

**Degree Program**

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# COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY

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Options: **Associate of Applied Science Degree / Technical Certificate / Certificate of Proficiency in Computer Maintenance / Certificate of Proficiency in Networking Technology**

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The Computer Information Systems Technology (CIS) program is designed to provide students with computer repair, networking, and programming skills that will prepare them for careers in today’s information technology (IT) field.

With an emphasis on industry-standard certifications, the CIS program provides an in-depth understanding of the skills employers are looking for in their IT staff. This program is not just classroom-based; instruction takes place in a hands-on laboratory environment that provides real-world experience in applying the skills valued by employers.

## COURSES INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- Computer Hardware and Software Maintenance
- Computer Programming
- Internet Technologies
- Local Area Networking
- Microsoft and Linux Operating Systems
- Network Security Concepts
- Ethical Hacking and Network Defense

## After UACCM

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## GRADUATES ARE EMPLOYED AS:

- Network administrators
- Service technicians
- Help desk specialists

## ARKANSAS WAGES:

### NETWORK AND COMPUTER SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATORS:

Average Annual Wage: ..... **\$67,010**

### COMPUTER USER SUPPORT SPECIALISTS:

Average Annual Wage: ..... **\$40,630**

## EXAMPLES OF POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS:

Acxiom, Arkansas Department of Information Services, Conway Corporation, Dillards, Hewlett-Packard Corporation, Koontz Electric, Microsoft, Ozark Health, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Verizon, area school districts, and other local corporations



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