Bachelor of Business Administration in Computer Information Systems

- Computer information systems majors learn how to design and manage the complex software systems essential to daily operations of organizations worldwide.
- Major elective courses prepare students for a variety of certifications.
- The IT/IS career events, held each semester, allow students to network with industry professionals and learn how their interests align with the field of IT.
- The BizTech Talk series brings informative and provocative thought leaders to northeast Ohio to share insights on the impact of emerging technologies on business and society as a whole.
- Students gain valuable work experience with a required internship. Many companies use the internship as an extended job interview.

**AVERAGE ANNUAL STARTING SALARY**  
$51,290

**AVERAGE INTERNSHIP WAGE**  
$14/HOUR

**WHERE can I get a job?**
American Greetings Corporation, LLC · Cleveland Clinic · EY (Ernst & Young LLP) · FirstEnergy Corp · Hyland Software Inc. · Invacare Corporation · The Lubrizol Corporation · Parker (Parker Hannifin Corporation) · PayPal Holdings, Inc · PNC Financial Services Group, Inc · The Sherwin-Williams Company · The J.M. Smucker Company · Summa Health System · The Timken Company · And more!
The **Career Services Office (CSO)** in the College of Business Administration provides one-on-one consults, workshops and networking events. Our career advising team is available the moment you step on campus to prepare you for finding and securing that next internship, co-op or full-time opportunity. Learn more at [www.kent.edu/business/careers](http://www.kent.edu/business/careers).

**Education Abroad**

Summer, spring break, winter break and semester-long education abroad options are available.

During the past academic year, College of Business Administration students studied abroad in locations such as:

- Brazil
- Cayman Islands
- France
- Greece
- India
- Italy
- Switzerland

**Scholarships available**

Learn more at [www.kent.edu/business/education-abroad](http://www.kent.edu/business/education-abroad).

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**Computer Information Systems**

“I secured my CIS internship through the Top Student Scholars Showcase. This event was organized by the College of Business Administration, and the Career Services Office helped me prepare for it.”

Evan Hudson
Computer Information Systems

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The **Business Learning Community (BLC)** makes the large university seem smaller by helping first-year students transition into college. BLC interest groups include general business exploration, accelerated educational experience, diversity in business and international business. For more information, visit [www.kent.edu/business/blc](http://www.kent.edu/business/blc).

**17 Professional & Honorary Organizations in the College of Business Administration**

- Accounting Association
- American Marketing Association
- Beta Alpha Psi (accounting honorary)
- Beta Gamma Sigma (business honorary)
- Business Professionals’ Roundtable (Dean/Assistant Dean student advisory committee)
- Delta Sigma Pi (business professional organization)
- Financial Management Association
- Institute of Management Accountants
- Management of Information Systems Association
- Net Impact (social and environmental transformational organization)
- Omicron Delta Epsilon (economics honorary)
- Pi Sigma Epsilon (sales professional organization)
- Sigma Nu Tau (entrepreneurship honorary)
- Society for Human Resource Management
- Start-up Kent State (entrepreneurial organization)
- Student Economist Association
- The Network (professional and social networking organization geared toward diversity in business)

**Bold denotes organizations suggested for Computer Information Systems majors.**

More information is available at [www.kent.edu/business/student-orgs](http://www.kent.edu/business/student-orgs).