

## Department of Defense (DoD) Information Assurance Scholarship Program (IASP), 2011

### WHAT IS IT?

- Full year **Scholarship** including full cost of tuition, books, required fees, lab expenses, supplies and equipment incurred by students and a stipend to cover room and board. Disabled students may receive additional allowances. Additional years of scholarship awards are dependent upon satisfactory academic progress, internship performance (if applicable) and the availability of funds.
- **Stipend** levels are \$14,000 for undergraduate and \$19,000 graduate (Master's/PhD) students.
- **Internship** involvement with DoD agencies while completing academic degree program
- Selected students are required to undergo obligatory one year of **Employment** with DoD agency after graduation  
[Selected students are required to work for the DoD, as a civilian employee for one calendar year for each year, of scholarship assistance. Should a student apply for only one semester of scholarship, the student must agree to work for the DoD for one year]

### WHO IS IT FOR?

- US Citizens at least **18** years of age
- Rising Junior and Senior undergraduates; Master's and Doctoral students who have no involvement with the DoD or Federal Agencies as of August 2011
  - o Must be pursuing a course of study and/or have declared a major in one of the scientific, technical or managerial disciplines related to Computer and/or Network Security, with a concentration in Information Assurance
  - o Application GPA **3.2/4.0** (Undergraduate) and **3.5/4.0** (Graduate)
  - o Students selected **MUST** attend full time
  - o Students who are currently working for a DoD Contractor are eligible to apply, but if selected there may be a huge difference in pay
- Active military members who will retire or end their active duty status on or before the start of the Fall 2011 semester

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1) Completed IASP Student Application 2) List of Recognition, Honors and Awards, 3) Resume, 4) Two letters of recommendations, 5) Official Certified Transcripts, 6) Supplemental Competency Statement stating Knowledge, Skills, and Attributes 7) Signature of Supplemental Statement on General Academic and Employment Conditions.

### INFORMATION SESSION

- Time and Date: **9am EST, 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2010** (Friday)
- Place: **Room 405, 7800 York Rd, Towson University**, Towson, 21252
- Contact: Dr. Subrata Acharya, [sacharya@towson.edu](mailto:sacharya@towson.edu)

**NOTE:** This is a highly competitive national program, students who want to seriously take part **NEED** to attend the information session on 10<sup>th</sup> December 2010. Please email contact for any questions regarding the program.