

Information at a Glance

GW Cybersecurity Scholarships

	CyberCorps: NSF Scholarships for Service	CyberCorps: DoD CySP
Tuition and fees related to academic program	100%	100%
Annual Stipend	Undergraduate \$25,000 Master's \$34,000 Doctorate \$34,000	Undergraduate \$25,000 Master's \$30,000 Doctorate \$30,000
Annual Allowance	Medical Insurance GW Medical Professional Development \$6,000	Medical Insurance GW Medical Travel Support Negotiated Textbooks \$1,250 Laptop \$1,500
Employment and Summer Internship	<p>Students must find a summer internship at an appropriate government employer. The CyberCorps SFS Program coordinates an annual job fair with dozens of participating federal government agencies where CyberCorps students can interview for both summer internship and permanent employment.</p> <p>In some cases, students are permitted to work for state, local, or tribal government agencies; national laboratories; or federally funded research and development centers.</p>	<p>There are three major features of the CySP Program</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Students are nominated by GW to the U.S Department of Defense (DoD), but DoD selects students based on billeting needs. 2) CySP students are assigned a summer internship AND a career position after graduation at the time of the scholarship award. 3) CySP is a one year renewable scholarship.
Service Requirement (Upon Graduation)	<p>Students must commit to one full year of government employment for each year or partial year on scholarship.</p> <p>The agency may be the same or different from the employer for the student's summer internship.</p>	<p>Students must commit to one full year of federal employment for each year or partial year on scholarship.</p> <p><i>The DoD employment is assigned at the time of the scholarship award.</i></p>

Duration of Scholarship	Up to 2 years for undergraduates or master's students Up to 3 years for doctoral studies or joint bachelors/masters programs	Up to 2 years for undergraduate or master's students Full-time doctoral students are accepted on a case-by-case basis Contact the principal investigator for an appointment to discuss.
Minimum GPA	Undergraduate Students 3.0 Graduate/Doctoral Students 3.2	Undergraduate Students 3.0 Graduate/Doctoral Students 3.2
Eligibility	United States citizens, age 18 or older A rising university junior or higher Enrolled, accepted, or applied for full-time enrollment at GW with an undergraduate or graduate major in an area related to cybersecurity	United States citizens A rising university junior or higher Enrolled, accepted, or applied for full-time enrollment at GW with an undergraduate or graduate major in an area related to computer security and information assurance
Program Requirements	Students must have applied and been accepted to GW to qualify. Students must be full time once awarded the scholarship. In the first year of study, outside employment is very limited. Students are expected to enroll in CS6534 , Cybersecurity and Governance, each term; credit hours are only given for one such attendance.	Students must have applied and been accepted to GW to qualify. Students must be full time once awarded the scholarship. In the first year of study, outside employment is very limited. Students are expected to enroll in CS6534 , Cybersecurity and Governance, at least once in their program. Complete service requirements, be willing to relocate if necessary.
Application Deadline	January 31st	January 15 for students starting or continuing at GW the following September.
Pros and Cons	SFS Pros: Unlimited choice of employment, slightly higher stipend and professional development allowance. More doctoral support options.	CySP Pros: Students know when they are offered the award where they will intern/work. CySP Cons: Slightly lower stipend and specific

	SFS Cons: Students must actively seek the internship and job placement.	professional development allowance.
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For more information, please contact the CyberCorps administrator GWcybercorps@gwu.edu.

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