



BS in Computer Science

#81 in top public schools

U.S. News & World Report 2025, Top Public Colleges and Universities

\$157,160 average salary for computer and information research science fields

U.S. Labor Board Statistics, 2024

19 km from New York City (one of the hottest job markets in the U.S.)

120+ student clubs and organizations



Montclair offers state-of-the-art computer science labs where students can learn their coursework with a hands-on approach.

About the program

The BS Computer Science program combines both theoretical knowledge and practical skills in computing. Students will graduate with a deep knowledge of software and hardware, and a strong foundation in mathematics and science. Our curriculum prepares students for a wide range of careers as well as graduate degree programs in computer science.

The BS in Computer Science program is accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission (CAC). This is one of the four commissions operated by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET).

Admission Requirements

- Application
- Application fee
- English translation of transcripts from all secondary schools attended
- English proficiency test score
- Personal statement
- Letter of recommendation
- Resume
- Optional:
 - List of extracurriculars
 - SAT/ACT scores

Transfer Students

In addition to the general requirements, students must also provide an official course-by-course NACES transcript evaluation

Career Outcomes

Graduates with a computer science degree can go into wide range of fields and careers. Some of the most common include:

- Computer and Information Research Scientist
- Operations Research Analyst
- Computer Hardware Engineer
- Computer Network Architect
- Computer Programmer
- Computer Systems Analyst
- Database Administrator
- Information Security Analyst
- Information Systems Manager
- Software Developer

Fast facts about Montclair



Number of students	23,500
Countries represented on campus	77
Students living on campus	5,300
Student/Faculty ratio	17:1
Average class size	25
Alumni Network	145,000+ in 50 states and 70 countries