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### GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name of Institution: EC-Council University

Address: 101-C Sun Ave. Albuquerque, NM 87109

Year Founded: 2003

First Accredited: 2015

President: Lata Bavisi

Accreditation (s) and Agency E-mail Contact Information:

Distance Education Accrediting Commission (DEAC)

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State Approval Contact Information: EC-Council University is licensed by the New Mexico Higher Education Department at 2048 Galisteo Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico, USA 87505-2100, 505-476-8400 www.hed.state.nm.us

EC-Council University complies with New Mexico statues.

# MISSION AND DESCRIPTION:

Institution Mission Statement: "Through quality distance educational programs, excellence in teaching and research, and direct connections to the Cyber Security industry EC-Council University Aspires to be an educational leader in <a href="mailto:cybersecurity">cybersecurity</a>. Our students of today will become the <a href="mailto:cybersecurity">cybersecurity</a> leaders of tomorrow".

Areas of Special Focus: Cyber Security and Information Assurance

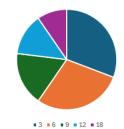
Description of Institution: 100% online education, asynchronous learning

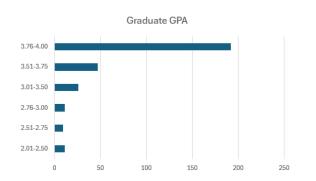
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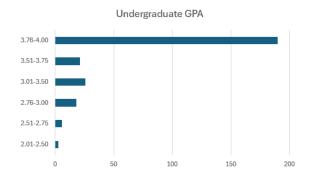
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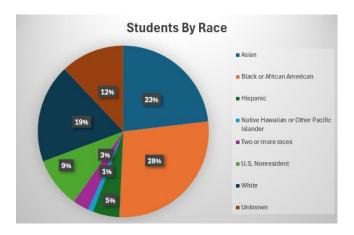












Courses/Programs/Degrees: Bachelor of Science in Cyber Security (BSCS), Master of Science in Cyber Security (MSCS), Master of Science in Computer Science (MCS), and Graduate Certificate Programs (GCP) in 6 different cyber security specializations: Information Security Professional, Security Analyst, Enterprise Security Architect, Digital Forensics, Incident Management and Business Continuity, and Executive Leadership in Information Assurance.

Average Program Tuition/Cost per credit hour (MSCS): \$540.00 per credit hour
 Average Program Tuition/Cost per credit hour (BSCS): \$465.00 per credit hour

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## **SUCCESS INDICATORS:**

**Graduation rates** are based on the number of students who successfully graduate from a specific starting cohort. ECCU establishes annual cohorts to track successful graduation rates.

- **Graduation Rate** for the most recent Master's program cohort (2022) is currently 77%; projected Graduation Rate for the current 2023 cohort is **75.4**%
- 2023 Student Satisfaction Survey responses:
  - 97.7% = Did you achieve, or will you have achieved upon completing your studies, the goals you had when you started this course or program?
  - o 90.9% = All things considered, were you satisfied with your studies at ECCU?
  - o 95.5% = Would you recommend these studies to a friend?
- Overall Retention Rate for 2023 is 91.2%
- 2023 Survey Respondents reported the following:
- 93% Employment Rate
- 80% of the respondents stated that ECCU provided both theoretical and practical training to ready them for real world environments.
- 68% were able to secure a position, pay raise, promotion, or improved role
- 60% were able to secure a new job within 6 months or less of graduation
- 57% were able to obtain positions paying \$100K or above
- 82% of respondents stated that their education at ECCU helped enhance their career:
  - o "I have started a consulting firm."
  - o "I was stabilized as the main focal point for Cybersecurity in my organization."
  - "I am currently enrolled in an Advanced Computer Science program focusing on AI and plan to
    use the knowledge I gained from both the cybersecurity and AI fields during my Ph.D. studies."
  - "It gave me several certifications in addition to the Bachelors degree which helps on the resume."
  - "My graduation came at the right time when cyber risk has become the major operational risk. There is generally a shortage of skills in cyber security. Hence, my ability to secure a promotion and pay rise."
  - "The master degree gave me the expertise level needed to achieve a better position in the company."
  - "The program provided me with comprehensive knowledge of the cybersecurity industry, and in the current status of increased cyber attacks and data breaches, individuals with cybersecurity qualifications and knowledge are in high demand."
  - "A flexible program that provides professional development with right mix of theoretical and practical skills and knowledge."
  - "It really made a difference in career advancement."
  - "It provided an added layer of proficiency to my career."
  - o "It increases my employability and visibility in the job market."
  - "A deeper understanding of security helped me understand why and how to improve the security posture of the infrastructure I manage."

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