



BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

School of Allied Health Sciences

Radiologic Sciences

Articulation Agreement between Boise State University and North Idaho College

This Agreement is effective as of the date of final signature below and shall be in effect for three (3) years or until earlier terminated by one of the parties. Either party may cancel this Agreement upon twenty (20) days' advance written notice to the other party; provided, however, that any student who has already enrolled at Boise State University shall be entitled to the benefit of this Agreement.

Boise State University

Regional Accreditation

Boise State University is regionally accredited by The Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

Bachelor of Science Degree Curriculum

The 120-credit Bachelor of Science Degree Curriculum satisfies all general education requirements (University Foundations Program) and all professional curricular requirements. The student may earn the Bachelor of Science Degree by completing all requirements in the four-year curriculum or by completing all requirements in the Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences (BSIS) Program.

North Idaho College

Regional Accreditation

North Idaho College is regionally accredited by The Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

Department of Radiography Technology

Professional Accreditation

The Department of Radiography Technology Associate of Applied Science Degree Program is accredited by the JRCERT. The next accreditation review is due 10/01/2028.

Associate of Applied Science Degree Curriculum

The 79-81 semester credit, Associate of Applied Science Degree Curriculum satisfies all general education requirements and all professional curricular requirements.

Boise State University Department of Radiologic Sciences BSIS Program

The Degree Completion Program allows students to enroll once they have met the following criteria:

- Successfully completed an Associate Degree (AS, AAS, AA) in the field of imaging sciences
- Earned a medical imaging credential through the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) or equivalent, such as a sonography credential through the ARDMS
- Admitted to Boise State University and the Imaging Sciences Program

The BSIS Program is designed for Registered Imaging Professionals who want to earn a Bachelor of Science Degree in Imaging Sciences. The student is required to complete 33 credits (14 courses) plus any missing prerequisite or university foundations courses; each of the courses is available online. Because the student is required to be a credentialed medical imaging professional as a pre-requisite for the program, there are no clinical courses in the BSIS Program.

Courses are delivered via Canvas, which is a web-based, course-management system designed to allow students and faculty to participate in classes delivered online. Canvas enables instructors to provide students with course materials, discussion boards, virtual chat, live audio-visual discussions, online quizzes, an academic resource center and more.

Online courses typically are more time-intensive than typical face-to-face courses. Students will be required to do a significant amount of reading, online posting, writing papers and other online activities; therefore, the student must be motivated and willing to allocate a considerable amount of time for each course. For this reason, it is not recommended that students working full-time take more than two or three courses per semester.

Students who earn an Associate of Applied Science Degree must also satisfy all University Foundations (university general core curriculum) requirements that have not already been completed during the two-year degree program. The student may complete each of the requirements before transferring to Boise State University or concurrently while in the BSIS program.

Because graduates from the Radiography Technology Program of North Idaho College earn an Associate of Applied Science Degree and are eligible to take the ARRT national credentialing exam, NIC graduates should meet the first two admission requirements. Once the student has passed the necessary examinations to earn the credential and has been admitted to Boise State University, the student may apply to the Department of Radiologic Sciences Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences Program.

If the student earns an Associate of Science Degree or an Associate of Arts Degree from North Idaho College, as well as the Associate of Applied Science Degree in Radiography Technology, the student will only have to complete the programmatic prerequisites and the 33 credits (IMGSCI prefixed courses as listed below) required for Associate of Science Degree graduates.

Boise State University and North Idaho College Transfer Course Equivalency Table

BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY			NORTH IDAHO COLLEGE		
BSIS Program Prerequisites			Equivalents		
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Course Number	Course Title	Credits
MATH 143	College Algebra	3	MATH 143	College Algebra	3
MATH 254	Introduction to Statistics	3	MATH 253	Principles of Applied Statistics	3
BIOL 227	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIOL 227	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIOL 228	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIOL 228	Human Anatomy and Physiology II with Cadaver	4
University Foundation Requirements			Equivalents		
FW	ENGL 101 Intro to College Writing (aka Writing & Rhetoric I)	3	ENGL 101	Writing and Rhetoric I	3
FW	ENGL 102 Intro to College Writing and Research (aka Writing & Rhetoric II)	3	ENGL 102	Writing and Rhetoric II	3
FC	Foundations of Oral Communications (COMM 101; SOC 122)	2-3	COMM 101	Foundations of Oral Communications	3
FN	Foundations of Natural, Physical or Applied Sciences in second field	7-8	Examples	CHEM 101 W/Lab, 102 W/Lab; GEOL 101, 102; PHYS 101, 103, 111	4
FA	Foundation of Arts	3	Examples	ART 100, 101, 102; THEA 101; MUSI 101	3
FH	Foundation of Humanities	3-4	Examples	PHIL 101, 103; SPAN 101, 102	3-5
FS	Foundation of Social Sciences, First Field	3	Examples	ANTH 100, 102; ECON 201	3
FS	Foundation of Social Sciences, Second Field	3	Examples	PSYC 101; SOC 101; POLS 101	3
UF	University Foundations requirement for AAS transfer students (UF-200)	3		No equivalent courses offered at NIC	

Requirements to Earn a Bachelor of Science in Imaging Sciences from Boise State University

Requirements to be completed at North Idaho College

- Associate of Applied Science Degree in Radiologic Science (≥ 65 semester credits)

Requirements to be completed at North Idaho College or Boise State University

- University Foundations Program
 - Please see equivalency table above

Professional examinations to be completed through the ARRT or equivalent Credentialing Organization

- Examinations required to earn credential in an Imaging Sciences modality

Requirements to be completed, online, through Boise State University

- Professional Courses
 - IMGSCI 302 Civic Engagement, Ethics and Global Diversity, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 304 Professionalism and Research in Radiologic Sciences, 1 credit
 - IMGSCI 305 Human Resource Management in Health Care, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 308 Advanced Digital Imaging, 2 credits
 - IMGSCI 310 Public Health, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 312 Information Technology for Imaging Professionals, 1 credit
 - IMGSCI 314 Health Law and Ethics, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 315 Health Informatics in Imaging Sciences, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 382 Research Methods in Imaging Sciences, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 402 Comprehensive Analysis on Radiation Protection, 2 credit
 - IMGSCI 404 Study of Diseases in Medical Imaging, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 408 Sectional Anatomy in Medical Imaging, 3 credits
 - IMGSCI 412 Preventative Care and Patient Advocacy in Medical Imaging, 3 credits
- Credit for Prior Learning
 - Students will receive 25 credits for prior learning based upon passing credentialing examinations. After successfully completing at least 12 credits at Boise State University, the student may request the credits for prior learning be applied to their transcript and pay the necessary fee (currently \$100). The adviser will complete the necessary university forms to process the paperwork for these 25 credits.

After successfully completing each of the above stated requirements, if the student is otherwise in good standing, the student will be awarded a Bachelor of Science Degree in Imaging Sciences from Boise State University.

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement hereto, as of the last date written below:

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