

**Memorandum of Understanding
between
Bluefield State College
and
Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College
Articulation Agreement for
Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences and Computed Tomography
Courses**

This is a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences and Computed Tomography courses between Bluefield State College and Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College. This MOU specifies the criteria required to offer the Baccalaureate Degree in Imaging Sciences for students in the southern mountain region of West Virginia.

Criteria

1. Students of Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College who have completed an associate degree in radiologic technology and are successful on the ARRT Exam in Radiography may enter the Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences Program and will be afforded the professional services of the Office of Admission, Office of Financial Aid, Office of the Registrar, and the Office of the Bursar in securing necessary college admission and registration at Bluefield State College.
2. Students of Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College who enter the BS Imaging Program must apply for and meet the School of Nursing and Allied Health requirements for admission to the program that are to be found in the Bluefield State College Catalog.
3. Beginning with the fall semester of 2013, Bluefield State College will accept the Computed Tomography courses that are taught online by Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College faculty as fulfillment of the twenty-one (21) hours of 300/400 restricted electives required by the BS RADS degree.
4. Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College will permit students in the BS Imaging program to complete CT courses per transient waiver to be used in fulfillment of the twenty-one (21) 300/400 restricted electives. A list of these courses will be provided at the end of the MOU.
5. Students from Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College will be permitted to transfer seventy-two (72) credit hours to BSC.
6. Bluefield State College Catalog graduation requirements must be met.
7. Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College will appoint a radiography liaison to assist and work in cooperation with Bluefield State officials in the areas of student advising, program registration, student information services, and general program coordination.

8. Southern will specify texts to be used for the CT courses and provide access to purchase required texts and related materials through electronic means.
9. Bluefield will conduct informational sessions for prospective students on a scheduled basis, as well as on-site advising, registration, and financial aid information, as needed.
10. Bluefield will provide appropriate advertising and promotion for the program in cooperation with the Director of Media at Southern.
11. Bluefield will establish financial accounts and provide for collection of student fees through the office of financial aid.


Approved by:



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Courses transfer/transient

BSC RADS Course	SWVCTC Course Description	SWVCTC Course Number/Credit Hours
RADS 490	Intro to Computed Tomography	CT 260/3
RADS 490	Procedure Protocol in Computed Tomography	CT 262/3
RADS 490	Sectional Anatomy I	CT 263/3
RADS 490	Computed Tomography Advanced Procedures	CT 266/3
RADS 490	Sectional Anatomy II	CT 269/3
RADS 490	Computed Tomography Pathology	CT 267/3
RADS 490	Computed Tomography Physics	CT 268/3
		21 credit hours total

BSC General Studies Course	SWVCTC Equivalent Course
Math 101 General Mathematics	MT 128 Algebra for Allied Health
200 level elective	AH 241 Pharmacology for Allied Health
BIOL 210/211 Human A & P I	BS 124 Human A & P I
BIOL 212/213 Human A & P II	BS 125 Human A & P II

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