

**STRATEGICALLY LOCATED** in the middle of the Telecom Corridor, which is home to over a 1,000 high-tech companies, the UT Dallas Computer Science Department is in the midst of a growth phase that includes addition of new programs in cyber security, information assurance, data sciences and interactive computing, hiring of a large number of new faculty, and a steep increase in external research funding.

**CORE AREAS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE RESEARCH:**

Research activities in the UT Dallas Computer Science Department include a wide spectrum of investigations funded by federal and state governments and industry. Several institutes, housing a number of centers and dozens of laboratories, carry out research in the following areas:

- Algorithms
- Artificial Intelligence
- Automata and Formal Languages
- Bioinformatics
- Cloud Computing
- Combinatorial Optimization
- Computational Complexity
- Computational Geometry
- Computational Logic
- Computer Graphics
- Computer Networks
- Computer Vision
- Cryptography
- Cyber Security
- Data Sciences
- Databases
- Distributed Systems and Algorithms
- Embedded and Real-time Software
- Graph Models
- Informational Retrieval
- Intelligent Systems
- Internet of Things
- Machine Learning
- Multi-Agent Systems
- Multimedia Systems
- Natural Language Processing
- Networking and Telecommunications
- Pattern Recognition / Image Processing
- Programming Languages and Systems
- Simulation and Modeling
- Software Engineering
- Software Maintenance
- Software Verification and Testing
- Virtual Reality



**Full-time Computer Science Faculty**  
97

**Computer Science Research Expenditures (2016)**  
\$8.57 Million

**Computer Science Enrollment (2019)**  
Bachelor of Science: 3,315  
Master of Science: 1,110  
PhD: 165

**Computer Science Degrees Granted (2017-18)**  
Bachelor of Science: 386  
Master of Science: 451  
PhD Awarded: 23

**MS Tracks**

- Computer Systems
- Data Science
- Information Assurance / Cyber Security
- Intelligent Systems
- Interactive Computing
- Networks & Telecom
- Software Engineering
- Computing Theory

## MEET OUR FACULTY

And learn about their research interests...



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## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Graduate assistantships feature a full tuition waiver and a stipend starting at \$1,850/month and increasing to \$2,150/month. Other opportunities include Jonsson School Distinguished Graduate Research Fellowships, the Computer Security and Information Assurance Scholarship for Service Program Fellowships, teaching assistantships and research assistantships. MS students have excellent opportunities through our internship program.

## ADDITIONAL FACTS

- Over 1,000 high-tech firms are located within a ten-mile radius of UT Dallas, providing many opportunities for internships and employment.
- UT Dallas CS faculty includes thirteen NSF CAREER award holders and three US Air Force Young Investigators.
- Ranked 29<sup>th</sup> internationally in the CACM Publication rankings for Computer Science graduate programs, 24<sup>th</sup> internationally for Software Engineering graduate programs.
- Received more than \$45 Million in new research grants in the last 5 years. Ranked 37<sup>th</sup> nationally in research expenditure.\*
- Ranked fourth in the nation among all CS departments in number of BS, MS and PhD computer science graduates produced.\*
- Ranked third in the nation among all CS departments in number of women MS computer science graduates produced.\*
- Ranked second in the nation among CS departments within Engineering Schools in number of women faculty.\*
- One of the largest internship programs in the country with more than 700 interns placed in the most recent academic year.
- Ranked 21<sup>st</sup> in the nation in 2014 LinkedIn ranking of best schools for software developers.
- CS alumni have started many successful companies including Tarski Technologies, Invene, and SURVIVR.
- CS. Dept. ranked #8 in NLP, and #6 in Software Engineering at CSrankings.org ('09-'19 period).

\*Data from ASEE

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