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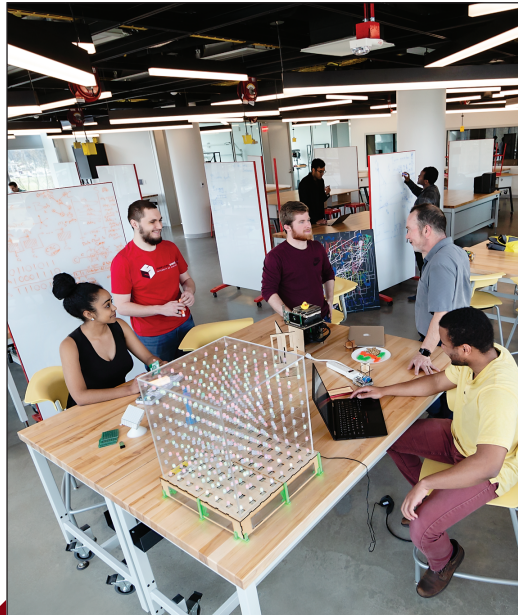


FACT SHEET

Fall 2023

# DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

**17<sup>TH</sup>**  
**IN THE NATION**  
**BEST GRADUATE PROGRAMS**  
*U.S News & World Report, 2023*



**MOST POPULAR UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR ON CAMPUS**

**OVER \$30 MILLION**  
**ANNUAL SPONSORED RESEARCH FUNDING**  
**FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE & UMIACS**

## FACULTY

- 63 Tenured/tenure-track
- 25 Research/instructional
- 49 Affiliate/adjunct

## FACULTY FELLOWS

- 21 ACM
- 18 IEEE
- 10 AAAS
- 7 AAAI
- 3 SIAM

## STUDENTS

- 3800 Undergraduate students
- 437 Graduate students

## STUDENT PROGRAMS

- Iribe Initiative for Inclusion and Diversity in Computing
- Mokhtarzada Hatchery
- ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest
- Advanced Cybersecurity Experience for Students (ACES)
- Bitcamp and Technica Hackathons

## WORLDWIDE LEADERS IN CS RESEARCH

**12<sup>TH</sup> NATIONALLY\***  
**16<sup>TH</sup> WORLDWIDE\***  
**11<sup>TH</sup> ON CSRANKINGS.ORG**  
*\*based on guide2research.com h-index and DBLP values*

## OVER 10,000 ALUMNI

### CHAIR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Elizabeth Iribe Chair for Innovation & Phillip H. and Catherine C. Horvitz Professor of Computer Science  
**Matthias Zwicker**



## UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS AND SPECIALIZATIONS

- Computer Science with Specializations in:
- Cybersecurity
  - Data Science
  - Machine Learning
  - Quantum Information
- Immersive Media Design

## RESEARCH AREAS

- Algorithms and Theory
- Artificial Intelligence and Robotics
- Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
- Computer Vision and Machine Perception
- Cybersecurity and Cryptography
- Databases and Big Data
- Graphics, Visualization, and Virtual/Augmented Reality
- High-Performance and Scientific Computing
- Human-Computer Interaction
- Information Retrieval and Geographic Information Systems
- Internet-of-Things and Wearable Technology
- Machine Learning and Data Science
- Natural Language Processing
- Programming Languages and Software Engineering
- Quantum Computing
- Systems and Networking

## RESEARCH CENTERS

- Center for Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
- Center for Automation Research
- Center for Machine Learning
- Computational Linguistics and Information Processing at Maryland
- Human-Computer Interaction Laboratory
- Institute for Systems Research
- Institute for Trustworthy AI in Law & Society
- Joint Center for Quantum Information and Computer Science
- Maryland Cybersecurity Center
- University of Maryland Institute for Advanced Computer Studies



## IRIBE INITIATIVE FOR INCLUSION & DIVERSITY IN COMPUTING

### IMPACT



Over **2,700 K-12 students and educators** and over **1,200 UMD students** directly engaged with I4C programming between June 2022 and May 2023 through support from our many partners.



Over **80%** of all students served are from populations underrepresented in computing.

**LEARN MORE:** [inclusion.cs.umd.edu](https://inclusion.cs.umd.edu)

The Iribe Initiative for Inclusion and Diversity in Computing (I4C) aims to create a supportive, vibrant and inclusive community of students, educators and researchers coming together to increase the involvement—and success—of all individuals from historically marginalized populations in computing.

I4C delivers on this vision by hosting a wide variety of current student programming including mentoring, tutoring, community building, and student support—as well as K-12 outreach.

Break Through Tech DC at UMD, a national initiative committed to increasing gender equality in tech, is also housed within I4C.



## CORPORATE PARTNERS IN COMPUTING

The **Corporate Partners in Computing Program (CPIC)** fosters close working relationships between the Department of Computer Science, the University of Maryland Institute for Advanced Computer Studies, and industry leaders. CPIC offers exclusive opportunities for collaboration in research, education, and undergraduate and graduate student development. Partners benefit with invitations to special events, research previews, student recruitment opportunities, and corporate recognition.

LEARN MORE: [cs.umd.edu/community/partners](https://cs.umd.edu/community/partners)

## GOVERNMENT COLLABORATIONS

Computer Science faculty members and students also collaborate with government agencies and research labs in the area, including the Federal Communications Commission, NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center, the National Institutes of Health, the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the U.S. Army Research Laboratory, and the National Security Agency.

### MEGA PARTNERS



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