The University of North Georgia is The Military College of Georgia and one of six federally designated senior military colleges in the nation. UNG comprises of five campuses united by the mission of academic excellence that prepares students to become civic, professional, and military leaders. Currently, UNG enrolls more than 18,000 students in over 100 programs of study ranging from certificates and associate degrees to professional doctoral programs.

In the Department of Computer Science and Information Systems, UNG offers a B.S. in Computer Science with a Concentration in Information Assurance and Security, which is the Program of Study for CAE-CD. UNG also offers a B.S. in Cybersecurity, which was designed in alignment with the NIST/NICE Cybersecurity Workforce Framework, and a M.S. in Computer Science with focus areas in Cyber Operations and Machine Learning.

In 2020 the Institute for Cyber Operations was established to develop highly capable cyber professionals through innovative co-curricular opportunities, interdisciplinary research, and community outreach. Each summer the Institute connects students to internships, including with NSA NET and ARCYBER.

Eleven UNG undergraduate and graduate students have received the DoD Cyber Scholarship in the past 5 years. The UNG CyberHawks won the 2019 and 2020 NSA Codebreaker Challenges and placed 2nd in 2021 and 2023. UNG hosted GenCyber student camps from 2016 to 2022 and will host their 4th GenCyber teacher camp in June 2024.