

## **Assistant or Associate Professor of Practice in Cybersecurity**

**College:** Cameron School Business - 312 College

**Dept/School:** Congdon School of Supply Chain, Business Analytics and Information Systems - 31260

**Vacancy Number:** 16F-691

**Position Number:** 642

**Location of Workplace:** Main UNCW Campus

### **Brief Summary of Work for this Position:**

The Congdon School of Supply Chain, Business Analytics and Information Systems at the University of North Carolina Wilmington, Cameron School of Business invites applications for an Assistant or Associate Professor of Practice in Cybersecurity to begin August 2025.

This is a full-time non-tenure track, contracted position. Recent industry experience is preferred. The Professor of Practice will serve either an initial one-year appointment at the rank of Assistant or an initial two-year appointment at the rank of Associate.

The successful candidate is expected to teach seven sections combined in the fall and spring semesters. The Professor of Practice is expected to achieve a minimum of one publication in a journal on the CSB Quality Journal List over a rolling five-year period. Scholarship relevant to professional practice is encouraged.

Additionally, the successful candidate will contribute to service (examples include but are not limited to committee work, professional talks, and mentoring), research (examples include but are not limited to presentations at meetings and conferences and publications in field of interest), and professional impact activities (examples include but are not limited to executive education involvement, building and maintaining relationships with industry partners, alumni engagement, business consultancy that includes students) that positively enhance the school, business community, and society.

### **Minimum Education and Experience Requirements:**

A Ph.D., DBA, or equivalent degree in Cybersecurity or a closely related field from a nationally accredited institution at the time of application.

NOTE: For this Practice Track position, in exceptional cases, a combination of focused graduate education, certifications and/or licensure, and extensive experience at the highest levels of professional practice may be considered in place of a terminal degree.

### **Preferred Education, Knowledge, Skills & Experience:**

- Ability and willingness to teach cybersecurity foundations and at least three of the following areas:

- Cybersecurity program management, cybersecurity strategy, cybersecurity risk management, supply chain cybersecurity, cybersecurity policy, cloud security, SOC Operations, threat hunting, and web application security.

- Secondary teaching areas are: Operating systems security, network security, applied cybersecurity, forensics, wireless security, mobile security, SCADA/IoT, offensive cyber operations, active cyber defense, incident response, cyber threat intelligence, cyber law, cyber politics, cyber fraud, security analytics, cryptography, ethical hacking, pentesting, threat hunting, vulnerability management, CISA, CISSP, maritime cybersecurity.

- A record of teaching and research that is related to the primary areas of teaching.

- Experience in developing and implementing curricula related to cybersecurity.

- Experience serving as a student Internship Coordinator and/or Student Club Advisor.

- Experience establishing recruitment relationships with industry.

- Cybersecurity-related industry certifications.

- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively with constituents across the school, college, and university.

### **Required Certifications or Licensure:**

### **Primary Function of Organizational Unit:**

The Congdon School of Supply Chain, Business Analytics and Information Systems supports the Bachelor of Science with concentrations in Business Analytics, Cybersecurity, Information Systems, and Supply Chain Management, Bachelor of Science in Information Technology, and Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity. At the graduate level, the School supports the Master of Business Administration, Master of Science in Computer Science and Information Systems, Master of Science in Business Analytics, and Master of Science in Supply Chain Management.

The National Security Agency (NSA) and Department of Homeland Security (DHS) designated UNCW in 2018 as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education (CAE-CDE). The cybersecurity program at UNCW is robust and flourishing, with five current offerings across the university: IT Major with Cybersecurity Concentration, CS Major with Security Concentration, Cybersecurity Minor (open to all majors), MBA with Cybersecurity Specialization, and Cybersecurity Major (first cybersecurity undergraduate major offered in the UNC system). Cybersecurity and IT majors are hybrid programs offered by CS and IS faculty

### **College/School Information:**

UNCW boasts a beautiful 661-acre wooded campus with approximately 16,500 students and is one of the fastest growing institutions in the University of North Carolina system. The Cameron School of Business is AACSB accredited and serves more than 2200

business majors, including graduate students in the PMBA, EMBA, M.S. in Accounting, International MBA, M.S in Business Analytics, M.S. in Finance and Investments, and M.S. in Computer Science and Information Systems programs.

The Wilmington metropolitan area comprises approximately 225,000 people and features a thriving port, business community, and tourism industry. Bordered by both the Atlantic Ocean and the Cape Fear River, Wilmington offers the best in coastal living.

### **University Information:**

The University of North Carolina Wilmington, the state's coastal university, is dedicated to the integration of teaching, mentoring, research and service. Widely acknowledged for its world-class faculty and staff and continuously recognized at a national level for scholarly excellence and affordability, UNCW offers a powerful academic experience that stimulates creative inquiry and critical thinking and a community rich in diversity, inclusion and global perspectives.

A public institution with nearly 18,000 students, UNCW offers a full range of baccalaureate- and graduate-level programs, as well as doctoral degrees in educational leadership, marine biology, nursing practice and psychology; and many distance learning options, including clinical research, an accelerated RN-to-BSN program, an Executive M.B.A. program structured for working professionals, and the nation's only bachelor's degree program focused on coastal engineering.

The university's efforts to advance research and scholarly activities have earned UNCW the elevated designation of "Doctoral Universities: High Research Activity" institution (R2 University) by the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education.

UNCW has been part of the University of North Carolina System since 1969.

### **Eligibility for Employment:**

Final candidates are subject to criminal & sex offender background checks. Some vacancies also require credit or motor vehicle checks. UNC Wilmington participates in E-Verify. Federal law requires all employers to verify the identity and employment eligibility of all persons hired to work in the United States.

**Number of Openings:** Single Incumbent

### **Special Notes to Applicants:**

Prior to the official appointment to the university, the candidate(s) selected for hire must be able to demonstrate eligibility to teach assigned courses by successfully meeting the credentialing requirements based on official transcripts and other documentation as required. Please note that a minimum of three professional references are required for all applications.

**Position Type:** Permanent

**Job Posting Date:** 03/28/2025

**Job Close Date:** 4/28/2025

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