

Computer Science, Associate in Science Career /Internship Information

Career Options and Potential Earnings, based on an Associate degree:

Computer Support Specialist

- Entry level salary: \$32,000 - \$37,000
- Average NJ salary (all experience levels): \$67,210

Help Desk Technician/Help Desk Support Assistant

- Entry level salary: \$30,000 - \$36,000
- Average NJ salary (all experience levels): \$49,911 (*salary.com*)

Computer Science Intern

- Most interns get paid an average of \$14-\$16 per hour

Technical Sales Representatives*

- Entry Level: \$40,000 - \$50,000
- Average NJ salary (all experience levels): \$100,850

*degree qualifications vary by company and industry

*salary will also vary depending on commission

Supplementing the Associate's degree with appropriate certifications, like CompTIA certifications, may result in salary increases and access to additional opportunities. Certifications are highly recommended for Computer Science majors.

Source: Payscale.com (2020); Occupational Outlook Handbook (2019).

Potential Employers:

- Retail Environments – Best Buy, AT&T, Staples
- IT Products/Solutions Company - Rocon Technology Corporation, SHI International
- Schools – public school district, university, college
- Pharmaceutical/Biotech Companies – GENEWIZ, Merck
- Consumer Products – Colgate-Palmolive

Internship Options:

- Search for internships in your chosen field here: www.internships.com/ or www.wayup.com
- Check out our social media pages for the most recent job & internship postings: @UnionCSC (Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter)

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please contact Career Services at careerservices@ucc.edu

Additional career-related resources can be found on the website:
www.ucc.edu/campus-life/career-center/career-resources/