

Department of Computer Science

Faculty Academic Advisors for Undergraduates

Effective until updated

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Each major student has a faculty academic advisor in the department, helping with course selection, major requirements, career choices, etc. This is different from the college advisor in Lucas Hall (CAS Advising Office, 303 Lucas Hall, 314-516-5501) who is helping students with everything else, including general education courses, degree audit, etc.

Students should review their faculty academic advisor's page for information about office hours, email, contact, etc. For students taking Cmp Sci 2261 this is mandatory, and it is elective but well-advised for other students.

Students are assigned to faculty advisors based on the first letter of their last names.

Student last name start swith	Advisor (click for more details)	Office	Phone	Email Address
BS in Computer Science and BS in Computing Technology				
A-B	Keith Miller	101 MH	516-4828	millerkei@umsl.edu
C-G	Badri Adhikari	312 ESH	516-7393	adhikarib@umsl.edu
H-L	Nazire Koc	348 ESH	516-6356	kocn@umsl.edu
M-R	Mark Hauschild	327 ESH	516-6426	hauschildm@umsl.edu
S-Z	Galina Piatnitskaia	313 ESH	516-5239	piatnitskaia@umsl.edu
BS in Cybersecurity, Computer Science Emphasis				
A-Z	Lav Gupta	351 ESH	516-5760	lavgupta@missouri.edu

Students may also contact the department chair, [Prof. Cezary Janikow](#) for assistance if necessary.

Students are encouraged to print a current My Degree Audit report prior to their scheduled appointment with their faculty advisor. Information on MyDegree can be found at <http://www.umsl.edu/services/dars/>. Students should apply for graduation by the indicated deadlines at <https://www.umsl.edu/~academicadvising/Graduation.html>. Please also note that department majors are required to take the [Major Field Test](#) during their last semester of study.