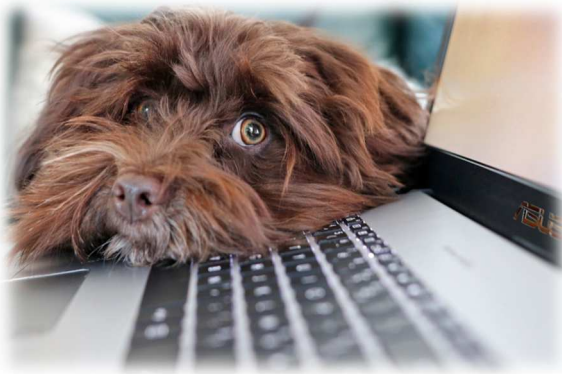


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NASNTI Revising Computer Science Courses! Enroll for Spring!



“Technology is best when it brings people together.”

Matt Mullenweg, Social Media Entrepreneur

One of the main objectives of the NASNTI program is to revise and develop the Computer Science program courses. Under the direction of STEM Chair, **Emily Carpenter** and Degree Program Mentor, **Dr. Ricky Streight**, all Computer Science courses will be developed and/or revised to offer face-to-face and online/hybrid formats to ensure students can access the program whether they study on-campus or through remote learning.

What is Computer Science (CS)? According to Coursera, CS is the study of computer hardware and software. With the unprecedented rise of AI, and the ongoing daily challenges of technology, the Computer Science industry is a growing career. In a 2021 report, Data USA stated that there are 2.06

million Computer Science professionals in the country receiving an average annual salary of \$99,998. One of the Cybersecurity courses revised and offered during the 2024 spring semester is Hardware System Support. NASNTI Cybersecurity Content Expert and professor of the course, **Chris Gootos** explained, “*Hardware System Support is being updated to Hardware & Network System Support, which includes additional learning opportunity for our students to tackle two (2) CompTIA certification courses which provide a pathway to the lucrative Cybersecurity industry.*” Enroll today!

The Latest Maps in the Native Language Resource Area

Please note: Due to program regulations, books and CDs from the NASNTI Native Language Resource Area cannot be checked out. The area is housed with student desks, computers, and a color printer for your convenience to study, read, and research your projects!



Tribal Maps

**Native American Nations Map
Reservation and Tribal Jurisdiction
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Tribal Nations Map**

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