

COMPUTER SCIENCE

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Some Call Them Stars In The Field,
Some Call Them Industry Leaders,
We Are Proud To Call Them Alumni!



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#1 Reason to Apply: Great Career Launch

Our graduates obtain positions in top CS departments, leading research and advanced development labs, successful companies and start-ups.

We rank *third* in the number of PhD graduates since 1990 who have obtained faculty positions in the top 10 CS departments.

Other M.S. and Ph.D. graduates lead large groups or hold the position of Technical Fellow or CTO at companies like Microsoft, Cisco, Cray, Dell, Intel, IBM, Oracle, and AT&T.

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#2 Reason To Apply: Vibrant Research

We have a vibrant graduate program with state-of-the-art graduate courses and internationally renowned faculty in a wide range of areas.

The areas we cover include Artificial Intelligence, Computational Biology, Computer Architecture, Database Systems, Graphics, Computer Networks, Security, Numerical Analysis, Optimization, Performance Analysis, Programming Languages and Compilers, Systems, and Theory.

Over 200 graduate students help us create a tremendous environment for research and learning.



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#3 Reason: Industry Research Experience

There are many opportunities to engage in research internships with high tech companies, both locally and nationally. Local opportunities include RAships and/or internships at the new *Microsoft Jim Gray Systems Lab* in Madison, at the new *Madison Google Office*, and at *Epic* — the fastest-growing local high tech company with over 3200 employees.

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Dorian Arnold
Assistant Professor
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Michael J. Franklin
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#4 Reason: Great Support

Our annual research expenditures exceed \$17M and we provide financial support to the vast majority of our graduate students.

Over two thirds of our entering students are offered support in the form of fellowships or TAs, and first year RAships are also available. Entering students have the opportunity to determine their area of interest during their graduate coursework. Many are offered RAships after one or two semesters. Nearly every student past their second year is supported by an RAship or fellowship.



Judith Faulkner
Chief Executive Officer
Epic Systems Corporation

#5 Reason: Quality of Life!

Madison is a great city with beautiful surroundings. As you will see on the next page, Madison wins many awards for its quality of life and many amenities. It's a great place to live while earning your graduate degree.



Mark Shavlik
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COMPUTER SCIENCE IN ONE OF THE BEST CITIES IN AMERICA

The UW-Madison is a beautiful campus located on the shores of Lake Mendota in the heart of downtown Madison Wisconsin. Madison is the major cultural center for a large regional area.

With three lakes and a large arboretum, Madison provides a tremendous range of both summer and winter athletic activities including sailing, canoeing, cycling, inline skating, ice skating, ice hockey, cross-country skiing, and nearby snowboarding.

Madison nightlife includes theater, live music, dance clubs, wine bars, brew pubs, and many excellent restaurants.

One of Top 10 Overall Best Places to Live in the U.S.

(Places Rated Almanac, 2008)

Smartest City in the U.S.

(bizjournals, 2008)

#4 Best Outdoor-Oriented City in the U.S.

(Yahoo! Real Estate, 2007)

One of the Top 10 Greenest Cities in the U.S.

(Yahoo! Real Estate, 2007)

#1 Mid-size City for Cycling

(Bicycling, 2006)

Best Road Biking Town in America

(Outside, 2006)

Devil's Lake State Park: Top 15 Scenic Views, Top 25 Hiking Trails in the U.S.

(Camping Life, 2006)

One of 10 Best Metros for Business and Careers

(Forbes, 2005)

#6 Mid-Sized City in U.S. for Entrepreneurs

(Entrepreneur, Oct. 2005)

Best College Sports Town

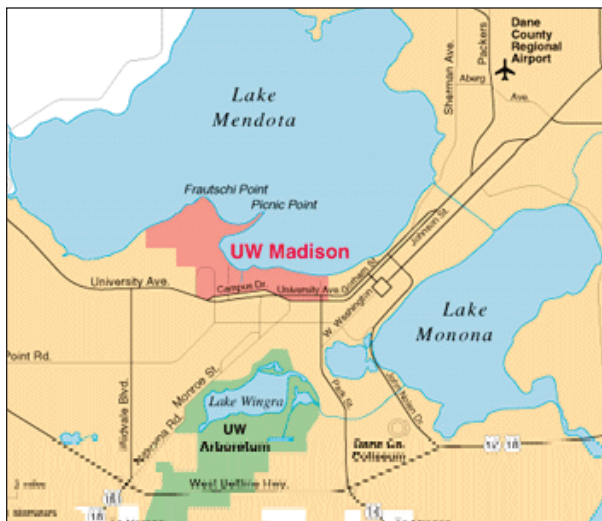
(Sports Illustrated, 2003)

Most Wired City in the U.S.

(Media Audit, 2002)

#1 Most Livable City in the U.S.

(Money, 1998)



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