

Computer Information Systems

18 Credits Catalog Year: 2020/2021

The CIS certificate has been constructed to provide the prospective student with skills in a broad variety of topics. With knowledge of accounting, management, marketing, office software, databases and economics, the recipient is prepared for a wide variety of entry-level positions within many different industries.

		Pre or Co	Course Availability		
Required Courses	Credits	Reqs Rqd	Fall	Spr	Sum
Select 10 - 18 Credits from the Following					
CIS 115 - Introduction to Computer Information Systems	3		✓	✓	✓
CIS 118 - Intro to PC Applications	3	✓	✓	✓	✓
CIS 130 - Introduction to Internet	1		✓	•	✓
CIS 135 - Complete PC Word Processing (software package)	3	✓	✓	•	✓
CIS 145 - Complete PC Database	3	✓	✓	✓	✓
CIS 155 - PC Spreadsheet Concepts: Excel	3	✓	✓	•	✓
CIS 161 - Presentation Graphics I: (Software)	3		✓	•	✓
 CIS 202 - Automated Project Management: MS Project 	3		✓	•	✓
CIS 220 - Fundamentals of Unix	3		•	•	
CIS 240 - Database Design and Development	3		✓	✓	
CIS 268 - Systems Analysis and Design I	3			✓	
CNG 124 - Networking I: Network +	3		✓	•	✓
CNG 132 - Network Security Fundamentals	3	✓	✓	•	
 CNG 211 - Windows Configuration: (OS) 	3		✓	✓	
CSC 119 - Introduction to Programming OR CSC 116 - Programming Logic	3		✓	✓	✓
CSC 154 - Visual Basic Net Programming	4				
CSC 160 - Computer Science I*	4	✓	✓	•	
Optional - Select 3 - 8 Credits from the Following					
ACC 121 - Accounting Principles I	4		✓	✓	✓
ACC 122 - Accounting Principles II	4	✓	✓	•	✓
BUS 115 - Introduction to Business	3		✓	•	✓
 ECO 201 - Principles of Macroeconomics OR ECO 202 - Principles of Microeconomics* 	3		✓	✓	✓
ECO 202 - Principles of Microeconomics: GT-SS1*	3		✓	✓	✓
MAN 216 - Small Business Management	3		✓	✓	✓
MAN 226 - Principles of Management	3		✓	✓	✓
MAT 125 - Survey of Calculus: GT-MA1	4	✓	✓	✓	✓



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Pre-Requisites, Co-Requisites, and Recommendations (grade C or better required)

Where requirements are listed as course categories (e.g. Electives, Arts/Humanities) rather than as specific courses, please note that depending upon course choice, pre-requisites may be required.

ACC 122 - Accounting Principles II

• Pre-Requisite: ACC 121 - Accounting Principles I

CIS 118 - Intro to PC Applications

Requirement: Students must have Windows file management skills to create file folders, rename files, delete
files, copy and move files

CIS 135 - Complete PC Word Processing (software package)

• Requirement: Students must have Windows file management skills to create file folders, rename files, delete files, copy and move files

CIS 145 - Complete PC Database

• Requirement: Students must have Windows file management skills to create file folders, rename files, delete files, copy and move files

CIS 155 - PC Spreadsheet Concepts: Excel

• Pre-Requisite: Students must have Windows file management skills to create file folders, rename files, delete files, copy and move files

CNG 132 - Network Security Fundamentals

• Pre-Requisite: CNG 124 - Networking I: Network +

CSC 160 - Computer Science I*

• Pre-Requisite: CSC 119 - Introduction to Programming: Java

MAT 125 - Survey of Calculus: GT-MA1

Pre-Requisite: MAT 121 - College Algebra OR MAT 123 - Finite Mathematics*

Notes

- Course avaiability is subject to change.
- Recommened courses may be listed above for certain electives; consult with the Academic Advising Office (advising@arapahoe.edu or 303.797.5664) for additional elective recommendations.
- Refer to 20/21 catalog for specific requirements and important information regarding this certificate.
- Select a minimum of 18 credit hours from course offerings outlined. At least 10 credit hours must be from CIS, CNG or CSC prefixes.

Graduation Requirements

• To graduate, students must apply for graduation (form available at www.arapahoe.edu/departments-and-programs/raduation) by the deadlilne and meet all degree requirements



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RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE FULL-TIME TRACK

Year 1: Fall	Credits	Course
	3	CIS 118 - Intro to PC Applications
	3	CIS 145 - Complete PC Database
	3	CIS 202 - Automated Project Management: MS Project
	3	ECO 201 - Principles of Macroeconomics OR ECO 202 - Principles of Microeconomics
Year 1: Spring	Credits	Course
	3	CSC 119 - Introduction to Programming
	3	MAN 226 - Principles of Management



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RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE PART-TIME TRACK

Year 1: Fall	Credits	Course
	3	CIS 118 - Intro to PC Applications
	3	CIS 145 - Complete PC Database
Year 1: Spring	Credits	Course
	3	CIS 202 - Automated Project Management: MS Project
	3	ECO 201 - Principles of Macroeconomics OR ECO 202 - Principles of Microeconomics
Year 1: Summer	Credits	Course
	3	CSC 119 - Introduction to Programming
	3	MAN 226 - Principles of Management