

# INFORMATION SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY, CERTIFICATE

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Requirements for an undergraduate certificate may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the certificate.

## Certificate Learning Objectives

- **Communication (Individual and Team):** Communicate and work effectively (both individually and in teams) with a range of perspectives and audiences through a variety of media
  - Participate effectively on teams in order to accomplish a common goal
  - Communicate effectively with a range of audiences, formally or informally, through writing and the spoken word
  - Seek out, analyze, and incorporate diverse ideas and broader perspectives represented in the diversity of people
  - Make respectful and inclusive choices in interacting with customers, peers, supervisors, and/or subordinates with a diversity of identity characteristics (e.g., age, ancestry, color, disability or handicap, national origin, race, religious creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identify, or veteran status).
- **Knowledge/Application:** Understand and apply the interdisciplinary, theoretical knowledge of the information sciences or security sciences
  - Define and explain the core concepts, principles, processes, and theories within the academic majors of IST and/or SRA
  - Apply the core concepts of the academic majors of IST and/or SRA to real-world problem
- **Problem-Solving:** Understand, apply and adapt various problem solving strategies, using appropriate technology and methods
  - Identify information problems and/or opportunities in terms of the human, informational and technology dimensions
  - Analyze issues surrounding the problem and/or opportunity in terms of the human, informational, and technology dimensions; and determine the requirements appropriate to understanding the situation
  - Design systems, architectures, processes, components, or programs to meet desired needs of the human context at varying levels of analysis (e.g., individual, group, organization, society, and/or world)
  - Deploy up-to-date and appropriate techniques, methodologies, and/or tools necessary for understanding opportunities and constraints and/or the optimal design, implementation and continuance of an information based solution
  - Evaluate the success of systems, architecture, processes, components, or programs intended to meet desired needs of the human context at varying levels of analysis (e.g., individual, group, organization, society, and/or world)