyborg Systems
- Perkins and Will
- Sunstrand Advanced Technology Group
- Hewitt Associates

Many computer information majors gain experience in supporting computer users by working at CougarNet, Concordia's help desk for technical problems. Under the mentorship of experienced computer information systems professionals, students often move in to positions responsible for installing and upgrading software, troubleshooting and repairing computers, and working with databases throughout the University.