MSCS DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FORM  

First Name: ________________  Last Name: ____________________  N number: _____________________

Required: 36 credits of approved coursework

- **21 credits** - standard graduate CS classroom-based courses.
  
  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

- **6 credits** - standard graduate CS, Math and Data Science classroom-based courses; independent study; MS thesis (no external internships) Independent study and master’s thesis require DGS approval.

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

- **Remaining 9 credits** in any of above or: credits transferred from graduate study in CS; external internship; and relevant graduate courses. At most 6 credits of external internship. Relevant graduate courses and external internships require DGS approval.

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

  Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

**Requirement A:** A student must take the three foundational courses and maintain a GPA of 2.667 or better in the courses:

- CSCI-GA 1170-001 Fundamental Algorithms  
  Semester_____  Grade_____  Credits: ___Placed Out ___

- CSCI-GA 2110-001 Programming Languages  
  Semester_____  Grade_____  Credits: ___Placed Out ___

- CSCI-GA 2250-001 Operating Systems  
  Semester_____  Grade_____  Credits: ___Placed Out ___

**Requirement B:** A student must pass **ONE** course in **TWO** of the following four designated application areas

Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____

Course ________________________________  Semester_________  Grade_____  Credits: ____
Requirement C: A student must complete a designated capstone course with the grade of B (3.0) or better. Alternatively, subject to requirements and prior approval of the DGS, a student may complete a master’s thesis or a capstone advanced lab.

Course ________________ Semester ______ Grade______ Credits: _____

- Advanced Computer Graphics
- Advanced Database Systems
- Cloud and Machine Learning
- Cloud Computing
- Compiler Construction
- Distributed Systems
- Graphics Processing Units (GPUs): Architecture & Programming
- Geometric Modeling
- Graphics Processing Units (GPUs): Architecture and Programming
- Integrating Machine Learning to Computer Vision
- Social Multiplayer Games
- Vision Meets Machine Learning
- Nonlinear Optimization
- Numerical Methods I
- Numerical Methods II
- Numerical Optimization
- Practical Computer Security
- Responsible Data Science
- Scientific Computing
- Security and Privacy
- Speech Recognition
- Social Networks
- Stochastic modeling and uncertainty quantification in complex systems
- Topics in Digital Media
- Topics in Numerical Analysis
- Values Embodied in Information & Communications Technology
- High Performance Computing for Machine Learning
- Integrating Machine Learning to Computer Vision
- Introduction to Data Science
- Introduction to Machine Learning
- Logic in Computer Science
- Machine Learning
- Machine Learning for Healthcare
- Mathematics of Deep Learning
- Natural Language Processing
- Predictive Analytics
- Probabilistic Graphical Models
- Responsible Data Science
- Robot Motion Planning
- Social Multiplayer Games
- Statistical Natural Language Processing
- Vision Meets Machine Learning
- Web Search Engines
- Database Systems
- Realtime & Big Data Analytics
- Compiler Construction
- Distributed Systems
- Graphics Processing Units (GPUs): Architecture & Programming
- High Performance Machine Learning
- Info Tech Projects
- Multicore Processors: Architecture & Programming
- Networks & Mobile Systems
- Search Engine Architecture
- Software Engineering
- Virtual Machines: Concepts and Applications