Founded in 1870, Syracuse University is a private research institution located in the heart of Central New York. Students can choose from more than 200 majors, 100 minors and 200 advanced degree programs across the University's 13 academic units. Our campus overlooks the City of Syracuse in the heart of New York state. Discover amazing restaurants, historic architecture, nature and wildlife, the Finger Lakes, the Great Lakes and much more.

From being the nation's first institution to offer a bachelor of the fine arts degree to founding one of the nation's first iSchool's, at Syracuse University, we've always had a legacy of firsts. We opened doors for women in 1870, welcoming leaders like Karen DeCrow, an icon in the women's rights movement, and Eileen Collins, the first female commander of a Space Shuttle. We played a role in the first G.I. Bill and continue to be recognized today as one of the best private schools for military service members, veterans and their families—a commitment that is shown through our National Veterans Resource Center (NVRC). In 1890, a committee was formed and discovered that no other college or university had claimed their singular color orange.

Syracuse University offers various academic programs in the cybersecurity field that support the requested re-designation, including MS in Digital Forensics (College of Arts and Sciences and School of Information Studies), BPS in Cybersecurity Administration (College of Professional Studies), MS in Cybersecurity (College of Engineering & Computer Science), CAS in Information Security Management (School of Information Studies), CAS in Security Studies (Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs), and CAS in National Security and Counterterrorism Law (College of Law).

Syracuse University is among an elite group of academic institutions designated by federal agencies for research and education in cybersecurity. The University originally received the CAE-CD (Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education) designation in 2001, CAE-R (Research) designation in 2009, and has been continuously re-designated by the agencies.