Gallatin College Montana State University (MSU), located in Bozeman, Montana offers programs that accelerate the time to graduation and the start of a successful career. The Information Technology (IT) Cybersecurity and Information Assurance programs prepare students to support the information security needs of businesses. Program graduates are able to identify cyber threats, implement and maintain proper security measures, respond to system intrusions, and provide creative solutions to emerging risks. Students are also prepared to sit for numerous certifications including: CompTIA Security+, CompTIA Network+, CompTIA CySA+, and EC-Council's Certified Ethical Hacker.

Gallatin College MSU offers a two-year Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree as well as a one-year Certificate of Technical Studies in Cybersecurity and Information Assurance. The AAS degree includes foundational knowledge in IT network technology while the certificate program provides professional development in cybersecurity to IT professionals with previous IT experience. Gallatin College also offers concurrent enrollment and early college IT courses allowing regional high school students to earn college credit in anticipation of enrollment in the college's Cybersecurity program.

The college's programs are designed to support both students and the local economy, helping its talented graduates get their foot in the door in thriving industries while also preparing students who wish to pursue related education at MSU. With small class sizes and hands-on learning, students learn relevant skills, industry best practices, and work closely with instructors to discover their unique talents and passions on their journey to a fulfilling career.

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