

Bachelor of Science in Information Technology



KENNESAW STATE
UNIVERSITY

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Catalog Year: 2020

Total Degree Credit Hours: 120

General Education Requirements (See Degreeworks for Prerequisites)

A-1	ENGL 1101 Composition I	3	
	ENGL 1102 Composition II	3	
A-2	MATH 1113 Precalculus	3	

Area A: Essential Skills (9 credit hours)

All Area A courses must be completed within the first 30 credit hours with a grade of C or higher.

B-1	ECON 1000 Contemporary Economic Issues	2	
B-2	AADS/AMST/ASIA/GWST/LAL/PAX/RELS 1102, COM 1100, FL 1002, LDRS 2300, PHIL 2200, or POLS 2401	3	

Area B: Institutional Options (5 credit hours)

Choose 1 course from B-2. COM 1100 is recommended.

C-1	Literature: ENGL 2110, 2111, 2112, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2130, 2131, 2132, or 2300	3	
C-2	Arts and Culture: ART 1107, MUSI 1107, DANC 1107, or TPS 1107	3	

Area C: Humanities, Fine Arts, and Ethics (6 cr hrs)

Choose one course from each area.

D-1	MATH 1190 Calculus I	4	
D-2	BIOL 1107/L, BIOL 1108/L, CHEM 1211/L, CHEM 1212/L, PHYS 1111/L, PHYS 1112/L, PHYS 2211/L, PHYS 2212/L	4	
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Area D: Science, Math, and Technology (11-12 cr hrs)

Information Technology majors must complete two 4-credit hour science courses. "L" denotes the corresponding lab course. Students **may not** take both PHYS 1111/L and PHYS 2211/L or PHYS 1112/L and PHYS 2212/L. A total of 12 hours are completed for this area with 2 credits carried over to Area F and Upper Div. Major courses.

E-1	POLS 1101 American Government	3	
E-2	HIST 2111 or 2112 US History	3	
E-3	HIST 1100, 1111, or 1112 World History	3	
E-4	CRJU 1101, GEOG 1101, PSYC 1101, SOCI 1101, STS 1101, ANTH 1102, or ECON 2100	3	

Area E: Social Sciences (12 credit hours)

Choose one course from each area for E-2, E-3, & E-4.

Area F Lower Division Major Requirements

	Prerequisites		
CSE 1321 Programming & Problem Solving I AND CSE 1321L Programming & Problem Solving I Lab	Lecture & Lab must be taken together	4	
CSE 1322 Programming & Problem Solving II AND CSE 1322L Programming & Problem Solving II Lab	Min. grade of 'B' in CSE 1321/L & MATH 1113/1190*	4	
TCOM 2010 Technical Writing	ENGL 1102	3	
MATH 2332 Intro to Probability and Data Analysis	MATH 1190	3	
MATH 2345 Discrete Mathematics or CSE 2300 Discrete Structures for Computing	MATH 1113 or 1190 MATH 1113 & CSE 1321/L	3	
Carryover credit hour from Area D Group 2 Science Lab	See Area D Science requirement	1	

CSE 1321 & CSE 1321L and CSE 1322 & CSE 1322L must have a minimum grade of 'B.' All other courses must have a minimum grade of 'C'.

*May be taken before or at the same time

Free Electives (5 credit hours)

CSE 1300 is highly recommended for students who are new to programming and have available free elective credits to complete.

Upper Division Major Courses

Prerequisites

CSE 3153 Database Systems	CSE 1322/L	3	
CSE 3801 Professional Practices and Ethics	CSE 1322/L	2	
IT 3123 Hardware & Software Concepts	(CSE 1321/L w/'B' or better) or IT 1113	3	
IT 3003 Professional Development & Entrepreneurship	IT 3123	3	
IT 3203 Intro to Web Development	CSE 1321/L w/'B' or better	3	
IT 3223 Software Acquisition & Project Management	CSE 1321/L w/'B' or better	3	
IT 3423 Operating Systems Concepts & Administration	IT 3123	3	
IT 3883 Advanced Applications Development	'B' or better in CSE 1322/L & (CSE 3153* or CS 3410*)	3	
IT 4323 Data Communications & Networks	IT 3123	3	
IT 4423 Linux/Unix Administration	IT 3423	3	
IT 4683 Management of IT & Human Computer Interaction	CSE 3153	3	
IT 4723 IT Policy and Law	IT 3123 & IT 3223	3	
IT 4823 Information Security Administration	CSE 3153 & IT 3123 & (CSE 2300 or MATH 2345)	3	
IT 4983 IT Capstone	IT 3423, IT 3223, IT 3203 & IT 4323*, IT 4823*	3	
1 Credit hour is carried over from MATH 1190 Calculus 1 – 'C' grade is required			1

All major courses must have a minimum grade of 'C,' except for CSE 1321/L, which must have a minimum grade of 'B'.

* - can be done concurrently with course

Concentration (15 credit hours)

Choose **ONE** concentration. Four of the five courses must be completed from the chosen concentration. The fifth course may be from the same or any concentration, IT 4490 Special Topics, or CSE 4983 Computing Internship.

Enterprise Systems

Prerequisites

IT 3503 Foundations of HIT	ENGL 1102	3	
IT 4153 Advanced Database	CSE 3153	3	
IT 4333 Network Configuration & Administration	IT 4323	3	
IT 4673 Virtual IT Systems	CSE 3153 & IT 3423 & IT 4323	3	
IT 4403 Advanced Web and Mobile Applications	IT 3203	3	

Data Analytics and Tech.

Prerequisites

IT 3703 Introduction to Data Analytics and Technology	IT 3123 & CSE 3153*	3	
IT 4713 Business Intelligence Systems	CSE 3153	3	
IT 4733 Big Data System Administration	IT 3703	3	
IT 4773 Machine Learning for Enterprise Applications	IT 3703	3	
IT 4793 Applied Data Driven Solutions	IT 3703	3	

* - can be done concurrently with course

Cyber Operations Security

Prerequisites

IT 4833 Wireless Security	IT 4323	3	
IT 4843 Ethical Hacking for Effective Defense	IT 4323	3	
IT 4853 Computer Forensics	IT 4323	3	
IT 4883 Infrastructure Defense	IT 4323	3	
IT 4893 Internet of Things	IT 4823 & IT 4323		
IT 4863 Web and Mobile Application Security	IT 3203	3	

FinTech

Prerequisites

IT 4603 Introduction to FinTech	CSE 3153	3	
IT 4613 Applied Machine Learning in FinTech	IT 4603	3	
IT 4623 FinTech Security & Privacy	IT 4603 and IT 4823	3	
FTA 4001 Foundations in FinTech	None	3	
FTA 4002 Financial Technologies	None	3	

FTA 4005 Intro to Financial Data Analytics can be taken as the 5th course for this concentration in addition to the other options (1 course from any concentration)