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## **Assistant Professor of Cybersecurity**

### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

The Computing and Information Science department at Mercyhurst University invites applications for a full-time tenure-track faculty position in Cybersecurity at the level of Assistant Professor. We are interested in applicants with teaching and research interests in cybersecurity. We are looking for a passionate teacher with the ability to work effectively with others in a collegial environment dedicated to student learning. Students in our programs enjoy the personal attention of faculty members in all facets of their education. Preference will be given to individuals with expertise in computer networks, networks security, offensive and defensive cyber operations.

Applicants must have a Ph.D. in Cybersecurity, Computer Science or Engineering, Computer Information Systems, or closely related discipline from an accredited institution by the start date of the appointment and a strong commitment to teaching and service. Candidates with an MS degree or ABD are encouraged to apply. Candidates with a Masters degree and work experience will also be considered but as non-tenure faculty members. The ideal candidate will be able to teach a wide range of undergraduate and graduate courses in cybersecurity and core computing courses, mentor students, and be an active member in the department, contributing to its success and the mission of the university. In addition to teaching excellence, faculty are expected to engage in scholarly activity and participate in service to the community and institution. The search will continue until the position is filled.

The Computing and Information Science department offers Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degree programs in Data Science and Cybersecurity.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, teaching philosophy with a list of potential courses or teaching interests, transcriptions, and three letters of recommendation to:

Human Resources  
Mercyhurst University  
501 East 38th Street

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[hrinfo@mercyhurst.edu](mailto:hrinfo@mercyhurst.edu)

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