

## **NORTHCENTRAL UNIVERSITY PERFORMANCE FACT SHEET Master of Science in Computer Science**

This program is new. Therefore, the number of students who graduate, the number of students who are placed, or the starting salary you can earn after finishing the educational program are unknown at this time. Information regarding general salary and placement statistics may be available from government sources or from the institution, but is not equivalent to actual performance data. This program was approved by the Bureau on 12/16/2016. As of 2024, two full years of data for this program will be available.

The data and information provided in this fact sheet only includes online students who reported to the University that they lived in California, with the exception of the information provided in the Student Loan Information and Federal Student Loan Debt sections.

### **Cost of Educational Program:**

Total Charges for the program for students completing on-time in 2016: \$ 27,870.00  
Total Charges may be higher for students that do not complete on-time.

**Student's Initials:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Federal Student Loan Debt at Northcentral University:**

Percentage of students who defaulted on their federal student loans at this school: 5.6%<sup>1</sup>

Percentage of students enrolled in 2016 who took out federal student loans to pay for this program: N/A

Percentage of graduates in 2016 who took out federal student loans to pay for this program:

N/A

Average federal student loan debt of 2016 graduates who took out federal student loans at this institution:

N/A

<sup>1</sup>The percentage of students who defaulted on their federal student loans is called the Cohort Default Rate (CDR). It shows the percentage of this school’s students who were more than 270 days (about 9 months) behind on their federal student loans within three years of when the first payment was due. This is the most recent CDR reported by the U.S. Department of Education.

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**On-time Completion Rates (Graduation Rates)  
Master of Science in Computer Science (5 Years)**

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began the Program	Students Available for Graduation	Number of On-time Graduates	On-time Completion Rate
2016	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

**Job Placement Rates  
Master of Science in Computer Science (5 Years)**

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began the Program	Number of Graduates	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field
2016	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

You may obtain from the institution a list of the employment positions determined to be in the field for which a student received education and training. Students can obtain this information at <https://www.ncu.edu/program-disclosures>.

## Gainful Employment Categories

### Master of Science in Computer Science (5 Years)

#### Part Time vs. Full Time Employment

	Graduates Employed in the field 20 to 29 hours per week	Graduates Employed in the field at least 30 hours per week	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2016	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Single Position vs. Concurrent Aggregated Positions

	Graduates Employed in the field in a single position	Graduates Employed in the field concurrent aggregated positions	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2016	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Self-Employed/Freelance Positions

	Graduates Employed who are self-employed or working freelance	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2016	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A

#### Institutional Employment

	Graduates Employed in the field who are employed by the institution, an employed owned by the institution, or an employer who shares ownership with the institution	Total Graduates Employed in the Field
2016	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A

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**License Examination Passage Rates  
Master of Science in Computer Science (5 Years)**

First Available Exam Date	Date Exam Results Announced	Number of Graduates in Calendar Year	Number of Graduates Taking Exam	Number Who Passed Exam	Number Who Failed Exam	Passage Rate
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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**Salary and Wage Information  
Master of Science in Computer Science (5 Years)**

*Annual Salary and Wages Reported for Graduates Employed in the Field*

Calendar Year	Graduates Available for Employment	Graduates Employed in the Field	\$30,000-\$50,000	\$50,000-Above	No Salary Information Reported
2016	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Northcentral University conducts an annual alumni survey which is the basis for reported data. In addition, when designing degree programs, NCU relies on data from State Governments and the United States Department of Labor.

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**Definitions**

The following are the definitions for the Performance Fact Sheet:

“Number of Students Who Began the Program” means the number of students who began a program who were scheduled to complete the program within 100% of the

published program length within the reporting calendar year and excludes all students who cancelled during the cancellation period.

“Students Available for Graduation” is the number of students who began the program minus the number of students who have died, been incarcerated, or been called to active military duty.

“Number of On-time Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 100% of the published program length within the reporting calendar year.

“On-time Completion Rate” is the number of on-time graduates divided by the number of students available for graduation.

“Graduates Available for Employment” means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment.

“Graduates Unavailable for Employment” means the graduates who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education in an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution.

“Graduates Employed in the Field” means graduates who beginning within six months after a student completes the applicable educational program are gainfully employed, whose employment has been reported, and for whom the institution has documented verification of employment. For occupations for which the state requires passing an examination, the six month period begins after the announcement of the examination results for the first examination available after a student completes an applicable educational program.

“Placement Rate Employed in the Field” is calculated by dividing the number of graduates gainfully employed in the field by the number of graduates available for employment.

“Number of Graduates Taking Exam” is the number of graduates who took the first available exam in the reported calendar year.

“First Available Exam Date” is the date for the first available exam after a student completed a program.

“Passage Rate” is calculated by dividing the number of graduates who passed the exam by the number of graduates who took the reported licensing exam.

“Number Who Passed First Available Exam” is the number of graduates who took and passed the first available licensing exam after completing the program.

“Salary” is as reported by graduate or graduate’s employer.

“No Salary Information Reported” is the number of graduates for whom, after making reasonable attempts, the school was not able to obtain salary information.

## **Disclosures**

This fact sheet is filed with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education. Regardless of any information you may have relating to completion rates, placement rates, starting salaries, or license exam passage rates, this fact sheet contains the information as calculated pursuant to state law.

Any questions a student may have regarding this fact sheet that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education at 2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 400, Sacramento, CA 95833, <http://www.bppe.ca.gov>, Telephone: (916) 431-6959, Fax: (916) 263-1897.

## **STUDENT'S RIGHT TO CANCEL**

To cancel your enrollment, you must contact your Academic and Finance Advisor (email [learnerservices@ncu.edu](mailto:learnerservices@ncu.edu) or call 888-628-6904) prior to attending the 8<sup>th</sup> day of your first course. You have the right to cancel the Enrollment Agreement and obtain a full refund of charges through attendance in the 7<sup>th</sup> day of your first course. Cancellation is effective on the date that the written notice of cancellation is sent.