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- provide service to their communities.

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# CURRICULA

## SCHOOL OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - COMPUTER NETWORK SYSTEMS ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - Information technology (IT) is a diverse area of study encompassing several computer-based system and application areas. The advancement of computers and communication technology continues to have profound impact on our lives. A need exists for technically competent individuals to provide appropriate computing solutions for users. The objective of the IT program is to provide a broad-based foundation in the area of IT and a concentration in computer network systems.

In addition to technical knowledge, it is important for IT workers to be able to communicate, handle multi-tasking situations and to assess user needs when developing computer-based solutions.

The Information Technology - Computer Network Systems program can help graduates prepare to perform tasks associated with installing, upgrading and maintaining computer network systems in typical LAN/WAN environments. This discipline explores a number of networking and internetworking technologies. Additional curriculum topics, investigated through classroom and laboratory experiences, include introductory computer programming, survey of operating systems, network design and implementation, network systems management and other related technical subjects. Information Technology - Computer Network Systems consists of a foundation core of computing and general education courses, followed by studies in computer network systems applications.

**Career Opportunities** - Graduates of this program may begin their careers in Information Technology - Computer Network Systems in a variety of entry-level positions in various fields involving information technology - computer network systems, such as computer network analyst, computer network technician, help desk analyst and WAN/LAN technician.

Graduates who have difficulty distinguishing colors may not be able to perform the essential functions of various positions involving information technology.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - Students will have the opportunity to use the following school equipment as required throughout the program: computer systems, network hubs, patch panels, printers and other common computer peripherals. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating to the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

**Class Size** - Classes generally range in size from 15 to 40 students. Depending on the course subject matter, certain classes may contain a greater or lesser number of students.

#### Program Outline

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours
<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE192P	College Mathematics II+	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE273P	Microeconomics+	4
GE347P	Group Dynamics+	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>28</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		
IT104P	Introduction to Computer Programming	4
IT109P	Microsoft Desktop Operating System	4
IT113P	Structured Cabling	4
IT203P	Database Development	4
IT220P	Network Standards and Protocols	4
IT221P	Microsoft Network Operating System I	4
IT222P	Microsoft Network Operating System II	4
IT250P	Linux Operating System	4
IT255P	Introduction to Information Systems Security	4
IT260P	Networking Application Services and Security	4
IT302P	Linux System Administration	4
IT320P	WAN Technology and Application	4
IT321P	Network Technology and Service Integration	4
IT331P	Network Development Capstone Project	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>56</b>
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB143P	Introduction to Personal Computers	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Program Total</b>		<b>96</b>

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## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS AND PROGRAMMING

### ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - Information technology (IT) is a diverse area of study encompassing several computer-based system and application areas. The advancement of computers and communication technology continues to have profound impact on our lives. A need exists for technically competent individuals to provide appropriate computing solutions for users. The objective of the IT program is to provide a broad-based foundation in the area of IT and a concentration in software applications and programming.

In addition to technical knowledge, it is important for IT workers to be able to communicate, handle multi-tasking situations and to assess user needs when developing computer-based solutions.

The Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming program can help graduates prepare to perform tasks associated with developing and modifying software applications. Additional curriculum topics, investigated through classroom and laboratory experiences, include programming languages and algorithms, database development and applications and other related technical subjects. Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming consists of a foundation core of computing and general education courses, followed by studies in programming applications.

**Career Opportunities** - Graduates of this program may begin their careers in Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming in a variety of entry-level positions in various fields involving information technology - software applications and programming, such as database programmer, junior programmer, software support technician and software tester.

Graduates who have difficulty distinguishing colors may not be able to perform the essential functions of various positions involving information technology.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - Students will have the opportunity to use the following school equipment as required throughout the program: computer systems, network hubs, patch panels, printers and other common computer peripherals. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating to the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

**Class Size** - Classes generally range in size from 15 to 40 students. Depending on the course subject matter, certain classes may contain a greater or lesser number of students.

#### Program Outline

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours
<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE192P	College Mathematics II+	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE273P	Microeconomics+	4
GE347P	Group Dynamics+	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>28</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		
IT104P	Introduction to Computer Programming	4
IT106P	Programming in C++ I	4
IT109P	Microsoft Desktop Operating System	4
IT116P	Intermediate Programming	4
IT203P	Database Development	4
IT204P	Scripting and Web Authoring I	4
IT217P	Programming in C++ II	4
IT218P	Programming in Java I	4
IT219P	Programming in Java II	4
IT250P	Linux Operating System	4
IT305P	College Mathematics III	4
IT306P	Software Application Programming	4
IT308P	Software Development Capstone Project	4
IT327P	Data Structures	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>56</b>
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB143P	Introduction to Personal Computers	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Program Total</b>		<b>96</b>

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# SCHOOL OF ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY

## COMPUTER AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

### ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - This program helps graduates begin to prepare for careers in a variety of entry-level positions in many fields of electronics and computer technology, such as aviation, communications, computers, consumer products, defense and research and development. The program acquaints students with certain circuits, systems and specialized techniques used in electronics and computer technology career fields and exposes students to a combination of classroom theory and practical application in a laboratory environment.

**Career Opportunities** - Graduates of this program may begin their careers in a variety of entry-level positions in various fields involving electronics engineering technology and computer engineering technology such as technician, electronics technician, field service representative, salesperson and computer technician.

Graduates who have difficulty distinguishing colors may not be able to perform the essential functions of various positions involving computer and electronics engineering technology.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - In laboratory, students typically work in teams. Students will have the opportunity to use the following school equipment as required throughout the program: computers, applications programs relevant to the field, standard hand tools and various pieces of test equipment which include the multimeter, power supply, oscilloscope and signal generator. Other types of specialized test equipment may be available for student use in various individual applications. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating to the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

**Class Size** - Classes generally range in size from 20 to 40 students. Depending on the course subject matter, certain classes may contain a greater or lesser number of students.

#### Program Outline

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours
<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE192P	College Mathematics II+	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE253P	Physics	4
GE273P	Microeconomics+	4
Subtotal		28
<b>Core Courses</b>		
IT113P	Structured Cabling	4
ET115P	DC Electronics	4
ET145P	AC Electronics	4
ET156P	Introduction to C Programming	4
ET215P	Electronic Devices I	4
IT220P	Network Standards and Protocols	4
ET245P	Electronic Devices II	4
ET255P	Digital Electronics I	4
ET275P	Electronic Communications Systems I	4
ET285P	Digital Electronics II	4
ET315P	Electronic Communications Systems II	4
ET345P	Control Systems	4
ET355P	Microprocessors	4
ET365P	Computer and Electronics Capstone Project	4
Subtotal		56
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB143P	Introduction to Personal Computers	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
Subtotal		12
Program Total		96

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# SCHOOL OF DRAFTING AND DESIGN

## COMPUTER DRAFTING AND DESIGN ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - Drafting is a graphic language used by industry to communicate ideas and plans from the creative-design stage through production. Computer drafting and design is one way to produce drawings in traditional design and drafting fields. This program combines wherever appropriate computer-aided drafting with conventional methods of graphic communication to solve drafting and basic design-related problems. The program will help graduates prepare to work in entry-level positions in many diverse areas of technical drafting and design.

Students will be exposed to both classroom theory and laboratory projects. Students will be required to create a variety of drawings of various sizes on different drawing media, and will use conventional as well as computer-aided drafting equipment.

The goal of the Computer Drafting and Design program is to help the student acquire the skills to enter the workplace as a versatile draftsman able to make basic design decisions and capable of addressing the challenges of future technological advances in the drafting and design profession.

**Career Opportunities** - Many industries use drafters who can translate ideas, sketches and specifications of an engineer, architect or designer into complete and accurate working plans needed to make products, engineer projects or create structures. Graduates may begin their careers in a variety of entry-level positions in various fields involving drafting and design, some of which include mechanical drafting, piping drafting, architectural and construction drafting, civil drafting, interior design, illustration and design detailing. The availability of micro-CAD systems has enabled even small drafting firms to utilize computer-aided drafting and design.

Graduates who have difficulty distinguishing colors may not be able to perform the essential functions of various positions involving computer drafting and design.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - Throughout the program students will use portable drafting tables and parallel edges. The CAD laboratory is equipped with computers, design software and plotters. Students regularly use smaller tools such as drafting instruments, scales and calculators. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating to the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

**Class Size** - Classes generally range in size from 15 to 35 students. Depending on the course subject matter, certain classes may contain a greater or lesser number of students.

### Program Outline

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours
<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE192P	College Mathematics II+	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE253P	Physics	4
GE273P	Microeconomics+	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>28</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		
CD111P	Introduction to Design and Drafting	4
CD121P	Drafting/CAD Methods	4
CD130P	Architectural Drafting I	4
CD140P	Rapid Visualization	4
CD210P	Engineering Graphics I	4
CD220P	Materials and Processes	4
CD230P	Architectural Drafting II	4
CD240P	Descriptive Geometry	4
CD245P	Sustainable Design	4
CD250P	Engineering Graphics II	4
CD310P	Civil Drafting and Introduction to GIS	4
CD320P	Basic Design Theory and Methods	4
CD331P	Design and Drafting Capstone Project	4
CD340P	Physical and Computer-Aided 3D Modeling	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>56</b>
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB143P	Introduction to Personal Computers	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Program Total</b>		<b>96</b>

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## VISUAL COMMUNICATIONS

### ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - The purpose of this program is to help students prepare for entry-level positions in visual communications related professions. The curriculum of the program consists of a foundation core of design and general education courses, followed by studies in multimedia applications. The Visual Communications program can help graduates prepare to perform tasks associated with designing and creating interactive multimedia communications and print communications. Additional curriculum topics, investigated through classroom and laboratory experiences, include graphic design, multimedia applications and other related technical subjects.

**Career Opportunities** - Graduates of this program may pursue careers in a variety of entry-level positions involving the design and production of digital media, print media and a variety of applications used in corporate and public communications.

Graduates who have difficulty distinguishing colors may not be able to perform the essential functions of various positions involving visual communications.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - Students will have the opportunity to use the following school equipment as required throughout the program: computer systems, video cameras, printers and other common computer peripherals. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating to the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

**Class Size** - Classes generally range in size from 20 to 40 students. Depending on the course subject matter, certain classes may contain a greater or lesser number of students.

#### Program Outline

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours
<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE192P	College Mathematics II+	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE347P	Group Dynamics+	4
GE364P	Art Appreciation+	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>28</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		
VC100P	Introduction to Design	4
IT107P	Instructional Design	4
VC110P	Typography	4
VC130P	Digital Type and Image Manipulation	4
CD140P	Rapid Visualization	4
VC210P	Modeling in 3D	4
IT212P	Broadcast Graphics	4
VC215P	Interactive Communication Design	4
VC220P	Graphic Design Production Processes	4
VC230P	Digital Prepress	4
VC240P	Visual Design for the Web	4
VC250P	Design Project	4
IT309P	Animation I	4
IT310P	Audio/Video Techniques	4
IT311P	Animation II	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>60</b>
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>8</b>
<b>Program Total</b>		<b>96</b>

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# SCHOOL OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

## CRIMINAL JUSTICE

### ASSOCIATE IN SPECIALIZED TECHNOLOGY DEGREE

**Objectives** - This program teaches fundamentals of the criminal justice system and criminal justice skills. The program offers a foundation in criminal law, legal procedures, criminal evidence and criminology. Areas of study include law enforcement, the courts and corrections. Students are taught about the legal system and law enforcement standards to help them develop technical skills used in today's criminal justice environment. The curriculum is designed to offer a balance of theory and application used in the field by integrating interpersonal skills and criminal justice subject matter. The program examines the criminal justice process in the United States and involves the study of interpersonal communication skills. Program content includes communication, criminology, courts, correctional programs, criminal investigations, security and policing.

**Career Opportunities** - The program can help graduates prepare for careers in community corrections, the private investigation and security fields and law enforcement\*. Upon completion of the program, graduates will have developed knowledge and skills that can be used to pursue entry-level positions involving a broad spectrum of criminal justice careers in the private sector involving workplace security, private investigations, and insurance investigations as private detectives, safety officers and security patrol officers. The program also offers the academic preparation to pursue entry-level positions involving criminal justice, such as local, state and federal law enforcement jobs in policing\*, crime commissions, parole and probation, corrections and court systems.

\*This program of study may not qualify a graduate for a career in law enforcement involving employment as a police officer or agent by federal, state, county, local or municipal authorities. An applicant must contact the applicable governmental authority prior to beginning the program at the school to determine if there are any specific requirements and/or qualifications that a candidate must satisfy to be eligible for employment as a police officer or agent by that authority. Those requirements and/or qualifications may include, among other things, that a candidate must: (a) successfully complete an academy or other specialized training; (b) be younger than a certain age; (c) pass a physical, mental and/or personality examination; (d) pass a background check; (e) not have a criminal record; (f) be a graduate from an institution that is regionally accredited (as opposed to nationally accredited, such as ITT Technical Institute); (g) complete a certain number of credit hours or a certain type of degree program at an accredited postsecondary educational institution; (h) have served a certain number of years in the military; (i) have a certain number of years of prior law enforcement experience; (j) be a U.S. citizen and/or a resident of the governmental authority's jurisdiction; (k) have earned a bachelor or graduate degree in certain areas of study; and/or (l) have a valid driver's license.

**Admission Requirements** - Refer to the Admission section of this catalog for information relating to Admission Requirements and Procedures for this program.

**School Equipment** - Students will have the opportunity to use the following school equipment as required throughout the program: computer systems, network hubs, patch panels, printers and other common computer peripherals. Refer to Student Equipment in the Online Course Information section of this catalog for information relating the student equipment requirements for the distance education courses that are taught online over the Internet.

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#### Program Outline

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<b>General Education Courses</b>		
GE117P	Composition I+	4
GE127P	College Mathematics I+	4
GE175P	American Government+	4
GE184P	Problem Solving	4
GE217P	Composition II+	4
GE347P	Group Dynamics+	4
GE375P	Psychology+	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>28</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		
CJ123P	Criminal Law	4
CJ131P	Introduction to Criminal Justice	4
CJ132P	Criminal Justice Organization and Administration	4
CJ133P	Criminology	4
CJ151P	Principals of Policing and Law Enforcement	4
CJ152P	Law Enforcement Reporting and Recording	4
CJ211P	Correctional Programs: Probation and Parole	4
CJ241P	Criminal Investigation	4
CJ242P	Forensics and Crime Scene Investigation	4
CJ243P	Introduction to the Criminalistics of Cybercrime	4
CJ253P	Policing Techniques: Interviewing and Interrogation	4
CJ261P	Essentials of Security	4
CJ264P	Transportation Security	4
CJ299P	Criminal Justice Capstone	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>56</b>
<b>Technical Basic Courses</b>		
TB133P	Strategies for the Technical Professional	4
TB143P	Introduction to Personal Computers	4
TB332P	Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development	4
<b>Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Program Total</b>		<b>96</b>

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**NOTE:** The course descriptions for the courses in this program are in the Course Descriptions section of this catalog. The school may, at any time in its discretion, vary the offering and/or sequence of courses in this program and revise the curriculum content of the program or any course in the program.

## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

GE courses = General Education

CD, CJ, EC, ET, IT and VC courses = Core

TB courses = Technical Basic

### *General Education Courses*

#### **GE117P Composition I**

**A 4 credit hour Composition course**

This course covers phases of the writing process, with special emphasis on the structure of writing and techniques for writing clearly, precisely and persuasively. **Prerequisite or Corequisite: TB133P Strategies for the Technical Professional or equivalent**

#### **GE127P College Mathematics I**

**A 4 credit hour Mathematics course**

This course will include, but is not limited to, the following concepts: quadratic, polynomial and radical equations, linear functions and their graphs, systems of linear equations, functions and their properties and triangles and trigonometric functions. Activities will include solving problems and using appropriate technological tools. **Prerequisite: GE184P Problem Solving; Prerequisite or Corequisite: TB133P Strategies for the Technical Professional or equivalent**

#### **GE175P American Government**

**A 4 credit hour Social Science course**

This course covers principles and theory related to the United States government, including the development and foundations of the Constitution, the organization and function of the federal government including the legislative, executive and judicial branches, political parties and the electoral process, and the relationship between states and the federal government. **Prerequisite: GE117P Composition I or equivalent**

#### **GE184P Problem Solving**

**A 4 credit hour Science course**

This course introduces students to problem solving techniques and helps them apply the tools of critical reading, analytical thinking and mathematics to help solve problems in practical applications.

#### **GE192P College Mathematics II**

**A 4 credit hour Mathematics course**

This course will include, but is not limited to, the following concepts: exponential and logarithmic equations and functions, graphs of trigonometric functions, trigonometric equations, polar coordinates, oblique triangles, vectors and sequences. **Prerequisite: GE127P College Mathematics I or equivalent**

#### **GE217P Composition II**

**A 4 credit hour Humanities course**

This course focuses on appropriate rhetoric structures and styles for analytical and argumentative writing. Emphasis is placed on critical thinking, reading skills and elements of research in the information age. **Prerequisite: GE117P Composition I or equivalent**

#### **GE253P Physics**

**A 4 credit hour Science course**

Students in this course study the concepts of general physics. Practical applications demonstrate the theory. **Prerequisite: GE192P College Mathematics II or equivalent**

#### **GE273P Microeconomics**

**A 4 credit hour Social Science course**

This course introduces the economic way of thinking as it provides the basic principles of microeconomics. It is the study of choices made by households, firms, and government and how these choices impact the market economy. **Prerequisites: GE117P Composition I or equivalent, GE127P College Mathematics I or equivalent**

#### **GE274P Macroeconomics**

**A 4 credit hour Social Science course**

Building on the concepts of microeconomics, this course is the study of aggregate economic activity. Students will apply the basic principles to measures of economic performance and to explain economic phenomena such as unemployment, inflation and economic growth. **Prerequisite: GE273P Microeconomics or equivalent**

#### **GE347P Group Dynamics**

**A 4 credit hour Social Science course**

In this course, students examine elements of successful teams and small decision-making groups. Emphasis is on communication, critical thinking and group process techniques. **Prerequisite: GE117P Composition I or equivalent**

### **GE364P Art Appreciation**

#### **A 4 credit hour Humanities course**

This course is a basic introduction to visual art, focusing primarily on drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpture and architecture. Students will examine well-known works of art through the study of content, technique, form and purpose.

### **GE375P Psychology**

#### **A 4 credit hour Social Science course**

This course introduces psychological theories from behavioristic, humanistic and biological viewpoints. Primary focus is on exploring how selected principles of psychology apply to students' personal lives and social behavior. Students apply the skills of critical thinking, observation, and information gathering and analysis as they practice social science and scientific methodology.

**Prerequisite:** GE117P Composition I or equivalent

## ***Core Courses***

### **CD111P Introduction to Design and Drafting**

#### **4 credit hours**

An introduction to graphic communication and its practices including an introduction to the design process with an understanding of manual drafting and computer-aided drafting (CAD) techniques. The theory of geometric construction, sketching, detail drawing, various projections, sections, auxiliary views, dimensioning, lettering, dimension tolerances and basic CAD procedures are presented in relation to the discipline of drafting and design. The course, being a theoretical foundation for the discipline of drafting and its application to various areas of design, has been developed to better acquaint students with concepts, processes and skills required by professionals in the field. **Corequisite:** CD121P Drafting/CAD Methods

### **CD121P Drafting/CAD Methods**

#### **4 credit hours**

An application of graphic communications and its practices to practical experience in the use of drafting tools and CAD equipment. Hands-on projects include geometric construction, various projections, sections, auxiliaries, dimensioning, sketching, detail drawing and lettering that is practiced and applied using both manual drafting and CAD procedures. Maintenance of CAD drawing files through the use of operating system commands is applied and stressed. **Corequisite:** CD111P Introduction to Design and Drafting

### **CD130P Architectural Drafting I**

#### **4 credit hours**

An introduction to the theory and practice of architectural planning and design. Fundamental design methods and practices for the creation of architectural drawings are presented, with emphasis on the content of the drawings and the production skills. Topics include the development of floor plans, elevations and perspective projection principles of a single-level building project incorporating material specifications, legal and building code requirements. **Prerequisites:** CD111P Introduction to Design and Drafting, CD121P Drafting/CAD Methods

### **CD140P Rapid Visualization**

#### **4 credit hours**

This course is an introduction to the techniques of freehand drawing and its application to technical sketching and design visualization. Exercises include drawing of two- and three-dimensional shapes and objects, spatial thinking and eye-hand coordination in relation to the practice of drafting and design.

### **CD210P Engineering Graphics I**

#### **4 credit hours**

An introduction to the creation of pictorial, auxiliaries, sections and orthographic working drawings incorporating developments, geometric dimensioning and tolerances as they relate to mechanical topics. The fundamentals of weldments, threads, fasteners, springs, mechanisms and symbol libraries are introduced in this course. Manual drafting and CAD techniques are used in the production of working drawings. **Prerequisites:** CD111P Introduction to Design and Drafting, CD121P Drafting/CAD Methods

### **CD220P Materials and Processes**

#### **4 credit hours**

This course is a survey of various materials, their applications and production processes as found in the manufacturing and construction industries. Students will be introduced to various construction and manufacturing materials, machine tools and tooling used in a variety of processes. Emphasis is placed on terminology and function.

### **CD230P Architectural Drafting II**

#### **4 credit hours**

A continuation of Architectural Drafting I through the functional planning of a progressively complex project using light construction systems. Drawings incorporating foundations, elevations, wall sections and roof framing details will be created using drafting and CAD techniques. **Prerequisites:** CD130P Architectural Drafting I, CD220P Materials and Processes or equivalent

**CD240P Descriptive Geometry****4 credit hours**

A study of spatial relations involving points, lines, planes and solids. Instruction includes solving for points and lines of intersections of different geometries and applying analytical graphics to solve design problems. **Prerequisites:** CD111P Introduction to Design and Drafting, CD121P Drafting/CAD Methods

**CD245P Sustainable Design****4 credit hours**

This course examines a variety of issues surrounding the subject of sustainability. Students will explore the history of sustainability and current trends as they apply to design. Topics will include materials, manufacturing techniques, new technologies, renewable resources, and product life cycle analysis. **Prerequisite:** CD230P Architectural Drafting II

**CD250P Engineering Graphics II****4 credit hours**

An introduction to the layout, design and drafting of mechanisms and machines using shafts, gears, fasteners, bushings, bearings and couplings. Students will be introduced to the techniques necessary to complete solid models of appropriate assembly drawings. **Prerequisites:** CD210P Engineering Graphics I, CD220P Materials and Processes or equivalent

**CD310P Civil Drafting and Introduction to GIS****4 credit hours**

An introduction to site planning, civil engineering, plot plans, contour maps, map profile, highway layout and basic Geographic Information Systems (GIS). **Prerequisite:** CD230P Architectural Drafting II

**CD320P Basic Design Theory and Methods****4 credit hours**

This course is a study of the principles and elements of basic design which leads to the successful execution of form. Students demonstrate the uses of design as a creative and practical problem-solving and analytical tool. **Prerequisite:** CD140P Rapid Visualization

**CD331P Design and Drafting Capstone Project****4 credit hours**

An introduction to the theory and practical development, planning, management and presentation of a drafting project from start to finish. Topics include techniques of project planning, project design and execution, documentation and presentation. Students are required to apply project management techniques to a Capstone Project. **Prerequisites:** Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including CD250P Engineering Graphics II or equivalent and CD310P Civil Drafting and Introduction to GIS or equivalent

**CD340P Physical and Computer-Aided 3D Modeling****4 credit hours**

Introduces the student to tools and skills used in the manipulation of two-dimensional materials to convert these into precise three-dimensional models of various forms, products or architectural space layouts. Students will also use software to model objects and spaces with light, shadows, color and textures that are placed in appropriate backgrounds. **Prerequisites:** CD230P Architectural Drafting II, CD250P Engineering Graphics II

**CJ123P Criminal Law****4 credit hours**

This course introduces the student to criminal law, which involves the imposition of penalties for engaging in criminal conduct. The course also explores the distinction between criminal law, which typically is enforced by the government, and civil law, which may be enforced by private parties. **Prerequisites:** GE175P American Government or equivalent, GE217P Composition II or equivalent, An introductory level Criminal Justice or Paralegal Studies course

**CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice****4 credit hours**

This survey course introduces the student to the scope, principles and purposes of the American criminal justice system with emphasis on crime, law enforcement, courts and corrections.

**CJ132P Criminal Justice Organization and Administration****4 credit hours**

This course examines the organization, administration and practice of police, courts and correctional organizations at the federal, state and municipal levels. **Prerequisite:** CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice

**CJ133P Criminology****4 credit hours**

This course offers an interdisciplinary and integrative approach to the study of crime. It includes an overview of criminological theories of causation, treatment and punishment. **Prerequisite:** CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice

**CJ151P Principles of Policing and Law Enforcement****4 credit hours**

This course is an introduction to policing and law enforcement in America including a historical and social review of policing and law enforcement. Emphasis is placed on contemporary strategies used in modern law enforcement organizations and administration to combat and prevent crime.

**CJ152P Law Enforcement Reporting and Recording****4 credit hours**

This course introduces students to fundamental guidelines for reports common to the criminal justice community. The course also studies how computers and technology are used as tools in this process. **Prerequisite: GE217P Composition II or equivalent**

**CJ211P Correctional Programs: Probation and Parole****4 credit hours**

This introduction to the probation and parole system in the United States tracks the progress of an individual through each phase of the system. **Prerequisite: CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice**

**CJ241P Criminal Investigation****4 credit hours**

This course explores theoretical and practical aspects of criminal investigation and introduces the student to investigative processes, procedures and challenges. **Prerequisite: CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice**

**CJ242P Forensics and Crime Scene Investigation****4 credit hours**

This course explores the evolution and role of forensics in criminal justice and scientific crime scene investigation. Emphasis is placed on identification and detection methods and the collection and gathering of evidence. **Prerequisites: CJ241P Criminal Investigation, TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or TB145P Introduction to Computing or TB150P Computing and Productivity Software**

**CJ243P Introduction to the Criminalistics of Cybercrime****4 credit hours**

This course examines the scope of cybercrimes and the cybersecurity threat and legal considerations facing law enforcement and cybersecurity professionals in dealing with discovering, investigating and prosecuting cybercrimes. The role of intrusion detection in information security and different tools used to detect intrusion will also be discussed. **Prerequisite: CJ242P Forensics and Crime Scene Investigation**

**CJ253P Policing Techniques: Interviewing and Interrogation****4 credit hours**

This course explores police techniques and tactics used to combat and prevent crime. Emphasis is placed on the knowledge and working skills involved in the art of interviewing and interrogating witnesses and suspects, and the relevant legal parameters that must be followed during field procedures. **Prerequisite: CJ151P Principles of Policing and Law Enforcement**

**CJ261P Essentials of Security****4 credit hours**

This course offers an overview of security elements and types of security organizations with a focus on security measures used to protect lives, property and proprietary information through risk management and asset protection. **Prerequisite: CJ131P Introduction to Criminal Justice**

**CJ264P Transportation Security****4 credit hours**

This course examines current and future threats to the transportation systems and discusses methods and technologies designed to confront these threats. Coverage of relevant security issues relating to transportation by sea, land, pipeline and air will be included.

**CJ299P Criminal Justice Capstone****4 credit hours**

This course provides a culminating experience after two years of study in the criminal justice program. Students are given the opportunity to demonstrate competency and knowledge they have learned throughout the program. **Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including CJ242P Forensics and Crime Scene Investigation or equivalent**

**EC311P Introduction to Project Management****4 credit hours**

This course is an introduction to the discipline of project management. Topics include an overview of its evolution, its various processes and principles, tools and techniques and project life cycle. Students will also be introduced to a project management software. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or TB145P Introduction to Computing or TB150P Computing and Productivity Software**

**ET115P DC Electronics****4 credit hours**

A study of electronic laws and components in DC circuits, emphasizing the study and application of network theorems interrelating voltage, current and resistance. Students apply practical mathematics as it supports understanding the principles of electronics. A laboratory provides practical experience using both physical components and computer-generated simulations. **Corequisite or Prerequisite: GE127P College Mathematics I or equivalent**

**ET145P AC Electronics****4 credit hours**

This course covers an analysis of reactive components as they relate to an AC sine wave. Transformers, filters and resonant circuits are studied in this course. Laboratory supports the theory and continues the use of both physical components and computer-generated models. **Prerequisite: ET115P DC Electronics; Corequisite or Prerequisite: GE192P College Mathematics II or equivalent**

**ET156P Introduction to C Programming****4 credit hours**

This course is designed to help students with the fundamental concepts and terminology of computer programming and practical skills in designing, writing and debugging simple computer programs in C. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or equivalent**

**ET215P Electronic Devices I****4 credit hours**

Students in this course study solid state devices, including diodes and transistors. Emphasis is placed on linear amplifiers and DC switching applications. Laboratory projects involve constructing, testing and troubleshooting circuits using solid state devices. **Prerequisite: ET145P AC Electronics**

**ET245P Electronic Devices II****4 credit hours**

Students study integrated circuits such as those used in communications and control systems. The circuits include, but are not limited to, amplifiers, timing circuits, summation amplifiers, active filters and oscillators. Laboratory projects include constructing, testing and troubleshooting circuits containing operational amplifiers. **Prerequisite: ET215P Electronic Devices I**

**ET255P Digital Electronics I****4 credit hours**

This course is a study of the fundamental concepts of digital electronics. The focus in this course is on combinatorial logic. In lab, students construct, test and troubleshoot digital circuits. **Prerequisite: ET215P Electronic Devices I**

**ET275P Electronic Communications Systems I****4 credit hours**

In this course, several methods of signal transmission and reception are covered, including such techniques as mixing, modulating and amplifying. **Prerequisites: ET245P Electronic Devices II, ET255P Digital Electronics I, GE192P College Mathematics II or equivalent**

**ET285P Digital Electronics II****4 credit hours**

This course continues the study of digital electronics. The focus in this course is on sequential logic. In lab, students construct, test and troubleshoot digital circuits. **Prerequisites: ET245P Electronic Devices II, ET255P Digital Electronics I**

**ET315P Electronic Communications Systems II****4 credit hours**

A continuation of Electronic Communications Systems I, this course emphasizes digital techniques and the transmission and recovery of information. **Prerequisites: ET275P Electronic Communications Systems I, ET285P Digital Electronics II**

**ET345P Control Systems****4 credit hours**

Students examine the control of systems with programmable units. Applying digital logic to control industrial processes is emphasized. **Prerequisite: ET285P Digital Electronics II**

**ET355P Microprocessors****4 credit hours**

Students study the architecture, interfacing and programming of a microprocessor, including interfacing the microprocessor with memory and with input and output devices. In lab, students will write, run and debug programs. **Prerequisite: ET285P Digital Electronics II**

### **ET365P Computer and Electronics Capstone Project**

**4 credit hours**

Final capstone project with fundamental review provides the students with a significant design experience and integration of knowledge in electronics and computer gained in previous coursework, as well as a means to practice problem-solving and team work, project management, technical writing, and technical presentation skills. **Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including ET315 Electronic Communications Systems II or equivalent and ET355 Microprocessors or equivalent**

### **IT104P Introduction to Computer Programming**

**4 credit hours**

This course serves as a foundation for understanding the logical function and process of computer programming in a given language environment. Basic computer programming knowledge and skills in logic and syntax will be covered. Coding convention and procedures will be discussed relevant to the given programming language environment. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or equivalent**

### **IT106P Programming in C++ I**

**4 credit hours**

Students will write, enter, run and debug programs using the C++ language. Topics include simple C++ operations, functions, procedures and data operations. **Prerequisite: IT104P Introduction to Computer Programming**

### **IT107P Instructional Design**

**4 credit hours**

Students are introduced to the theories and practices of instructional design in relation to the creation of interactive tools for training.

### **IT109P Microsoft Desktop Operating System**

**4 credit hours**

This course introduces general knowledge and skills required in installation, configuration and management of popular Microsoft operating system(s) for standalone and network client computers. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or equivalent**

### **IT113P Structured Cabling**

**4 credit hours**

This course provides the study of industry standards and practices involved in wiring a computer network, including media and protocol specifications, connection topologies, installation, testing and troubleshooting. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or TB145P Introduction to Computing**

### **IT116P Intermediate Programming**

**4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of Introduction to Computer Programming. Main topics include arrays, file processing, database interaction, SQL, classes and error handling. Hands-on active learning required. **Prerequisite: IT104P Introduction to Computer Programming**

### **IT203P Database Development**

**4 credit hours**

This course introduces relational database concepts and the role of databases in both Windows and Web applications. The course introduces basic data modeling and normalization concepts. Extensible Markup Language (XML) is also introduced. **Prerequisite: TB133P Strategies for the Technical Professional or equivalent**

### **IT204P Scripting and Web Authoring I**

**4 credit hours**

Student will be introduced to using HTML to create Web pages. Some popular Web authoring tools will also be introduced. Project assignments include the development of simple Web pages and sites using both the HTML code and other tools. **Prerequisite: IT104P Introduction to Computer Programming**

### **IT209P 3D Modeling**

**4 credit hours**

Students explore principles of 3-dimensioning and apply them in the creation of 3D computer representations using appropriate modeling software. Emphasis will be placed on creation of accurate models rendered with color, shading, texture mapping and lighting to simulate effects of materials, finishes and surface graphics. **Prerequisite: TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or TB145P Introduction to Computing**

### **IT210P Visual Design Theory**

**4 credit hours**

The fundamental principles of design and color through creative problem solving exercises are covered in this course. Elements of two dimensional form, Gestalt principles, the working relationship between perceptual design principles and communication concepts in the graphic design context will be examined. Students will also be introduced to basics of typographic design.



### **IT211P Interactive Communication Design I**

**4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of the Visual Design Theory class. Students apply design principles to create an interactive software application that is both communicative and intuitive for its user. **Prerequisite:** IT210P Visual Design Theory

### **IT212P Broadcast Graphics**

**4 credit hours**

Principles of type design, image manipulation and communication are applied in the creation of models and motion graphics for the broadcast industry. **Prerequisites:** IT209P 3D Modeling, IT210P Visual Design Theory

### **IT213P Interactive Communication Design II**

**4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of Interactive Communication Design I. Students use authoring and related software to develop complete interactive communication systems. Projects will include development of interactive media for use in multiple platforms that can be accessed via the Internet, CD-ROM or multimedia. Prior knowledge of interface design, need assessment and design principles is necessary. **Prerequisite:** IT211P Interactive Communication Design I

### **IT217P Programming in C++ II**

**4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of the preceding C++ course. Students will examine concepts of classes, dynamic memory allocation, exception handling, file input/output, and the STL. Basic object-oriented programming will be presented. **Prerequisite:** IT106P Programming in C++ I

### **IT218P Programming in Java I**

**4 credit hours**

Students will be introduced to the essential concepts and programming elements of the Java language. Topics include Internet concepts, basic language concepts (declaring and evaluating data, statements, expressions control flow and input), the development environment, classes and objects and creation of applets. **Prerequisite:** IT104P Introduction to Computer Programming or equivalent

### **IT219P Programming in Java II**

**4 credit hours**

This course covers the essentials of applet programming (URL, audio, image, test, animation), error handling, debugging, threads and the client/server environment. Creation of application programs through projects is a requirement. **Prerequisites:** IT203P Database Development or equivalent, IT218P Programming in Java I or equivalent

### **IT220P Network Standards and Protocols**

**4 credit hours**

This course serves as a foundation for students pursuing knowledge and skills in computer networking technologies. Major concepts such as OSI and TCP/IP models, network media specifications and functions, LAN/WAN protocols, topologies and capabilities will be discussed. Industry standards and a brief historical development of major networking technologies will be surveyed in conjunction with basic awareness of software and hardware components used in typical networking and internetworking environments. **Prerequisite:** TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or TB145P Introduction to Computing

### **IT221P Microsoft Network Operating System I**

**4 credit hours**

The current Microsoft networking server operating system will be the focus of this course. Coverage includes installation, configuration and management of a popular Microsoft network server in relation to its clients and to other servers. Aspects of typical Microsoft client-server network administration functions are discussed. **Prerequisite:** IT109P Microsoft Desktop Operating System

### **IT222P Microsoft Network Operating System II**

**4 credit hours**

This course serves as an extension on Microsoft network server technologies. Issues on infrastructure administration are discussed. Aspects of active directory technologies will be introduced. **Prerequisite:** IT221P Microsoft Network Operating System I

### **IT250P Linux Operating System**

**4 credit hours**

Installation, configuration and management of a Linux operating system will be explored. Focus will be on functions that resemble the UNIX environment. Directory and file management, user account management and certain device management (such as drives, printers, interface cards, etc.) will be discussed. **Prerequisite:** TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers or equivalent

### **IT255P Introduction to Information Systems Security**

**4 credit hours**

This course provides an overview of security challenges and strategies of counter measures in the information systems environment. Topics include definition of terms, concepts, elements, and goals incorporating industry standards and practices with a focus on availability, vulnerability, integrity and confidentiality aspects of information systems. **Prerequisites:** IT220P Network Standards and Protocols, IT221P Microsoft Network Operating System I, IT250P Linux Operating System

**IT260P Networking Application Services and Security****4 credit hours**

This course explores common network-based services such as Web services, email and FTP in a given server operating systems environment. Related security issues will also be discussed. **Prerequisite: IT222P Microsoft Network Operating System II**

**IT302P Linux System Administration****4 credit hours**

This course covers intermediate to advanced system and network administrative tasks and related skills required by a Linux based network. Functional areas include the setup, configuration, maintenance, security and troubleshooting of Linux servers and related services in a complex network environment. Tools and scripting skills associated with these areas will also be discussed.

**Prerequisite: IT250P Linux Operating System****IT305P College Mathematics III****4 credit hours**

Students in this course study the concepts of limits and differential and integral calculus in the context of practical problems.

**Prerequisite: GE192P College Mathematics II or equivalent****IT306P Software Application Programming****4 credit hours**

Students will apply math skills, GUI principles and programming techniques to develop complex application software. Teamwork, project planning and implementation are the underlying criteria for this course. **Prerequisites: IT203P Database Development, IT217P Programming in C++ II, IT219P Programming in Java II**

**IT308P Software Development Capstone Project****4 credit hours**

Development of a complex software application in an area jointly agreed upon by the student as well as the faculty member. The faculty member acts more as a facilitator and project manager for this final assignment. **Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including IT306P Software Application Programming or equivalent**

**IT309P Animation I****4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of the 3D Modeling course. Principles of form topology, visual design and movement are applied in the creation of simple animated sequence. **Prerequisites: CD140P Rapid Visualization, CD340P Physical and Computer-Aided 3D Modeling or IT209P 3D Modeling or VC210P Modeling in 3D**

**IT310P Audio/Video Techniques****4 credit hours**

Techniques of integrating visual and audio features into an edited multimedia or animated piece are introduced in this course. Students will have opportunities to output projects onto videotape or CD-ROM.

**IT311P Animation II****4 credit hours**

This course is a continuation of Animation I. Students will be introduced to methods of integrating lighting, texture mapping, rendering and the finer details of motion graphics to create 3D computer animated solutions. Techniques of concept development, story boarding, project planning and script writing will be applied during the creative process of generating a computer-animated sequence. **Prerequisite: IT309P Animation I**

**IT320P WAN Technology and Application****4 credit hours**

This course discusses typical Wide Area Network (WAN) technologies along with survey on existing services and applications. Introductory router configuration skills will be included. **Prerequisite: IT220P Network Standards and Protocols**

**IT321P Network Technology and Service Integration****4 credit hours**

Discussions on areas where computer networking and telecommunication technologies converge in today's networking and internetworking industry. Concepts and case studies of how voice, data and video can be integrated on to one network will be discussed. Extended coverage on router configuration will be included. **Prerequisite: IT320P WAN Technology and Application**

**IT327P Data Structures****4 credit hour**

Through exploring fundamental data structures, data manipulation techniques and algorithms necessary for good program development, students will be exposed to methods of selecting appropriate data structures to represent data with a given set of operations on that data. Topics include abstract data types, trees and graphs and their traversal, priority queues, searching and sorting, algorithm design techniques, external sorting techniques, hashing, etc. **Prerequisite: IT217P Programming in C++ II**

### **IT331P Network Development Capstone Project**

**4 credit hours**

Network design and implementation project to be jointly agreed upon by the student and the faculty member. The project includes major process of product lifecycle such as data gathering and analysis, needs assessment, planning, designing, testing, implementation, documentation, etc., in addition to actually building a simulated network using existing equipment. **Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including IT260P Networking Application Services and Security or equivalent and IT320P WAN Technology and Application or equivalent**

### **VC100P Introduction to Design**

**4 credit hours**

The fundamental principles of design and color through creative problem solving exercises are covered in this course. Elements of two dimensional form, Gestalt principles, the working relationship between perceptual design principles and communication concepts in the graphic design context will be examined.

### **VC110P Typography**

**4 credit hours**

This course focuses on principles of printing design and typography. Assignments encompass technical specifications, aesthetics, functionality and meaning in typographic design. **Prerequisite: VC100P Introduction to Design**

### **VC130P Digital Type and Image Manipulation**

**4 credit hours**

This course focuses on image manipulation and typography with a focus on utilizing existing images and type to create new and unique compositions in a digital framework. **Prerequisite: VC110P Typography**

### **VC210P Modeling in 3D**

**4 credit hours**

Students explore principles of 3-dimensioning and apply them in the creation of 3D computer representations using appropriate modeling software. Emphasis will be placed on creation of accurate models rendered with color, shading, texture mapping and lighting to simulate effects of materials, finishes and surface graphics. **Prerequisite: CD140P Rapid Visualization**

### **VC215P Interactive Communication Design**

**4 credit hours**

Students apply design principles to create an interactive software application that is both communicative and intuitive for its user. **Prerequisite: VC100P Introduction to Design**

### **VC220P Graphic Design Production Processes**

**4 credit hours**

This course introduces concepts, applications and projects in page composition, document design and color pre-press. Text processing, typesetting, printing formats, color correction, page layout and pagination are also emphasized. Emphasis is placed on workflow production of documents in print. **Prerequisite: VC130P Digital Type and Image Manipulation**

### **VC230P Digital Prepress**

**4 credit hours**

This course presents advanced printing production processes and various conventions used in industry. Students are familiarized with the conventions, practices and terminologies used in traditional and computer-based printing processes. **Prerequisite: VC220P Graphic Design Production Processes**

### **VC240P Visual Design for the Web**

**4 credit hours**

Using current electronic media technologies, this course focuses on basic Web site design and development with emphasis on the intelligent and aesthetically cogent incorporation of still images and type. **Prerequisites: VC215P Interactive Communication Design, VC220P Graphic Design Production Processes**

### **VC250P Design Project**

**4 credit hours**

The Design Project course provides an independent learning experience directed towards the completion of a graphic design project from start to finish. Project will require prior approval by the instructor. **Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including IT311P Animation II or equivalent and VC230P Digital Prepress or equivalent**

## ***Technical Basic Courses***

### **TB133P Strategies for the Technical Professional**

**4 credit hours**

The course reviews characteristics and trends of the global information society including basic information processing, Internet research, other skills used by the technical professional and techniques that can be used for independent technical learning.

**TB143P Introduction to Personal Computers****4 credit hours**

Organization of a typical Personal Computer (PC) is examined in a given popular operating systems environment. Terminology and concepts related to major PC hardware components and their functions will be discussed consistent with industry standards and practices.

**TB145P Introduction to Computing****4 credit hours**

The course offers an overview of the computing field and computer technology trends with emphasis on terminology and concepts related to PC hardware and software components and their functions from a hands-on approach. Entry-level hands-on skills as well as theory in handling PC hardware will be taught.

**TB150P Computing and Productivity Software****4 credit hours**

The course covers the fundamentals of computing and the use of computers in communications and networks. Emphasis is placed on the use of computer technology, Internet and the World Wide Web in enterprise computing and working environments. The course will also focus on using productivity software and hands-on applications to problem solving in business and other working environments.

**TB332P Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development****4 credit hours**

Students are required to plan and compile their projects in the form of a portfolio. Instruction on interviewing procedures and writing business communications is also included in this course. **Prerequisite: Students must have completed 72 quarter credit hours prior to taking this course**

**ONLINE COURSE INFORMATION**

**Online Courses** - Any or all of the courses in a program that are marked with a "+" in the program outline for that program in the Curricula section of this catalog may be taught either completely in residence at the school, completely online over the Internet as a distance education course or partially in residence and partially online, as determined by the school from time to time in its discretion. **In order to help students become familiar with fundamentals of taking courses online over the Internet, the school may determine that a portion of the first online course that a student takes in this program must be taken online at the school in a supervised setting.**

Distance education courses are delivered online over the Internet through an asynchronous learning network. There is a prescribed schedule for completion for each of these courses. Support materials for each distance education course are sent to the student. These materials may include course syllabus, textbook, CD-ROM and other printed documents required for the distance education course. Students are assigned a cohort group for each distance education course. Online interaction within their assigned group and with the instructor is through discussion board and e-mail systems.

Any student who is registered to take a distance education course will be assigned a unique login identifier and prompted to create a unique password. The unique login identifier and instructions on how to create a unique password will be sent via e-mail to the student's e-mail account at the school. The student may not share his or her login identifier or password with other students or any person at the school. A copy of the school's privacy policy can be obtained at <http://www.itt-tech.edu/privacy.cfm/>. A student will not be charged any fees for verifying the student's identity.

Distance education courses are delivered pursuant to a consortium agreement with the Online Division of the ITT Technical Institute main campus located in Indianapolis, Indiana. The agreement enables a student registered for a distance education course to receive appropriate faculty services support and to apply each successfully completed distance education course toward his or her graduation requirements.

Distance education courses must not equal or exceed 50% of the educational program of study offered by the school.

**Online Student Preparation** - Prior to starting any of the distance education courses taught online over the Internet in any program, the student is required to complete the online student preparation, which describes the protocols that the student must follow when taking a distance education course online over the Internet.

**Student Equipment** - The student is responsible, at his or her expense, for providing all supplies and equipment for the student's use in the distance education courses in any program that is taught online over the Internet. The student equipment includes, without limitation, a computer (and the associated accessories and peripheral equipment, including without limitation, a monitor, keyboard and printer), software, Internet service and e-mail account ("Student Equipment"). In order to assist students whose access to their Student Equipment is disrupted, the school will, from time to time in its discretion, make available certain computers, associated peripheral equipment and Internet access at the school for use by those students.

**Computer, Software Requirements and Specifications and Internet Service** - The computer (and the associated accessories and peripheral equipment), software and Internet service included in the Student Equipment must satisfy the following specifications:

**Minimum Requirements for Computer:** Intel ®Core™ 2 Duo or AMD Phenom™ II or equivalent PC-compatible (Macintosh or UNIX-based machines are not supported), 1.8 GHz processor speed (or greater), 2GB RAM (4GB preferred), DVD±R optical media drive, 40GB free space (60GB preferred) on master hard drive (additional free space may be required during installation), 1280x1024 display resolution, 16-bit color qualified hardware accelerated Open GL 3.1 (or greater) video card supporting DX10 (shader 4.0), 256MB video memory, stereo sound card, sound output device (internal or external speakers, or headset), sound input device (microphone) (combination headset with microphone recommended), available USB 2.0 port.

**Minimum Requirements for Software:** Microsoft Windows 7 (or higher), Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 (or higher), Microsoft Office Professional 2007 (or higher), and functional e-mail address with file attachment capabilities. The student will be required to obtain any software tools, plug-ins and/or applications identified in the course syllabus for any course in the program of study.

**Minimum Requirements for Internet Service:** Broadband connection such as cable or DSL.

The student is obligated for any expense associated with obtaining access to the above specified computer equipment, software, Internet service and e-mail account.

## **COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM**

The prefix of a course designated in the program outline for each program of study stands for the type of course. One hundred and two hundred level courses are lower division courses. Three hundred level courses are upper division courses. Some three hundred level courses may be required during the latter quarters of an associate degree or diploma program. Refer to the Program Outline for a listing of any required three hundred level courses.

## **CREDIT HOUR**

A credit hour is an artificial measurement of the amount of learning that can occur in a program course based on a specified amount of time spent on class activities and student preparation each week during the program course. The learning that actually occurs may vary depending on the instructor's delivery method and style, the student's background, demonstrated effort and capability, and the size and composition of the class, notwithstanding the amount of time spent on class activities and student preparation each week during the program course.

**Residence Courses:** In all courses a quarter credit hour represents: (a) at least 14 clock hours of classroom activities and at least 28 clock hours of outside preparation; (b) at least 28 clock hours of laboratory activities; or (c) at least 42 clock hours of practicum or clinical component. A clock hour is 50-60 minutes.

**Online Courses:** A quarter credit hour represents at least 14 clock hours of distance education instruction taught online over the Internet and at least 28 clock hours of outside preparation. A clock hour is 50-60 minutes.

## **CURRICULUM**

The school may, at any time in its discretion: (a) vary the offering and/or sequence of courses in any program of study; and (b) revise the curriculum content of any program of study or any course in any program of study. Information on any plans that the school has for improving the curricula can be obtained from the Dean.

## **PROGRAMS AND COURSES OFFERED**

The school offers only those specific programs of study and courses within those specific programs of study that are expressly discussed in the Curricula section of this catalog. Other ITT Technical Institutes offer only those specific programs of study and courses within those specific programs of study that are specified in their respective current catalogs. The school does not make any representation or promise whatsoever regarding any program of study or course within any program of study that the school or any other ITT Technical Institute may offer in the future.

All of the courses in every program of study are not offered every academic quarter. New classes in every program of study do not begin every academic quarter. Course offerings and new classes in programs of study are dependent on a variety of factors, including student interest and faculty availability, among others. The school will, in its discretion, determine which courses will be offered each academic quarter and which programs of study will begin new classes each academic quarter. The school does not make any representation or promise whatsoever that any course will be offered by the school in any academic quarter or that a new class in any program of study will begin in any academic quarter. As a result, a student may not be able to take all of the courses that he or she desires to take in any academic quarter or begin a program of study in any academic quarter, which may affect the amount of time it takes the student to graduate from a particular program of study.

Textbook information for each of the offered courses is available on the ITT Technical Institute website at [www.itt-tech.edu/textbooks/](http://www.itt-tech.edu/textbooks/).

## **HOMEWORK**

Each course included in a program of study will entail varying amounts of homework and outside class preparation depending on the course, faculty member and the student's progress in the course.

## **MAXIMUM COURSE LOAD**

A student cannot register to take program courses in any quarter that, in total, represent more than 24 credit hours. Any student who wishes to register to take program courses in any quarter that represent more than 19 credit hours must first consult with and obtain the permission of the Dean prior to the beginning of that quarter.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

### **ADMISSION**

#### **Admission Requirements and Procedures**

A student may be admitted into a program of study offered by the school upon satisfying all of the requirements applicable to that program of study, as follows:

#### **1. Admission Requirements for the Associate in Specialized Technology Degree Programs, except the Criminal Justice and Visual Communications Associate in Specialized Technology Degree Programs:**

- **Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology associate in specialized technology degree program;**
- **Computer Drafting and Design associate in specialized technology degree program;**
- **Information Technology - Computer Network Systems associate in specialized technology degree program; and**
- **Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming associate in specialized technology degree program.**

A student may be admitted into a program of study offered by the school upon satisfying all of the following requirements:

- (a) The student is at least 16 years of age.
- (b) The student has:
  - (1) a high school diploma (excluding special diplomas, special education diplomas, modified diplomas, applied studies diplomas, adjusted diplomas, alternative diplomas, certificates of completion/attendance/participation, etc.); or
  - (2) a recognized equivalent of a high school diploma (e.g., a certification that the student has demonstrated high-school level academic skills or an official document from a state authority (to the satisfaction of the school) recognizing that the student has successfully completed secondary school through home schooling (as defined by state law)).The student must provide the school with the following before the end of the student's first quarter of attendance at the school, or the student will be terminated from his or her program of study:
  - (i) a copy of the student's high school diploma;
  - (ii) the student's official high school transcript;
  - (iii) a copy of the certification evidencing the student's receipt of a recognized equivalent of a high school diploma;
  - (iv) an official score report from the testing agency that certified that the student demonstrated high-school level academic skills; or
  - (v) an official document from a state authority (to the satisfaction of the school) recognizing that the student successfully completed secondary school through home schooling (as defined by state law).
- (c) The student must:
  - (1) have scored, within the immediately preceding eighteen months, a minimum of 13 on the Wonderlic Scholastic Level Exam; or
  - (2) have scored, within the immediately preceding five years, a minimum of:
    - (i) 17 on the ACT; or
    - (ii) 400 each on both the critical reading (formerly verbal) and math portions of the SAT; or
  - (3) have earned 36 quarter credit hours or 24 semester or trimester credit hours with an overall cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 grading scale from a postsecondary educational institution located either (A) in the U.S. that is accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education or (B) outside the U.S. that is accredited or similarly acknowledged by an agency deemed acceptable to the school in its discretion.
- (d) The student provides the school with an official transcript from each educational institution awarding the degree or any course credits that the student desires to transfer to satisfy the requirements in (c) (3) above.
- (e) The student passes (as determined by the school in its discretion) an individual interview, which may include assessment of English proficiency for an English as a Second Language ("ESL") student, with the Registrar, if the Registrar requests an interview with the student.

Upon the student's satisfaction of all of the above requirements with respect to his or her selected program of study, the school will promptly notify the student that he or she is admitted into that program of study at the school.

#### **2. Admission Requirements for the Criminal Justice and Visual Communications Associate in Specialized Technology Degree Programs:**

A student may be admitted into a program of study offered by the school upon satisfying all of the following requirements:

- (a) The student is at least 16 years of age.
- (b) The student has:
  - (1) a high school diploma (excluding special diplomas, special education diplomas, modified diplomas, applied studies diplomas, adjusted diplomas, alternative diplomas, certificates of completion/attendance/participation, etc.); or
  - (2) a recognized equivalent of a high school diploma (e.g., a certification that the student has demonstrated high-school level academic skills or an official document from a state authority (to the satisfaction of the school) recognizing that the student has successfully completed secondary school through home schooling (as defined by state law)).The student must provide the school with the following before the end of the student's first quarter of attendance at the school, or the student will be terminated from his or her program of study:

- (i) a copy of the student's high school diploma;
  - (ii) the student's official high school transcript;
  - (iii) a copy of the certification evidencing the student's receipt of a recognized equivalent of a high school diploma;
  - (iv) an official score report from the testing agency that certified that the student demonstrated high-school level academic skills; or
  - (v) an official document from a state authority (to the satisfaction of the school) recognizing that the student successfully completed secondary school through home schooling (as defined by state law).
- (c) The student must:
- (1) have scored, within the immediately preceding eighteen months, a minimum of 17 on the Wonderlic Scholastic Level Exam; or
  - (2) have scored, within the immediately preceding five years, a minimum of:
    - (i) 17 on the ACT; or
    - (ii) 400 each on both the critical reading (formerly verbal) and math portions of the SAT; or
  - (3) have earned 36 quarter credit hours or 24 semester or trimester credit hours with an overall cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 grading scale from a postsecondary educational institution located either (A) in the U.S. that is accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education or (B) outside the U.S. that is accredited or similarly acknowledged by an agency deemed acceptable to the school in its discretion.
- (d) The student provides the school with an official transcript from each educational institution awarding the degree or any course credits that the student desires to transfer to satisfy the requirements in (c) (3) above.
- (e) The student passes (as determined by the school in its discretion) an individual interview, which may include assessment of English proficiency for an English as a Second Language ("ESL") student, with the Registrar, if the Registrar requests an interview with the student.

Upon the student's satisfaction of all of the above requirements with respect to his or her selected program of study, the school will promptly notify the student that he or she is admitted into that program of study at the school.

### **Late Admission**

A new student must be admitted into a program of study and begin attending classes in at least one of the program courses that he or she is registered to take during the first quarter of the student's enrollment in that program of study (a) within 14 calendar days following the first session of a program course taught in residence or (b) on or before the third Sunday of the quarter for a program course taught online, or the student's registration in that program of study will be canceled by the school. If a student's enrollment in a program of study is canceled by the school, the student may seek readmission to the program of study at the next available date that the program of study is offered by the school.

### **Credit for Previous Education or Experience**

A student may request credit for courses in the student's program of study at the school based on the student's previous postsecondary education or experience, by submitting a written request to the Registrar.

- (1) **Previous Postsecondary Education** - Following the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request, the school may grant the student credit for course(s) in the student's program of study based on the student's previous postsecondary education at a different institution, if the student satisfies all of the following requirements:
- (a) The student provides the school with an official transcript from each educational institution awarding any credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific course requirements of the student's program of study at the school. If the educational institution is located (I) in the U.S., it must be accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, or (II) outside the U.S., it must be accredited or similarly acknowledged by an agency deemed acceptable to the school in its discretion.
  - (b) The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific core, technical basic and general studies course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to be equivalent to the subject matter of such core, technical basic and general studies course(s). The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific general education course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to be substantially similar to the subject matter of such general education course(s). The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy any elective course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to represent a level of rigor that is equal to or greater than the rigor of the school's lower division courses.
  - (c) The number of credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy the requirements of a specific course in the student's program of study at the school must equate, as determined by the school, to at least the same number of quarter credit hours of that course as specified in the Program Outline for the student's program of study at the school.
  - (d) The student completed each course represented by credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific course requirements of the student's program of study at the school with at least: (i) a grade of "C" (i.e., 2.0 on a 4.0 scale), if the credits were earned at a postsecondary educational institution other than an ITT Technical Institute; or (ii) a passing grade, if the credits were earned at an ITT Technical Institute.

Other institutions of higher education with which the school has established an articulation agreement include the other ITT Technical Institutes across the country and those institutions listed on the ITT Technical Institute website at [www.itt-tech.edu/articulation/](http://www.itt-tech.edu/articulation/). Many of the same and other limitations and conditions specified above with respect to credit granted by the school for a student's previous postsecondary education at a different institution will apply to credit granted by a different institution for a student's postsecondary education at the school. As a result, any student considering continuing his or her



education at, or transferring to, any institution other than an ITT Technical Institute must not assume that any credits earned in any course taken at the school will be accepted by the receiving institution. The student must contact the registrar of the receiving institution to determine what credits earned at the school, if any, that institution will accept.

- (2) **Previous Experience** - Upon the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request, a \$500 processing charge will be due and payable by the student to the school, unless the student's previous experience is based solely on military experience (e.g., a SMART transcript). Following the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request, the school: (a) will add the \$500 processing charge, as applicable, to the amount that is due and payable by the student to the school; and (b) may grant the student credit for course(s) in the student's program of study based on the student's previous experience, if the student demonstrates, to the school's satisfaction, that he or she has sufficiently grasped the knowledge and skills offered by the specific course(s) contained in the student's program of study at the school that the student desires credit for previous experience. The student must demonstrate such knowledge and skills by completing a proficiency examination(s) and/or project(s) acceptable to the school for each such course and receiving a grade or score thereon as required by the school. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a student may not receive credit based on the student's previous experience with respect to any course(s) in the student's program of study at the school that the student previously attempted at the school or at any other ITT Technical Institute.

Any student eligible to receive veterans educational benefits while attending any course(s) in an eligible program of study at the school will be denied veterans educational benefits for any such course(s) that the student previously successfully completed (as determined in the school's discretion in accordance with U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs regulations) elsewhere. As a result, each student eligible and desiring to receive veterans educational benefits while attending an eligible program of study at the school must provide the school with an official transcript for all previous postsecondary education and the student's military discharge document DD214, prior to the first scheduled class in the first course that the student is registered to take in the student's eligible program of study at the school. The school will determine, in its discretion, whether: (a) the subject matter of any course previously taken by the student is substantially the same as the subject matter of any course contained in the student's eligible program of study at the school; and (b) the number of credits of any course previously taken by the student equate to at least the same number of quarter credit hours of any course having substantially the same subject matter that is contained in the student's eligible program of study at the school. If the school determines that (I) the subject matter of any prior course taken by the student is substantially the same as the subject matter of a course in the student's eligible program of study at the school and (II) the number of credits of that prior course equates to at least the same number of quarter credit hours as the course in the student's eligible program of study that has substantially the same subject matter, the school will grant the student credit for such prior course.

The total number of credits for courses in the student's program of study which may be granted to the student by the school based on the student's previous postsecondary education at an institution other than the school (which includes the main campus or any additional location of the school) and/or previous experience as provided above cannot exceed 75% of the quarter credit hours required to graduate from the program. See the Graduation Requirements section of this catalog for further information. If the school grants the student credit for any course in the student's program of study based on the student's previous postsecondary education or experience as provided above: (a) the student will receive a grade of "TR" for that course, if credit was granted based on the student's previous postsecondary education at a different institution; and (b) the student will receive a grade of "CR" for that course, if credit was granted based on the student's previous experience.

## CLASS SCHEDULE

- (a) Prior to the student's attendance in any program course in a quarter, the school will notify the student in writing of:

- the program course(s) that the student has been registered by the school to take in that quarter;
- whether the program course will be taught either completely in residence at the school, completely online over the Internet as a distance education course, or partially in residence and partially online; and
- for residence courses, the meeting days of the class periods in each such program course and the times and instruction site of those class periods ("Class Schedule").

The school will notify the student of the location, times and dates associated with the practicum or clinical component of any program course(s) that the student is registered to take in a quarter prior to the start of that component, and this information will not be contained on his or her Class Schedule.

- (b) The student may modify his or her Class Schedule for any quarter at any time prior to his or her first recorded attendance in any program course in that quarter, by notifying the school in writing. The student's written notification must specify any program course(s) that the student wants deleted from and/or added to his or her Class Schedule. Upon receipt of the student's written notification, the school will:

- cancel the student's registration for, and delete from his or her Class Schedule, any program course(s) specified in the notice;
- register the student for, and add to his or her Class Schedule, any program course(s) specified in the notice, but only if the school determines that the program course(s) are being taught in that quarter, the student has satisfied any prerequisites and the class size of the program course(s) can accommodate the student; and
- notify the student in writing of his or her modified Class Schedule.

The student cannot modify the location, times or dates associated with the practicum or clinical component of any program course(s).

- (c) At any time prior to the start of any program course that the student is registered to take in any quarter, the school may, upon written notification to the student:
- change the start date of that quarter;
  - assign the student a new Class Schedule for that quarter; and/or
  - cancel the program.
- (1) If the school changes the start date of a quarter and/or assigns the student a new Class Schedule for a quarter, the student may modify his or her Class Schedule by notifying the school in writing prior to the student's first recorded attendance in any program course in that quarter. The student's written notification must specify any program course(s) that the student wants deleted from and/or added to his or her Class Schedule. Upon receipt of the student's written notification, the school will:
- cancel the student's registration for, and delete from his or her Class Schedule, any program course(s) specified in the notice;
  - register the student for, and add to his or her Class Schedule, any program course(s) specified in the notice, but only if the school determines that the program course(s) are being taught in that quarter, the student has satisfied any prerequisites and the class size of the program course(s) can accommodate the student; and
  - notify the student in writing of his or her modified Class Schedule.
- (2) If the school cancels the program, the student's enrollment in the program will have been canceled by the school.
- (d) At any time following the start of any program course that the student is registered to take in any quarter, the school may, upon prior written notification to the student:
- merge the student's class taking that program course into one or more other classes taking the same program course;
  - divide the student's class taking that program course into more than one class taking the same program course;
  - change the times and/or meeting days of the student's class periods in a program course that is taught in residence at the school;
  - change the instruction site of the student's class periods in a program course that is taught in residence at the school; and/or
  - cancel that program course.
- (1) If the school merges the student's class taking a program course into one or more other classes taking the same program course and/or divides the student's class taking a program course into more than one class taking the same program course, the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school will remain in full force and effect, any affected terms and provisions of that Enrollment Agreement will be automatically revised to reflect such changes and the student will not be relieved of any of his or her obligations under that Enrollment Agreement, except as may be otherwise expressly required by applicable state law.
- (2) If the school changes the times and/or meeting days of the student's class periods in a program course taught in residence at the school, the student may cancel his or her registration for that program course by delivering written notice of such cancellation to the school within 10 days of the school's notice of such change. Upon receipt of the student's written notification, the school will:
- cancel the student's registration for, and delete from his or her Class Schedule, that program course; and
  - notify the student in writing of his or her modified Class Schedule.
- (3) If, following the start of a program course taught in residence at the school, the school changes the instruction site of the student's class periods in that program course from the instruction site specified on the student's Class Schedule, the school will:
- provide the student with 30 days prior written notice of that change (or such lesser amount as is reasonably practicable in the event of an act of God, fire or any circumstance not within the school's control); and
  - request that the student acknowledge that change by executing a written amendment to his or her Enrollment Agreement with the school that specifies the student's new instruction site for the remainder of that program course.

Any failure by the student to execute a written amendment to that Enrollment Agreement specifying his or her new instruction site for that program course will constitute the student's intent to withdraw from that program course.

- (4) If the school cancels any program course that the student is registered to take in any quarter, the school will:

- cancel the student's registration for, and delete from his or her Class Schedule, that program course; and
  - notify the student in writing of his or her modified Class Schedule.
- (e) The student understands and acknowledges that his or her Class Schedule with respect to the times, meeting days and/or instruction site of the class periods in the program course(s) that the student is registered to take are likely to change from one quarter to the next.
- (f) Any class period in a program course taught in residence at the school, or any portion of a practicum or clinical component of a program course, that is canceled by the school in any quarter due to a holiday or any other reason will be rescheduled by the school for a different day and time in the same quarter. A canceled class period in such a program course may be rescheduled by the school for a day and/or time that differ from the student's regular Class Schedule. A canceled portion of a practicum or clinical component of such a program course may be rescheduled by the school for a day and/or time that differ from the day and/or time that were previously scheduled.

<b>STUDENT CALENDAR</b>			
<b>RESIDENCE COURSES</b>			
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017*</b>	<b>2018*</b>
New Year's Day**	January 1	January 1 - 2	January 1
Classes Resume After Winter Break	January 4	January 3	January 8
Presidents' Day**	February 15	February 20	February 19
Winter Quarter Ends	March 12	March 11	March 10
Spring Quarter Begins	March 14	March 13	March 12
Memorial Day**	May 30	May 29	May 28
Spring Quarter Ends	June 4	June 3	June 2
Summer Break**	June 6 - 12	June 5 - 11	June 4 - 10
Summer Quarter Begins	June 13	June 12	June 11
Independence Day**	July 4	July 4	July 4
Summer Quarter Ends	September 3	September 2	September 1
Labor Day**	September 5	September 4	September 3
Fall Break**	September 5 - 11	September 4 - 10	September 3 - 9
Fall Quarter Begins	September 12	September 11	September 10
Thanksgiving**	November 24 - 25	November 23 - 24	November 22 - 23
Fall Quarter Ends	December 3	December 2	December 1
Winter Quarter Begins	December 5	December 4	December 3
Winter Break**	December 19, 2016 - January 1, 2017	December 25, 2017 - January 7, 2018	December 24, 2018 - January 6, 2019
<p>*Tentative Dates  **No classes</p> <p>The school may at any time change or modify the Student Calendar to the extent the school determines necessary, in its discretion, by reason of any: (a) act of God, including, without limitation, any natural disaster or inclement weather; (b) fire; (c) riot; (d) local, state or national emergency; (e) business necessity; (f) war; (g) act of terrorism; (h) civil insurrection; (i) strike or other labor difficulty; (j) rule, order, regulation and/or law of any governmental entity; and/or (k) school-sponsored activity. The school will promptly notify the student body as soon as practical following any determination by the school to change or modify the Student Calendar. If the school exercises any of its rights to change or modify the Student Calendar, the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school will remain in full force and effect, and the student will not be relieved of any of his or her obligations thereunder.</p>			

**STUDENT CALENDAR  
ONLINE COURSES**

	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017*</b>	<b>2018*</b>
Classes Resume After Winter Break	January 4	January 2	January 8
Winter Quarter Ends	March 13	March 12	March 11
Spring Quarter Begins	March 14	March 13	March 12
Spring Quarter Ends	June 5	June 4	June 3
Summer Break**	June 6 - 12	June 5 - 11	June 4 - 10
Summer Quarter Begins	June 13	June 12	June 11
Summer Quarter Ends	September 4	September 3	September 2
Fall Break**	September 5 - 11	September 4 - 10	September 3 - 9
Fall Quarter Begins	September 12	September 11	September 10
Fall Quarter Ends	December 4	December 3	December 2
Winter Quarter Begins	December 5	December 4	December 3
Winter Break**	December 19, 2016 - January 1, 2017	December 25, 2017 - January 7, 2018	December 24, 2018 - January 6, 2019

\*Tentative Dates

\*\*No classes

The school may at any time change or modify the Student Calendar to the extent the school determines necessary, in its discretion, by reason of any: (a) act of God, including, without limitation, any natural disaster or inclement weather; (b) fire; (c) riot; (d) local, state or national emergency; (e) business necessity; (f) war; (g) act of terrorism; (h) civil insurrection; (i) strike or other labor difficulty; (j) rule, order, regulation and/or law of any governmental entity; and/or (k) school-sponsored activity. The school will promptly notify the student body as soon as practical following any determination by the school to change or modify the Student Calendar. If the school exercises any of its rights to change or modify the Student Calendar, the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school will remain in full force and effect, and the student will not be relieved of any of his or her obligations thereunder.

## ADMINISTRATION POLICIES

### Non-Discrimination and Diversity

The school is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination and equal opportunity for all persons regardless of race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender, genetic information, or any other protected status, in employment, educational programs and activities, and admissions. The school also encourages cultural and ethnic diversity in its faculty, staff, and student body.

In accordance with the requirements of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and their regulations, the school does not discriminate on the basis of sex in the educational programs and activities which it operates, including employment and admissions. The school Director is designated the school's Title IX Coordinator to coordinate Title IX compliance.

### Academic Achievement

#### **Grading**

Grading is administered to assess the student's educational progress. Grading is based on the student's performance in class and level of achievement on assignments, projects and examinations. The following is a list of possible grades that a student may receive for a course, the points that each grade will contribute per course credit hour to the student's grade point average and a brief description of the grade:

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Description</u>
A	4.0	Indicates a superior level of achievement.
B+	3.5	Indicates a good level of achievement.
B	3.0	Indicates a good level of achievement.
C+	2.5	Indicates an average level of achievement.
C	2.0	Indicates an average level of achievement.
D+	1.5	Indicates a marginal level of achievement.
D	1.0	Indicates a marginal level of achievement.
F	0.0	Indicates an unsatisfactory level of achievement. <b>Any student earning a grade of "F" in a course specified in the program outline of his/her program of study must repeat and successfully complete that course prior to graduation.</b>
I	N/A	Incomplete - Indicates that the student has not completed all work required for the course. All work required for the course must be successfully completed within six weeks following the end of the course or the otherwise earned letter grade is awarded (normally an "F"). Incompletes may only be awarded upon approval of the instructor and Dean.
CR	N/A	Credit - Indicates that the student demonstrated knowledge and skill in the course through previous experience. "CR" is not considered in computing the grade point average.
TR	N/A	Transferred Credit - Indicates the school accepted credit earned for previous postsecondary education at an institution other than an ITT Technical Institute. "TR" is not considered in computing the grade point average.
W	N/A	Withdrawal - Indicates that the student withdrew or was terminated from the course within the first 75% of that course. "W" is not considered in computing the grade point average. Withdrawals after the first 75% of the course has been completed will receive the otherwise earned letter grade (normally an "F").
P	N/A	Passing - Indicates a passing grade in a course designated as a pass-fail course. "P" is not considered in computing the grade point average.
*	N/A	Indicates that the course was repeated.
(R)	N/A	Indicates that the course was attempted previously.

A grade earned by a student in a course taken at any other ITT Technical Institute will be accepted by the school and appear on the student's academic transcript.

#### **Graduation Requirements**

In order to graduate from his or her program of study at the school: (a) a student must attain an overall 2.0 cumulative grade point average for all of the courses included in the program; (b) a student must either successfully complete all of the course requirements for the program (as such courses may be revised or modified from time to time in the school's discretion) within the Maximum Time Frame for Completion as specified below or receive credit for such courses from the school based on the student's previous postsecondary education or experience; (c) at least 25% of the quarter credit hours required to graduate from the program must be earned at the main campus or any additional location of the school; and (d) a student's administrative record, academic record and account with the school must be up to date and current.

#### **Credential**

Upon successfully completing all of the requirements for graduation and satisfying all indebtedness to the school, the school will award the student the appropriate credential for the student's program of study as specified in the Curricula section of this catalog. The school only awards graduates of a specific program of study the credential specified for the student's program in the Curricula section of this catalog. Other ITT Technical Institutes only award their graduates of a specific program of study the credential specified for that program in that ITT Technical Institute's current catalog. The school does not make any representation or promise

whatsoever regarding any future credential that may be awarded to any graduate of any program of study that the school or any other ITT Technical Institute may offer.

## Honors

To accent the importance of academic performance and give recognition to students who achieve a better than average scholastic record, the school has the following academic achievement recognition levels:

- (a) Honors List - Any student who, during a quarter, takes program courses that represent at least eight credit hours and who achieves an overall grade point average of 3.50 to 3.79 for the program courses taken in that quarter will be placed on the Honors List.
- (b) Highest Honors List - Any student who, during a quarter, takes program courses that represent at least eight credit hours and who achieves an overall grade point average of at least 3.80 for the program courses taken in that quarter will be placed on the Highest Honors List.
- (c) Graduation with Honors - Any student who graduates from his or her program of study at the school with an overall cumulative grade point average of: (i) 3.50 to 3.79 for all of the courses taken in the program will be designated an Honors Graduate; and (ii) at least 3.80 for all of the courses taken in the program will be designated a Highest Honors Graduate.

## Academic Transcript

An unofficial copy of each student's transcript is available from the Registrar upon request by the student. This service is subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended. The school reserves the right to withhold an official academic transcript if: (a) the student's financial obligation to the school is in arrears; or (b) the student is in arrears on any federal or state student loan obligation. The school also reserves the right to limit, in its discretion, the number of official academic transcripts provided without a processing fee.

## Satisfactory Academic Progress

Each student must make satisfactory academic progress toward completing his or her program of study, regardless of the student's course load in any academic quarter or whether the student receives financial aid. To be making satisfactory academic progress, a student must satisfy the criteria set forth below in this Satisfactory Academic Progress section. Any student who is failing to make satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study at any Evaluation Point specified below will be notified by the School of such failure and either be placed on academic and financial aid probation ("AFAP") or terminated from that program of study as provided below.

## Evaluation Points

A student will not be making satisfactory academic progress, if at any Evaluation Point specified below:

- the student's overall cumulative grade point average ("OCGPA") in his or her program of study is less than the OCGPA required at that Evaluation Point; or
- the student has not successfully completed the percentage of the total cumulative credit hours he or she has attempted in his or her program of study ("Credit Completion Percentage") required at such Evaluation Point:

<u>Evaluation Point*</u>	<u>Required OCGPA</u>	<u>Required Credit Completion Percentage</u>	<u>See Note</u>
End of the student's first academic year (as defined below)	1.5	50%	(1)
End of the student's second academic year	2.0	66.67%	(1)
End of each of the student's seventh and any subsequent academic quarters	2.0	66.67%	(1)
End of any academic quarter of the student's AFAP	See Note (2) below	See Note (2) below	(3)
100% of the Maximum Time Frame for Completion ("MTFC") (as defined below)	2.0	66.67%	(3)

\*If, at any point in time, more than one Evaluation Point is applicable to a student, the student's satisfactory academic progress determination will be based on the applicable Evaluation Point that requires the highest OCGPA and Credit Completion Percentage and the most restrictive note(s).

## Notes:

- (1) If a student is not making satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study at this Evaluation Point, the student will be terminated from that program of study, unless:
  - the student appeals the school's determination in writing to the Dean (as provided below in the Appeal section);



- the Dean grants the student's appeal; and
- the student satisfies all of the conditions specified below in the Academic and Financial Aid Probation section to be placed on AFAP.

If all of the conditions specified in the sentence immediately above are satisfied, the student will be placed on AFAP during the student's next academic quarter of attendance in the program.

- (2) The OCGPA and Credit Completion Percentage required at the end of the immediately preceding academic quarter.
- (3) If a student is not making satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study at this Evaluation Point, the student will be terminated from that program of study at the school.

The calculation of the student's OCGPA in his or her program of study will include the points associated with the grade earned by the student with respect to each course that the student took at the school and/or at any other ITT Technical Institute when the student: (a) was enrolled in that program of study; and (b) was enrolled in a different program of study, if (i) the subject matter of that course is substantially the same as any course in his or her current program of study or (ii) that course counts toward or satisfies any of the coursework requirements of his or her current program of study (whether core, general education, general studies, technical basic, elective or otherwise).

### **Maximum Time Frame for Completion**

The student's Maximum Time Frame for Completion ("MTFC") for his or her program of study is 150% of the credit hours designated in the Program Outline for such program of study (as such credit hours may be revised or modified from time to time by the school in its discretion), rounded down to the nearest whole credit hour. For example, if a program of study consists of 90 credit hours, the student's MTFC is 135 credit hours (150% of 90). Each credit hour in a program of study that is "attempted" (as defined below) by a student is counted toward the student's MTFC of that program of study each and every time the credit hour is attempted by the student. A credit hour is "attempted," if the student receives any of the following grades from the school and/or from any other ITT Technical Institute for the course represented by the credit hour: "A," "B+," "B," "C+," "C," "D+," "D," "F," "I," "W," "P," "CR" or "TR". For example, if a student takes Course X, consisting of 4.5 credit hours, and receives a grade of "W" and the student retakes Course X and earns a grade of "B," the student will have attempted 9 credit hours with respect to Course X. A student may not exceed his or her MTFC for the student's program of study. The student's MTFC for his or her program of study will include the credit hours attempted with respect to each course that the student took at the school and/or at any other ITT Technical Institute when the student:

- was enrolled in that program of study; and
- was enrolled in a different program of study, if
  - the subject matter of that course is substantially the same as any course in his or her current program of study or
  - that course counts toward or satisfies any of the coursework requirements of his or her current program of study (whether core, general education, general studies, technical basic, elective or otherwise).

A student will not be making satisfactory academic progress and will be terminated from his or her program of study if, at any time, the school determines that the student is unable to graduate from his or her program of study without exceeding the student's MTFC for that program of study.

### **Academic Year**

An academic year is three academic quarters in length. Any academic quarter that the student attended in any program of study at the school or any other ITT Technical Institute during which the student attempted any course that is included in, counts toward or satisfies any of the coursework requirements of the student's current program of study (whether a core, general education, general studies, technical basic, elective or any other type of course), will be counted for purposes of determining the student's applicable academic year and/or academic quarter under the Evaluation Points section.

### **Credit Completion Percentage**

The Credit Completion Percentage is calculated by dividing (a) the total number of credit hours in the courses included in the student's program of study for which the student receives a grade of "A," "B+," "B," "C+," "C," "D+," "D," "CR" or "TR" from the school by (b) the total number of credit hours that the student has attempted in the courses included in the student's program of study (including, without limitation, the credit hours associated with any course for which the student receives a grade of "CR" or "TR"). The calculation of the student's Credit Completion Percentage in his or her program of study will include the number of credit hours attempted by the student with respect to each course that the student took at the school and/or at any other ITT Technical Institute when the student:

- was enrolled in that program of study; and
- was enrolled in a different program of study, if
  - the subject matter of that course is substantially the same as any course in his or her current program of study or
  - that course counts toward or satisfies any of the coursework requirements of his or her current program of study (whether core, general education, general studies, technical basic, elective or otherwise).

### **Student Status**

A student who, in any academic quarter, takes courses in his or her program of study that represent:

- 12 or more credits is a full-time student;
- 9 to 11 credits is a three-quarter-time student;
- 6 to 8 credits is a half-time student; or

- less than 6 credits is a less than half-time student.

If the total number of quarter credit hours of the courses which comprise a program of study offered by the school exceeds 72, the school has determined that the program of study cannot normally be completed in two academic years of full-time study, based on a full-time student taking a course load representing 12 or 13.5 quarter credit hours at the school each academic quarter. A student's grade level is based on the total number of quarter credit hours of the courses in the student's program of study at the school that the student has successfully completed, as follows:

<b><u>Grade Level</u></b>	<b><u>Total Number of Quarter Credit Hours of Courses Successfully Completed in the Student's Program of Study</u></b>
First	0-36
Second	37-72
Third	73-108

The amount of federal and state student financial aid that a student may qualify to receive may depend on the student's grade level and could be adversely affected if the student is anything other than a full-time student. Any student who is not a full-time student should contact the school's Finance Department for more information.

### **Academic and Financial Aid Probation**

During any academic quarter that a student is on AFAP, the Dean may require the student to repeat some or all of the courses that the student previously received a grade of "D+," "D," "F" or "W" before the student can attempt any other courses in the student's program of study. At the end of the academic quarter of the student's AFAP, the student's OCGPA and Credit Completion Percentage will be recalculated to determine if the student is making satisfactory academic progress in the program of study based on the OCGPA and Credit Completion Percentage required at the end of the immediately preceeding academic quarter.

All of the credit hours represented by the courses that the student repeats during the academic quarter of the student's AFAP will have been attempted by the student in determining the student's Credit Completion Percentage, and all of the grades (and associated points) earned by the student in those courses will replace the previous grades (and associated points) earned in determining the student's OCGPA. All grades earned for any courses the student attempts will, however, remain on the student's transcript.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Evaluation Points section, a student will not be placed on AFAP:

- if the school determines that the student will be unable to make satisfactory academic progress in the student's program of study at the end of the academic quarter of the student's AFAP;
- more than three times during any specific program of study in which the student is or was enrolled at the school or at any other ITT Technical Institute; or
- if the student was on AFAP during the immediately preceeding academic quarter that the student was enrolled in that program of study at the school or at any other ITT Technical Institute.

### **Incompletes and Repeats**

If the student receives a grade of "A," "B+," "B," "C+," "C," "D+," "D," "P," "CR" or "TR" with respect to any course, the student will have successfully completed that particular course. If the student receives an "I" grade and does not successfully complete the required work to remove the "I" grade from his or her record within six weeks following the end of the quarter in which the "I" grade was received, the student will receive the otherwise earned letter grade (normally an "F"). Any student who does not successfully complete a course included in his or her program of study must repeat and successfully complete that course prior to: (a) taking any course with respect to which the failed course is a prerequisite; and (b) graduation. Any student who successfully completes a course may request in writing for permission from the school to repeat that course. If a course is repeated, the grade earned for repeating the course will replace the previous grade earned in determining the student's OCGPA in the student's program of study and whether the student has successfully completed the course. All grades earned for all courses the student attempts will, however, remain on the student's transcript.

### **Readmission**

A student who withdraws or is terminated from a program of study at the school or any other ITT Technical Institute may not seek readmission into any program of study at the school, whether the same or a different program, before the next academic quarter that the course(s) the student would take upon readmission into the program of study is(are) offered by the school.

All readmission determinations will be made by the school in its discretion and will be final and binding on the student. The school is not obligated to readmit any student. As part of the school's determination to readmit any student, the school will consider whether the student was making satisfactory academic progress at the last Evaluation Point that the student was enrolled in a program of study, whether at the school or at a different ITT Technical Institute. If the student was not making satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study as of that Evaluation Point, the student will not be readmitted into:

- a different program of study that is at a different credential level; or
- the same program of study or a different program of study that is at the same credential level, unless:
  - the student appeals the school's determination in writing to the Dean (as provided below in the Appeal section);
  - the Dean grants the student's appeal; and

- the student satisfies all of the conditions specified above in the Academic and Financial Aid Probation section to be placed on AFAP.

In no event will any student be readmitted into the same program of study, or a different program of study that is at the same credential level, at the school, if the student:

- for any reason withdrew or was terminated from a program of study at the school or at a different ITT Technical Institute during an academic quarter when the student was on AFAP;
- is unable to make satisfactory academic progress in that program of study, as determined by the school; or
- does not possess the motivation, desire or academic ability to satisfactorily progress academically through and graduate from that program of study, as determined by the school.

If the school decides to readmit a student, who was not making satisfactory academic progress at the last Evaluation Point that the student was enrolled in a program of study at an ITT Technical Institute, into the same program of study or a different program of study that is at the same credential level, the student:

- will be placed on AFAP during the student's next academic quarter of attendance in that program of study at the school; and
- must agree in writing to the terms for readmission and execute a new Enrollment Agreement with the school and pay all then current tuition, fees and any other costs associated with the student's program of study.

### **Reestablishing Financial Aid**

A student must be making satisfactory academic progress to be eligible to receive any federal, state or other student financial aid to attend any course(s) in his or her program of study at the school. If a student loses his or her eligibility to receive financial aid for failure to make satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study, the student cannot reestablish his or her eligibility to receive financial aid to attend any course(s) at the school, unless:

- the student enrolls in a different program of study at the school that is at the same credential level as the program of study in which he or she failed to make satisfactory academic progress; and
- the school determines that the student is making satisfactory academic progress in that different program of study.

### **Non-Credit Courses**

Non-credit courses are taken on a pass-fail basis. Grades earned in non-credit courses are not included in the computation of a student's OCGPA. Nevertheless, the student must repeat and successfully complete any failed non-credit courses prior to the student graduating from his or her program of study at the school. Non-credit courses are also not included in the calculation of the student's MTFC or Credit Completion Percentage at any Evaluation Point, because non-credit courses are not worth any credit hours.

### **Non-Punitive Grades**

Non-punitive grades for courses awarded by the school include: "CR," "TR," "W," "P" and "I." Non-punitive grades are not included in the computation of a student's OCGPA. The credit hours associated with any courses for which non-punitive grades are received by a student are included in the calculation of the student's MTFC and Credit Completion Percentage as specified above in those sections.

### **Appeal**

If the school determines that a student is failing to make satisfactory academic progress in his or her program of study at the school, the student may appeal the school's determination in writing to the Dean. The student's written appeal must explain in detail the special circumstances that caused the student not to make satisfactory academic progress (such as the student suffering an illness or injury, the death of a relative of the student or other special circumstances) and what has changed in the student's situation that will allow the student to be making satisfactory academic progress at the end of the student's next quarter of attendance in a program of study at the school. The Dean will review the student's written appeal to determine whether, based on the student's special circumstances and the information submitted by the student in his or her written appeal, the student can remain enrolled in (or be readmitted into) that same program of study at the school despite the student's failure to conform to the requirements of this Satisfactory Academic Progress section. The determination of the student's written appeal will be:

- made by the Dean (in his or her discretion and in conformity with this Satisfactory Academic Progress section);
- communicated in writing to the student; and
- final and binding on the student.

If the Dean grants the student's appeal and all of the conditions specified above in the Academic and Financial Aid Probation section are satisfied, the student will, at the school's discretion, be placed on AFAP during the student's next academic quarter of attendance in a program of study at the school. The school will not develop or consider any academic plan for a student.

### **Attendance Requirements**

Each student is required to regularly attend each course that the student is registered to take in the program in which the student is enrolled. For residence courses, attendance means (a) physical participation in the class meetings and other activities of the course; and (b) other positive academic participation by the student, as approved by the school, such as attending a class meeting in a different class section of the same course or completing and submitting coursework. For online courses, attendance means logging into the course website and engaging in at least one of the following activities:

- submitting a course assignment;
- participation in a course discussion thread by posting a comment, question or response related to a course topic;
- an email communication with an instructor related to a course topic, such as the submission of an “Ask the Instructor” question in the learning management system; or
- taking a quiz or exam.

Students attending online courses are required to follow the protocols specified by the school to record the student's attendance in the class communications and activities that are part of the course. Any failure by a student attending an online course to follow the protocols specified by the school to record the student's attendance in a class communication or activity that is part of the course may, as determined by the school, result in the school identifying the student as absent from or a non-participant in the class communication or other activity of the course.

As required by federal law, each student must annually participate in the programs presented by the school that address the following subjects: (a) promoting the awareness of rape, acquaintance rape and other forcible and nonforcible sex offenses (20 U.S.C. 1099c); (b) preventing the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol by students (20 U.S.C. 1145g); and (c) any other subject that the federal government may, from time to time, require the school to present to its students. If a student fails to participate in any of the above programs and execute any documentation confirming his or her participation that the school may require, the school may, in its discretion, suspend and/or terminate the student from his or her program of study at the school.

### **Tardiness**

Students are expected to be present at the beginning of each class meeting and are considered to be tardy if he or she arrives to class any time after the class start. Cases of excessive tardiness may be referred to the Dean for disciplinary action.

### **Make-Up Work**

A student may, at the school's discretion, make up coursework missed due to the student's absences from class meetings and other activities that are part of a course that the student is registered to take or the program in which the student is enrolled. If the school allows the student to make up any coursework missed due to absences from the scheduled class meetings and other activities that are part of a course that the student is registered to take or a program in which the student is enrolled, the school will determine, in its discretion, whether the student's make-up work is satisfactory, and any decision by the school with respect thereto will be final and binding on the student. A student will not be charged by the school for any coursework that the school allows the student to make up.

### **Leave of Absence**

A student may be granted a leave of absence only to accommodate the student's: (a) two-week military service obligation; and (b) jury duty in excess of one week, but not to exceed two weeks. Only one leave of absence (not to exceed 10 days) will be granted in a 12 month period. Any student who requests a leave of absence must submit in advance to the school Director a written request, supported by third party documentation that is acceptable to the school Director. The student's written request must be dated and signed by the student and must specify the dates of the requested leave of absence and the reason for the leave. The determination of whether to grant the student's requested leave of absence will be made in the school's discretion and will be final and binding on the student. The student is responsible for contacting the appropriate faculty member(s) to arrange to make up the coursework missed by the student as a result of any granted leave of absence.

### **Program Changes**

Any student who desires to change his or her enrollment in a program of study at the school to a different program of study at the school must request the change in writing to, and obtain the prior permission of, the Dean. All determinations with respect to any request by a student to change his or her enrollment in a program of study at the school will be made by the school in its discretion and will be final and binding on the student.

### **Withdrawals**

If a student wishes to withdraw from any program course(s) that the student is registered to take at the school or the student's entire program of study at the school, the student must notify the Dean or Chair in writing prior to the date of withdrawal. The writing must specify the date that the student will withdraw from the course(s) or program of study and the reason for the withdrawal. Prior to the student's withdrawal date from his or her program of study, the student must also have an exit interview with the Academic Affairs Department and the Finance Department. If, during any quarter that a student is enrolled in a program of study at the school, the student fails to attend for a period of 22 consecutive calendar days any component, whether a classroom, laboratory, practicum, and/or clinical component, of a program course that the student is registered to take during that quarter, the student will have withdrawn from that program course at the school. Any student who withdraws from a program course may not re-enter that same course and may not re-take that course until the next time that the course is offered by the school. A student who withdraws from his or her program of study may be considered for readmission only in accordance with the Readmission section of this catalog.

### **Advising**

The student must receive academic, attendance and/or financial aid advising from the school, as the school deems necessary in its discretion.

### **Transfer of Credit**

Credits earned in any course taken at the school will be accepted for transfer by any other ITT Technical Institute located outside of Maryland toward the credits required in the same course, if that course is offered by the other ITT Technical Institute. Any ITT Technical Institute located in Maryland will accept for transfer toward the credits required in the same course any credits earned in any (a) 100- or 200-level course at any other ITT Technical Institute that is only authorized to award associate degrees, and (b) course at any other ITT Technical Institute that is authorized to award bachelor degrees.

**DECISIONS CONCERNING THE ACCEPTANCE OF CREDITS EARNED IN ANY COURSE TAKEN AT THE SCHOOL ARE MADE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE RECEIVING INSTITUTION. THE SCHOOL MAKES NO REPRESENTATION WHATSOEVER CONCERNING THE TRANSFERABILITY OF ANY CREDITS EARNED AT THE SCHOOL TO ANY INSTITUTION OTHER THAN AN ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE AS SPECIFIED ABOVE. IT IS UNLIKELY THAT ANY CREDITS EARNED AT AN ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE WILL BE TRANSFERABLE TO OR ACCEPTED BY ANY INSTITUTION OTHER THAN AN ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.**

**ANY STUDENT CONSIDERING CONTINUING HIS OR HER EDUCATION AT, OR TRANSFERRING TO, ANY INSTITUTION OTHER THAN AN ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE MUST NOT ASSUME THAT ANY CREDITS EARNED IN ANY COURSE TAKEN AT THE SCHOOL WILL BE ACCEPTED BY THE RECEIVING INSTITUTION. AN INSTITUTION'S ACCREDITATION DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT CREDITS EARNED AT THAT INSTITUTION WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR TRANSFER BY ANY OTHER INSTITUTION. THE STUDENT MUST CONTACT THE REGISTRAR OF THE RECEIVING INSTITUTION TO DETERMINE WHAT CREDITS EARNED AT THE SCHOOL, IF ANY, THAT INSTITUTION WILL ACCEPT.**

### **Conduct**

Each student must conduct himself or herself in accordance with the school's rules, regulations, policies and procedures as stated in this catalog, in the student's Enrollment Agreement and Student Handbook.

Any student who engages on or off the school's premises in any of the following types of misconduct will be subject to discipline by the school, which may include, without limitation, the suspension and/or termination from one or more courses the student is taking or the student's entire program of study at the school and the referral to the proper authorities. Any student who, prior to his or her enrollment at the school, has engaged in any of the following types of misconduct may be subject to discipline by the school, which may include, without limitation, the student's suspension and/or termination from one or more courses the student is taking or the student's entire program of study at the school.

- a. Physical or verbal abuse, intimidation or harassment of another person or group of persons, including any harassment based on race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status.
- b. Deliberate or careless endangerment; tampering with safety alarms or equipment; violation of safety regulations; failure to render reasonable cooperation in any emergency; possession or use on school premises or at organized school activities of any firearm (except for law enforcement officers who are required to carry a firearm at all times and who have notified the school Director of, and documented, that requirement), knife (excepting non-spring pocket knives with blades less than four inches), other weapon, explosive or fireworks.
- c. Obstruction or disruption of any regular school activities, including, without limitation, teaching, research, administration, student services, discipline, organized events and operation and maintenance of facilities; interference with the free speech and movement of academic community members; refusal to identify oneself when requested or to obey any other lawful instruction from a school official or faculty member to discontinue or modify any action which is judged disruptive.
- d. Dishonesty, including, without limitation, provision of false information, alteration or misuse of documents, plagiarism and other academic cheating, impersonation, misrepresentation or fraud.
- e. Obscene, indecent or inconsiderate behavior; insubordinate behavior towards any faculty member or school official; exposure of others to offensive conditions; disregard for the privacy of self or others.
- f. Theft, abuse or unauthorized use of school property, the personal property of others or public property, including, without limitation, unauthorized entrance into school facilities or information technology systems, possession of stolen property and littering.
- g. Illegal use, distribution or possession of stimulants, intoxicants or drugs.
- h. Use, distribution or possession of alcoholic beverages on school premises or at organized school activities or events.
- i. Gambling on school premises or at organized school events.
- j. Failure to comply with the lawful directions of any school official, staff member or student employee who is acting in performance of duties of position or is explicitly assuming responsibility on behalf of the school in the absence of a particular official. (Emergency orders may supersede some written regulations. Any student who receives orders which he or she considers unreasonable although not illegal must obey the orders.)
- k. Violation of any federal, state or local law.
- l. Intentional or careless destruction, damage or defacement of any school property. The school may, in addition to imposing discipline, hold any student who is responsible for any such destruction, damage or defacement liable for the repair or replacement of the property.
- m. Failure to behave in a manner that reflects favorably upon the student's association with the school.
- n. Falsification of any information on his or her Enrollment Agreement or any other documentation that the student provides to the school, including, without limitation, his or her educational status.
- o. Failure to maintain satisfactory academic progress as specified in the Satisfactory Academic Progress section of this catalog.

- p. Failure to strictly adhere to any term, provision, requirement, policy or procedure stated in this catalog, the student's Enrollment Agreement or Student Handbook.
- q. Failure to pay the program costs as agreed in writing.
- r. Breach of any term of the student's Enrollment Agreement or any other agreement between the student and the school.
- s. Failure to exhibit good citizenship and respect for the community and other persons.
- t. Hazing, defined as any action or situation which recklessly or intentionally endangers the mental or physical health or safety of a student, as determined by the school, for the purpose of initiation or admission into an affiliation with any organization recognized by the school. Hazing includes, without limitation, the following as determined by the school: any brutality of a physical nature, such as whipping, beating, branding, forced calisthenics; exposure to the elements; forced consumption of any food, liquor, drug or other substance; forced physical activity which could adversely affect the physical health or safety of a student; any activity which would subject a student to extreme mental stress, such as sleep deprivation, forced exclusion from social contact, forced conduct which could result in extreme embarrassment; or any forced activity which could adversely affect the mental health or dignity of a student.
- u. Incitement of others to commit any of the acts prohibited above; involvement as an accessory to any of the prohibited acts by providing assistance or encouragement to others engaged in such acts; or by failure to separate oneself clearly from a group in which others are so engaged.

Any student who is terminated from his or her program of study at the school for violating this Conduct section may petition the school Director, in writing, for readmission into a program of study, but not before the next quarter that the course(s) that the student would take upon reentry into the program of study is (are) offered by the school. The determination of whether to readmit the student will be based on the student's written petition, will be made by the school and will be final and binding on the student.

### **Anti-Harassment**

It continues to be the policy of ITT Technical Institute that sexual harassment of students or applicants for admission in any form is unacceptable conduct which will not be tolerated. Sexual harassment includes unwelcome sexual flirtations, advances or propositions, requests for sexual favors, verbal abuse of a sexual nature, subtle pressure or request for sexual activities, unnecessary touching of an individual, graphic verbal commentaries about an individual's body, sexually degrading words used to describe an individual, a display in the school of sexually suggestive objects or pictures, sexually explicit or offensive jokes, physical assault and other verbal, visual or physical conduct of a sexual nature. No student, applicant, faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall threaten or insinuate, either explicitly or implicitly, that a student's or applicant's refusal to submit to sexual advances will adversely affect that person's admission, enrollment, grades, studies or educational experience at ITT Technical Institute. Similarly, no faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall promise, imply or grant any preferential treatment in connection with any student or applicant with the intent of rewarding for or engaging in sexual conduct.

Other types of harassment that will not be tolerated include any unwanted or unwelcome words, gestures or actions of a persistent or offensive nature involving any person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status. Harassment of this nature also includes any conduct, whether verbal, visual or physical, relating to or involving a person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status that is sufficiently pervasive or severe to: (I) unreasonably interfere with a student's education at the school or a student's admission to a program offered by the school; or (II) create an intimidating, hostile or offensive learning environment for students.

Any student or applicant who feels that he or she is a victim of prohibited harassment (including, but not limited to, any of the conduct listed above) by any student, applicant, faculty member or other ITT Technical Institute employee, or visitor or invitee of the school in connection with the educational experience offered by ITT Technical Institute should, as described in the Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure section, bring the matter to the immediate attention of the school Director, at the telephone number specified in this catalog. A student or applicant who is uncomfortable for any reason in bringing such a matter to the attention of the school Director, or who is not satisfied after bringing the matter to the attention of the school Director, should report the matter to the Senior Vice President, Chief Compliance Officer, ITT/ESI, telephone (800) 388-3368. Any questions about this policy or potential prohibited harassment should also be brought to the attention of the same persons.

ITT Technical Institute will promptly investigate all allegations of prohibited harassment in as confidential a manner as the school deems reasonably possible and take appropriate corrective action, if warranted.

### **Disabled Applicants and Students**

The school is committed to compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and its regulations. The school does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities. The school Director is designated the school's Student Disability Coordinator and coordinates Section 504 compliance. Applicants or students with a disability may request an accommodation by contacting the school Director.

### **Health, Security and Safety**

The school strives to provide its students with a secure and safe environment. Classrooms and laboratories comply with the requirements of the various federal, state and local building codes, and the Board of Health and Fire Marshal regulations. Students are responsible for their own security and safety both on-campus and off-campus, and each student must be considerate of the security and safety of others. **THE SCHOOL HAS NO RESPONSIBILITY OR OBLIGATION WHATSOEVER FOR ANY STUDENT'S PERSONAL BELONGINGS THAT ARE LOST, STOLEN OR DAMAGED, WHETHER ON OR OFF SCHOOL PREMISES OR DURING ANY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES. THE SCHOOL HAS NO RESPONSIBILITY OR OBLIGATION WHATSOEVER WITH RESPECT TO ANY ALTERCATIONS OR DISPUTES BETWEEN STUDENTS, WHETHER ON OR OFF THE SCHOOL'S PREMISES OR FOR ANY DAMAGES OR INJURIES ARISING THEREFROM.** Students should immediately report any medical, criminal or other emergency occurring on the school premises to the school Director or Dean (or any other

school employee if such officials are not available). Upon receipt of any report of a medical or criminal emergency, the school will, on behalf of the student, obtain the services of medical or security professionals, as required. Following a criminal emergency, the school may require the reporting student to confirm in writing the details of the criminal emergency reported. Students are encouraged to promptly and accurately report all crimes that occur on school premises or during school activities to school officials and the appropriate police agencies. The school compiles and issues on an annual basis an ITT Technical Institute Security Policies and Crime Statistics Report. This report discloses information about this school's campus security policies and procedures and statistics concerning the number of certain crimes that may have taken place on campus. Students may obtain a copy of the report from the school Director.

#### **Disclaimer of Warranties**

**EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY STATED IN THE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT OR THIS CATALOG, THERE ARE NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, BY OPERATION OF LAW OR OTHERWISE, REGARDING OR RELATING TO ANY SERVICE OR PRODUCT FURNISHED BY THE SCHOOL TO THE STUDENT PURSUANT TO OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT OR THIS CATALOG. THE SCHOOL SPECIFICALLY DISCLAIMS ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR ANY PURPOSE.**

#### **Limitation of Liability**

**IN NO EVENT WILL THE STUDENT OR THE SCHOOL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY OR ANY THIRD PARTY FOR ANY INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY, CONSEQUENTIAL OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES, REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OF ACTION (WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE) OR EVEN IF THE LIABLE PARTY HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. IN NO EVENT WILL THE SCHOOL'S MAXIMUM LIABILITY TO THE STUDENT FOR ALL DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO THE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT (INCLUDING ANY AMENDMENTS OR ADDENDA THERETO) OR THIS CATALOG OR THE SUBJECT MATTER THEREOF EXCEED THE LESSER OF: (A) THE ACTUAL DIRECT DAMAGES INCURRED BY THE STUDENT THAT WERE CAUSED BY THE SPECIFIC SERVICE OR PRODUCT PROVIDED BY THE SCHOOL UNDER THE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF THE STUDENT'S COMPLAINT; OR (B) THE AMOUNT OF TUITION, FEES AND/OR COST OF ANY TOOLS RECEIVED BY THE SCHOOL FROM OR ON BEHALF OF THE STUDENT FOR THE SPECIFIC SERVICE OR PRODUCT PROVIDED BY THE SCHOOL UNDER THE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT THAT DIRECTLY CAUSED SUCH DAMAGE. Notwithstanding anything above to the contrary in this Limitation of Liability section, if any limitation of liability conflicts with the substantive law governing the student's Enrollment Agreement or this catalog, the substantive law with respect to such limitation will control.**

**The provisions of the student's Enrollment Agreement and this catalog allocate risks between the student and the school. The amount of tuition and fees and the cost of any tools purchased by the student from the school that the student was required to obtain for the program of study reflect this allocation of risk and the limitation of liability.**

#### **Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure**

Statement of Intent: To afford full consideration to student complaints concerning any aspect of the programs, facilities or other services offered by or associated with ITT Technical Institute. This complaint procedure is intended to provide a formal framework within which such complaints may be resolved. This procedure is not, however, a substitute for other available informal means of resolving complaints or other problems. Students are encouraged to communicate their concerns fully and frankly to members of the school faculty and administration. Reasonable measures will be undertaken to preserve the confidentiality of information that is reported during the investigation and to protect persons who report information from retaliation.

#### **Procedure**

All student complaints will be handled in the following manner:

##### **Step One - Contact School Director**

1. A student must present to the school Director (ITT Technical Institute, 5460 Campbells Run Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15205, telephone (412) 446-2900) any complaint relating to any: (a) aspect of the programs, facilities or other services provided by the school; (b) action or alleged misrepresentation by an employee or representative of the school; (c) discrimination or harassment based on race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status by any student, applicant, faculty member or other school employee, or visitor or invitee of the school; and (d) school activity. The complaint may be oral or written. The school Director will promptly acknowledge receipt of the complaint.
2. The school Director will meet with the student to discuss and respond to the complaint. The school Director's response may be oral or written and will address the specific complaint and indicate what, if any, corrective action has been proposed or accomplished.
3. Within three (3) school days of any such discussion, the school Director will prepare a written summary of the discussion, including any agreed upon or proposed solution of the student's complaint. The school Director will take the necessary steps to ensure that any agreed upon solution or other appropriate action is taken.

##### **Step Two - Contact the State**

The school is licensed by the Pennsylvania State Board of Private Licensed Schools. If the complaint has not been resolved to the student's satisfaction, the student may contact the State Board of Private Licensed Schools, Pennsylvania Department of Education, 333 Market Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17126-0333, telephone (717) 783-8228. The Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General is located at 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Strawberry Square, Harrisburg, PA 17120, telephone (717) 787-3391, Web address <http://www.attorneygeneral.gov/>.



### **Step Three - Appeal to ITT Educational Services, Inc. ("ITT/ESI")**

1. If the complaint is not resolved to the student's satisfaction, the student will, as soon as possible after the student's discussion with the school Director, submit the complaint on a Student Complaint Summary form to the Student Relations Specialist, ITT/ESI, 13000 N. Meridian Street, Carmel, Indiana 46032-1404, telephone (800) 388-3368.
2. Within ten (10) days after receipt of the student's written letter of complaint, the Student Relations Specialist, ITT/ESI, or designee will reply to the student in writing specifying what action, if any, ITT/ESI will undertake.

### **Step Four - Contact the Accrediting Council**

If the complaint has not been resolved by ITT/ESI to the satisfaction of the student, the complaint may also be referred to the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools, 750 First Street, NE, Suite 980, Washington, DC 20002-4241, telephone (202) 336-6780.

### **Resolution of Disputes**

The following procedure applies to the resolution of any dispute arising out of or in any way related to a student's Enrollment Agreement with the school, any amendments or addenda thereto, and or the subject matter thereof, including, without limitation, any statutory, tort, contract or equity claim (individually and collectively, the "Dispute"):

- (a) The parties are encouraged to make an initial attempt, in good faith, to resolve the Dispute pursuant to the school's Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure or through other informal means.
- (b) If the Dispute is not resolved pursuant to the school's Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure or through other informal means, then the Dispute will be resolved by binding arbitration between the parties. Arbitration is the referral of a dispute to an impartial person for a final and binding determination. Both the student and the school agree that the Enrollment Agreement involves interstate commerce and that the enforceability of this Resolution of Disputes section will be governed, both procedurally and substantively, by the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. §1-9 (the "FAA").

The arbitration between the student and the school will be administered by the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") or, in the event the AAA declines or is unable to administer the arbitration, by an arbitration forum or arbitrator that the student and the school mutually agree upon. If, after making a reasonable effort, the student and the school are unable to agree upon an arbitration forum or arbitrator, a court having proper jurisdiction will appoint an arbitration forum or arbitrator. The arbitration will be conducted in accordance with the AAA's Commercial Arbitration Rules ("Commercial Rules") and, when deemed appropriate by the arbitration forum or arbitrator, the AAA's Supplementary Procedures for Consumer-Related Disputes ("Consumer Procedures"), or the appropriate rules of any alternative arbitration forum selected by the student and the school or appointed by a court, subject to the following modifications:

- (1) The arbitration will be conducted before a single arbitrator (without a jury) who will be a former federal or state court judge and will have at least 10 years of experience in the resolution of civil disputes.
- (2) The site of the arbitration will be the city in which the school is located.
- (3) The substantive law which will govern the interpretation of a student's Enrollment Agreement and the resolution of the Dispute will be the law of the state where the school is located, except that the enforceability of this Resolution of Disputes section will be governed, both procedurally and substantively, by the FAA.
- (4) The arbitrator will have the exclusive authority to determine and adjudicate any challenge to the enforceability of this Resolution of Disputes Section.
- (5) The scope of the arbitration will be limited to the Dispute between the student and the school. In the arbitration between the student and the school:
  - no claims of any other person will be consolidated into the arbitration or otherwise arbitrated together with any claims of Student;
  - no claims will be made on behalf of any class of persons;
  - no representative actions of any kind are permitted, including, without limitation, class actions and class arbitrations; and
  - the arbitrator may not preside over any representative action.
- (6) The parties may take discovery through interrogatories, depositions and requests for production that the arbitrator determines to be appropriate to allow for a fair hearing, taking into consideration the claims involved and the expedited nature of arbitration.
- (7) The school will pay the amount of any arbitration costs and fees charged to the student under the Commercial Rules or Consumer Procedures that exceed the costs and fees that the student would incur if the student filed a similar action in a court having proper jurisdiction.
- (8) In any of the following arbitration-related proceedings, the prevailing party will be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees:
  - any motion which any party is required to make in the courts to compel arbitration of a Dispute; or
  - any challenge to the arbitration award, whether to the arbitrator or the courts, for the purpose of vacating, modifying or correcting the award.
- (9) All aspects of the arbitration proceeding, and any ruling, decision or award by the arbitrator, will be strictly confidential. The parties will have the right to seek relief in the appropriate court to prevent any actual or threatened breach of this provision.
- (10) If any provision of this Resolution of Disputes section or its application is invalid or unenforceable, that provision will be severed from the remainder of this section and the remainder of this section will be binding and enforceable.

**The Commercial Rules, Consumer Procedures and other information regarding the AAA's arbitration procedures are available from the AAA, which can be contacted by mail at 1633 Broadway, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, New York 10019, by telephone at (800) 778-7879 or through its Web site at [www.adr.org](http://www.adr.org).  
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as Amended**

## **Statement of Compliance**

### **1. General Policy**

Under the authority of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended ("Act"), a student has the right to examine certain records concerning the student which are maintained by the school. The school must permit the student to examine such records within 45 days after the school receives a written request from the student. The school will also permit the student to obtain a copy of such records upon payment of a reproduction fee. A student may request that the school amend his or her education records on the grounds that they are inaccurate, misleading or in violation of the student's right of privacy. In the event the school refuses to so amend the records, the student may, after complying with the Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure, request a hearing. If the outcome of a hearing is unsatisfactory to the student, the student may submit an explanatory statement for inclusion in his or her education record. A student has the right to file a complaint with the Family Policy Compliance Office, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20202-4605, concerning the school's alleged failure to comply with the Act.

### **2. Education Records**

Education records are records maintained by the school which contain information directly related to the student. Examples of education records are the student's education, career services and financial aid files. The only persons allowed access to such records are those who have a legitimate administrative or educational interest.

### **3. Exemptions**

The following records are exempt from the Act:

- (a) Financial records of the student's parents.
- (b) Confidential letters and recommendations relating to admission, employment or honors to which the student has waived his or her right to inspect.
- (c) Records about students made by faculty or administrators which are maintained by, and accessible only to, the faculty and administration.
- (d) Records made or maintained by a physician, psychiatrist, psychologist or other recognized professional or paraprofessional acting or assisting in such capacity, and which are available only to persons providing the treatment.
- (e) Employment records for school employees who are also current or former students.
- (f) Records created or received after an individual is no longer a student at the school and are not directly related to the individual's attendance as a student at the school.
- (g) Grades on peer-graded papers that have not been collected and recorded by an instructor.

### **4. Review of Records**

It is the policy of the school to monitor educational records to insure that they do not contain information which is inaccurate, misleading or otherwise inappropriate. The school may destroy records which it determines, in its discretion, are no longer useful or pertinent to the student's circumstances.

### **5. Directory Information**

Directory Information (as defined below) is that information which may be unconditionally released without the student's consent, unless the student specifically requests in writing that such information not be released. The school requires that such request must (I) specify what categories of Directory Information are to be withheld by the student and (II) be delivered to the school Director within 15 days after the student starts class. Any such request must be renewed annually by the student. "Directory Information" means information contained in a student's education record which would generally not be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed. Directory Information includes, but is not limited to, the student's name; address(es); telephone number(s); electronic mail address(es); photograph; grade level; enrollment status (e.g., full-time or part-time); date and place of birth; program of study; extracurricular activities; credentials, awards and recognition (i.e., honors) received; last school attended; dates of attendance (i.e., enrollment period(s), not daily attendance record); and student or user ID number (other than a social security number), but only if the identifier cannot be used to gain access to education records except when used in conjunction with one or more factors that authenticate the user's identity which are known or possessed only by the authorized user.

### **6. Access Without Student Consent**

The school may release a student's education records without written consent of the student to:

- (a) Other school officials who have a legitimate educational interest.
- (b) Other schools where the student has applied for admission or is enrolled, so long as the information is for purposes related to the student's attendance at those other schools.
- (c) Authorized representatives of the U.S. Department of Education, state and local education authorities, the Comptroller General of the United States or the Attorney General of the United States.
- (d) Providers of financial aid (and services in connection therewith) for which the student has applied or received, including, without limitation, lenders, Veterans Administration, state vocational rehabilitation agencies and collection agencies, if the information is for purposes of determining eligibility for aid, determining the amount of the aid, determining the conditions of the aid or enforcing the terms and conditions of the aid.
- (e) State and local authorities where required.
- (f) Accrediting agencies.
- (g) A parent (whether a natural parent, guardian or an individual acting as a parent in the absence of a parent or guardian) of a student who is a dependent of the parent for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code. The school is not required, however, to release such records.
- (h) Any court in which the student or a parent of the student initiates a legal action against the school, but only with respect to the student's education records that are relevant for the school to defend itself.

- (i) Any court in which the school initiates a legal action against the student or a parent of the student, but only with respect to the student's education records that are relevant for the school to prosecute the legal action.
- (j) Any person pursuant to and in compliance with a judicial order or subpoena, provided that the school reasonably attempts to notify the student prior to compliance (unless the order or subpoena specifies that the student must not be notified).
- (k) Appropriate persons or agencies in the event of a health or safety emergency, where such release without consent is deemed necessary by the school under the circumstances.
- (l) Organizations conducting studies to develop, validate or administer predictive tests, administer student aid programs or improve instruction.
- (m) The public, if the school determines, in its discretion, that the student, as an alleged perpetrator, has committed a Crime of Violence (as defined below) or a Non-forcible Sex Offense (as defined below) in violation of the Conduct section of this catalog, but only the following information from the student's education records: the student's name, the violation committed; and any sanction imposed by the school on the student. A Crime of Violence means an act that would, if proven, constitute any of the following offenses or offenses to commit the following offenses: arson; assault offenses; burglary; criminal homicide, whether manslaughter by negligence, murder or non-negligent manslaughter; the destruction, damage or vandalism of property; kidnapping or abduction; robbery; or forcible sex offense. A Non-forcible Sex Offense means an act that would, if proven, constitute statutory rape or incest.
- (n) The purported victim, regardless of whether the school determines that the student, as an alleged perpetrator, committed a Crime of Violence or a Non-forcible Sex Offense in violation of the Conduct section of this catalog, but only the following information from the student's education records: the student's name; the violation committed; and any sanction imposed by the school on the student.
- (o) Any person, if the education records disclosed are Directory Information on the student.
- (p) The student, or the student's parents if the student is less than 18 years old.
- (q) A parent of the student regarding the student's violation of any federal, state or local law or any rule or policy of the school concerning the use or possession of alcohol or a controlled substance, if the student is under the age of 21 and the school has determined that the student has violated the Conduct section of this catalog with respect to that use or possession.
- (r) The United States Attorney General (or designee not lower than an Assistant Attorney General) pursuant to an ex parte court order concerning investigations or prosecutions of an offense listed in 18 U.S.C. 2332b(g)(5)(B) or an act of domestic or international terrorism as defined in 18 U.S.C. 2331.
- (s) The public, if the disclosure concerns an individual required to register under section 170101 of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, 42 U.S.C. 14071, and the information was provided to the school under 42 U.S.C. 14071 and applicable federal guidelines.

The school will obtain the written consent of the student prior to releasing the student's education records to any other person or organization, except with respect to Directory Information.

ITT Educational Services, Inc. has adopted a detailed Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act policy (AA 9.0) which is available to the student upon request.

### **Foreign Student Information**

#### **Financial Assistance**

Some foreign students may be eligible for federal student financial aid. To be eligible, a foreign student must be one of the following:

- (a) a U.S. national; or
- (b) a U.S. permanent resident and possess an I-551 (Alien Registration Receipt Card).

Any foreign student who is not one of the above must have one of the following documents from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services ("USCIS"):

- (i) I-94 (Arrival-Departure Record) with an appropriate endorsement;
- (ii) passport confirming permanent residency in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands;
- (iii) official documentation that the student has been granted asylum in the U.S.; or
- (iv) other proof from the USCIS that the student is in the U.S. for other than a temporary purpose.

Any foreign student who possesses any of these documents should check with the Finance Department for more information regarding his or her eligibility for federal student financial aid.

All classes will be conducted in English. English language services and visa services are not available at the school.

#### **Career Services**

Foreign students may not be permitted by the USCIS to be employed in the United States during school. Therefore, a foreign student should have sufficient funds available to cover tuition, fees, the cost of any tools that the student is required to obtain for his or her program of study or other supplies and living costs.

Most, if not all reference sources provided by the school to assist the foreign student in securing graduate employment related to his or her education will involve firms and employment opportunities located in the United States. The foreign student is responsible for obtaining all of the necessary governmental authorizations to remain in the United States and obtain employment in the United States following graduation from his or her program of study at the school.

**Student Handbook**

The school maintains a Student Handbook for students that includes information relating to various areas of student interest and responsibility. Copies of the Student Handbook are available from the school administration. Each student is provided a copy of the Student Handbook and must abide by the student requirements and responsibilities specified therein.

**Revisions to Policies and Procedures**

The school reserves the right from time to time in its discretion to revise all terms, provisions, policies, requirements and procedures contained in this catalog and the Student Handbook. Each student will be bound by and must comply with all terms, provisions, policies, requirements and procedures contained in this catalog and/or the Student Handbook that the school revises.

**Records Retention**

The school maintains a student's records for seven (7) years following the student's graduation or last date of attendance. The school will permanently retain: (a) the student's final transcript (through his or her last date of attendance) with respect to the student's enrollment in a program of study at the school; and (b) any transcripts with respect to the student's enrollment at any other postsecondary institution that the school may have received.

## TUITION, FEES AND TOOLS

### Tuition

Each student who enrolls in any of the following programs of study offered by the school will pay the school the corresponding amount of tuition for each credit hour of each course in that program of study that the student is registered to take from the school:

<u>Program of Study</u>	<u>Current Tuition Per Credit Hour</u>
(a) Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493
(b) Computer Drafting and Design (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493
(c) Criminal Justice (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493
(d) Information Technology - Computer Network Systems (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493
(e) Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493
(f) Visual Communications (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$493

The tuition for each program course that a student is registered to take from the school is determined by multiplying the tuition per credit hour by the number of credit hours in the program course. The tuition for each quarter in which a student is enrolled in a program of study offered by the school is determined by multiplying the tuition per credit hour by the total number of credit hours in all of the program courses that the student is registered to take during the quarter. The tuition for all of the credit hours in all of the program courses that a student is registered to take from the school during a quarter is due and payable by the student to the school on the first day of that quarter.

### Fees

#### **Academic Fee**

Each student will pay the school an Academic Fee of \$200. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the immediately preceding sentence, if the school or any other ITT Technical Institute previously received and retained any monies from or on behalf of the student for an Academic Fee charged to the student ("Prior Academic Fee Retained"), the student will only be obligated to pay the school an Academic Fee in the amount of \$200, less the amount of the Prior Academic Fee Retained. The Academic Fee is due and payable by the student to the school on the student's first day of recorded attendance in any program course following the student's enrollment in a program of study offered by the school.

#### **Administrative Fee**

Each student will pay the school an Administrative Fee of \$100 each time the student's enrollment in a program of study offered by the school is terminated, regardless of the reason for the termination (including, without limitation, any termination of enrollment resulting from a student's graduation, withdrawal, failure to make satisfactory academic progress or violation of the Conduct section of the school catalog). The Administrative Fee is due and payable by the student to the school immediately upon the termination of the student's enrollment in the program of study.

## **Tools**

Each student who enrolls in any of the following programs of study offered by the school must obtain, at the student's own expense, the tools required by the school for use in one or more of the program courses in that program of study:

<b><u>Program of Study</u></b>	<b><u>ESTIMATED Cost of Tools if Purchased From the School</u></b>
(a) Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$500
(b) Computer Drafting and Design (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$500
(c) Criminal Justice (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$150
(d) Visual Communications (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)	\$100

The actual use of, and instruction regarding, the tools in any program course may vary depending on the program course and any changes thereto, the faculty member teaching the program course and the student's progress in the program course. The ESTIMATED cost specified above for the tools required for certain program courses in the corresponding program of study is an ESTIMATED cost of those tools if purchased from the school. The ACTUAL cost of the tools required for the particular program of study could be higher or lower than the ESTIMATED cost. The ESTIMATED cost of those tools is subject to change by the school at any time. No student is obligated to purchase any tools from the school. Any tools that a student purchases from the school are unreturnable and the cost is nonrefundable. The cost of any tools that a student purchases from the school is due and payable by the student to the school upon the student's receipt of those tools.

## **Alternative Payment Arrangement**

If the student is unable to pay the school, on or before the applicable due dates, all of the tuition, applicable fees and/or cost of any required tools purchased from the school that are or may become owed by the student to the school with respect to the student's enrollment in a program of study at the school, the school may, in its discretion, agree in writing to a different payment arrangement.

## **Delinquent Payment**

Any student who is delinquent in the payment of any sum owed to the school may be suspended or terminated from the student's program of study at the school's discretion. If a student is terminated from his or her program of study for failing to pay the school when due any sum owed to the school, the student will not be considered for readmission to the program of study until the school receives full payment of all such delinquent sum or the student makes written arrangements with the school to pay such delinquent sum that are acceptable to the school in its discretion. If the student fails to fulfill the terms of any such arrangement that is accepted in writing by the school, the school may, in its discretion, terminate the student from his or her program of study at the school.

## **Methods Used to Collect Delinquent Payments**

The student must pay all amounts owed to the school prior to leaving the school. If the student is unable to pay all such amounts before leaving the school, the student must make arrangements to pay such amounts that are acceptable to the school in its discretion. If the student fails to (a) make arrangements that are acceptable to the school prior to leaving the school or (b) fulfill the terms of any arrangements accepted by the school, the school will be forced to exercise all of its rights and remedies against the student to collect all such amounts, including, without limitation, referring the student's account to a collection agency.

## **Repeat**

If a student repeats any course(s) in his or her program of study at the school, the student must pay all then current tuition and fees applicable to such program course(s).

## **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

### **Cancellation**

- (a) The student's enrollment in the program will be canceled and all monies received by the school from or with respect to the student under the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school will be returned to the appropriate party(ies) within 30 days, if:
- (1) the student notifies the school that the student has canceled the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school
    - within 5 calendar days following the date the student signs the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school, or
    - before the student's first day of recorded attendance in any program course,whichever occurs last; or
  - (2) the school cancels the program.

- (b) If the school cancels the student's registration for any program course, all monies received by the school from or with respect to the student under the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school regarding the student's registration for that program course will be returned to the appropriate party(ies) within 30 days.

### **Refund**

- (a) If the student withdraws or is terminated from any program course during any of the following specified portions of the quarter, the student will be obligated to the school for

- the entire cost of any tools purchased by the student from the school for use in that program course, and
- the following corresponding percentage of the tuition for that program course.

<b><u>PORTRION OF THE QUARTER</u></b>	<b><u>PERCENTAGE OF THE TUITION</u></b>
Prior to the First Calendar Day	0%
First Seven Calendar Days	25%
After the First Seven Calendar Days in the First 25%	45%
After the First 25% in the First 50%	70%
After the First 50%	100%

- (b) If the student withdraws or is terminated from the program during any of the following specified portions of the quarter, the student will also be obligated to the school for the following corresponding percentage of

- any Academic Fee charged to the student in that quarter, and
- the Administrative Fee.

<b><u>PORTRION OF THE QUARTER</u></b>	<b><u>PERCENTAGE OF ANY ACADEMIC FEE AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE FEE</u></b>
Prior to the First Calendar Day	0%
First Seven Calendar Days	25%
After the First Seven Calendar Days in the First 25%	45%
After the First 25% in the First 50%	70%
After the First 50%	100%

- (c) The student's withdrawal or termination date for purposes of calculating any refund due under this section will be the student's last date of recorded attendance in a program course.
- (d) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary above in this section, if the student withdraws or is terminated from any program course or the program during any quarter, the student will remain obligated to the school for:
- all of the tuition, fees, cost of any tools and cost of any other supplies owed to the school for any previous attendance by the student at the school; and
  - all other amounts owed to the school under the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school (including any addenda to the student's Enrollment Agreement with the school) and/or any other agreement between the student and the school.
- (e) If, at the time the student withdraws or is terminated from any program course or the program, the school has received any monies for tuition, the Academic Fee, the Administrative Fee or any tools from or on behalf of the student in excess of the student's obligation for those items as provided in this section, the school will refund such excess to the appropriate party(ies) as specified below in this section.
- (f) Any refund required under this section will be paid first to eliminate any outstanding balances for any student financial aid received by or with respect to the student in the following order and priority (unless applicable law requires otherwise) and within the time period prescribed by law:
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| 1 <sup>st</sup> : private or institutional student loans;  | 5 <sup>th</sup> : unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford loans; | 9 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Direct PLUS loans; |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> : private or institutional parental loans; | 6 <sup>th</sup> : subsidized Federal Direct Stafford loans;   | 10 <sup>th</sup> : state student loans; and  |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> : unsubsidized Federal Stafford loans;     | 7 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Perkins loans;                      | 11 <sup>th</sup> : state parental loans.     |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> : subsidized Federal Stafford loans;       | 8 <sup>th</sup> : Federal PLUS loans;                         |  |
- (g) The school will pay the student any refund remaining after all outstanding balances specified in Item (f) immediately above in this section are eliminated, within 30 days following the student's last date of recorded attendance in a program course.

### **Return of Federal Financial Aid**

If the student withdraws or is terminated from the program, depending on when his or her withdrawal or termination occurs during the quarter, the student and/or his or her parent(s) may be ineligible to use a portion of any federal student financial aid awarded to the student and/or his or her parent(s) for use in that quarter.

(a) If the student's withdrawal or termination from the program occurs:

- within the first 60% of the quarter, the amount of federal student financial aid awarded for use in that quarter that the student and/or his or her parents may use is a proportional calculation based on the percentage of the quarter that has elapsed as of the student's withdrawal or termination date; or
- after the first 60% of the quarter, the student and/or his or her parents may use 100% of the federal student financial aid awarded for use in that quarter.

(b) If the student and/or his or her parent(s) are ineligible to use a portion of any federal student financial aid remitted to the school to satisfy the student's obligation for tuition, fees or other costs of the student's education:

- federal law requires the school to return to the appropriate party(ies) such unusable aid;
- the school will advise the student of the amount of such unusable aid returned by the school; and
- the student will be liable for an amount equal to the portion of such unusable aid for which the student is obligated to the school under the Refund section above, and will immediately pay that amount to the school in full.

(c) If the student and/or his or her parent(s) are ineligible to use a portion of any federal student financial aid received by the student and/or the parent(s) and not remitted to the school:

- federal law requires the student and/or the parent(s) to repay to the appropriate party(ies) such unusable aid; and
- the school will advise the student and/or the parent(s) of the amount of such unusable aid.

(d) Any return or repayment of unusable federal student financial aid required under this section will be paid first to eliminate any outstanding balances for any federal student financial aid received by or with respect to the student in the following order and priority and within the time period prescribed by law:

1 <sup>st</sup> : unsubsidized Federal Stafford loans;	5 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Perkins loans;	9 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Academic Competitiveness Grants;
2 <sup>nd</sup> : subsidized Federal Stafford loans;	6 <sup>th</sup> : Federal PLUS loans;	10 <sup>th</sup> : Federal National Science and Mathematics Access to Retain Talent Grants; and
3 <sup>rd</sup> : unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford loans;	7 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Direct PLUS loans;	11 <sup>th</sup> : Federal SEOG Program aid.
4 <sup>th</sup> : subsidized Federal Direct Stafford loans;	8 <sup>th</sup> : Federal Pell Grants;	

### **Cancellation and Refund Requests**

Any cancellation or refund request by a student should be made in writing and mailed to: Director, ITT Technical Institute, 5460 Campbells Run Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15205. If the student is a minor, however, the request must be made by the student's parent or guardian.

## **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

ITT Technical Institute must provide the student with (a) information on federal, state and institutional grants and loans, private education loans and any other sources of student financial aid (collectively, "Financial Assistance") for which he or she may apply to receive and/or (b) estimates of the amount of Financial Assistance for which he or she may qualify. However:

- the federal, state and private party providers determine the student's eligibility for any Financial Assistance;
- the federal, state and private party providers determine the amount of any Financial Assistance the student may receive, not the school;
- the school determines the student's eligibility for and amount of any institutional Financial Assistance;
- any Financial Assistance, including, without limitation, scholarships, may terminate at any time for any reason including due to changes in legislation or availability of funds;
- the student is responsible for applying for any Financial Assistance, not the school; and
- the student is responsible for repaying the full amount of any Financial Assistance received in the form of a loan, plus interest and less any amount of the loan that may be refunded.



## **Federal Financial Aid Administered by the U.S. Department of Education**

ITT Technical Institute is designated as an eligible institution by the U.S. Department of Education ("DOE") for participation in the following federal student financial aid programs. To apply for student financial aid under the following federal programs, a student needs to complete and submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid online at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) or mail a completed PDF FAFSA or paper FAFSA to Federal Student Aid Programs, P. O. Box 7650, London, KY, 40742-7650.

### **Federal Pell Grant Program**

The Federal Pell Grant Program is intended to allow eligible students financial access to the school or the college of their choice. For eligible students, Federal Pell Grants are the "floor" or base upon which all other federal student financial aid is built. Current award year awards range from \$590 to \$5,815. The amount a student may receive depends on the student's expected family contribution ("EFC"), the student's enrollment status (full-time, part-time, three-quarter time or less than half-time), Pell Lifetime Eligibility Used and how much of the student's remaining education at the school falls within the current federal award year (July 1 through June 30). In order to be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant, a student may not have previously received a bachelor's degree from any institution.

A student can receive a Federal Pell Grant for no more than 12 semesters or the equivalent of six academic years of enrollment.

### **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant ("FSEOG") Program**

The Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program ("FSEOG") provides assistance to exceptionally needy undergraduate students. A priority must be given to Pell Grant recipients with the lowest EFCs. The federal rules permit an eligible student to receive a FSEOG award of \$100 to \$4,000 for each of the student's academic years of study, but at ITT Technical Institute the awards for eligible students are typically between \$200 and \$500 each year, given the limited amount of FSEOG funds available. A student's eligibility for FSEOG funds is determined annually.

### **Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Program**

A student who is not eligible for a Federal Pell Grant based only on EFC but meets the remaining Pell eligibility requirements and whose parent or guardian was a member of the U.S. Armed Forces and died as a result of military service performed in Iraq or Afghanistan after September 11, 2001, may be eligible to receive a grant under the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Program. The grant award is equal to the amount of a maximum Federal Pell Grant\* for the current federal award year, but cannot exceed the student's cost of attendance for that federal award year. An additional eligibility requirement is that at the time of the parent's or guardian's death the student must have been either:

- under 24 years old; or
- enrolled in college at least part-time at the time.

A student can receive an Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant for no more than 12 semesters or the equivalent of six academic years of enrollment.

\* An Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant where the first disbursement is on or after October 1, 2016 and before October 1, 2017 requires a reduction of 6.9 percent from the maximum Federal Pell Grant award amount for relevant award year.

### **Federal Work Study Program**

The Federal Work Study Program ("FWS") provides jobs for eligible students to earn funds to pay a portion of their educational expenses. A student enrolled at least half-time in an approved postsecondary educational institution may work on campus or off campus for a Federal, state, or local public agency, a private non-profit or a private for-profit organization. The salary is at least the current federal minimum wage, unless the employer is willing to pay a higher wage rate for particular skills. The number of hours a student may work is based on the financial need demonstrated by the student, the number of hours it is possible for the student to work and the availability of FWS funds at ITT Technical Institute. Only a limited number of FWS jobs are available on campus and off-campus; information with respect to these campus positions is available from the Career Services Department.

### **Direct Subsidized Loan Program**

Direct Subsidized loans are available to eligible undergraduate students enrolled at least half-time at an eligible institution and are based on the financial need demonstrated by the student. An undergraduate student may borrow up to \$3,500 for the first academic year, \$4,500 for the second academic year and \$5,500 for each of the third and subsequent academic years under this program. The annual loan limit amounts will be pro rated for enrollment in programs that are less than one academic year or if enrolled in a program of study that is one academic year or longer and the remaining enrollment period of study is shorter than a full academic year. As of July 1, 2016, the interest rate on a Direct Subsidized Loan is 3.76% for each Direct Subsidized Loan that the student receives during the 2016-2017 award year. A first time borrower on or after July 1, 2013 may not receive Direct Subsidized Loans for more than 150% of the published length of their program of study. For example, if the student is enrolled in a 4-year bachelor's degree program, the maximum period for which the student can receive Direct Subsidized Loans is 6 years (150% of 4 years = 6 years).

A student must repay his or her Direct Subsidized Loans based on the amount borrowed, the interest rate and the repayment plan selected by the borrower. Under the standard repayment plan the payments must be at least \$50 a month (\$600 a year) and will be more, if necessary, to repay the loan within the required time period. Repayment of the Direct Subsidized Loan begins six months after enrollment on a less than half-time basis, graduation or termination of studies. The U.S. Department of Education pays the interest on a Direct Subsidized Loan (1) while a student is in the school at least half-time, (2) for the first six months after the student

leaves school (referred to as a grace period), and (3) during a period of deferment (a postponement of loan payments). The DOE may stop paying interest for a student who received Direct Subsidized Loans for the maximum eligibility period and who continues enrollment.

A student who (1) is seeking and is unable to find full-time employment or (2) suffers economic hardship may also receive a forbearance, a temporary suspension or reduction of monthly payment, of a Direct Subsidized Loan for up to three years. During forbearance, principal payments are postponed but interest continues to accrue. Unpaid interest that accrues during the forbearance will be added to the principal balance (capitalized) of the student's Direct Subsidized Loan(s).

### **Direct Unsubsidized Loan Program**

Direct Unsubsidized loans are available to eligible undergraduate and graduate students enrolled at least half-time at an eligible institution. A demonstration of financial need is not required. Undergraduate student annual borrowing limits:

- A dependent undergraduate student whose parents are not rejected for a Direct PLUS Loan may borrow up to:
- \$3,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans, plus \$2,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for the first academic year;
- \$4,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans, plus \$2,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for the second academic year; and
- \$5,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans, plus \$2,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for each of the third and subsequent academic years.
- An independent undergraduate or dependent undergraduate and whose parents fail to qualify for a Direct PLUS Loan, may borrow up to:
- \$3,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans plus, \$6,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for the first academic year;
- \$4,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans, plus \$6,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for the second academic year; and
- \$5,500 combined of Direct Subsidized and/or Direct Unsubsidized Loans, plus \$7,000 additional Direct Unsubsidized Loan for each of the third and subsequent academic years.

A graduate student may borrow up to \$20,500 each academic year under the Direct Unsubsidized Loan program.

Effective July 1, 2016, the interest rate on a Direct Unsubsidized Loan is 3.76% for an undergraduate student and 5.31% for a graduate student for each Direct Unsubsidized Loan received during the 2016-2017 award year. The terms and conditions of the Direct Unsubsidized Loan, including deferments and loan charges, with a few exceptions, are the same as the Direct Subsidized Loan described above. However, the student is responsible for paying the interest on any Direct Unsubsidized Loan during all periods (in school, grace period, deferment, and forbearance). If the student chooses not to pay the interest while in school and during grace periods and deferment or forbearance periods, the interest will accrue (accumulate) and be capitalized (interest will be added to the principal amount of the loan). The capitalized interest becomes part of the amount (principal) on which the student pays future interest.

### **Direct PLUS Loan Program**

Direct PLUS Loans are for the parent(s) of a dependent undergraduate student and graduate students enrolled on at least a half-time basis in a program of study leading to a degree or certificate at an eligible institution. The maximum Direct PLUS Loan amount a parent or graduate student may borrow is the cost of attendance minus any other Financial Assistance received. As of July 1, 2016 the interest rate for Direct PLUS Loans is 6.31% on each Direct PLUS Loan that a borrower receives during the 2016-2017 award year. Direct PLUS Loan borrowing is limited to parent(s) of dependent undergraduate students and graduate students with a favorable credit history.

The Direct PLUS Loan enters repayment once the loan is fully disbursed (paid out). A graduate student's loan will be placed in deferment while the student is enrolled at least half-time and for an additional six months (grace period) after the student ceases to be enrolled at least half-time.

The parent borrower may contact the loan servicer to request a deferment (1) while the parent or dependent undergraduate student is enrolled at least half-time and (2) for an additional six months (grace period) after the dependent undergraduate student ceases to be enrolled at least half-time.

If the loan is deferred, interest will accrue on the loan during the deferment. The graduate student or parent borrower may choose to pay the accrued interest or allow the interest to capitalize when the deferment period ends. The loan servicer will notify the graduate student or parent borrower when the first payment is due.

### **GI Bill® Education Benefits**

Some of the programs offered at ITT Technical Institute are approved by the Pennsylvania State Department of Education for the training of veterans, Ready Reservists, National Guard members, spouses and children of deceased or 100 percent disabled veterans, and, in some cases, spouses and children of active duty service members under Titles 10, 32 and 38 of the United States Code. Veterans desiring to train using the benefits of the GI Bill® must first establish eligibility with the Department of Veteran's Affairs ("VA") by submitting Form 22-1990, dependents must submit form 22-5490, Application for VA Education Benefits, or by applying online at [www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov). For a complete description of each VA education assistance program, go to the GI Bill®

website at [www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov). Veterans should contact the school's Finance Department with questions regarding institutional procedures for certifying enrollment.

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<b>VA CERTIFICATION CALENDAR</b>			
<b>RESIDENCE COURSES</b>			
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017*</b>	<b>2018*</b>
Classes Resume After Winter Break	January 4	January 2	January 8
Winter Quarter Ends	March 12	March 11	March 10
Spring Quarter Begins	March 14	March 13	March 12
Spring Quarter Ends	June 4	June 3	June 2
Summer Quarter Begins	June 13	June 12	June 11
Summer Quarter Ends	September 3	September 2	September 1
Fall Quarter Begins	September 12	September 11	September 10
Fall Quarter Ends	December 3	December 2	December 1
Winter Quarter Begins	December 5	December 4	December 3
Winter Break	December 19, 2016 - January 1, 2017	December 25, 2017 – January 7, 2018	December 24, 2018 – January 6, 2019
*Tentative Dates			

<b>VA CERTIFICATION CALENDAR</b>			
<b>ONLINE COURSES, ELEVEN WEEKS ("OL")</b>			
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017*</b>	<b>2018*</b>
Classes Resume After Winter Break	January 4	January 2	January 8
Winter OL Quarter Ends	March 6	March 5	March 4
Spring OL Quarter Begins	March 14	March 13	March 12
Spring OL Quarter Ends	May 29	May 28	May 27
Summer OL Quarter Begins	June 13	June 12	June 11
Summer OL Quarter Ends	August 28	August 27	August 26
Fall OL Quarter Begins	September 12	September 11	September 10
Fall OL Quarter Ends	November 27	November 26	November 25
Winter OL Quarter Begins	December 5	December 4	December 3
Winter Break	December 19, 2016 - January 1, 2017	December 25, 2017 - January 7, 2018	December 24, 2018 - January 6, 2019
*Tentative Dates			

### **Military Tuition Assistance**

The Tuition Assistance (TA) Program provides financial assistance for voluntary off-duty education programs in support of an active military member's professional and personal self-development goals. The Department of Defense ("DoD") has directed a uniform TA fiscal policy across the military services. The per-quarter hour cap is \$166, the semester hour cap is \$250 and the fiscal year ceiling is \$4,500.

Service members on active duty or current members of the National Guard who are considering college must obtain authorization for tuition assistance through their branch of service. Students should contact their unit education services officer for information regarding full details and current tuition benefits.

**NOTE:** The regulations governing all federal Financial Assistance programs are subject to change. The Finance Department will have current information regarding available programs, and will make available to the student a copy of the U.S. Department of Education publication "Do You Need Money for College? The Guide to Federal Student Aid, 2016-2017."

### **Institutional Scholarships**

#### **Opportunity Scholarship**

The primary purpose of the Opportunity Scholarship (the "OS") is to encourage certain students to commit to pursuing their educational goals. The OS is only available to eligible students attending classes at an ITT Technical Institute in an associate in specialized technology degree program of study ("AP Students"). An AP Student will qualify for an OS award for the first quarter of attendance for which the AP student is eligible to receive an OS award. At the end of each quarter that an eligible AP Student is enrolled in an associate in specialized technology degree program, the school will determine if the eligible AP Student qualifies for an OS award for next quarter. If the eligible AP Student qualifies for an OS award for a

particular quarter, the eligible AP Student will receive an OS award in the form of a disbursement not to exceed the amount of tuition and fees charged to the eligible AP Student for the course(s) of the associate in specialized technology degree program of study taken by the eligible AP Student in that quarter.

The amount of an OS award to an eligible AP Student in any particular quarter will be based on the eligible AP Student's demonstrated need. An eligible AP Student's demonstrated need will be determined by the school, in its sole discretion, based on the AP Student's expected family contribution toward his or her tuition and fees owed to the school for that quarter. The maximum amount of the OS awards for which:

- an AP Student who (1) is less than 21 years of age at the time of his or her initial enrollment in the associate in specialized technology degree program and (2) graduated from high school with an overall cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 grading scale, may be eligible and qualify will not exceed:
  - \$5,000 in the first quarter of attendance for which the AP Student is eligible and qualifies for an OS award;
  - \$4,285 in any subsequent quarter of attendance for which the AP Student is eligible and qualifies for an OS award; or
  - \$35,000 in total for all quarters of all academic years; or
- an AP Student who (1) is at least 21 years of age at the time of his or her initial enrollment in the associate in specialized technology degree program or (2) did not graduate from high school with an overall cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 grading scale, may be eligible and qualify will not exceed:
  - \$4,375 in the first quarter of attendance for which the AP Student is eligible and qualifies for an OS award;
  - \$3,750 in any subsequent quarter of attendance for which the AP Student is eligible and qualifies for an OS award; or
  - \$25,000 in total for all quarters of all academic years.

**Eligibility Requirements** – To be eligible for the OS, an AP Student must attend one or more courses in an associate in specialized technology degree program of study at the school in a quarter that begins on or after March 18, 2013. The first quarter of attendance for which an AP Student is eligible to receive an OS award, however, is:

- the first quarter of the AP Student's next academic year that would start on or after March 18, 2013, if the AP Student:
  - was attending one or more courses in an associate in specialized technology degree program of study at an ITT Technical Institute at any time in the quarter that began on December 10, 2012 ("12/12 Quarter"); and
  - remained continuously enrolled in his or her associate in specialized technology degree program of study at an ITT Technical Institute; or
- the first quarter of the AP Student's first academic year that starts on or after March 18, 2013, if the AP Student was not attending one or more courses in an associate in specialized technology degree program of study at an ITT Technical Institute at any time in the 12/12 Quarter.

**Qualification Requirements** – An eligible AP Student will qualify for an OS award for the first quarter of attendance for which the AP Student is eligible to receive an OS award, as specified above in the Eligibility Requirements section. To qualify for an OS award for any subsequent quarter, an eligible AP Student must:

- be enrolled at all times during that quarter in courses in his or her associate in specialized technology degree program of study at the school that represent at least six quarter credit hours; and
- at the end of the AP Student's last quarter of attendance, be making satisfactory academic progress and have an overall cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0 for all courses taken in his or her associate in specialized technology degree program of study.

Upon admission to an associate in specialized technology degree program of study at the school, a student must contact the school's Finance Department to determine if he or she is eligible for the OS. If the school determines that the student satisfies the eligibility requirements of the OS, the eligible AP Student will have the opportunity to qualify for an OS award for each quarter that the AP Student remains enrolled in his or her associate in specialized technology degree program of study at the school, beginning with the student's first quarter of eligibility. The school may, at any time in its sole discretion, terminate the OS, which termination will be effective as of the start of the next quarter and will not affect any OS awards received prior to termination.

### **Corporate Education Program Scholarship**

The primary purpose of the Corporate Education Program Scholarship ("CEP Scholarship") is to encourage employees of participating companies\* and their immediate family (i.e., spouses and children) to pursue a higher level of education at an ITT Technical Institute. The CEP Scholarship is available each academic quarter to eligible students who enroll, or are enrolled, in a program of study at an ITT Technical Institute and who are employed or have a spouse or parent employed at a participating company for the entire academic quarter.

At the end of each academic quarter during which an eligible student is enrolled in a program, the school will determine if the student qualifies for a CEP Scholarship award for that quarter. If the eligible student qualifies for a particular quarter, the student will receive a CEP Scholarship award in the form of a retroactive disbursement not to exceed the amount of tuition and fees that was financed by debt and charged to the eligible student for the courses taken by the student in that academic quarter.

The maximum amount of the CEP Scholarship for which a student may be eligible and qualify will not exceed:

- \$2,500 in any quarter of attendance for which the student is eligible and qualifies for the CEP Scholarship;
- \$5,000 in any academic year of attendance for which the student is eligible and qualifies for the CEP Scholarship; or
- \$10,000 in total for all academic years.

**Eligibility Requirements** - to be eligible for the CEP Scholarship, a student must:

- be employed by or be the spouse or child of an individual employed by a company that has entered into a CEP Agreement with ITT/ESI, which was in effect on both the first and last days of the academic quarter to which the CEP Scholarship will apply; and
- successfully complete each course taken during the academic quarter to which the CEP Scholarship will apply.

**Qualification Requirements** - to qualify for a CEP Scholarship award for a particular academic quarter, an eligible student must:

- remain employed by or have a spouse or parent who remains employed by the company at all times during the academic quarter to which the CEP Scholarship will apply; or
- provide a letter from the company to ITT/ESI within 14 days following the end of the applicable academic quarter certifying the student's uninterrupted employment or the uninterrupted employment of the student's spouse or parent with the company during the academic quarter to which the CEP Scholarship will apply.

Upon admission to a program of study at the school, the student must contact the school's Finance Department to determine if he or she is eligible for a CEP Scholarship. If the school determines that the student satisfies the eligibility requirements of the CEP Scholarship, the student will have the opportunity to qualify for a CEP Scholarship award for each academic quarter of attendance in his or her program. A student who qualifies for a CEP Scholarship award for any particular quarter shall not be entitled to any other institutional scholarship in connection with that student's enrollment in a program during that academic quarter.

The CEP Scholarship may end at any time without notice, at which time no further CEP Scholarships will be awarded. The termination of the CEP Scholarship will not, however, affect any CEP awards received prior to termination.

\*For a list of participating companies, please see the Finance Department.

**The school makes no representation or promise whatsoever that any student will receive any of the Financial Assistance described above. The availability of Financial Assistance does not imply that the federal government, state government, any of their agencies, any private lender or any other source of Financial Assistance guarantees the quality of instruction or the truth or accuracy of any representation contained herein.**

## **FEDERAL AND PRIVATE EDUCATION LOAN CODE OF CONDUCT**

Federal education loans and private education loans (collectively, "Loans") are two types of financial aid that may be available to qualifying ITT Technical Institute students and their parents. It is important for ITT Technical Institute student and parent borrowers to understand ITT Technical Institute's position with respect to Lenders, which are defined to include:

- private lenders who make Loans that ITT Technical Institute student and parent borrowers can use to help pay the cost of an ITT Technical Institute education;
- the entities that service, guaranty and/or securitize those Loans; and
- the entities, such as trade or professional associations, that receive money related to Loan activities from those private lenders, servicers, guarantors and securitizers.

**Code of Conduct:** ITT Technical Institute has adopted the following code of conduct with respect to Lenders:

- (1) ITT Technical Institute officers and employees (collectively, "Agents") will avoid real and perceived conflicts of interest between their duties and responsibilities at ITT Technical Institute and the Loans or other student financial aid made available to qualifying ITT Technical Institute students and their parents.
- (2) No Agent will solicit, accept or receive any Gift (as defined below) from a Lender.
- (3) No Agent who is employed in the institute's Finance Department or has any responsibilities with respect to student financial aid will:
  - serve or participate on any advisory board, commission or group established by a Lender; or
  - accept from a Lender or an affiliate of a Lender any fee, payment or other financial benefit (including the opportunity to purchase stock) as compensation for any type of consulting arrangement or other contract to provide services to, or on behalf of, a Lender relating to federal or private Loans.
- (4) An Agent, who is not employed in the institute's Finance Department or does not have any responsibilities with respect to student financial aid, may serve on any board of any publicly traded or privately held company and solicit, accept and receive remuneration or expense reimbursement related thereto, regardless of whether that company is a Lender.

(5) ITT Technical Institute will not:

- accept or request any Gift from a Lender in exchange for any advantage or consideration provided to that Lender related to the Lender's Loan activities;
- solicit, accept or receive any payments, referral fees, revenue sharing or similar financial arrangements from any Lender in exchange for referring or recommending that Lender to ITT Technical Institute's student and parent borrowers;
- permit any employee or other agent of a Lender to:
  - identify himself or herself to ITT Technical Institute's student or parent borrowers as an employee, representative or agent of ITT Technical Institute; or
  - work in the Finance Department or any call center operation of ITT Technical Institute;
- direct any of its student or parent borrowers to any electronic promissory notes or other loan agreements with respect to any Lender's Loans that do not provide the student or parent borrowers with a reasonable and convenient alternative to select their Lender for a particular type of Loan and complete that Lender's Loan documentation;
- refuse to certify, or delay certification of, any Lender's Loan based on the Lender selected by its student or parent borrowers; or
- request or accept from any Lender any offer of funds to be used for private Loans to its student or parent borrowers, in exchange for ITT Technical Institute providing concessions or promises to the Lender:
  - that may prejudice any other of its student or parent borrowers; or
  - in the form of a specified number of federal or private Loans, a specified volume of those Loans or a preferred lender arrangement with respect to those Loans.

(6) ITT Technical Institute will allow all of its student and parent borrowers to select the Lender of their choice, and will not otherwise assign any of its student or parent borrowers' Loans to a particular Lender.

(7) If ITT Technical Institute refers or recommends any Lender(s) to its student or parent borrowers, ITT Technical Institute will:

- disclose the process by which it selected the Lender(s), including the method and criteria that it used in determining to refer or recommend the Lender(s) and the relative importance of those criteria;
- disclose to students and their parents that they are free to use any Lender;
- only refer or recommend a Lender that, as a whole, it has determined offers Loans that have competitive rates, terms, borrower benefits, services and loan administration (collectively, "Terms");
- review annually the competitiveness of the Terms of the Loans offered by the Lender(s) that it refers or recommends to its student and parent borrowers;
- update annually the Lender(s) that it refers or recommends to its student and parent borrowers;
- obtain each Lender's assurance that any repayment benefits that the Lender advertised with respect to the Lender's Loans made to its student and parent borrowers will continue to apply to those Loans, regardless of whether the Lender sells those Loans;
- inquire whether the Lender has any agreement to sell the Loans made to its student and parent borrowers to an unaffiliated Lender and, if the Lender informs ITT Technical Institute that the Lender has such an agreement, ITT Technical Institute will disclose that information to its student and parent borrowers; and
- not refer or recommend any Lender more favorably for a particular type of Loan, in exchange for the Lender providing more favorable Terms to student or parent borrowers in connection with a different type of Loan.

(8) "Gift" is defined as any money, discount, favor, gratuity, inducement, loan, stock, prize or thing of value, including, without limitation, any entertainment, hospitality, service, honoraria, transportation, lodging, meal, registration fee, forbearance, promise, computer hardware, printing or assistance with call center or Finance Department staffing, whether provided in kind, by purchase of a ticket, payment in advance or by reimbursement. A Gift to a family member of an Agent, or to any other individual based on that individual's relationship with an Agent, is considered to be a Gift to the Agent, if:

- the Gift was given with the knowledge and acquiescence of the Agent; and
- the Agent has reason to believe that the Gift was given because of the Agent's duties or responsibilities at ITT Technical Institute;

A "Gift" does not include, however, any of the following:

- standard informational material, activities or programs on issues related to a Lender's Loan, default aversion, default prevention or financial literacy, such as a brochure, workshop or training;
- food, refreshments, training or informational material furnished to an Agent as an integral part of a training session that is designed to improve the Lender's service to ITT Technical Institute, if such training contributes to the professional development of the Agent;
- favorable Terms on a Lender's Loan provided to a student employed by ITT Technical Institute, if such Terms are comparable to those available to all ITT Technical Institute students;
- educational counseling, financial literacy or debt-management materials provided to borrowers, if the identification of any Lender that assisted in preparing, providing or paying for any of those materials is disclosed on the materials;

- entrance and exit counseling services provided by Lenders to student borrowers to meet ITT Technical Institutes' responsibilities under federal law, provided that:
  - ITT Technical Institute staff is in control of the services;
  - the services are not provided in-person by any Lenders; and
  - the Lender does not promote or secure applications for its Loans or other products or services during the provision of those services;
- items of de minimus value that are offered as a form of generalized marketing or advertising, or to create good will; and
- other services provided by Lenders to ITT Technical Institute or an Agent that are identified and approved by the U.S. Department of Education ("DOE").

ITT Technical Institute's financial aid professionals are available to assist student and parent borrowers and answer any questions that they may have regarding the federal and private Loans available for those who qualify.

## **STUDENT SERVICES**

### **Career Services**

The school's career services as specified below, are available to students and interested graduates, but the school does not make any promise or representation whatsoever to any student or graduate: (1) that the student or graduate will obtain any employment, whether full-time or part-time, upon graduation, during school, related to his or her education or otherwise; and (2) regarding any career opportunity, position, salary level and/or job title in any employment that the student or graduate may obtain, whether during school or upon graduation. No employment information or career service provided by the school to any student or graduate will be considered by the student or graduate, either expressly or impliedly, as any: (a) guarantee or promise of employment; (b) likelihood of employment; (c) indication of the level of employment or compensation any student or graduate may expect; or (d) indication of the types or job titles of positions for which students or graduates may qualify. Students and graduates are encouraged to not place restrictions on their job search endeavors regarding location, starting salary or specific benefits, as doing so may similarly restrict employment options and opportunities. Any employment that a student or graduate may obtain with the help of the school's career services will, in all probability and likelihood, be at an entry-level position.

### **Part-time Career Services**

The school will assist any interested student in finding part-time work during his or her enrollment in a program of study at the school. The student must schedule his or her part-time employment so it does not interfere with the student's Class Schedule.

### **Graduate Career Services**

The student will be advised of job postings and interview opportunities. Students will also be advised of where to access information on how to prepare for and appear at job interviews and how to conduct himself or herself during job interviews. The school offers helpful reference sources to assist the student in locating firms and geographic areas within the United States that offer employment opportunities related to his or her education. Job search activities generally intensify as the student nears graduation, so the student is encouraged to maintain contact with the Career Services Department and utilize its assistance. The Career Services Department is available to consult with any interested student regarding career opportunities that may be available to him or her upon graduation. Alumni are also welcome to contact the Career Services Department for information on career opportunities. The graduate may have to relocate to take advantage of employment opportunities he or she may receive from potential employers.

### **Preparatory Offering**

All students are strongly encouraged to utilize the services and tools offered by the school to help them improve their preparation for the math and verbal coursework in their programs.

### **Housing Assistance**

The student may obtain from the school a list of potential housing accommodations within the vicinity of the school. The school does not operate any on- or off-campus housing. Any student requiring housing assistance is encouraged to contact the school prior to beginning classes for information on local apartment availability and general rental matters such as lease requirements, security deposits, furniture rentals and utilities. The student and his or her parents are, however, solely responsible for the student's housing arrangements, as well as the student's security and safety.

### **Student Activities**

The school encourages student activities to help develop individual initiative, group leadership and cooperation. It is a goal of the school to help provide students with the opportunity to participate in activities which relate to educational objectives, satisfy social needs, provide recreational opportunities and encourage cultural enrichment. School-related student activities must be sanctioned, approved and supervised by the school.

## **CAMPUS INFORMATION**

### **History of Main Campus - ITT Technical Institute, Indianapolis (Angola Court), Indiana**

ITT Technical Institute, Indianapolis, opened in 1956. ITT Corporation acquired the Sams Company and the school in 1966. This school was one of the three original schools of ITT Educational Services, Inc. The school now offers associate's degree programs of study in Accounting, Business Accounting Technology, Business Administration, Business Management, Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology, Computer Drafting and Design, Computer Forensics, Construction Technology, Criminal Justice, Criminology and Forensic Technology, Drafting and Design Technology, Electrical Engineering Technology, Graphic Communications and Design, Health Information Technology, Industrial Engineering Technology, Information Systems

Administration, Information Technology - Computer Network Systems, Network Systems Administration, Nursing, Paralegal, Paralegal Studies, Software Development, Visual Communications, Web Design and Web Design Technology, bachelor's degree programs of study in Accounting, Business Accounting Technology, Business Administration, Business Management, Construction Management, Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice - Cyber Security, Digital Entertainment and Game Design, Electrical Engineering and Communications Technology, Electronics and Communications Engineering Technology, Information Systems Security, Information Systems and Cybersecurity, Nursing, Project Management, Project Management and Administration, Software Development and a master's degree programs of study in Business Administration.

The following locations are branch campuses of ITT Technical Institute, Indianapolis (Angola Court): Akron, Ohio; Albany, New York; Albuquerque, New Mexico; Arlington, Texas; Arlington Heights, Illinois; Arnold, Missouri; Atlanta, Georgia; Aurora, Colorado; Austin, Texas; Baton Rouge, Louisiana; Bessemer, Alabama; Boise, Idaho; Brooklyn Center, Minnesota; Canton, Michigan; Chantilly, Virginia; Charlotte North, North Carolina; Charlotte South, North Carolina; Chattanooga, Tennessee; Clive, Iowa; Clovis, California; Columbia, South Carolina; Columbus, Ohio; Concord, California; Cordova, Tennessee; Corona, California; Dayton, Ohio; Dearborn, Michigan; Deerfield Beach, Florida; DeSoto, Texas; Douglasville, Georgia; Duluth, Georgia; Dunmore, Pennsylvania; Durham, North Carolina; Earth City, Missouri; Eden Prairie, Minnesota; Fort Lauderdale, Florida; Fort Myers, Florida; Fort Wayne, Indiana; Getzville, New York; Greenfield, Wisconsin; Greenville, South Carolina; Hanover, Maryland; Harrisburg, Pennsylvania; Henderson, Nevada; Hialeah, Florida; High Point, North Carolina; Hilliard, Ohio; Houston (North Freeway), Texas; Houston (South Gessner), Texas; Huntington, West Virginia; Indianapolis (N. Shadeland Avenue), Indiana; Jacksonville, Florida; Johnson City, Tennessee; Kansas City, Missouri; Kennesaw, Georgia; Knoxville, Tennessee; Lake Mary, Florida; Las Vegas, Nevada; Lathrop, California; Levittown, Pennsylvania; Lexington, Kentucky; Little Rock, Arkansas; Liverpool, New York; Louisville, Kentucky; Madison, Alabama; Madison, Mississippi; Madison, Wisconsin; Marlton, New Jersey; Maumee, Ohio; Merrillville, Indiana; Mobile, Alabama; Murray, Utah; Myrtle Beach, South Carolina; Nashville, Tennessee; National City, California; Newburgh, Indiana; Norfolk, Virginia; North Charleston, South Carolina; Norwood, Massachusetts; Norwood, Ohio; Oak Brook, Illinois; Oakland, California; Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Omaha, Nebraska; Orange, California; Orland Park, Illinois; Orlando, Florida; Owings Mills, Maryland; Oxnard, California; Pensacola, Florida; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Phoenix (N. 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue), Arizona; Phoenix (N. 95<sup>th</sup> Avenue), Arizona; Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania; Portland, Oregon; Rancho Cordova, California; Richardson, Texas; Richmond, Virginia; Salem, Oregon; Salem, Virginia; San Antonio (Northwest Parkway), Texas; San Antonio (NE Loop 410), Texas; San Bernardino, California; San Dimas, California; South Bend, Indiana; Southfield, Michigan; Springfield, Illinois; Springfield, Missouri; Springfield, Virginia; St. Petersburg, Florida; St. Rose, Louisiana; Strongsville, Ohio; Swartz Creek, Michigan; Sylmar, California; Tallahassee, Florida; Tampa, Florida; Tarentum, Pennsylvania; Tempe, Arizona; Torrance, California; Troy, Michigan; Tucson, Arizona; Tulsa, Oklahoma; Vista, California; Waco, Texas; Warrensville Heights, Ohio; Webster, Texas; West Palm Beach, Florida; Westminster, Colorado; Wichita, Kansas; Wilmington, Massachusetts; Wyoming, Michigan; and Youngstown, Ohio.

#### **History of Branch - ITT Technical Institute, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**

ITT Technical Institute opened in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in November 1992, offering Electronics Engineering Technology. The school now offers associate in specialized technology degree programs of study in Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology, Computer Drafting and Design, Criminal Justice, Information Technology - Computer Network Systems, Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming and Visual Communications.

#### **Accreditation**

Accredited by the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools to award associate in specialized technology degrees and non-credit, short-term modules.

Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools  
750 First Street, NE, Suite 980  
Washington, DC 20002-4241  
(202) 336-6780

Evidence of the institution's accreditation is on display at the school or may be obtained from the Director.

#### **License**

Licensed by the Pennsylvania State Board of Private Licensed Schools.

Evidence of the institution's license is on display at the school or may be obtained from the Director.

#### **Approvals**

Some programs are approved for the training of veterans by the Pennsylvania State Department of Education, Division of Veterans/Military Education.

Evidence of the institution's approval is on display at the school or may be obtained from the Director.



**Memberships**

Airport Corridor Transportation Association  
Continuing Education Association of Pennsylvania  
Pennsylvania Association of Private School Administrators (PAPSA)  
Pennsylvania Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (PASFAA)  
Pennsylvania Association of Two-Year Colleges  
Pittsburgh Area Chamber of Commerce  
Pittsburgh Technology Council  
The Small Business Network

## **Faculty**

### **General Education**

Matthew Abel, Adjunct Instructor  
B.B.A., University of Notre Dame;  
M.S.Ed., Duquesne University

Ashley Carpenter, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., Grove City College;  
M.F.A., Chatham University

Victoria Collier, Adjunct Instructor  
A.A.S., Northern Virginia Community College;  
B.S., University of Pittsburgh;  
M.S., Robert Morris University

Philip DiFilippo, Adjunct Instructor  
A.E.T., The Pennsylvania State University;  
B.S., M.Ed., California University of Pennsylvania

Christine Galket, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., The Pennsylvania State University, Behrend;  
M.A., The Pennsylvania State University

Michael Gathje, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., Saint John's University;  
M.A., Saint John's College;  
M.A., Villanova University

Carla Gedman, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Carlow College;  
M.A., University of Pittsburgh

Klotilda Lazaj, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., Thiel College;  
M.S., Youngstown State University

John Mazzola, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh;  
M.A., Duquesne University

Dorothy McClester, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., M.S., Geneva College

Jarrad Miesel, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Purdue University;  
M.B.A., University of Akron;  
J.D., University of Akron School of Law

Richard Neidinger, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Allegheny College;  
J.D., Suffolk University Law School

William Underwood, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., The Pennsylvania State University;  
M.S., University of Pittsburgh

### **School of Information Technology**

#### **Information Technology - Computer Network Systems Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

Adrian Driver, Adjunct Instructor  
A.A., B.S., Ambassador University;  
M.B.A., Grand Valley State University

Phillip DuPont, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., The Pennsylvania State University;  
M.S., Duquesne University

Kyle Fulton, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Rochester Institute of Technology

Kevin Kees, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., California University of Pennsylvania

Matthew Kisow, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., M.S., D.Sc., Robert Morris University

Lisa Richardson, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., Pittsburgh Technical Institute;  
B.S., M.S., Robert Morris University

David Smouse, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., The Pennsylvania State University

Lucas Trianos, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Carnegie-Mellon University;  
M.S., University of Pittsburgh;  
M.S., University of Southern California

#### **Information Technology - Software Applications and Programming Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

Please see the school Director for a listing of faculty.

### **School of Electronics Technology**

#### **Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

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A.S.T., Electronic's Institute;  
B.S., Point Park University;  
B.A., University of Pittsburgh

Dennis Bodziak, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology;  
M.S., University of Pittsburgh

Michael Shepperd, Adjunct Instructor  
A.A., North Idaho College;  
B.S.Ed., University of Idaho

Lucas Trianos, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., Carnegie-Mellon University;  
M.S., University of Pittsburgh;  
M.S., University of Southern California

William Underwood, Adjunct Instructor  
B.S., The Pennsylvania State University;  
M.S., University of Pittsburgh

James Yamber, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., Triangle Tech - Pittsburgh;  
B.S., Point Park University;  
M.S., California University of Pennsylvania

## **School of Drafting and Design**

### **Computer Drafting and Design Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

Joshua Lee, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., ITT Technical Institute;  
B.A., M.B.A., California University of Pennsylvania

Marvin Phillips, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., B.S., ITT Technical Institute;  
B.S., Kaplan University

James Yamber, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., Triangle Tech - Pittsburgh;  
B.S., Point Park University;  
M.S., California University of Pennsylvania

### **Visual Communications Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

Please see the school Director for a listing of faculty.

## **School of Criminal Justice**

### **Criminal Justice Program (Associate in Specialized Technology Degree)**

Please see the school Director for a listing of faculty.

## **Technical Basic**

Philip DiFilippo, Adjunct Instructor  
A.A., The Pennsylvania State University;  
B.S., M.Ed., California University of Pennsylvania

Christine Galket, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., The Pennsylvania State University, Behrend;  
M.A., The Pennsylvania State University

Dorothy McClester, Adjunct Instructor  
B.A., M.S. Geneva College

Lisa Richardson, Adjunct Instructor  
A.S.T., Pittsburgh Technical Institute;  
B.S., M.S., Robert Morris University

Please see the school Director for a listing of faculty who teach online courses.

**NOTE:** Any faculty assigned to a student's class may be changed from time to time in the school's discretion.

## **Administration**

Christin Long, Director/Director of Recruitment  
B.S., University of Phoenix

Jack Flintner, Dean  
B.A., Framingham State University;  
M.B.A., Southeastern University

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A.S.T., ITT Technical Institute;  
B.A., California University of Pennsylvania

Amanda Wood, Library Assistant  
M.A., Missouri State University  
B.A., North Dakota State University

Dan Cohen, Financial Aid Coordinator  
B.S., University of Arizona

Deno Castellano, Systems Support Technician  
A.S.T., ITT Technical Institute;  
B.S.Ed., Clarion University

## **Advisory Committees**

### **School of Information Technology**

Jane Allen	Teletraking
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### **School of Electronics Technology**

Rob Bickerstaff	Haemonetics
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### **School of Drafting and Design**

Dave Betzler	Kore Resources
Brandon Crawford	Brayman Construction
Dave Diable	Civil & Environmental Consultants
Theron DiPietrantonio	Lighthouse Electric
Eric Dunkin	Crown Castle
Sharon Kolesar	ABG Captial
Jay Patterson	Keystone Consultants
Rob Sinclair	Civil & Environmental Consultants
Karyn Ward	Lighthouse Electric

### **School of Criminal Justice**

Please see the school Director for a listing of Advisory Committee members.

## **Physical Facility Description**

ITT Technical Institute is located at 5460 Campbells Run Road. The school occupies approximately 22,400 square feet of space housing classrooms, offices, a student lounge and a learning resource center. The facility is accessible to disabled individuals. Please see Disabled Applicants and Students section of this catalog for further information. The facility is in compliance with federal, state and local ordinances and regulations, including those relating to safety and health.

## **Statement of Ownership**

ITT Technical Institute, Pittsburgh, is one of a network of co-educational, non-denominational private postsecondary educational institutions owned and operated by ITT Educational Services, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

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**ITT Technical Institute**

**APPENDICES**



## ACICS STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT OUTCOMES

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ITT Technical Institute reports student achievement outcomes to its recognized accrediting agency, the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools (ACICS) annually. The Campus Accountability Reports (CAR) includes retention rates, placement rates and, if applicable, licensure examination pass rates.<sup>1</sup>

Please see the following page for the campus-level and program-level rates reported in the 2015 Campus Accountability Report.

These are the data reported to ACICS by the institution in its most recent Campus Accountability Report<sup>2</sup>:

### <sup>1</sup> ACICS Rate Calculations:

ITT Technical Institutes follow the guidelines for calculating rates as published by ACICS in the Campus Accountability Report Guidelines which can be accessed at <https://www.itt-tech.edu/downloads/2015-CAR-Guidelines-and-Instructions.pdf>. The formulas used in calculating the rates are provided on Page 17 of the Guidelines document.

<sup>2</sup> Not all programs of study identified in the ACICS Campus Accountability Report may be offered at the ITT Technical Institute. Please refer to the Curricula section of the school catalog for a complete listing of the programs of study offered at this ITT Technical Institute location.



# 2015 Campus Accountability Report

As of: 6/27/2016

ITT Technical Institute - Pittsburgh, PA (00010175)

## Campus Level Standards

**Retention:** 65%

**Placement:** 59%

## Program Level Standards

Program Name	Retention	Placement	Licensure
Computer And Electronics Engineering Technology (Academic Associate's Degree)	66%	67%	N/A
Computer Drafting And Design (Academic Associate's Degree)	68%	67%	N/A
Criminal Justice (Academic Associate's Degree)	68%	40%	N/A
Information Technology - Computer Network Systems (Academic Associate's Degree)	65%	69%	N/A
Information Technology - Software Applications And Programming (Academic Associate's Degree)	100%	50%	N/A
Visual Communications (Academic Associate's Degree)	60%	0%	N/A



**ITT Technical Institute**

**STUDENT HANDBOOK**

Pittsburgh  
June 2016



## MISSION STATEMENT

The ITT Technical Institute is an institution of higher learning that is committed to offering quality undergraduate, graduate and continuing education locally, nationally and worldwide to students of diverse backgrounds, interests and abilities. The institution offers career-related educational programs that integrate life-long learning with knowledge and skills to help students:

- Pursue their personal interests and objectives;
- Develop intellectual, analytical and critical thinking abilities; and
- Provide service to their communities.

The programs employ traditional, applied and adult-learning pedagogies and are delivered through traditional, accelerated and distance methodologies in a learner-centered environment of mutual respect.

## FROM THE CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER

Congratulations on your decision to pursue your education at ITT Technical Institute. Your decision to increase your knowledge can help you positively affect your future.

During your enrollment, you will be challenged by your instructors to accomplish predetermined goals that can help you develop knowledge and skills to prepare for a career in a variety of fields involving your program of study. During my experience in education, I have observed that a person's attitude is the single most important determinant of success. A positive can-do attitude, both during your educational experience and your employment, can help lead you to further growth. You are now a member of the lifelong learning community.

Scientific research has shown that there are five keys to achieving your maximum potential. These five keys can help you unlock opportunities for future growth and happiness.

The first of these keys is to **clarify your vision**, to determine what is important to you and what it is you want. When you know what you want, you will be able to make better decisions. It can help you better determine whether a choice will lead you closer to or take you farther from your ideal.

The second of these keys is to **be positive**; to develop a positive self-image by knowing that you have what it takes to be a success. You have the ability to be creative and find solutions if only you allow yourself to do so.

The third of these keys is to **become goal oriented**. Having and living toward specific, measurable, attainable and realistic goals can help you become resilient and overcome the obstacles that otherwise could make realizing your vision more difficult.

The fourth of these keys is to **take action**. Goals without action are only wishes. You have already taken action toward your career goals by seeking knowledge at ITT Technical Institute. Don't let fear of success keep you from taking the actions you need to take.

The fifth of these keys is to **build relationships**. Individuals are most effective when they build relationships with other people who share similar visions and goals. The staff at ITT Technical Institute will be there to assist you as you work toward realizing your vision.

Good Luck as you learn, grow and pursue your goals!

Dean Kempter  
Chief Academic Officer

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## LIST OF AVAILABLE INFORMATION

The following information can be obtained by current and prospective students, at any time upon request from the individual or Department identified.

1. The refund policy with which the school is required to comply. This information is contained in the School Catalog and Enrollment Agreement, and can also be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
2. A summary of the requirements under 34 CFR Section 668.22 for the return of grant or loan assistance received under any federal student aid programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended ("Act"). This information is contained in the School Catalog and Enrollment Agreement, and can also be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
3. Procedures for officially withdrawing from the school. This information can be obtained from the school's Registrar.
4. The ITT Technical Institute Safety and Security Policies with Crime Statistics report. This report contains, among other things:
  - statistics of crimes that have occurred on campus;
  - school policies on reporting crimes and other emergencies that occur on campus;
  - school policies concerning security of and access to campus facilities;
  - school policies concerning campus law enforcement;
  - a description of the type and frequency of programs regarding campus security procedures and practices;
  - a description of the program on crime prevention;
  - school policies and programs on illegal drugs and alcohol;
  - school policies regarding sexual assault;
  - where information on registered sex offenders can be obtained;
  - school policies on emergency response and evacuations; and
  - school policies on missing student notification procedures.

A copy of this report is posted at [http://info.itt-tech.edu/campus\\_safety/Pages/default.aspx](http://info.itt-tech.edu/campus_safety/Pages/default.aspx) and a paper copy can be obtained from the school's Registrar.

5. A description of all federal, state, private, and institutional student financial assistance programs available at the school to students who may qualify, including:
  - the procedures by which students apply for assistance;
  - the forms by which students apply for assistance;
  - the eligibility requirements;
  - the criteria for selecting recipients;
  - the criteria for determining the amount of aid awarded;
  - the method by which disbursement will be made and the frequency of payment;
  - the rights and responsibilities of students receiving financial assistance;
  - criteria for continued student eligibility;
  - the standards which the student must maintain to be considered making satisfactory academic progress;

- the criteria by which the student who has failed to make satisfactory academic progress may re-establish eligibility for aid;
- the terms of any loans received by the student as part of the student's financial assistance package;
- a sample loan payment schedule and the necessity for repaying loans;
- the general conditions and terms applicable to any employment provided to the student as part of the student's financial assistance package;
- entrance and exit counseling information; and
- the terms and conditions of the federal student loans available to students at the school who qualify.

This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.

6. The school's completion and retention rates. This information can be obtained from the school's Director of Career Services.
7. The cost of attending the school. This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
8. Tuition and fees charged. This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
9. Estimates of necessary books, tools and supplies. This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
10. Estimates of transportation costs for commuting students or for students living on or off campus. This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
11. Any additional cost of a program in which the student is enrolled or expresses a specific interest. This information can be obtained from the school's Finance Department.
12. The academic program(s) offered at the school, including the current degree programs and other educational and training programs. This information can be obtained from the school's Dean or School and Program Chairs.
13. The school's instructional, laboratory and other physical facilities which relate to the academic program(s). This information can be obtained from the school's Dean.
14. The school's faculty and other instructional personnel. This information can be obtained from the school's Dean.
15. Any plans by the school for improving the academic program(s) of the school. This information can be obtained from the school's Dean.
16. The names and associations, agencies or governmental bodies that accredit, approve, or license the school and its programs and the procedures by which documents describing that activity may be reviewed. This information can be obtained from the school's Director.
17. A description of any special facilities and services available to disabled students, including students with intellectual disabilities. This information can be obtained from the school's Director who is also the school's Student Disability Coordinator and coordinates compliance with Section 504 of the

Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and its regulations.

18. The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act Notification. This information is contained in this Student Handbook and the School Catalog. A copy of the policy can be obtained from the school's Dean.
19. The school's policies and sanctions related to copyright infringement. This information is contained in this Student Handbook and can be obtained from the school's Director.
20. The student body diversity at the school. This information is contained in this Student Handbook and can be obtained from the school's Director.
21. Graduate employment rate information, including the types of employment obtained by the school's graduates. This information can be obtained from the Career Services Department.
22. Types of graduate and professional education in which graduates of the school's bachelor degree programs have enrolled. This information can be obtained from the Career Services Department.
23. The school's vaccination policy for students. This information is contained in this Student Handbook and can be obtained from the school's Director.

The "Who To See" section of this Student Handbook also contains a list of subjects and the corresponding school personnel who can provide information on each subject.

## WHO TO SEE

<b>Subject</b>	<b>School Personnel</b>
Academic Programs	Dean School and Program Chair(s)
Academic Advising	Dean and Associate Dean(s) School and Program Chair(s)
Accreditation and Licensing	Director
Alcohol and Drug Policy	Dean
Class Schedule	Registrar
Community Resources	Dean
Completion, Retention and Graduate Employment Rate Information	Director of Career Services
Copyright Infringement Policy	Director
Cost of Attendance and Financial Aid	Director of Finance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Description of Federal, State, Private and Institutional Student Financial Assistance Programs Available at the School</li> <li>· Estimated Cost of Attendance</li> <li>· Estimated Cost of Tools</li> <li>· Estimated Transportation Costs</li> <li>· Financial Aid Advising</li> <li>· Refund Policy</li> <li>· Return of Federal Loan or Grant Assistance</li> <li>· Student Account Information</li> <li>· Tuition and Fees</li> </ul>	Financial Aid Coordinators
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act	Dean
Faculty	Dean
Graduate and Professional Education Pursued by the School's Bachelor Degree Graduates	Director of Career Services
Institutional Facilities	Dean
Learning Resource Center	Dean
Lost and Found	Dean
Program or Course Charges or Withdrawals	Registrar
Safety and Security Policies and Crime Statistics	Registrar
Servicemember Coordinator and Notice of Service and Intent to Return	Registrar
Student Car Pooling/Transportation Assistance	Director of Career Services
Student Disability Coordinator (also known as the Section 504 Coordinator)	Director
Student Diversity	Director
Student Housing Assistance	Director of Career Services
Substance Abuse Prevention Coordinator	Dean or Associate Dean
Student Employment Assistance	Director of Career Services
Title IX Coordinator	Director
Vaccination Policy	Director
Voter Registration	Dean or Associate Dean



## **GENERAL POLICIES**

The following rules and policies apply to all members of ITT Technical Institute's student body.

### **ACADEMIC DISHONESTY**

ITT Technical Institute defines academic dishonesty as the "submission of work completed by another person as your own." All ideas, words or work from others that are included in a student's submitted work must be identified and cited. Failure to appropriately identify the ideas, words or work of others included in a student's work is considered academic dishonesty and violates the conduct section of the School's Catalog. Academic dishonesty may result in a zero on the graded activity, suspension and/or termination from one or more of the courses the student is taking or the student's entire program of study at the school.

Ideas, words or work that require citation include, but are not limited to, hard copies or electronic publications, whether copyrighted or not, and visual and verbal communication that clearly originates from an identifiable source. This policy applies to all courses whether taught in residence or online and all sources whether electronic or hardcopy.

It is academically unethical and unacceptable to:

- submit work completed in whole or in part by another person as if it were your own;
- restate or paraphrase another writer's work without acknowledging the source;
- copy another student's homework and submit the work as if it were the product of your own labor;
- attempt to gain an advantage through the use of crib sheets, hidden notes, viewing another student's paper, revealing the questions or answers on exams or quizzes to other students or viewing quiz or exam questions obtained by another student; and
- store or communicate information not distributed to students through the use of electronic devices, recording devices, cellular telephones, headsets or portable computers.

### **ACADEMIC PROGRAMS-IMPROVEMENT AND CHANGES**

Improvement to ITT Technical Institute's curriculum is an ongoing process. The Institution's Curriculum Department receives input from faculty members, staff, students, graduates, and employers of graduates through the use of surveys, local Advisory Committee meetings, national curriculum committees and outside consultants. It then updates existing programs and adds new programs, including updating textbooks and equipment to support new techniques that meet the ever-changing work environment in which our graduates are employed.

### **ADVISING**

The student must receive academic, attendance, and/or financial aid advising from the school, as the school deems necessary in its discretion. Students should contact the School and Program Chair(s), Associate Dean(s) or Dean for academic and attendance advising. The Director of Finance and Financial Aid Coordinator(s) conduct financial aid advising.

Instructors in online courses are available for class communications, tutoring and/or student advising at least six days per week by e-mail. They will respond to messages within 72 hours. Academic Service Representatives and Program Managers are also available for assistance with issues related to online courses.

### ALCOHOL AND DRUG POLICY

The school makes available information on drug awareness to all students through the Substance Abuse Prevention Coordinator. In compliance with the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act, as amended, a copy of the school's Alcohol and Drug Policy is printed below to assure that all students at ITT Technical Institute are aware of the standards of conduct with respect to alcohol and drugs that affect them.

The possession, use, and/or sale of alcohol and/or drugs on any part of the school's premises or at any school-sponsored event are prohibited. Students using illegal drugs or alcohol on any part of the school's premises or at any school-sponsored event will be terminated from the school and/or referred to appropriate rehabilitation agencies. Students selling drugs on any part of the school's premises or any school-sponsored event will be terminated from school and referred to the appropriate legal authorities for prosecution. See "Suspension and Reinstatement of Eligibility for Federal Student Financial Aid as a result of Drug-Related Offenses" contained herein for additional information concerning how drug related convictions may impact your ability to obtain Student Financial Aid. The school will also make available information on the health risks associated with the use of illicit drugs and the abuse of alcohol. This information is available from the Substance Abuse Prevention Coordinator.

### **The Realities of Drug and Alcohol Abuse**

#### Economic Realities (2014 Information)

- Substance abuse costs American society over \$193,000,000,000 each year.
- American businesses suffered a productivity loss of over \$120 billion in 2007 due to labor participation cost, participation in drug abuse treatment, incarceration, and premature death.
- Frequent drinking is associated with absenteeism, tardiness, leaving work early and poor coworker relationships.

#### Criminal Realities

- In 2009 almost 1.7 state and local arrest for drug abuse violations.
- Approximately 60% of individuals arrested for most types of crimes test positive for illegal drugs at arrest.
- Alcohol and drugs weaken the brain mechanisms that normally restrain impulsive behaviors, including inappropriate aggression.

#### Medical Realities

- There is a strong correlation between alcohol use and cancers of the mouth, larynx, pharynx, and esophagus.
- The correlation between alcohol and oral cancer is even more pronounced for those who use alcohol and tobacco.
- There is a significant negative impact on the health of children who are exposed to illegal drugs or nicotine who grow up in a household where drugs and tobacco are abused.

## Drug Usage Realities

- The use of marijuana, cocaine and opiates continues to rise in the United States.
- Marijuana is the nation's most commonly used illicit drug.
- Adults 18-25 years old have higher cocaine use than any other age group.

For additional information see: 1998 National Institute of Drug Abuse Report to Congress National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Institute on Alcohol and Alcohol Abuse [www.nida.nih.gov](http://www.nida.nih.gov); and U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration website at <http://www.dea.gov/index.shtml>; and Bureau of Justice Statistics, <http://www.bjs.gov/>.

## Federal Penalties and Sanctions for Illegal Possession of a Controlled Substance

### 21 U.S.C. 844(a)

1<sup>st</sup> conviction: Up to 1 year imprisonment and fined at least \$1,000 but not more than \$100,000, or both.

After 1 prior drug conviction: At least 15 days in prison, not to exceed 2 years and fined at least \$2,500 but not more than \$250,000, or both.

After 2 or more prior drug convictions: At least 90 days in prison, not to exceed 3 years and fined at least \$5,000 but not more than \$250,000, or both.

### 21 U.S.C.853 (a)(2) and 881(a)(7)

Forfeiture of personal and real property used to possess or to facilitate possession of a controlled substance if that offense is punishable by more than 1-year imprisonment. (See special sentencing provisions re: crack.)

### 21 U.S.C. 881(a)(4)

Forfeiture of vehicles, boats, aircraft, or any other conveyance used to transport or conceal a controlled substance.

### 21 U.S.C. 844a

Civil fine of up to \$10,000 (pending adoption of final regulations.)

### 18 U.S.C. 922(g)

Ineligible to receive or purchase a firearm.

### Miscellaneous

Revocation of certain federal licenses and benefits, e.g., pilot licenses, public housing tenancy, etc, are vested within the authorities of individual Federal agencies.

(NOTE: These are only federal penalties and sanctions. Additional state and local penalties and sanctions may also apply.)

## ANTI-HARASSMENT POLICY

It continues to be the policy of ITT Technical Institute that sexual harassment of students or applicants for admission in any form is unacceptable conduct, which will not be tolerated. Sexual harassment includes unwelcome sexual flirtations, advances or propositions, requests for sexual favors, verbal abuse of a sexual nature, subtle pressure or request for sexual activities, unnecessary touching of an individual, graphic verbal commentaries about an individual's body, sexually degrading words used to describe an individual, a display in the school of sexually suggestive objects or pictures, sexually explicit or offensive jokes, physical assault and other verbal, visual or physical conduct of a sexual nature. No student, applicant, faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall threaten or insinuate, either explicitly or implicitly, that a student's or applicant's refusal to submit to sexual advances will adversely affect that person's application, enrollment, grades, studies or educational experience at ITT Technical Institute. Similarly, no faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall promise, imply, or grant any preferential treatment in connection with any student or applicant with the intent of rewarding for or engaging in sexual conduct.

Other types of harassment that will not be tolerated include any unwanted or unwelcome words, gestures or actions of a persistent or offensive nature involving any person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status. Harassment of this nature also includes any conduct, whether verbal, visual or physical, relating to or involving a person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status that is sufficiently pervasive or severe to: (i) unreasonably interfere with a student's education at the school or a student's admission to a program offered by the school; or (ii) create an intimidating, hostile or offensive learning environment for students.

Any student or applicant who feels that he or she is a victim of prohibited harassment (including, but not limited to, any of the conduct listed above) by any student, applicant, faculty member or other ITT Technical Institute employee, or visitor or invitee of the school in connection with the educational experience offered by ITT Technical Institute should, as described in the Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure section, bring the matter to the immediate attention of the school Director, at the telephone number specified in the school catalog. A student or applicant who is uncomfortable for any reason in bringing such a matter to the attention of the school Director, or who is not satisfied after bringing the matter to the attention of the school Director, should report the matter to the Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer, ITT Educational Services, Inc. ("ITT/ESI") at (800) 388-3368. Any questions about this policy or potential prohibited harassment should also be brought to the attention of the same persons.

ITT Technical Institute will promptly investigate all allegations of prohibited harassment in as confidential a manner as the school deems reasonably possible and take appropriate corrective action, if warranted.

## AVAILABILITY OF COURSE MATERIALS

Students enrolled on a resident campus will receive books for both online and on campus courses at the campus. Course materials for online courses offered through the Indianapolis online program will be mailed to the student prior to the start of the course. Materials for all courses the student is registered to take in the quarter will be mailed together prior to the start of that quarter. Online materials for online courses will not be made available more than ten (10) days prior to the start of the course.

## BIAS-RELATED CRIME PREVENTION INFORMATION (NEW YORK)

In compliance with Article 129-A of the New York State Education Law, information about bias-related crime prevention is printed below in order to assure that all students at ITT Technical Institute are aware of the laws, penalties and standards of conduct with respect to these crimes.

### **What is a Hate Crime?**

In enacting the Hate Crimes Act of 2000, the New York Legislature found that:

Criminal acts involving violence, intimidation and destruction of property based upon bias and prejudice have become more prevalent in New York state in recent years. The intolerable truth is that in these crimes, commonly and justly referred to as “hate crimes”, victims are intentionally selected, in whole or in part, because of their race, color, national origin, ancestry, gender, religion, religious practice, age, disability or sexual orientation.

A hate crime is committed when a person commits a specified offense *and intentionally selects the person against whom the crime is committed* in whole or in substantial part because of a belief or perception regarding the race, color, national origin, ancestry, gender, religion, religious practice, age, disability or sexual orientation of a person, regardless of whether the belief or perception is correct. A hate crime is also committed when a person commits a specified offense and *intentionally commits the act or acts constituting the offense* in whole or in substantial part because of such belief or perception.

For purposes of this definition, specified offenses include the following offenses, or any attempt or conspiracy to commit the following offenses:

- assault in the first, second or third degree;
- aggravated assault upon a person less than 11 years old;
- menacing in the first, second or third degree;
- reckless endangerment in the first or second degree;
- manslaughter in the first or second degree;
- murder in the second degree;
- stalking in the first, second, third or fourth degree;
- rape in the first degree;
- criminal sexual act in the first degree;
- sexual abuse in the first degree;
- aggravated sexual abuse in the first or second degree;
- unlawful imprisonment in the first or second degree;
- kidnapping in the first or second degree;
- coercion in the first or second degree;
- criminal trespass in the first, second or third degree;
- burglary in the first or second degree;
- criminal mischief in the first, second, third or fourth degree;

- arson in the first, second, third or fourth degree;
- petit larceny;
- grand larceny in the first, second, third or fourth degree;
- robbery in the first, second or third degree;
- harassment in the first degree; or
- aggravated harassment in the first or second degree.

### **Penalties for Hate Crimes**

The Hate Crimes Act generally provides that when a person commits a hate crime, the penalty to which he or she will be sentenced will generally be longer than if the person had committed the same specified offense without the hate crime.

### **Procedures**

Victims of hate crimes are encouraged to report the offense as soon as possible after the incident. The school Director can provide information regarding assistance, resources and options of action available to the victim. The information provided by the Director will include the availability of counseling and other support services in the community. Counseling services are not available at the school. In addition, victims of hate crimes are reminded of their right to report the matter directly to local law enforcement officials.

Reports received by the school of alleged hate crimes perpetrated by enrolled students or school employees will be forwarded to the school Director, who will refer the matter to local law enforcement officials. In addition to the criminal penalties described above under “Penalties for Hate Crimes”, the school may also impose sanctions against students or employees found guilty of hate crimes. For students, these sanctions may include, without limitation, suspension or termination from the school. For employees, these sanctions may include, without limitation, suspension or termination of employment.

ITT Technical Institute issues, on an annual basis, a ***Safety and Security Policies and Crime Statistics Report***, which discloses, among other things, information about the school’s safety and security policies and procedures.

### **BULLETIN BOARDS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Official notices from the faculty and administration are posted on bulletin boards. Students are expected to periodically review the official school notices posted on the bulletin boards, read the notices and comply with the notices. Notices of available jobs and housing are posted on the Career Services bulletin board. If you wish to post a notice of saleable items, please talk to an Associate Dean or Dean.

Official notices to online students from the administration are posted in the Announcements page of the ITT Technical Institute Online Programs Website <http://www.distance-education.itt-tech.edu/itt/clikslogin>. Students are required to periodically review the posted official notices, read the notice, and comply with the notices. Within each online course, faculty will use the Course Announcements area to post important information specific to their courses. Students are required to read and comply with notices posted by the faculty. See also Student Portal herein.

## CAMPUS SEX CRIMES PREVENTION ACT NOTICE

For information on the Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act Notice, see “Safety and Security Policies and Crime Statistics Reports” contained herein.

## CHILDREN

Children of students may not be brought into the school while the student is in class. The school is not responsible for the safety of children on school premises. Please contact your instructor should childcare responsibilities prevent you from attending class.

## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Information about Community Resources such as Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon, and other related groups is set forth below

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
Alcoholics Anonymous	<a href="http://www.aa.org">www.aa.org</a>	1 (800) 234-0246
Al-Anon	<a href="http://www.al-anon.org">www.al-anon.org</a>	1 (888) 425-2666
Cocaine Anonymous	<a href="http://www.ca.org">www.ca.org</a>	1 (800) 347-8998
Drug and Alcohol Abuse Hotline	<a href="http://www.nida.nih.gov">www.nida.nih.gov</a>	1 (800) 234-0420
Family and Children’s Services	<a href="http://www.acf.hhs.gov">www.acf.hhs.gov</a>	1 (800) 222-8000
HIV/AIDS	<a href="http://www.AIDS.gov">www.AIDS.gov</a>	See website
Men’s Health	<a href="http://www.health.nih.gov">www.health.nih.gov</a>	See website
Narcotics Anonymous	<a href="http://www.na.org">www.na.org</a>	See website
Obesity	<a href="http://www.obesity.org">www.obesity.org</a>	See website
Rape Crisis Center	<a href="http://www.therapeccrisiscenter.org">www.therapeccrisiscenter.org</a>	1 (888) 366-1640
Women’s Health	<a href="http://www.womenshealth.gov">www.womenshealth.gov</a>	1 (800) 994-9662

Please see the Dean for additional information concerning Community Resources that may be available to you.

## COMPLETION AND RETENTION RATES

ITT Technical Institute provides completion and retention rate information, categorized by gender, ethnicity and the percentage of students receiving federal grants and loans, in the “Completion and Retention Rate Disclosure” which can be found in the Appendix attached hereto.

## COMPUTER AND ELECTRONIC INFORMATION POLICY

### **Introduction**

ITT Technical Institute, in furtherance of its educational objectives, provides computing and network services, usually without charge as part of the tuition and fees, to its educational community. These services and the hardware associated with providing them are all considered part of the campus infrastructure and are the property of ITT Technical Institute. The following guidelines reflect ITT Technical Institute's policy for responsible use of these services and resources. This policy should be used in connection with ITT Technical Institute's other existing policies, including those regarding discrimination, harassment, and equal opportunity. Those policies can be found in the School Catalog and in this Student Handbook. The following policy statements do not constitute a contract and ITT Technical Institute reserves the right to change them at any time. Failure to abide by this policy may result in revocation of computing and network privileges and/or disciplinary action.

### **Authorized Use of ITT Technical Institute Resources**

- a) Use of ITT Technical Institute's computing and network systems is limited to authorized users (i.e., students admitted and attending classes, faculty and staff only).
- b) User network IDs, computer sign-ons and passwords are the property of ITT Technical Institute and should never be shared. A user must use only his or her own network ID, computer sign-on or password and should never provide his or her network ID, computer sign-on or password to any other user.
- c) ITT Technical Institute's resources or private computer hardware connected to ITT Technical Institute's computer systems must not be used to provide access to any ITT Technical Institute's network to anyone who is not an authorized user. No ITT Technical Institute resources may be used to route non-ITT Technical Institute network traffic through any ITT Technical Institute computer system without the prior written consent of ITT Technical Institute.
- d) All usage of ITT Technical Institute's computing resources, networks, and software is to be made for legitimate educational, research, or employment purposes related to ITT Technical Institute. Any commercial or other use of ITT Technical Institute's computing resources, networks, or software is strictly prohibited.
- e) If ITT Technical Institute receives any evidence of any violation of this policy, security breach or use of ITT/ESI resources for an illegal purpose (including the unauthorized use of copyrighted materials or licensed software), ITT Technical Institute may terminate the user's network access without consent or notice and impose other disciplinary action.

### **Electronic Mail**

- a) All electronic mail ("e-mail") accounts and the contents thereof are the property of ITT Technical Institute.
- b) ITT Technical Institute uses its e-mail system to communicate important information to students. Students should check their e-mail account frequently.
- c) E-mail messages should not be regarded as private, and ITT Technical Institute cannot guarantee the confidentiality of e-mail messages for many reasons, including the following: e-mail messages may



be saved indefinitely on the receiving computer, e-mail messages can be intentionally or accidentally forwarded to non-intended recipients, and e-mail messages may be improperly delivered by an e-mail system.

- d) ITT Technical Institute, although it does not regularly monitor e-mail communications, reserves the right to inspect, monitor, disclose or discontinue e-mail communications without consent or notice when consistent with and/or required by law; when there is evidence or reason to believe violations of law or ITT Technical Institute policy are taking or have taken place; or when computer maintenance or operational concerns require such action.
- e) ITT Technical Institute e-mail services may not be used for: unlawful activities; commercial purposes (whether or not under the auspices of ITT Technical Institute); personal financial gain; or any other use that violates any other ITT Technical Institute policy or guideline, including any policy regarding intellectual property or regarding sexual or other forms of harassment.
- f) Each user must properly identify himself or herself as the originator of all e-mail messages he or she sends and shall not employ any false identity on e-mail messages. Users shall also not give the impression that they are representing or otherwise making statements on behalf of ITT Technical Institute unless appropriately authorized to do so.
- g) Users shall not be permitted to send unsolicited "junk" e-mail or mass electronic mailings or chain letters without a legitimate ITT Technical Institute educational purpose.
- h) ITT Technical Institute e-mail systems are intended for purposes related to ITT Technical Institute's educational mission. Incidental personal uses of the e-mail system may be made, however, provided such use does not: (1) burden ITT Technical Institute with noticeable incremental cost; (2) violate any provision of this policy; or (3) otherwise interfere with the operation of ITT Technical Institute's computing and network services. Users should be aware that such personal communications are not private and are subject to the same conditions as all other e-mail, as described above.

## **Software Use**

ITT Technical Institute makes a variety of software programs and applications available to the authorized users of its computing systems. This software is generally licensed to ITT Technical Institute. Failure to adhere to the terms of such licenses can subject violators to legal action and can jeopardize ITT Technical Institute's ability to procure such software for its users. Users of ITT Technical Institute's computing systems must adhere to the following guidelines:

- a) Users should ensure they are covered by the appropriate site-license for each software program or application they use. To determine whether you are an authorized user, contact the Dean.
- b) Unauthorized copying of software is illegal and strictly prohibited, even when such software is not protected against copying. There is generally a no "fair use" provision for copying software. ITT Technical Institute's software licenses do not permit you to obtain a copy of any of its software programs for your use or installation on any computer.
- c) Software must not be removed or copied from any ITT Technical Institute hardware or system without prior written authorization from the Dean.
- d) Personal software must not be installed or downloaded from the internet onto any ITT Technical Institute hardware or system without written authorization from the Dean.

## **Internet Use and Creation of Web Pages**

All use and access of the Internet from ITT Technical Institute's computing systems is subject to the following guidelines:

- a) Access to pornographic, gambling, "hate speech", or similar web sites is strictly prohibited. Web sites accessed by ITT Technical Institute's computing systems users may be monitored.
- b) The Dean must authorize any web page created. Each such web page must include contact information, including an e-mail address, of the writer or publisher on each page.
- c) Creation of any web page must comply with copyright laws for all content, including photographs, illustrations, and other graphic images that were created by others. Downloading an image from any web site without permission usually violates copyright law. See also "Copyright Infringement is Prohibited" contained herein.
- d) Any personal, club or organization web page created must be clearly marked with a legend indicating that such page is personal in nature and does not represent the views or opinions of ITT Technical Institute.
- e) While ITT Technical Institute does not typically provide editorial review of web pages, ITT Technical Institute reserves the right to edit or terminate such pages at any time to comply with third party complaints, any applicable law or regulation, or computer and network management concerns.

## **Proper and Responsible Use of ITT Technical Institute Computing Systems**

- a) Users of ITT Technical Institute's computing systems must respect the privacy and rules governing all information accessible through the systems. For example, users must not intentionally seek information on, obtain copies of or modify files, tapes or passwords belonging to other users or ITT Technical Institute available on ITT Technical Institute's computing systems.
- b) Users of ITT Technical Institute's computing systems must respect the finite capacity of the computing systems. For example, users shall limit usage of the computing systems so as to not interfere with the usage of others and must not use the computing systems for profit-making or fund-raising activities without specific prior written authorization from the Dean to do so.
- c) Users of ITT Technical Institute's computing systems must respect the integrity of the computing systems. For example, users must not download, transmit, or install any virus, Trojan horse, worm, or other potentially destructive code on any ITT Technical Institute computing system.
- d) Users of ITT Technical Institute's computing systems must ensure that their usage of such systems complies with all applicable local, state and federal laws.

## COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT IS PROHIBITED

Copyright laws protect original works of authorship. The owner of a copyright has the exclusive right to the original work, including the right to copy the work, distribute the work, display or perform the work publicly, and create derivative works. A copyright interest attaches to an original work that is “fixed in any tangible medium of expression,” including traditional works like books, photographs, architectural drawings, music, drama and sculpture, as well as works affected by new technologies, like movies, electronic media, web pages, software, multimedia works and databases. The use of file-sharing networks to download and share copyrighted works without permission from the copyright owner – like software, music, movies, TV shows, games and images – violates copyright laws. Both the person who makes an illegal copy of a copyrighted work available and the person who receives or downloads an illegal copy have violated the copyright laws. In most instances, a student must obtain permission from the copyright owner in order to copy, distribute, display or perform a copyrighted work in any medium for any purpose.

Any copyright infringement, including, without limitation, distribution of copyrighted material through unauthorized peer-to-peer file sharing, in connection with a student’s enrollment in a program of study at the school or conducted by a student through the use of any of the school’s equipment or information systems is prohibited and violates both the Conduct section of the School Catalog and the law. Any student who engages in copyright infringement will be subject to discipline by the school, which may include, without limitation, the suspension or termination from one or more courses the student is taking or the student’s entire program of study at the school and the referral to the proper authorities. Copyright infringement may also subject the student to civil and criminal liabilities. A summary of the penalties for violating federal copyright laws include:

- unlimited actual damages proven for each act of copyright infringement;
- up to \$30,000 for each act of copyright infringement that is determined not to be willful;
- up to \$150,000 for each act of copyright infringement that is determined to be willful; and
- criminal penalties.

## CREDIT FOR PREVIOUS EDUCATION OR EXPERIENCE

A student may request credit for courses in the student’s program of study at the school based on the student’s previous postsecondary education or experience, by submitting a written request to the Registrar.

### **1. Previous Postsecondary Education**

Following the Registrar’s receipt of the student’s written request, the school may grant the student credit for course(s) in the student’s program of study based on the student’s previous postsecondary education at a different institution, if the student satisfies all of the following requirements:

- a) The student provides the school with an official transcript from each educational institution awarding any credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific course requirements of the student's program of study at the school. If the educational institution is located (i) in the U.S., it must be accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, or (ii) outside the U.S., it must be accredited or similarly acknowledged by an agency deemed acceptable to the school in its discretion.
- b) The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific core, technical basic and general studies course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to be equivalent to the subject matter of such core, technical basic and general studies course(s).
- c) The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific general education course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to be substantially similar to the subject matter of such general education course(s). In addition, any credit for courses that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy any Science course requirements in the Nursing associate's degree program must have been earned by the student within seven years of the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request.
- d) The subject matter of the course(s) represented by the credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy any elective course requirements of the student's program of study at the school is determined, in the school's discretion, to represent a level of rigor that is equal to or greater than the rigor of the school's lower division courses.
- e) The number of credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy the requirements of a specific course in the student's program of study at the school must equate, as determined by the school, to at least the same number of quarter credit hours of that course as specified in the Program Outline for the student's program of study at the school.
- f) The student completed each course represented by credits that the student desires to transfer to the school to satisfy specific course requirements of the student's program of study at the school with at least: (i) a passing grade in the student's program of study at the school, if the credits were earned at an ITT Technical Institute; (ii) a grade of "C" (i.e., 2.0 on a 4.0 scale), if the credits were earned at a postsecondary educational institution other than an ITT Technical Institute and the student's program of study at the school is not the associate degree program in Nursing; or (iii) a grade of "B" (i.e., 3.0 on a 4.0 scale), if the credits were earned at a postsecondary educational institution other than an ITT Technical Institute and the student's program of study at the school is the associate degree program in Nursing.
- g) Other institutions of higher education with which the school has established an articulation agreement include the other ITT Technical Institutes across the country and those institutions listed on the ITT Technical Institute website at [www.itt-tech.edu/articulation/](http://www.itt-tech.edu/articulation/). Many of the same and other limitations and conditions specified above with respect to credit granted by the school for a student's previous postsecondary education at a different institution will apply to credit granted by a different institution for a student's postsecondary education at the school. As a result, any student considering continuing his or her education at, or transferring to, any institution other than an ITT Technical Institute must not assume that any credits earned in any course taken at the school will be accepted by the receiving institution. The student must contact the registrar of the receiving institution to determine what credits earned at the school, if any, that institution will accept.

## **2. Previous Experience**

Upon the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request, a \$500 processing charge will be due and payable by the student to the school, unless the student's previous experience is based solely on military experience (e.g., a SMART transcript). Following the Registrar's receipt of the student's written request, the school: (a) will add the \$500 processing charge, as applicable, to the amount that is due and payable by the student to the school; and b) may grant the student credit for course(s) in the student's program of study based on the student's previous experience, if the student demonstrates, to the school's satisfaction, that he or she has sufficiently grasped the knowledge and skills offered by the specific course(s) contained in the student's program of study at the school that the student desires credit for previous experience. The student must demonstrate such knowledge and skills by completing a proficiency examination(s) and/or project(s) acceptable to the school for each such course and receiving a grade or score thereon as required by the school. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a student may not receive credit based on the student's previous experience with respect to any course(s) in the student's program of study at the school that the student previously attempted at the school or at any other ITT Technical Institute.

### **DISABLED APPLICANTS AND STUDENTS**

The school is committed to compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and its regulations. The school does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities. The school Director is designated the school's Student Disability Coordinator and coordinates Section 504 compliance. Applicants or students with a disability (whether physical or intellectual) may request an accommodation by contacting the school Director. The school's facilities are in compliance with federal, state and local laws and regulations, including those related to safety, health and disabilities. Additional information may be obtained from the Student Disability Coordinator.

#### **General Guidelines Regarding Disabilities and Accommodations**

The following are General Guidelines. They provide a general description addressing disabilities and accommodations for both applicants and students. These General Guidelines are a resource for students and provide general information about accommodating individuals with disabilities. For purposes of these Guidelines, the terms "student" or "students" collectively refer to both applicants and students.

Please carefully read these General Guidelines, as well as other specific guidelines that may apply. Additional information may be found in more specific guidelines available from the Student Disability Coordinator. Please address any questions or issues to the Student Disability Coordinator who is also the school Director.

Students with disabilities are encouraged to meet with the school's Student Disability Coordinator to learn about accommodation opportunities. The decision to use these services is voluntary and a matter of individual choice.

#### **A. The Student Disability Coordinator**

1. The school Director is also this school's Student Disability Coordinator.
2. For all questions, concerns, and issues regarding disability-related and accommodation-related issues please see the Student Disability Coordinator.

3. To provide appropriate accommodations to students with disabilities, the Student Disability Coordinator:
  - a. Serves as a resource to provide information regarding how to obtain accommodations;
  - b. Helps determine the accommodations to be provided to a student, taking into consideration the student's documentation, preferences, available resources, and course requirements; and
  - c. Keeps confidential information regarding a student's disability.

B. The Accommodation Procedure

1. A reasonable accommodation is a modification or adjustment to a program, service, or activity that provides a qualified student with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in the school's programs.
2. Reasonable accommodations are individualized and developed on a case-by-case basis. Identifying an appropriate accommodation requires an exchange of information as part of the interactive process.
3. Eligibility for reasonable accommodations is determined on an individual basis based on documented need.
4. A student's decision about whether to self-identify as a person with a disability is a personal one. Individuals with disabilities are welcome, if they choose, to discuss their concerns with the Student Disability Coordinator. The decision not to self-identify as disabled is understood and respected.
5. Self-disclosure and documentation are required only if a student requests an accommodation.
6. Self-disclosure and the submission of documentation to obtain a reasonable accommodation can be initiated at any time. However, reasonable time should be allowed before the student can expect accommodations to be in place.
7. Students should provide information and documentation at a reasonably early date to allow time for the development and arrangement of reasonable accommodations.
8. Upon admission, incoming students with disabilities are urged to contact the Student Disability Coordinator as soon as possible. Early identification of a student's disability status and accommodation requests can assist the school in arranging to reasonably accommodate that student on a timely basis. The more time the Student Disability Coordinator has to make these arrangements, the easier arranging accommodations can be. If a student has a concern regarding an accommodation, the student may use the Student Complaint/Grievance procedure described in the Appendix to the Student Handbook.
9. Students deemed eligible for and granted an accommodation will be given a Request for Accommodation letter. That letter is prepared by the Student Disability Coordinator and describes the appropriate accommodation. That letter is given to each instructor where an accommodation has been granted. If the student or instructor has additional questions, he/she must contact the Student Disability Coordinator for clarification and/or assistance. A student may

not require an accommodation in every course.

10. It is each student's responsibility to make use of these accommodations. Each student is ultimately responsible for his or her academic success. Each student must take the initiative to use time, facilities, and support services in a productive manner. Each student is responsible for his or her own work and grade in each course.
11. Accommodations cannot be retroactive. Accommodations begin only after appropriate documentation is received and a reasonable time for the development of a reasonable accommodation has been allowed.
12. Accommodations can be made only to known limitations of otherwise qualified students with disabilities.

C. Temporary Disability

1. Students with temporary disabilities are encouraged to contact the Student Disability Coordinator to find out what services are available to them. Examples of temporary disabilities include, for example, a broken arm/leg or a short-term illness or an injury.

D. Additional Sources of Information

1. In addition to these General Guidelines Regarding Disability and Accommodations, additional information can be obtained by contacting the Student Disability Coordinator.

DRESS CODE

While on school property, students must accept individual responsibility for appropriate dress. Certain items of dress are not acceptable due to safety reasons, such as shower clogs, flip-flops, etc. Some programs within the school will require more stringent dress codes for safety and professional reasons.

Students are expected to wear clothing that adequately covers the person and to wear shoes on the school premises. Clothing must not contain printed matter that may be considered vulgar or offensive. More formal attire, as announced, may be required for special events or occasions. Students will maintain their own personal hygiene so as not to be offensive to fellow students and staff.

Each faculty member may set stricter dress and cleanliness requirements related to specific safety and hygiene factors for the particular class and laboratory setting. (Such requirements will be either posted in each classroom and laboratory, or included in the course syllabus given to each student at the beginning of the course.)

Cellular telephones and pagers should be set so they do not interrupt or disrupt regular classroom activities. Students whose telephones or pagers disrupt class may be asked to leave and may be marked absent. Repeated violations may lead to disciplinary action. See also "Telephones" contained herein.

Students violating the dress code will be asked to leave school until they are properly dressed and may be counted absent for the time they are not in class.

## EMERGENCIES-PERSONAL

The school and administration should be notified immediately of any illness, accident, or hospitalization affecting any student.

Student messages or telephone calls of an emergency nature received at the school will normally be delivered to the student during class breaks. In such cases, the caller should give the school the student's class schedule so he/she can be more readily located.

The school will not accept student telephone calls, messages and letters of a personal nature. Telephone calls, messages, etc., of a personal nature must be directed to the student's home or cell phone. Office phones are not to be used for personal calls.

Emergency doors are to be used only for emergencies.

## FACULTY WORK AREAS

Students are not permitted in the faculty office area or staff lounge unless an instructor escorts them.

## FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT ANNUAL NOTIFICATION

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") affords students certain rights with respect to their education records. These rights include:

- 1. The right to inspect and review the student's education records within 45 days of the day the school receives a written request for access.**

Students should submit to the school Director a written request that identifies the record(s) the student wishes to inspect. A school official will make arrangements for access and notify the student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.

- 2. The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the student believes are inaccurate, misleading or otherwise in violation of the student's privacy rights under FERPA.**

A student may request the school to amend an education record the student believes is inaccurate or misleading. The student must write to the school Director, clearly identify the part of the education record the student wants changed and specify why the education record is inaccurate, misleading or otherwise in violation of the student's privacy rights under FERPA.

If the school decides not to amend the education record as requested by the student, the school will notify the student of the decision and advise the student of his or her right to a hearing regarding the student's request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the student when the student is notified by the school of his or her right to a hearing.

- 3. The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without the student's consent.**

One exception permits the school to disclose personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records without the student's consent to school officials with legitimate



educational interests. A school official is: a person employed by the school in an administrative supervisory, academic or research, or support staff position; a person or company with whom the school has contracted; a person serving on an advisory board; or a student assisting a school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her responsibility. Upon request, the school discloses education records without student consent to officials of other schools at which the student seeks or intends to enroll or where the student is already enrolled, so long as the disclosure is for purposes related to the student's enrollment or transfer.

**4. The right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the school to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the Office that administers FERPA is:**

Family Policy Compliance Office, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20202-4605

Directory information (as defined below) in a student's education records may be unconditionally released by the school without the student's consent, unless the student specifically requests in writing that such information may not be released. The school requires that any such request by the student must (i) specify what categories of Directory Information are to be withheld and (ii) be delivered to the school Director within 15 days after the student starts class. Any such request must be renewed annually by the student. Directory Information means information contained in a student's education record which would generally not be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed. Directory Information includes, but is not limited to, the student's: name; address(es); telephone number(s); electronic mail address(es); photograph; grade level; enrollment status (e.g., full-time or part-time); date and place of birth; program of study; extracurricular activities; credentials, awards and recognition (i.e., honors) received; last school attended; dates of attendance; (i.e., enrollment periods(s), not daily attendance record); and student or user ID number (other than a social security number), but only if the identifier cannot be used to gain access to education records except when used in conjunction with one or more factors that authenticate the user's identity which are known or possessed only by the authorized user.

The school has adopted a detailed Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act Policy (AA 9.0), which is available to the student upon request. See also the School Catalog for additional information about FERPA.

## **FIRE AND EMERGENCY**

### **Fire and Emergency Drills**

Periodically, fire and other emergency drills (earthquake, hurricane, etc.) will be conducted at the school in order to familiarize on campus students with fire and emergency procedures. Students are expected to recognize the need for fire and emergency drills and cooperate fully. If you discover a fire or fire hazard, notify an instructor or staff member immediately. Fire alarm stations are located throughout the building and will be activated in the event of a fire. All exits are marked and students are expected to leave the building in a prompt and orderly fashion using these exits. Check the posted exit guide in your classroom or lab. Class will resume following the all-clear signal.

## **Fire and Emergency Response and Evacuation Procedures**

As part of ITT Technical Institute's Fire and Emergency Response and Evacuation Procedures, the school will attempt to immediately contact students and employees via email, phone and other means reasonably designed to inform students about any immediate threat to the health or safety of students or employees occurring on the campus.

In case of fire and/or other emergency, students must follow the directions of school officials. All rooms have exit routes designated on the maps posted in each classroom, office, and restroom. Students must follow directions as given to them by a school-designated official.

## **NON-DISCRIMINATION AND DIVERSITY**

The school is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination and equal opportunity for all persons regardless of race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender, genetic information or any other protected status, in employment, educational programs and activities, and admissions. The school also encourages cultural and ethnic diversity in its faculty, staff, and student body.

In accordance with the requirements of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and their regulations, the school does not discriminate on the basis of sex in the educational programs and activities which it operates, including employment and admissions. The school Director is designated the school's Title IX Coordinator to coordinate Title IX compliance.

## **ONLINE ASSIGNMENT SUBMISSION**

It is important that all assigned activities be submitted by the due date in all courses. Consequently, activities submitted after the due date will not receive full credit in the determination of the student's grade.

For courses scheduled to meet throughout the quarter, activities submitted within one week after the due date will receive a 10% penalty. This means the score entered for the activity will be reduced by 10% when entered into the faculty member's gradebook. A paper submitted up to one week after the scheduled due date that would have otherwise earned a 100% will receive a score of 90%. For courses scheduled to meet only the first half or the second half of the quarter, activities submitted up to three days after the due date should receive a 10% penalty.

For courses scheduled to meet throughout the quarter, activities submitted eight to 14 days late will receive a 20% penalty. A quiz that would have otherwise earned a 75% had it been on time will receive a score of 55%. For courses scheduled to meet only the first half or the second half of the quarter, activities submitted four to seven days after the due date shall receive a 20% penalty.

Any required activities submitted more than 14 days after the due date for courses scheduled throughout the quarter or more than seven days after the due date for courses scheduled to meet only part of the quarter may receive a maximum score of 50%. Faculty members are not required to accept activities submitted more than 14 days after the due date in quarter long courses or more than seven days after the due date for courses schedule to meet only part of a quarter.

Please note that no late work will be accepted after the last day of the 11<sup>th</sup> week for full quarter classes and the last day of the sixth week of classes for courses meeting only part of the quarter.

Each faculty member teaching an online course reserves the right to waive the penalty if the student has extenuating circumstances, approved in advance by the faculty member, that have led to the submission of

required graded activities after the due date.

## ORIENTATION AND ONLINE STUDENT PREPARATION

Campus Locations: All students are encouraged to participate in the school's Orientation Program.

Online Student Preparation: Students entering online courses with ITT Technical Institute for the first time are automatically enrolled in, and are encouraged to complete, the online "Online Student Preparation" program prior to or in conjunction with the first online course of their program. Other students may contact their Program Chair to request access to the "Online Student Preparation" program.

## PARKING

There are designated parking spaces for both the school staff and student body. Please use only one space per vehicle. Parking is not allowed in the driveways.

In order to prevent personal injury and property damage, the speed limit in the parking lot and driveways is 5 MPH. Excessive speed and squealing of tires will result in disciplinary action.

Parking spaces for the disabled are marked and any vehicles parked in these spaces without the appropriate disabled designation will be towed at the owner's expense. Visitor parking is permitted in the parking spaces designated for visitors. Students must not park in the visitors parking area. Unauthorized parking may result in the vehicle being towed at the owner's expense and suspension of the individual's on-campus parking privileges.

Parking areas must be kept free of trash. Student assistance and cooperation in this regard is both expected and appreciated.

## PERSONAL PROPERTY

The school expressly disclaims all liability and responsibility of every kind and nature whatsoever for any loss, theft, damage, destruction, or other casualty to any personal property of any kind owned by any student, visitor, or other. Students are advised and warned they must personally take full and complete responsibility for safekeeping of all their property on school premises and during any school activities.

The Academic Affairs Department maintains a lost and found. The school will dispose of any items left in the lost and found over 30 days.

## RAPE, ACQUAINTANCE RAPE AND OTHER FORCIBLE AND NON-FORCIBLE SEX OFFENSE PREVENTION

ITT Technical Institute is committed to maintaining an environment supportive of its primary educational missions and free of exploitation and intimidation. It will not tolerate sexual assault or other forms of non-consensual sexual activity. This policy is applicable to students, faculty, and staff. The school enforces this policy through internal disciplinary and grievance procedures and encouragement of external prosecution through the appropriate local law enforcement officials.

Sex offenses covered under this policy include any sexual act directed against another person forcibly or against that person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent due to his/her youth or temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.

Victims of sex offenses are encouraged to report the offense as soon as possible after the incident. The school Director can provide information regarding assistance, resources, and options for action available to the victim. In addition, victims of sex offenses are reminded of their right to report the matter directly to local law enforcement officials.

Complaints against enrolled students or school employees will be forwarded to the school Director for resolution. Sanctions may be imposed against students or employees found guilty of sex offenses defined under the policy are varied and include, without limitation, suspension, or termination from the school for students, suspension, or termination of employment for employees and referral of the matter to local law enforcement officials.

### **The Realities of Rape**

In 2014 the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics report on "Rape and Sexual Assault Among College-Age Females" indicated that:

(<http://www.bjs.gov/content/pub/pdf/rsavcaf9513.pdf>)

- 80% of rape and sexual assault victims know their offender
- 1 in 10 sexual assaults victimizations the offender had a weapon
- 51% of student rape and sexual assault victimizations occurred while the victim was pursuing leisure activities
- The rate of rape and sexual assault was 1.2 times higher for nonstudent than for student

A 2013 National Crime Victimization survey indicated that:

(<http://www.bjs.gov/content/pub/pdf/cv13.pdf>)

- In 2013 300,170 reports of rape/sexual assaults were reported
- In 2013, 0.4% of all persons age 12 or older experienced serious violence
- In 2013 35% of sexual assault victimizations were reported to the police

### **What is Date Rape?**

**Date rape**, also known as **acquaintance rape**, is sexual assault- the unlawful, possibly violent sexual behavior that includes unwanted touching of another person's vagina, penis or buttocks, or forced penetration of a genital or anal opening with an object.

**Date rape is forced sex**, even if the attacker knows the victim and even if the attacker and the victim have had sex before. The force can be verbal or physical. Some acquaintance rapists use emotional coercion as well as physical force. Forcing someone to have sex against his/her will, even if the attacker knows the person, is still rape and it is still a crime.

Victims can be male, female, gay, straight, or bisexual. Regardless of poor communication, mixed signals or body language that contradicts the spoken word, forced sexual conduct or intercourse with a nonconsenting acquaintance is **date rape**, and it is a crime.

### **Why Does it Happen?**

Let's look at sexual stereotyping and how males and females talk to each other.

- Although things are changing, society still frequently encourages men to be competitive and aggressive and teaches women to be passive and avoid confrontation.
- Men say they misunderstand a woman's words and actions—the excuse, “She said no, but meant yes.”
- Some people—men and women alike—still believe that it's okay for a man to demand sex if he takes a woman out or buys her gifts, and that it's not rape if he forces sex on a woman who previously had sex with him or other men.
- Women also feel that if they've previously had sex with a boyfriend who later forces them to have sex against their will, it may not be considered rape.

### **Preventing Date Rape**

#### **As a woman, you can**

- be clear with men in your life about what, if any, sexual behavior you are comfortable with and keep talking as you get deeper into a relationship.
- not use alcohol or other drugs—they decrease your ability to take care of yourself and make sensible decisions.
- trust your gut feelings. If a place or the way your date acts makes you nervous or uneasy, leave. Always take enough money for a phone call for help.
- check out a first date or blind date with friends. Meet in and go to public places. Take public transportation or drive your own car.
- leave social events with friends not with someone you just met or don't know well.
- always watch your drink and never leave it unattended. Don't accept beverages from someone you don't know and trust.

#### **As a man, you can**

- realize that forcing a woman to have sex against her will is rape, a violent crime with serious consequences.

- accept a woman's decision when she says "no." Don't see it as a challenge.
- ask yourself how sexual stereotypes affect your attitudes and actions toward women.
- not use alcohol and other drugs—it clouds your judgment and understanding of what another person wants.
- get help if you see men involved in a gang rape.
- understand that if a woman is drunk and you have sex with her against her will, it's still rape.
- seek counseling or a support group to help you if you feel violent or aggressive toward women.

### **If Date Rape Happens To You**

- Remember that rape is rape. You are not to blame. Know that action against the rapist can prevent others from becoming victims.
- Get help immediately. Phone the police, a friend, a rape crisis center, a relative. Don't isolate yourself, don't feel guilty or ashamed, and don't try to ignore it. It is a crime that should be reported.
- Get medical attention as soon as possible. Do not shower, wash, douche, or change your clothes. Valuable evidence could be destroyed.
- Get counseling to help you through the recovery process. Rape is a traumatic experience and trained counselors can make recovery easier and quicker.
- If you think you've been sexually assaulted under the influence of a date rape drug, get medical help immediately. Try not to urinate before providing any urine samples. If possible, collect any containers from which you drank.

Source: National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC): Date Rape at [www.ncpc.org](http://www.ncpc.org).

### **SAFETY AND SECURITY POLICIES AND CRIME STATISTICS REPORT**

The ITT Technical Institute issues, on an annual basis, a Safety and Security Policies and Crime Statistics Report. The information contained in the Report is distributed pursuant to 20 U.S.C. §1092 and 34 C.F.R. §668.41(e).

The Report discloses information about the school's safety and security policies and procedures, and statistics concerning the number of particular crimes reported to the school and local law enforcement agencies as occurring on the school's premises or public property adjacent to the school. The Report serves to inform the school's students, prospective students, employees, and prospective employees of the existence and enforcement of the school's safety and security policies.

The most recent Report is posted at [http://info.itt-tech.edu/campus\\_safety/Pages/default.aspx](http://info.itt-tech.edu/campus_safety/Pages/default.aspx).

If you do not have access to the Internet, please contact the school Registrar for a printed version of the Report.

## SAFETY TIPS

Students can do several things to protect themselves from crime. Many crimes occur only because there is an opportunity for them to happen. For example, most crimes of burglary and theft are random, not calculated. They occur because a window is rolled down, valuables are left in plain sight or a vehicle is left unlocked. The following are some safety tips:

- Walk in well-lit areas;
- Arrange to walk in groups with at least one companion, especially at night;
- Do not carry large sums of cash;
- Avoid less-frequented places when alone, especially at night;
- Be aware how you carry your valuables and don't leave them unattended;
- If a driver stops to ask for directions, do not get too close to the car and risk being pulled in;
- Do not ignore your intuition; if you suspect you are being followed, change direction or go to a public area or group of people; and
- If you are being followed while driving, drive to the nearest police station, fire station or a well-lit, open business where you can safely call the police. Try to get the car's license number and description. If no safe areas are near, honk the horn repeatedly and turn on your emergency flashers.

## SCHOOL CLOSING DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER

The school will issue announcements to local radio and television stations when classes are canceled and the school closes due to inclement weather. The call letters of such stations will be posted on the student bulletin board. It is the student's responsibility to utilize these sources to ascertain any school closing. If in doubt, call the school. Should the school reschedule a canceled class meeting, all students are expected to attend the rescheduled meeting and are responsible for material covered during the rescheduled meeting. Students unable to attend the rescheduled class meeting must arrange to make up the assigned work with the instructor prior to the rescheduled class meeting.

## SEXUAL ASSAULT, SEXUAL HARASSMENT AND OTHER PROHIBITED HARASSMENT (CALIFORNIA)

It continues to be the policy of ITT Technical Institute that sexual assault or harassment of students or applicants for admission in any form is unacceptable conduct which will not be tolerated. Sexual assault is defined in California Education Code Section 94385 to include without limitation, rape, forced sodomy, forced oral copulation, rape by a foreign object, sexual battery or threat of sexual assault. Sexual harassment includes unwelcome sexual flirtations, advances or propositions, requests for sexual favors, verbal abuse of a sexual nature, subtle pressure or request for sexual activities, unnecessary touching of an individual, graphic verbal commentaries about an individual's body, sexually degrading words used to describe an individual, a display in the school of sexually suggestive objects or pictures, sexually explicit or offensive jokes, physical assault and other verbal, visual or physical conduct of a sexual nature. No student, applicant, faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall: (a) sexually assault or harass any student or applicant; or (b) threaten or insinuate, either explicitly or implicitly, that a student's or applicant's refusal to submit to sexual advances will adversely affect that person's admission, enrollment, grades, studies or educational experience at ITT Technical Institute. Similarly, no faculty member or other employee of ITT Technical Institute shall promise, imply or grant any preferential treatment in connection with any student or applicant with the intent of rewarding for or engaging in sexual conduct.

Other types of harassment that will not be tolerated include any unwanted or unwelcome words, gestures or actions of a persistent or offensive nature involving any person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status. Harassment of this nature also includes any conduct, whether verbal, visual or physical, relating to or involving a person's race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status that is sufficiently pervasive or severe to: (I) unreasonably interfere with a student's education at the school or a student's admission to a program offered by the school; or (II) create an intimidating, hostile or offensive learning environment for students.

Any student or applicant who feels that he or she is a victim of sexual assault, sexual harassment or other prohibited harassment (including, but not limited to, any of the conduct listed above) by any student, applicant, faculty member or other ITT Technical Institute employee, or visitor or invitee of the school in connection with the educational experience offered by ITT Technical Institute should, as described in the Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure section, bring the matter to the immediate attention of the school Director, at the school in which the student is enrolled at the telephone number specified in this catalog. A student or applicant who is uncomfortable for any reason in bringing such a matter to the attention of the school Director, or who is not satisfied after bringing the matter to the attention of the school Director, should report the matter to the Senior Vice President, Chief Compliance Officer, ITT/ESI, telephone (800) 388-3368. Any questions about this policy or potential sexual assault, sexual harassment or other prohibited harassment should also be brought to the attention of the same persons.

The school encourages students and ITT Technical Institute employees to promptly and accurately report all sexual assaults occurring at any of the school's facilities to the appropriate police agencies. Upon the request of a sexual assault complainant, the school will: (a) transport the complainant to the hospital or contact emergency personnel on behalf of the complainant; (b) refer the complainant to a counseling center or an agency that can make such referral; and (c) notify the police on behalf of the complainant.

ITT Technical Institute will promptly investigate all allegations of sexual assault, sexual harassment or other prohibited harassment in as confidential a manner as the school deems reasonably possible and take appropriate corrective action, if warranted. The school will inform the complainant of the results of the school's investigation. Sexual assault complainants may, in their discretion, pursue their own remedies against the alleged perpetrator, whether civilly and/or criminally. The school will assist any student with



academic difficulties arising as a direct result of a sexual assault on the student by any ITT Technical Institute student or employee occurring at any of the school's facilities.

### SOLICITING

In the interest of all students, faculty and staff, no outside solicitation whatsoever is permitted in the classroom or laboratory, regardless of the reason, without the express consent of the school Director.

### STUDENT ACTIVITIES

The school encourages student activities that develop individual initiative, group leadership, and cooperation. It is a goal of the school to provide students with the opportunity to participate in activities that relate to vocational objectives, satisfy social needs, provide recreational opportunities, and encourage cultural enrichment. School-related student activities must be sanctioned and supervised by the school. Students should contact the Dean regarding activities in which they would like to participate.

### STUDENT BODY DIVERSITY

ITT Technical Institute provides information about Student Body Diversity in the "Disclosure - Student Body Diversity" which can be found in the Appendix attached hereto.

### STUDENT COMPLAINT/GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

Please see the Student Handbook Appendix for information on the school's Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure, and the Enrollment Agreement for information on the Resolution of Disputes procedure, with respect to any complaint or dispute that may arise between a student and the school. The Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure and Resolution of Disputes procedure are also published in the School Catalog, which is posted electronically on the portal at <http://www.itt-tech.edu>, and is also available from your school Director.

### STUDENT ENTRY

Students must only enter and exit the school through the designated student entry doors. The lobby entrance is only for the use of guests and visitors.

### STUDENT LOUNGE/BREAK AREA

The student lounge/break area is provided for the students' convenience and enjoyment before and after class and during break periods. It is the student's responsibility to keep this area as neat as possible. Please use the trash receptacles to dispose of candy wrappers, drink containers and other refuse. If smoking is permitted in an outside break area, please use the ashtrays to dispose of cigarettes.

Your help in keeping the school neat and clean is expected and appreciated.

## STUDENT PORTAL

The Student Portal provides important information about the school and can be accessed at <http://studentportal.itt-tech.edu>.

## TELEPHONES

Student messages or telephone calls of an emergency nature received at the school will normally be delivered to the student during class breaks. In such cases, the caller should give the school the student's class schedule so he/she can be more readily located.

The school will not accept student telephone calls, messages and letters of a personal nature. Telephone calls, messages, etc. of a personal nature must be directed to the student's home or cell phone. Office phones are not to be used for personal calls.

Cellular phones should not be used during a class meeting as the call may disturb other members of the class. Cellular telephones and pagers should be set so they do not interrupt or disrupt regular classroom activities. Students whose telephones or pagers disrupt class may be asked to leave and may be marked absent. Repeated violations may lead to disciplinary action.

Office phones are for school use only and may not be used by students without the expressed permission of a staff member.

## VACCINATION POLICY

The school recommends that, within the 12 months immediately preceding the start of the student's program of study at the school, the student receive the following vaccinations or immunizations:

- tetanus-diphtheria;
- polio series;
- mumps;
- rubella;
- chickenpox;
- two rubeola;
- varicella;
- hepatitis-A; and
- hepatitis-B.

Certain clinical or practicum experiences that may be part of the student's program of study at the school may require these and/or other vaccinations or immunizations.

Certain states require that students receive specific vaccinations. Any requirements in this regard are detailed in your School Catalog.

## VIRTUAL LIBRARY

ITT Technical Institute students have access to the ITT Technical Institute Virtual Library. Students may access the Virtual Library at: <http://library.itt-tech.edu>. Please see the Virtual Library Users Guide for complete information. Students or staff may direct any questions on the Virtual Library to the Corporate Librarian at (317) 875-8748.

## VISITORS AND GUESTS

Students must notify the Dean prior to bringing any visitors or guests into the school. All visitors and guests must enter the building through the lobby entrance and are required to sign the guest book. No visitors or guests may tour the facility without being accompanied by a school employee. No visitors or guests may attend a student's class without the prior permission of the instructor and the Dean or the School or Program Chair.

## VOTER REGISTRATION

The school encourages eligible students to register and vote. Every September, the school will electronically transmit a message containing a voter registration form acceptable for use in the state in which the institution is located, or an Internet message where such a form can be downloaded. Students are encouraged to check their student e-mail for this message. Also, please see the Dean for information on voter registration.

## WEAPONS

The possession or use of firearms, knives (except non-spring pocket knives with blades less than four inches), other weapons, explosives or fireworks of any kind are prohibited on school property and during any school activity, except for law enforcement officers who are required to carry a firearm at all times. Any law enforcement officer who is required to carry a firearm on school premises or during any school activity must notify the school in writing of that requirement and provide a copy of the applicable directive that requires the officer to carry a firearm while on school premises and during school activities.

The school reserves the right to inspect any and all items brought onto the school premises, including any building or parking lot. Except for law-enforcement officers as specified above, possession or use of a firearm, knife (except a non-spring pocket knife with a blade less than four inches), other weapon, explosive or firework on school premises or during any school activity will result in the student's immediate termination from the school.

## **EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE**

### ABSENCES

In the event of an absence, a student should make every effort to contact his or her instructor. The instructor can provide the student with class assignments and/or inform the student of all the necessary make-up work and time necessary to help the student keep up with his or her courses. Students may also use e-mail to communicate with instructors. Students are encouraged to see their instructor for specific information on make-up work policies.

### ASSIGNMENTS

All classroom and laboratory assignments are required to be completed by the student. Any missed assignments, due to absenteeism or otherwise, are required to be made up by the student in accordance with the make-up policy specified in the school Catalog.

## EXAMS

Exams must be taken in compliance with school policy.

## EXAM MAKE-UP

Students are required to take exams at the regularly scheduled times unless circumstances beyond the student's control prevent it. These circumstances include documented illness, documented business travel or an online student's technological failure. Students are required to reschedule the missed exam as soon as possible. To reschedule an exam, a student must send a written request to his or her instructor. Online students must submit the request through the course management system. Notwithstanding anything above, the decision to allow a student to make up an exam is at the sole discretion of the school and is final and binding on the student.

## EXTRA HELP FOR ACADEMICS

Students may receive extra help by making a request to their instructor and/or the School or Program Chair. Extra help sessions will be arranged outside the normal classroom instruction hours to assist the student.

Academic assistance includes, but is not limited to, tutoring and group seminars. Specific course tutoring is provided by the staff, peers and through open lab sessions.

Many of these services are provided on a regularly scheduled basis, while others are by appointment only. Students are encouraged to inquire of their instructor or School or Program Chair. Students may be required to accept special help or attend scheduled assistance sessions as a condition of their continuation in the program.

## EXTRA HELP FOR LABORATORY WORK

Students needing additional lab work time to complete assigned lab projects may do so by permission of their instructor or School or Program Chair. Extra help lab sessions are made available outside the normal lab instruction hours.

## LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER

The school maintains a Learning Resource Center ("LRC") that includes access to the ITT Technical Institute Virtual Library. The LRC contains reference and reading materials related to the school's academic programs. Hours of operation and available services are posted in the LRC. Students needing access to the LRC during non-scheduled hours should see a School or Program Chair or the Dean. A student is responsible to the school for the replacement cost of any lost or damaged materials the student removes from the LRC. A student's degree or diploma will be withheld by the school until all LRC materials the student removes from the LRC are returned to the school in good condition or the student pays the school the replacement cost of those LRC materials.

## SCHEDULE CHANGES AND WITHDRAWALS

Any student desiring to change his or her program of study or class schedule must first obtain permission from the Dean. Such permission is at the discretion of the school. Students who wish to withdraw from a program of study or a course should notify the Dean or School or Program Chair in advance of withdrawal. Students must also contact the school's Director of Finance in the event of any change in student status.

## **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

### **BOOKSTORE**

The textbooks, tools and supplies required for the program of study are to be furnished to the student or made available for sale the week prior to the upcoming term or on the first day of that term's classes. Students are not obligated to buy any of the required books, tools, or supplies for their program of study from the school, but students are required to possess the requisite books, tools and supplies, whether purchased from the school or elsewhere.

### **CHECK CASHING POLICY**

The cashier's office will not cash any checks and will only accept those checks made out to the school for educational costs.

### **ENTRANCE AND EXIT COUNSELING**

Students are provided individual entrance and exit counseling with respect to financial aid received under the federal student financial aid programs. Information on topics, such as loan options, financial planning, repayment obligations, and deferment/forbearance options, are provided to each student upon entering and leaving school.

### **FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE**

School financial aid services are generally available during normal business hours. If a student needs to meet with a financial aid professional during a particular evening and he/she is unavailable, contact the Director of Finance to make other arrangements. See the Director of Finance for additional information.

### **SMARTFORMS**

ITT Technical Institute offers students the use of a web-based program to aid them in completing their financial aid forms such as the FAFSA and Stafford Loan forms. This convenient application enables cosigners and/or parents, who would otherwise be unavailable, to participate in required portions of the financial aid process.

### **SUSPENSION AND REINSTATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY FOR FEDERAL STUDENT FINANCIAL AID AS A RESULT OF DRUG-RELATED OFFENSES**

#### **Suspension of Eligibility for Federal Student Financial Aid as a Result of Drug-Related Offenses**

A student who has been convicted of any offense under any federal or state law involving the possession or sale of a controlled substance shall not be eligible to receive any grant, loan or work assistance under the federal student financial aid programs during the period beginning on the date of such conviction and ending after the interval specified in the following table:

**If convicted of an offense involving:**

**The possession of a controlled substance:**

First offense  
Second offense  
Third offense

**Ineligibility period is:**

1 year  
2 years  
Indefinite

**The sale of a controlled substance:**

First offense  
Second offense

**Ineligibility period is:**

2 years  
Indefinite

**Reinstatement of Eligibility for Federal Student Financial Aid as a result of Drug-Related Offenses**

In the event you are notified that your eligibility for federal student financial aid has been suspended as a result of a conviction of an offense under a federal or state law involving the possession or sale of a controlled substance, you may regain your eligibility before the end of the ineligibility period if:

- (a) you satisfactorily complete a drug rehabilitation program that:
  - (i) complies with such criteria prescribed in the U.S. Department of Education's regulations; and
  - (ii) includes two unannounced drug tests;
- (b) you successfully pass two unannounced drug tests conducted by a drug rehabilitation program that complies with such criteria prescribed in the U.S. Department of Education's regulations; or
- (c) the conviction is reversed, set aside or otherwise rendered nugatory.

The term "controlled substance" has the meaning given the term in section 102(6) of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 802(6)).

**TUITION PAYMENT**

Acceptable means of payment are: cash, personal check made out for the exact amount, money order made out for the exact amount and credit card (if accepted).

**CAREER SERVICES ASSISTANCE**

Today's professional must be well prepared. In order to help students be knowledgeable and marketable as they enter the workforce, ITT Technical Institute provides Career Services designed to help students pursue their career goals.

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Through a series of workshops, seminars, panels and other events Career Services provides information on career development components, such as resume writing, interviewing, professional dress, networking, occupational and industry knowledge, evaluating job offers and salary negotiations. Additionally, Career Services and faculty provide instruction on career search development through the Professional Procedures and Portfolio Development course material.

## INDIVIDUAL CAREER SEARCH ADVISING

Students and graduates are encouraged to regularly meet with Career Services staff to receive personalized coaching and advice regarding their career search, and interview preparation.

## PRE-GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

The Career Services staff assists students in identifying employment opportunities involving their fields of study while they pursue their programs.

## EMPLOYER INTERVIEWS AND HIRING EVENTS

Employer interviews and hiring events may be held at the campus or at other locations to offer students and graduates opportunities to meet with potential employers.

## CONNECTING WITH EMPLOYERS

Students may connect with employers during their education through avenues such as:

- Panels, workshops and other professional development events conducted by employers;
- Classroom speakers;
- On/off campus interview sessions;
- Field trips;
- Informational Interviews; and
- Company Information Sessions.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

ITT Technical Institute is a strong proponent of continuing education for graduates. Career Services staff will assist graduating students in exploring continuing education opportunities at ITT Technical Institute.

**Note:** The school's career services as specified above, are available to students and interested graduates, but the school does not make any promise or representation whatsoever to any student or graduate: (1) that the student or graduate will obtain any employment, whether full-time, part-time, upon graduation, during school, related to his or her education or otherwise; or (2) regarding any career opportunity, position, salary level and/or job title in any employment that the student or graduate may obtain, whether during school or upon graduation. No employment information or career service provided by the school to any student or graduate will be considered by the student or graduate, either expressly or impliedly, as any: (a) guarantee or promise of employment; (b) likelihood of employment; (c) indication of the level of employment or compensation any student or graduate may expect; or (d) indication of the types or job titles of positions for which students or graduates may qualify. Students and graduates are encouraged to not place restrictions on their job search endeavors regarding location, starting salary or specific benefits, as doing so may similarly restrict employment options and opportunities. Any employment that a student or graduate may obtain with the help

of the school's career services will, in all probability and likelihood, be at an entry-level position.

### TYPES OF EMPLOYMENT OBTAINED BY GRADUATES

ITT Technical Institute, through its Career Services Department, maintains and can provide information to students and prospective students concerning the types of employment obtained by graduates of its degree programs. Depending on the program of study, ITT Technical Institute graduates have obtained employment in the types of careers listed below. Further, where there have not been graduates of a program of study, future graduates could potentially obtain this type of employment, although we do not represent or guarantee that a graduate will obtain employment or employment in any particular type of position of any program. Note: All programs listed below may not be available at all ITT Technical Institutes.

#### **School of Business**

Accounting (Associate's Degree): Accounting Associate; Accounting Clerk; Accounts Payable Clerk; Accounts Receivable Clerk; Bookkeeper; Finance Assistant; and Payroll Clerk.

Accounting (Bachelor's Degree): Accountant; Associate Auditor; Bookkeeper Specialist; Financial Analyst; Junior Staff Accountant; and Staff Accountant.

Business Administration (Associate's Degree): Account Auditor; Account Manager; Administrative Assistant; Customer Service Support; Office Administrator; Purchasing Assistant; and Records Coordinator.

Business Administration (Bachelor's Degree): Account Manager; Business Development Manager; Contract Analyst; Customer Service Representative; Financial Analyst; Inventory Control Manager; Line Leader; and Market Research Analyst.

Business Administration (Master's Degree): Account Manager; Business Analyst; Management Trainee; Manager; Manufacturer's Representative; Supervisor; and Team Leader.

Business Accounting Technology (Associate's Degree): Accounting Technician; Accounts Payable Clerk; Accounts Receivable Clerk; Bookkeeper; Customer Support Technician; Help Desk Support; Payroll Administrator; and Records Coordinator.

Business Accounting Technology (Bachelor's Degree): Accountant; Accounting Clerk; Accounting Technician; Auditor; Bookkeeper; Claims Examiner; Payroll Administrator; and Tax Preparer.

Business Management (Associate's Degree): Assistant Branch Manager; Assistant Manager; Assistant Store Manager; Assistant Supervisor; Marketing Associate; and Sales Representative.

Business Management (Bachelor's Degree): Account Manager; Business Analyst; Management Trainee; Manufacturer's Representative; Sales Representative; and Team Leader.

Project Management and Administration (Bachelor's Degree): Business Analyst; Project Coordinator; Project Manager; and Project Specialist.

#### **School of Criminal Justice**

Criminal Justice (Associate's Degree): Communications; Correctional Programs; Criminal Investigations; Criminology; and Security and Policing.



Criminal Justice (Bachelor's Degree): Corrections Officer; Customs Inspector; Police Officer; Private Investigator; Probation Officer; and Security Officer.

Criminal Justice-Cyber Security (Bachelor's Degree): Business; Financial Services; Government; Insurance; Security; and Systems Security.

Criminology and Forensic Technology (Associate's Degree): Corrections Officer; Crime Scene Investigator; Crime Scene Technician; Detention Officer; Loss Prevention Specialist; and Private Investigator.

Paralegal (Associate's Degree): Legal Assistant; and Paralegal.

Paralegal Studies (Associate's Degree): Contracts Administrator; Legal Assistant; Paralegal; and Real Estate Paralegal.

### **School of Drafting and Design**

Computer Drafting and Design (Associate's Degree): Building Information Modeler; Civil Drafter; Construction Drafter; Illustrator; Landscape Drafter; Mechanical Drafter; and Structural Detailer.

Construction Management (Bachelor's Degree): Assistant Scheduler; Construction Business Manager; Construction Cost Estimator; Construction Modeler; Construction Specialist; and Field Engineer.

Construction Technology (Associate's Degree): Compliance Assistant; Construction Site Representative; Estimator; Safety Coordinator; and Scheduling Assistant.

Digital Entertainment and Game Design (Bachelor's Degree): 3-D Animator; 3-D Artist; Flash Developer; Graphic Designer; and Simulation Developer.

Drafting and Design Technology (Associate's Degree): CAD Designer; CAD Operator; Civil Drafter; Computer-Aided Design Technician; Design Drafter; Drafter; Draftsman; and Mechanical Drafter.

Graphic Communications and Design (Associate's Degree): Digital Media Designer; Graphic Designer; Multimedia Animator; Multimedia Designer; and Web Designer.

Industrial Engineering Technology (Associate's Degree): Engineering Technician; Industrial Engineering Technician; Industrial Technician; Manufacturing Technician; Quality Technician; and Test Technician.

Visual Communications (Associate's Degree): Computer Graphics Technician; Interactive Media Designer, Multimedia Technician; and Production Artist.

Web Design (Associate's Degree): Web Applications Developer; Web Designer; Web Developer; Web Programmer; and Webmaster.

Web Design Technology (Associate's Degree): Web Applications Developer; Web Designer; Web Developer; Web Programmer; and Webmaster.

## **School of Electronics Technology**

Computer and Electronics Engineering Technology (Associate's Degree): Assembler; Computer Hardware Technician; Digital Electronic Technician; Development Engineering Technician; Electronics Support Technician; Field Service Representative; Mechanical Calibration Technician; Network Maintenance Technician; Production Technician; Quality Assurance Technician; RF Technician; and Test Technician.

Computer Electronics Technology (Associate's Degree): Assembler; Computer Hardware Technician; Digital Electronic Technician; Development Engineering Technician; Electronics Support Technician; Field Service Representative; Mechanical Calibration Technician; Network Maintenance Technician; Production Technician; Quality Assurance Technician; RF Technician; and Test Technician.

Electrical Engineering Technology (Associate's Degree): Associate Engineer; Biomedical Equipment Technician; Electrical and Instrument Technician; Electrical Engineering Technician; Electronics Technician; Engineering Technician; Service Technician, and Telecommunications Technician.

Electronics and Communications Engineering Technology (Bachelor's Degree): Communication Systems Installer; Computer Systems Technologist; Electronics Engineering Technologist; Engineering Sales/Service Representative; Engineering Technician; Field Service Representative; Industrial Systems Technologist; Research Technician; Technical Consultant; and Telecommunications Technician.

Electrical Engineering and Communications Technology (Bachelor's Degree): Applications Engineer; Associate Engineer; Biomedical Equipment Technician; Bench Technician; Communications Technician; Electronics Technician; Engineering Technician; and Field Service Engineer.

## **School of Health Sciences**

Health Information Technology (Associate's Degree): Health Data Analyst; Health Information Technician; Health Record Analyst; Medical Records Technician; Patient Information Coordinator; Registry Specialist; Release of Information Specialist; and Reimbursement Specialist.

Medical Assisting and Administration (Associate's Degree): Clinical Medical Assistant; Medical Administrative Assistant; Medical Assistant; Medical Office Assistant; and Medical Office Insurance Specialist.

Nursing (Associate's Degree): Extended Care Nurse; Geriatric Care Nurse; Home Health Nurse; Labor and Delivery Nurse; Psychiatric Nurse; Rehabilitation Nurse; and Staff Nurse (Hospital, Clinic or Physician's Office.)

Nursing (Bachelor's Degree): Adult Intensive Care Nurse; Extended Care Nurse; Health Educator; Home Health Nurse; Labor and Delivery Nurse; Psychiatric Nurse; and Staff Nurse.

## **School of Information Technology**

Computer Forensics (Associate's Degree): Computer Forensics Specialists; Cyber-Squad Professionals and Technicians; Forensic Laboratory Technicians; Security Administrators; and Security Telecommunications Technicians.

Information Systems Administration (Associate's Degree): Computer Security Specialist; Computer Support Specialist; Network Administrator; Operations Manager; and Technical Support Specialist.

Information Systems and Cybersecurity (Bachelor's Degree): IT Specialist; Network Administrator; Network Engineer; Network Security Analyst; Network Support Analyst; Security Analyst; Systems Administrator; Systems Engineer; Systems Support Technician; Technical Support Analyst; and Technician.

Information Systems Security (Bachelor's Degree): IT Specialist; Network Administrator; Network Engineer; Network Security Analyst; Network Support Analyst; Security Analyst; Systems Administrator; Systems Engineer; Systems Support Technician; Technical Support Analyst; and Technician.

Information Technology-Computer Network Systems (Associate's Degree): Computer Network Technician; Desktop Support Technician; Help Desk Analyst; IT Assistant; Network User-Support Specialist; PC Technician; System Administrator; Web Server Administrator; and Windows Administrator.

Information Technology-Software Applications and Programming (Associate's Degree): C++ Programmer; Data Analyst; Database Administrator; Junior Web Designer; Lead Web Developer; Programmer Librarian; Software Quality Analyst; and Systems Support Specialist.

Information Technology-Web Development (Associate's Degree): Database Technician; HTML Programmer; Web Application Developer; Web Programmer; and Website Designer.

Mobile Communications and Technology (Associate's Degree): Applications Development Technician, Applications Support Specialist; Data Center Technician; Development Engineering Technician; Exchange System Administrator; Field Technician/Field Service Specialist; Help Desk Analyst; Mobile Devices Support Consultant; Mobile Client Support Specialist; Mobile Server Support Specialist; QA Technician; and Wireless Technician.

Network Systems Administration (Associate's Degree): Information Technology Specialist; Local Area Network Administrator; Network Administrator; Network Analyst; Network Specialist; Network Technician; Systems Administrator; Systems Specialist; Systems Technician; and Telecommunications Technician.

Project Management (Bachelor's Degree): Project Coordinator; Project Manager; Project Resource Coordinator; Project Scheduler; and Project Team Member.

Software Applications Development (Bachelor's Degree): IT Programmer; Software Administrator; Software Applications Developer; Software Applications Engineer; Software Development Engineer; Software Developer; and Software Engineer.

Software Development (Associate's Degree): Database Programmer; Developer; Software Tester; Support Specialist; Systems Analyst; and Web Developer.

Software Development (Bachelor's Degree): Application Developer; Programmer; Software Engineer; Systems Administrator; Systems Analyst; and Web Developer.

Software Development Technology (Associate's Degree): Application Development; Associate Software Engineer; Database Programmer; Developer; Help Desk Support; and IT Assistant.

For additional information, see the Director of Career Services.

**NOTE:**

School of Study and Program: Not every campus has every school of study or offers all of the programs within a particular school of study. Please refer to the particular ITT Technical Institute campus' School Catalog for details on the schools of study at that campus.

Bachelor's Degree Programs: Bachelor's degree programs are not offered at every ITT Technical Institute campus, and not every ITT Technical Institute campus that offers Bachelor's degree programs offers every Bachelor's degree program. See the specific ITT Technical Institute campus' School Catalog for a complete list of programs offered at that campus.

**TYPES OF GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION PURSUED BY GRADUATES OF BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS.**

The Career Services Department makes available to students and prospective students upon request information concerning the types of graduate and professional education pursued by graduates of bachelor's degree programs.

**EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

**ACADEMIC CLUBS**

Please see a School or Program Chair for a current list of student professional organizations sponsored by the school.

**SPORTS AND SOCIAL EVENTS**

These activities are generally student lead and, where applicable, organized by the Student Council, which plans events that would interest the maximum number of students. Students are encouraged to work with the Student Council if they have a hobby, special interest or sport that they would like incorporated into the extra-curricular activity program. If your school does not have a Student Council, contact the School Dean.

## Appendices

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Nursing Program (where applicable) \*

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Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services Disclosures (Wisconsin Only)

\* Not every campus has every school of study or offers all of the programs within a particular school of study. Please refer to the particular ITT Technical Institute campus' school catalog for details on the schools of study at that campus.

## **APPENDIX**

### **PROGRAM OF STUDY INFORMATION**

ITT Technical Institute

Go to <http://programinfo.itt-tech.edu/> to access information on the programs of study offered at the ITT Technical Institutes, including, among other things: the occupations that each Program can help students prepare to enter; the on-time graduation rate for each Program; the costs associated with each Program; the placement rate for students who completed each Program; and the median loan debt incurred by students who completed each Program.

## APPENDIX

### COMPLETION AND RETENTION RATE DISCLOSURE

#### ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

Main Campus: 9511 Angola Court, Indianapolis, IN 46268

Additional Location(s): Refer to the list of additional locations at the end of this document.

#### **Completion Rate:**

The entire institution (i.e., a combination of the ITT Technical Institute main campus and all of its additional locations as specified above) has a completion rate of 35.60 %, as determined in accordance with 34 CFR Section 668.45 (the “Completion Rate”).

The diversity of the student body of the institution represented in the Completion Rate is as follows:

- (a) Gender:
  - (i) 73.51 % Male
  - (ii) 22.27 % Female
- (b) Racial and Ethnic Subgroup:
  - (i) N/A % Nonresident Alien
  - (ii) 28.61 % Race and Ethnicity Unknown
  - (iii) 13.50 % Hispanics of Any Race
  - (iv) 0.93 % American Indian or Alaska Native (non-Hispanic)
  - (v) 1.40 % Asian (non-Hispanic)
  - (vi) 19.35 % Black or African American (non-Hispanic)
  - (vii) 0.00 % Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)
  - (viii) 35.77 % White (non-Hispanic)
  - (ix) 0.44 % Two or More Races (non-Hispanic)
- (c) 81.57 % received a Federal Pell Grant (“FPG”) for the Fall quarter of 2009
- (d) 14.28 % received a loan under the Federal Family Education Loan (the “FFEL”) Program or the Federal Direct Loan (the “FDL”) Program, other than an Unsubsidized Stafford Loan under either program, and did not receive a FPG for the Fall quarter of 2009
- (e) 4.15 % received neither a FPG nor a loan under either the FFEL Program or FDL Program for the Fall quarter of 2009, other than an Unsubsidized Stafford Loan under either program

The completion rate represents the percentage of the total number of Full-Time Students (as defined below) who (a) started any program of study in the Fall quarter of 2009 at the main campus or any additional location of the institution, (b) were still attending a program of study at the main campus or any additional location of the institution on October 15, 2009 and (c) completed a program by the end of the 12-month period ending August 31 during which 150% of the normal time for completion of their program has lapsed (the “150% Completion Period”).

**Retention Rate:**

The entire institution has a retention rate of 35.64% for Full-Time Students and 10.81% for Part-Time Students (as defined below) as determined in accordance with the following formula (the “Retention Rate”).

The retention rate represents a measure of the rate at which Full-Time Students or Part-Time Students persist in their programs of study at the institution expressed as a percentage of the total number of Full-Time Students or Part-Time Students who (a) started any bachelor degree program of study in the Fall quarter of 2014 at the main campus or any additional location of the institution and (b) were still attending a program of study at the main campus or any additional location of the institution on both October 15, 2014 and October 15, 2015 (the “Retention Period”).

**Definitions:**

“Students” are defined as only those students who satisfy all of the following criteria:

- (a) certificate, diploma or degree seeking;
- (b) undergraduate;
- (c) first-time (i.e., entering students who have never previously attended any institution of higher education); and
- (d) do not during the 150% Completion Period for purposes of the Completion Rate or during the Retention Period for purposes of the Retention Rate:
  - (i) leave school to serve in the Armed Forces;
  - (ii) leave school to serve on an official church mission;
  - (iii) leave school to serve with a foreign aid service of the U.S. Government;
  - (iv) die; or
  - (v) become totally and permanently disabled.

“Full-Time Students” are defined as Students who carry a full-time academic workload during an academic quarter, as determined by the institution under a standard applicable to all Students and which is at least 12 quarter credit hours.

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**APPENDIX**  
**STUDENT BODY DIVERSITY**  
**ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE**

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Additional Locations: Refer to the list of additional locations at the end of this document.

The student body diversity at the entire institution (i.e., a combination of the ITT Technical Institute main campus and all of its additional locations as specified above) for Students (as defined below) who (a) started any program of study in the Fall quarter of 2015 at the main campus or any additional location of the institution and (b) were still attending a program of study at the main campus or any additional location of the institution on October 15, 2015 was as follows:

<u>69.51%</u>	Male
<u>27.03%</u>	Female
<u>75.29%</u>	Received a Pell Grant
<u>94.43%</u>	Were Self-Identified Members of a Major Racial or Ethnic Group

“Students” are defined as only those students who satisfy all of the following criteria:

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# **Appendix**

## **Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure**



# ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

## Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure

### STATEMENT OF INTENT:

To afford full consideration to student complaints concerning any aspect of the programs, facilities or other services offered by or associated with ITT Technical Institute. This complaint procedure is intended to provide a formal framework within which such complaints may be resolved. This procedure is not, however, a substitute for other available informal means of resolving complaints or other problems.

Students are encouraged to communicate their concerns fully and frankly to members of the school faculty and administration. Reasonable measures will be undertaken to preserve the confidentiality of information that is reported during the investigation and to protect persons who report information from retaliation.

**PROCEDURE:** All student complaints will be handled in the following manner:

#### STEP ONE - Contact School Director

1. A student must present to the school Director any complaint relating to any: (a) aspect of the programs, facilities or other services provided by the school; (b) action or alleged misrepresentation by an employee or representative of the school; (c) discrimination or harassment based on race, religion, color, age, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, gender or any other protected status by any student, applicant, faculty member or other school employee, or visitor or invitee of the school; and (d) school activity. The complaint may be oral or written. The school Director will promptly acknowledge receipt of the complaint.
2. The school Director will meet with the student to discuss and respond to the complaint. The school Director's response may be oral or written and will address the specific complaint and indicate what, if any, corrective action has been proposed or accomplished.
3. Within three (3) school days of any such discussion, the school Director will prepare a written summary of the discussion, including any agreed upon or proposed solution of the student's complaint. The school Director will take the necessary steps to ensure that any agreed upon solution or other appropriate action is taken.

#### STEP TWO – Contact the State

The school is licensed by the Pennsylvania State Board of Private Licensed Schools. If the complaint has not been resolved to the student's satisfaction, the student may contact the State Board of Private Licensed Schools, Pennsylvania Department of Education, 333 Market Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17126-0333, telephone (717) 783-8228. The Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General is located at 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Strawberry Square, Harrisburg, PA 17120, telephone (717) 787-3391, Web address <http://www.attorneygeneral.gov/>.

#### STEP THREE - Appeal to ITT Educational Services, Inc. ("ITT/ESI")

1. If the complaint is not resolved to the student's satisfaction, the student will, as soon as possible after the student's discussion with the school Director, submit the complaint on a Student Complaint Summary form to the Student Relations Specialist, ITT/ESI, 13000 N. Meridian Street, Carmel, Indiana 46032-1404, telephone (800) 388-3368.
2. Within ten (10) days after receipt of the student's written letter of complaint, the Student Relations Specialist, ITT/ESI, or designee will reply to the student in writing specifying what action, if any, ITT/ESI will undertake.

#### STEP FOUR - Contact the Accrediting Council

If the complaint has not been resolved by ITT/ESI to the satisfaction of the student, the complaint may also be referred to the Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools, 750 First Street, NE, Suite 980, Washington, DC 20002-4241, telephone (202) 336-6780.

I have been given a copy of the ITT/ESI Student Complaint/Grievance Procedure. I have read and understand my rights and responsibilities under it. I understand that if I have a complaint, I should use the procedure outlined above.

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Signature

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Date

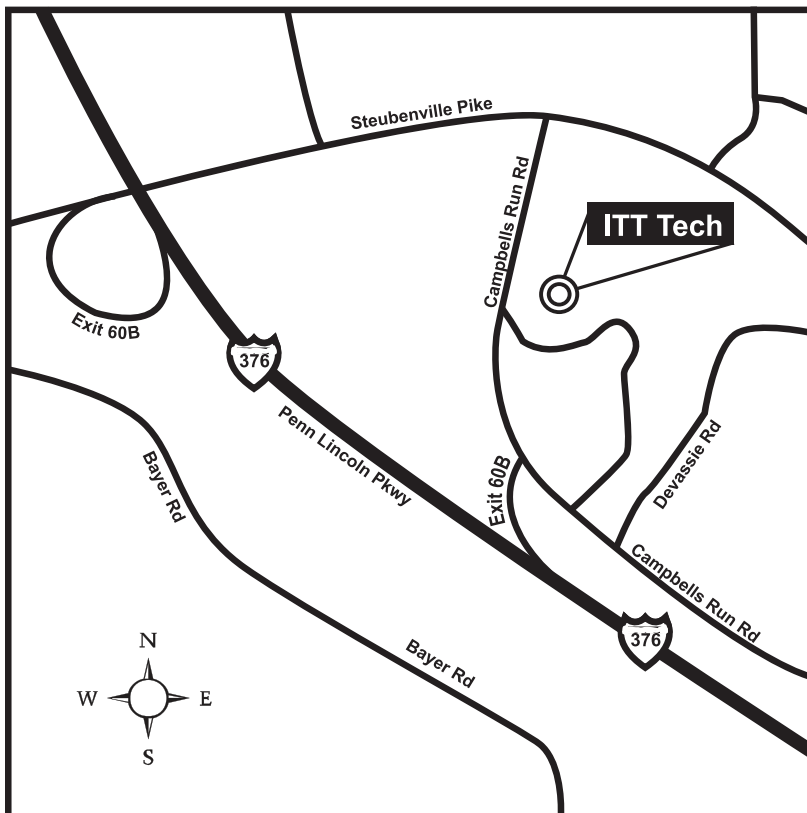
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