



## **United States Marine Corps**

U.S. Marine Corps Forces Cyberspace Command  
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# **MARFORCYBER APPRENTICESHIP APPLICATION**

U.S. Marine Corps Forces Cyberspace Command (MARFORCYBER) is the Marine Corps' Component Command Headquarters to United States Cyberspace Command (USCYBERCOM). MARFORCYBER's mission in support of USCYBERCOM is to plan, coordinate, integrate, synchronize and direct defensive cyberspace operations, and when directed, execute offensive cyberspace operations, in order to enable freedom of action across all warfighting domains. Each MA will have the opportunity to work on real world operational problem sets. Based on demonstrated proficiency, each individual will receive tasking and work on teams that contribute to operations, research, or capability / program development with cyber, information technology, or computer science applications.

### **Eligibility for MAP/Internship Program:**

- Interns must be U.S. Civilian Citizen.
- Interns shall be high performing students majoring (or minoring) in computer science or similar field
- Interns shall be nominated by Computer Science (or related study) Chairperson or designee.
- Interns shall provide a letter of recommendation from a Professor in the computer science department.
- Interns shall have a basic understanding of accepted programming practices.
- Be accepted for enrollment or enrolled and seeking a degree or certificate in a qualifying educational institution on a half - to full-time basis (as determined by the educational institution).
- Meet the definition of a student throughout the duration of your appointment.
- Maintain both a cumulative and term GPA of at least 2.95, satisfactorily progress toward receipt of an undergraduate or post- baccalaureate degree and notify their supervisor of any change in enrollment status and/or work schedule.

### **If Selected:**

- MARFORCYBER Apprentices (MA) will be required to qualify for TS/SCI clearances and pass a counterintelligence polygraph.
- MAs are hired at GG-4, GG-5, or GG-7, and GG-9 government pay grades (with locality pay) based on status of academic progression.
- MA terms are scheduled as blocks that align with the standard college fall, spring, and summer semesters.
- MA Terms will not exceed 89 days of employment.
- Interns must be able to work 80-hours every two week pay period (M-F).  
Interns may execute multiple iterations in the program while enrolled in a qualifying educational institution.

### **Point of Contact:**

Submit the completed application, letters of recommendation, transcripts, and any supporting documentation to:

Intern Program Manager  
Training, Education, & Exercise (G7)  
U.S. Marine Corps Forces Cyberspace Command  
recruit\_marforcyber@nsa.gov



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## MAP Internship Application

<b>Personal Information:</b>		
Student Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Cell Phone:	Alternate Phone:	
Email Address:		
US Citizenship Status:		
Previous Applicant:	Previous MAP Intern:	
Year Program Applied For:	Semester:	
<b>Nominating Chairperson/Designee/Director:</b>		
Name:		
Title:		
Email:	Phone:	
Signature:	Date:	
<b>Academic Information:</b>		
School:		
Major:		
Minor:		
Current GPA:	Expected Graduation Date:	

<b>Student Status:</b>	Full Time	Half Time	<i>(Please indicate your current student status)</i>	
<b>Current Credit Hours Earned:</b>	<60 credit hours	60+ credit hours	Enrolled in Masters/120+ Undergraduate hours	<i>(Please circle and notate total credit hours earned)</i>

**Expected Additional Credit Hours:** *(to be earned by internship commencement)*

**Skills / Experiences:**

Describe any student organizations, job experiences, competitions, additional coursework (undergraduate or graduate), skills, certifications, or licenses that you have that will help you with this internship.

**Goals:**

Describe your career goals and how this internship will help you reach those goals. Be specific about the experiences you want to gain through this internship and why you believe this internship can provide such an experience. **Please include any preferences of areas of interest to learn.**

**Technical:**

List technical proficiencies, experience, and rating (out of 5) & years of experience:

Zero = None, One = Theoretical/Classwork, Two = Some Hand on Application Experience, Three = Familiar, Four = Able to operate independently/without guidance, 5 = Highly Skilled or Proficient

**Ex.) PHP Scripting, Rating of 1 (took classes), 1-year experience**

Front End: (HTML, JQuery, etc)

Programming & Scripting:

Databases:

Operating Systems:

Networking:

Mobile Application:

Other Technologies/Proficiencies: (containerization, emulation, reverse engineering, intel assembly, forensics, virtual environments, etc.

**Student Signature:**

**Date:**

**Point of Contact & Notes:**

- Submit the completed application, Letters of recommendation (may be same party as nominating chair), Transcripts, and any supporting documentation such as a resume to:
- For letters of recommendation please also include any supporting information for any extenuating circumstances regarding the application requirements.
- For any questions, please contact:

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