Health Information Technologies Concentration
Bachelor of Science in Industrial Technology
AAS Degree Completion Program

Description of Program
The Bachelor of Science in Industrial Technology (BSIT) is a degree completion curriculum designed for students who hold a qualifying Associate in Applied Science degree (AAS) in an industrial or technology related field. There are two completion options: transfer to the main campus or complete online. All required upper division major courses are offered entirely over the Internet, as well as, on the main campus during the day. For online students, these semester-based courses are delivered to allow students flexibility with regard to time and place. The courses are scheduled on a rolling cycle so that the major courses can be completed in as little as two or three years. The Department of Technology Systems has delivered internet-based instruction since 1995 to hundreds of students all over the world. Please note that our online option is designed for part-time enrollment to help professionals pursue a degree while working.

The **BSIT Health Information Technologies concentration** focuses on the dynamics of the health care industry and thus prepares networking professionals to analyze, design and deploy information technologies and systems for health care organizations at all levels. In addition, students are prepared for upward mobility with management courses. Students may receive up to 37 hours of lower division major credits for completion of a qualifying AAS degree. In addition, up to 26 hours of general education credits may be applied towards the BSIT if equivalent to our requirements.

**BSIT HIT concentration requirements:**
- **Current Cisco CCENT, CCNA, CCNP, or CompTIA Network + certification prior to enrollment.**
- Completion of an approved computer related associate of applied science (AAS) degree program prior to enrollment.
- Apply up to 63 semester hours from an accredited community college or technical institute.
- Minimum 63 semester hours must be completed at a four-year college or university.
- Minimum 36 semester hours of major coursework must be completed at ECU.
- Only courses with a ‘C’ or better will transfer.
- Total 126 hours required for this degree.
- Visit the program website for admission requirements – www.ecu.edu/BSIT.

**BSIT HIT Degree Requirements**

**Industrial Technology Coursework** (42 hours)
- Technical Writing
- Technology Project Management
- Cost and Capital Project Analysis
- Industrial Supervision
- Introduction to Statistical Process Control
- Medical Terminology for Health Professionals
- Health Care Delivery Systems
- Quality Management in Health Care
- Professional Roles and Environments in Health Care
- Health Care Payment Systems
- Professional Ethical Codes and Law in Health Care
- Interpersonal Team Skills for Health Care Supervisors and Practitioners
- Health Information Management
- Approved technical elective or Internet Tools Technology (required for the online option)

**Courses to transfer or taken through ECU** (84 hours)

**AAS Technical courses (37 hrs)**
- Math (5 hrs)
  - College Algebra
  - Applied Trigonometry
- English (6 hrs)
- Composition I
- Composition II

**Natural Science (8 hrs)**
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  - At least one in Humanities
  - At least one in Fine Art

**Social Science (12 hrs)**
- Principles of Microeconomics
- Introductory Psychology
- Personnel & Industrial Psychology
- Social Science Elective

**Visit www.ecu.edu for information on admission, tuition & fees, financial aid, & more.**

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