Graduate Study in Computer Science

HIGHLIGHTS

• Excellent faculty with a broad range of research interests in one of the oldest CS departments in the country (est. 1966), highly ranked by the National Research Council in 2010.


• Impressive record of professional success of our students.

• Attractive location in the beautiful Bluegrass Region in Central Kentucky.

• Vibrant cultural and entertainment scene of Lexington.

DIGITAL VILLAGE
The Marksbury Building and The Hardymon Buildings

Our outstanding faculty made up of world leaders in their research fields direct exciting research projects in artificial intelligence, bioinformatics, data mining, logic and constraint programming, networking, distributed and mobile computing, cryptography and security, numerical analysis, scientific computing, computer vision, graphics, and software engineering. Graduate students work closely with faculty on research projects at the forefront of technology.

In early 2011 the department offices, most labs, and graduate student space moved into the state-of-the-art, LEED-Certified Davis Marksbury Building. Together with the Center for Visualization and Virtual Environments, Computer Science occupies most of the “Digital Village” (above, now The Marksbury and Hardymon Buildings, with additional facilities in the campus development plan) at the Northeast corner of campus, convenient to downtown and student housing.

Financial assistance is available in the form of teaching assistant (TA) or research assistant (RA) positions. Stipends vary depending on the student’s program level and type of support. A TA or RA receives tuition and health insurance.

The Computer Science Department at the University of Kentucky has available a limited number of fellowships for outstanding applicants to the PhD program. These fellowships cover tuition and a monthly stipend for the first academic year, with a research or teaching assistantship offered the second year (assuming satisfactory progress in the program). Additional funding opportunities are available through the Graduate School and the College of Engineering.

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