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TRANSFER SCHOLARS IN IT & ENGINEERING

T-SITE

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Transfer Scholars in IT & Engineering (T-SITE) Program for Computing Majors

March 1, 2019:

Application deadline for **Fall 2019** cohort

Must apply to UMBC, complete FAFSA by **February 14**

Application materials available on the CWIT Website:
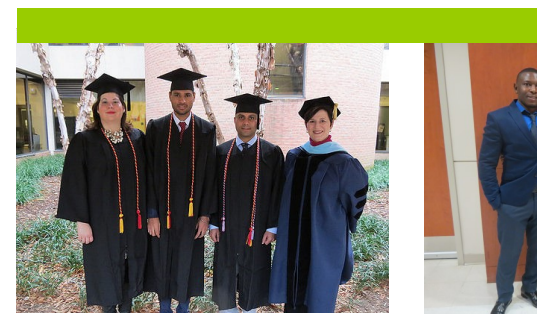
www.cwit.umbc.edu/tsite

April 2019: Selected Applicants Interview at UMBC

Summer Retreat: All new T-SITE Scholars must attend a two and a half day overnight retreat at UMBC in July 2019 (date TBD)

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Who is eligible to apply?

- New transfer students for Fall 2019 (or transferred in Spring 2019) from a MD community college with a 3.0 GPA

- Majoring in **computer science**, **computer engineering**, **information systems** or **business technology admin**. with a strong technology focus.

- Must be full-time student at UMBC

- US Citizen or Permanent Resident

- Must have financial need as determined by FAFSA

Scholarship Details:

- Multi-year scholarships will be awarded in Fall 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019. 7-8 Scholars chosen annually.

- Scholarships of up to $7,000 per year based on UMBC Financial Aid Office review

- Must maintain a 3.0 GPA at UMBC.

- Required participation in CWIT community events focused on academic, professional, and leadership development.

- Women and underrepresented minorities strongly encouraged to apply.

- Questions? Contact CWIT Staff at (410) 455-2822 or direland@umbc.edu

What is the Scholar experience like?

As a T-SITE Scholar you will be part of the larger CWIT community of Scholars and Affiliates. Academic success and professional development are achieved through a number of program elements. Members of the CWIT community are encouraged to live on the CWIT Living Learning Community in the residence halls.
All T-SITE Scholars:

- Are assigned a faculty and peer mentor in their major;

- Explore career options, develop lifelong career management skills, and identify internships, and post-graduation jobs through professional development events and an assigned Industry mentor;

- Participate in a seminar specifically designed for transfer students;

- Meet regularly with a CWIT professional advisor to set goals and track individual progress;

- Develop leadership skills through involvement in student organizations and K-12 outreach.