

## SCOTT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### Admissions

Thank you for showing interest in the Radiologic Technology program at Eastern Iowa Community Colleges. Enclosed is a brochure with helpful information should you decide to go into the Radiologic Technology program. In addition, the following will assist you in getting started.

Due to the fact that we have a limited number of clinical slots available, we accept a limited number of students per year to start in the fall semester. These are selected during the interview phase in the spring prior to admission into the program. Note: *It is the student's responsibility to contact Jan Jacobs M.A., R.T.(R) at (563) 441-4265 between January 15 - February 28 to make an appointment for a March interview. If you do not make an appointment during these times, you will not be considered for the next fall class. You must bring a copy of your transcripts and Teas examination score for your appointment.*

1. These students are selected based upon the admission criteria for the program, enclosed. Once the admission criterion has been met, students will be ranked by a point system set up by the program. The criteria and point system is attached.
2. While you are waiting for the interview phase, you must take at least 15 semester hours of pre-reqs. of college course work toward the RT degree as listed on the brochure in the admission criteria. There are five courses you can take while you are waiting for admission into the program. (If you have not had high school courses or college courses in, biology, chemistry or physics with a C or better, you will need to complete these courses). You will need to take a college math/ logical reasoning course. This requirement includes a math course of a 100 level or above or HIT-139 Math for the Healthcare Professional.
3. If you have not filled out a college application, you will need to do this in order to be considered for admission to the program. If you have already applied to the college under another major, you will need to fill out a change of major form. Once the college has received and processed your application (or change of major form), you will be placed as a Pre-Rad student. At the time of your interview, if you meet the admission criteria, you will be ranked with other students according to the point system that is in place. The date of the application/change of major will only apply if there is a tie with the point system.
4. If you have access to the internet, you can check out these sites:
  - RT Web site: <http://www.eicc.edu/future-students/our-programs/radiology/index.aspx>
  - More information on the radiography field: <http://www.isrt.org/>
5. You are required to attend a program informational session, these session will be scheduled at Scott Community College once in the fall and once in the spring at the Belmont Campus room 104. This informational session is required and has a point value of 10 points once attended.
6. If you have any questions regarding the above information, feel free to contact me.  
(563) 441-4265.

Sincerely,

Jan Jacobs, M.A., R.T.(R)

Program Director

Radiologic Technology Program

## **Radiologic Technology Information Session**

Location: Radiology Classroom at Scott Community College Room 0104, (Go in door 1 in the building across from the Bookstore sign)

Time: 7:00 p.m. on scheduled evenings one time in both the fall and spring semesters each year.

Session length: 1½ hours

No appointment necessary

Next session date: - : **7:00 pm, Wednesday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**7:00 pm, Wednesday October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

It is mandatory to attend at least one program information session prior to entering the radiography program. Along with the instructors, there will be several students currently in the program available for you to ask questions about the program and the profession.

The information session is intended to inform you about the program and clarify any areas you may have. Below are some questions you should contemplate prior to the session.

- What led you to choose radiography as a profession?
- What are your expectations of the SCC radiography program?
- What do you know about the SCC radiography program?
- Describe what you expect a typical week for a student in this program would be like?
- Describe how you currently manage your time. What time changes (work and family) do you plan to make upon being accepted into the program?
- The hospital is an environment that frequently has a great deal of pressure. What has been your experience in this area?
- What are your strengths? Weaknesses?
- What would you take as evidence - just from observing - that someone is professional? Do you enter a profession already behaving in this manner or is professionalism something you learn along the way?
- What do you plan to do with your education?