Computer Science Education // MAJOR MAP



	FRESHMAN	SOPHOMORE	JUNIOR	SENIOR	CAREER
Grow ACADEMICALLY	Investigate introductory courses like CIS 1144 Computer Science I, CIS 1154 Computer Science II, MAT 1173 Discrete Mathematics, and CIS 2213 Systems Analysis and Design. Familiarize yourself with your department by getting to know the professors and students.	Explore career goals with your advisor. Discuss when to take the Missouri General Education Assessment (MoGEA). Discover more about your major by engaging in courses that integrate Computer Science and Education.	Continue engaging in CIS Core Courses as well as Educational Support Courses. Strive to be in the top 20% of your class for entrance into Delta Mu Delta Honor Society.	EDU 4691 Student Teaching Seminar will bring your academic experiences together and prepare you for your desired career path upon graduation.	POSSIBILITIES Computer Science Teacher
Pursue SERVANT LEADERSHIP	Participate in student organizations and professional associations like Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), Sentrepact, Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), and Student Missouri State Teachers Association (SMSTA). Engage in Cyberhealth Day where you will perform security checks and remove viruses from community members' computers.	Take more responsibility in your extra-curricular activities. Engage in your student organization and consider a leadership role within ACM, Sentrepact, FBLA, or SMSTA.	Demonstrate servant-leadership by making new members feel welcome and pursuing project leader/officer positions in your organization.	Spread the word about what clubs/organizations/events you have enjoyed and help others to get connected on campus.	
Embrace OUR GLOBAL SOCIETY	Visit SBU's Center for Global Connections to learn about global service opportunities. Participate in service opportunities with ACM, Sentrepact, FBLA, or SMSTA throughout the year.	Compete and travel with ACM, Sentrepact, or FBLA. Are you interested in studying abroad? Ask your advisor or Career Services about study abroad opportunities.	Compete and travel with ACM, Sentrepact, or FBLA. Consider taking an international trip with the SBU MBA program.	Assess what opportunities, locally and globally, are available upon graduation. Investigate opportunities to teach abroad.	
Plan for YOUR FUTURE	Discuss your career interests with an advisor and identify your goals. Apply for CPP scholarships.	Attend the CPP career fair held each semester. Pursue internship opportunities by networking at career fairs held on campus.	Explore graduate schools if you desire to continue your education. Prepare for the Missouri Content Assessment.	Identify and ask individuals if they will write you letters of reference/recommendation. Finalize your résumé and cover letter.	