The **University of Connecticut (UConn)** is dedicated to excellence demonstrated through national and international recognition. As Connecticut's public research university, through freedom of academic inquiry and expression, we create and disseminate knowledge by means of scholarly and creative achievements, graduate and professional education, and outreach. Through our focus on teaching and learning, the University helps every student grow intellectually and become a contributing member of the state, national, and world communities. Through research, teaching, service, and outreach, we embrace diversity and cultivate leadership, integrity, and engaged citizenship in our students, faculty, staff, and alumni.

As our state’s flagship public university, and as a land and sea grant institution, we promote the health and well-being of Connecticut’s citizens through enhancing the social, economic, cultural and natural environments of the state and beyond.

UConn brings extensive resources and expertise in the area of cybersecurity having established the Connecticut Cybersecurity Center in 2015. The Center, now part of the Connecticut Advanced Computing Center, has more than 20 faculty members with over 100 graduate students and over $8 million in active research funding. UConn is a leader in hardware security and assurance with the establishment of the Center for Hardware and Embedded Systems Security and Trust (CHEST).

UConn has active support of industry with the creation of the Synchrony Financial Center of Excellence in Cybersecurity focused on the security of financial systems and the Comcast Center of Excellence in Security Innovation focused on the security of the cable and telecommunications industry. The University of Connecticut is also home to the Voting Technology Research Center that has been established by the State of Connecticut to investigate secure voting solutions and voting equipment to develop and recommend safe use procedures for their usage in elections.

The University of Connecticut was the #1 team in the Spring 2023 National Cyber League competitions.