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San Antonio College (SAC) is one of five public, open-enrollment community colleges that serve the city of San Antonio and 11 surrounding counties in South Central Texas. SAC is the largest single-campus community college in Texas and one of the largest in the United States, educating approximately 20,000 credit-seeking students each year. SAC serves as a Regional Resource Center for current designees and prospective Centers of Academic Excellence (CAE) institutions. SAC is one of only two community colleges in San Antonio that are designated a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Two-Year Education (CAE-2Y), a National Security Agency (NSA) and Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

The college's Computer Information Systems (CIS) Department – originally established as the Data Processing Department in 1953 – has held CAE-2Y certification since 2013, documenting the relevance and high quality of its Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Information Assurance and Cybersecurity. CIS department courseware has been reviewed by nationally known IA subject matter experts as part of the NSA's Information Assurance Courseware Evaluation (IACE) Program and meets all of the elements of the Committee on National Security Systems (CNSS) National Training Standard for Information Systems Security (INFOSEC) Professionals (NSTISSI No. 4011) and Senior Systems Managers (CNSSI No. 4012).

DESIGNATIONS

• CAE - Cyber Defense 2-Year Education

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