

## COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN NEVADA



North Las Vegas Student Union with Mascot

Founded in 1971, the **College of Southern Nevada** is the state's largest and most ethnically diverse, higher education institution, with more than 30,000 for-credit students per semester and 12,000 noncredit students per year. The college offers more than 180 degrees and certificates — including more than 25 available entirely online — in more than 70 areas of study. The college features several nationally or regionally prominent programs in high-demand fields, including cybersecurity.

The cybersecurity program is the only one of its kind at the community college level in Nevada, having earned the designation National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense (CAECD). Many students are involved in an active cybersecurity club that regularly participates in cyber competitions, including the National Cyber League competitions. Our students enjoy a robust experience in the program,

with access to the latest technology, including a fully functional Faraday Cage encompassing an entire room. CSN offers its students real-world, hands-on experience before they ever leave the classroom. Our cybersecurity faculty is comprised of experts with experience in business and industry, academia, and law enforcement.

CSN specializes in two-year degrees and workforce development that allow students to prosper. The college also offers nearly two dozen bachelor's degrees in specialized fields and is the state's largest provider of adult basic education and literacy training. CSN is a Minority Serving Institution and Nevada's first Hispanic Serving Institution. CSN is extremely accessible with three main campuses in Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, and Henderson, each covering 80 acres, as well as sites and centers placed throughout the southern Nevada area.

## **DESIGNATIONS**

• CAE-Cyber Defense

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