## **Computer Technology**

## Associate in Applied Science – 61 credit hours

**Purpose:** This two year Associate in Applied Science in Computer Technology is designed to provide students with a broad based education in all aspects of the computer field. Students gain extensive experience and knowledge in computer operation, diagnosis, repair, networking and programming. The program prepares students for a variety of industry certifications. Graduates will be able to diagnose system hardware or software failures and perform remedial actions necessary to correct problems. The program provides a solid foundation in hardware installation and diagnostics complemented by extensive knowledge of modern networking techniques.

**Career Opportunities:** Graduates of the program will be prepared for a variety of positions in computer repair, troubleshooting, and computer networking.

**Program Educational Outcomes:** Upon completion of the Associate in Applied Science Degree in the Computer Technology Program, the graduate is prepared to:

- 1. Describe and apply trouble-shooting techniques and strategies to solve a wide range of computer hardware, software and networking problems.
- 2. Analyze and communicate essential industry concepts in both technical and non-technical terms.
- 3. Create technical reports and documentation through researching and interpreting a variety of industry sources.
- 4. Operate both independently and as a team member on information technology projects.
- 5. Describe and explain ethical issues in technology and the applicable industry standards and codes of conduct.
- 6. Recognize the value of diversity in opinions, values, abilities and cultures of colleagues and customers in a professional environment.
- 7. Research and explain how culture, economics, history, and politics affect technology trends.
- 8. Identify and analyze system, network and security requirements.
- 9. Apply problem-solving concepts and quantitative analysis to the study of a wide variety of technology problems.

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Course #	Course Title	Credits
Semester 1		
CTT100	Microcomputer Hardware I	3
CTT110	Microcomputer Operating Systems & Applications	3
CTT140	Introduction to Computer Networking	3
ENG101	College Composition	3
FYE100	First Year Experience	1
MAT127	College Algebra	3
	Total	16
Semester 2		
CTT130	Introduction to Computer Programming	3
CTT150	Microcomputer Hardware II	3
CTT155	Advanced Computer Networking	3
CTTXXX	Computer Elective	3
Elective	Humanities Elective	3
	Total	15
Semester 3		
CTT120	Database Structure and Development	3
CTT245	Computer Network Installation/Configuration	3

Elective	Social Science Elective		3
ENG210	Technical Writing		3
MAT115	Statistics		3
		Total	15
Semester 4			
CTT250	Microsoft Certification Preparation		3
CTT255	Server Operating Systems		3
CTT260	Computer Capstone Project		3
Elective	Humanities/Social Science		3
General Elective	General Elective		3
		Total	15

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