Fairleigh Dickinson University (FDU) is a National Center of Academic Excellence dedicated to the preparation of world citizens through global education. The University strives to provide students with the multi-disciplinary, intercultural, and ethical understandings necessary to participate, lead, and prosper in the global marketplace of ideas, commerce, and culture. Founded in 1942 by Dr. Peter Sammartino and his wife, Sylvia (Sally), Fairleigh Dickinson University has grown into the largest private university in New Jersey. Today, more than 11,500 students from 32 states and 72 countries are enrolled on the University’s two campuses in northern New Jersey and its international campuses in Wroxton, England and Vancouver, Canada.

FDU offers multiple undergraduate and graduate degrees and certificate programs in cybersecurity and information assurance related disciplines through its four colleges and schools on three campuses. It has been offering degree programs in Computer Science since 1975 and concentrations in Cybersecurity since 2010. The undergraduate Information Technology program started in 2004 and began offering a concentration in Security and Forensics in 2015.

FDU Center for Cybersecurity and Information Assurance was established in 2012 paving the way for FDU’s CAE-IAE and CAE-CDE designations in 2013 and 2015, respectively. Our CAE designation has resulted in a steady growth of student enrollment, engagement of faculty in course development, and thriving student research experiences through NSA grant funding. Ongoing faculty research on hardware, IoT, and smart grid security is further strengthening the training of high quality and skilled cyber defenders for our country.