

## Careers in Information Security and Digital Forensics

For more information  
check out the following re-  
sources:

- Center for internet security—  
[www.cisefurity.org](http://www.cisefurity.org)
- CyberLawEnforce-  
ment.org
- [http://  
homelandsecu-  
rity.osu.edu/NACHS](http://homelandsecurity.osu.edu/NACHS)

Colleges in Maryland with  
Degree Programs:

- University of Maryland  
University College,  
Prince Georges Commu-  
nity College, and Capitol  
College



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In the ever changing high tech society that we live in today the scope of careers in the computer and information security field are growing at a rapid pace. Computers are a valuable asset to our society, but their use has created new types of threats to personal security from the stealing of personal information to tactics used in global warfare.



New Careers in the Information Security Field:

- Forensic Specialist
- Security Architect
- Information Assurance Manager
- IT Security Specialist
- Certification/Accreditation Specialist
- Risk Manager

### General Skills Needed:

- Good Oral and Written Communication
- Strong analytical and problem solving skills
- Ability to work on a team
- Commitment to ethics- security clearance required
- Education in technological pathway of your choice

### Training/Certifications Required:

Certifications are based on the type of job you are pursuing. Examples include:

- Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP)
- Systems Security Certified Practitioner (SSCP)

\* A+, Network+, or Security + certifications

### Employment Opportunities:

- Federal, State and Local Governments
- National Security Agency
- Department of Homeland Security
- Private sector- banks and other financial institutions
- Industry- especially with defense companies
- Secret Service



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