

## Entry Requirement and Guidelines for Selecting an Undergraduate Programme

2020 / 2021

## **BACHELOR OF ARTS FASHION DESIGN**

This programme aims at creating Fashion and Textile Designers: explorers of the fashion trends, creative professionals able to link theoretical concepts, innovation, organization and relationship skills to the production world.

#### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

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Department Requirement: Visual Arts, Business and General Arts and other relevant subjects.

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- c. Level 100 for applicants with Certificate in programmes run by recognized institutions.

#### ix. RSA Stage III, ABCE and Post Secondary Teacher's Certificate 'A'

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## **BACHELOR OF ART GRAPHIC DESIGN**

This course will equip students with the use of visual communication that combines images, words, and ideas to convey information to an audience." A graphic designer is responsible for arranging and using elements on different types of media (such as a poster, a package or a website), most likely with the use of a <u>graphics software</u>.

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## **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

The programme will enlighten students on how to obtain, sustain and improve upon organizational performance. It focuses on the management of business operations and thus the making or implementing of a major decision.

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## **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY**

The Bachelor of Science in information communication technology prepares students for careers specialising in:

Data Base Management, Systems Analysis, Computer Networking, Website Development and Data/ Security

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## **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE APPLIED SCIENCE**

Appliance of scientific knowledge transmitted into a physical environment; It is a multidisciplinary field that is closely related to Engineering Geology, Applied Geophysics and Related Industries

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## **CERTIFICATE PROGRAMMES**

- I. Business Administration
- II. Accounting
- III. Sales & Marketing
- IV. Hospitality& Event Management
- V. Information & Communication Technology
  - a. Computer Web Design

- b. Computer Networking
- c. Computer Programming

#### VI. Certificate Programmes in Health Sciences

- Medical Technologist and Medical Laboratory Technician
- Diagnostic Medical Ultrasound
- Physician Office Assistantship
- Emergency Medical Technology/Paramedic (EMP)
- Surgical Technologist

#### vii. Environmental Management and Entrepreneurship

#### VII. Certificate in Information Technology

- a. SSSCE/WASSCE with English, Mathematics and any science subject.
- b. Non- SSSCE/WASSCE certificate holders with at least two (2) years working experience in IT

Radford School of Health Sciences equips students with effective theory and practical experience to fully prepare them for successful medical careers.

## SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

The School of Health Sciences is a new faculty created by the college to offer courses in the health care field previously unavailable in Ghana. The curriculum is based on the US model but adapted to the Ghanaian environment with huge job potential for the graduates. These courses are initially offered as two-year certificate courses but will be expanded to full Bachelor of Science degrees in the near future.

#### **Physician Office Assistant Certificate course**

These courses are entry level training for support staff to the Medical Office or clinic, the hospital and any field in healthcare area that requires training in basic medical, clinical and office administration. Graduates can continue working as medical assistants or proceed to other medical fields like nursing, medical technicians or medical administrators. The certificate courses include:

Medical Office Administrative Assistant Medical Secretary/Receptionist Medical Office Clinical Assistant (including EKG and Ultrasound assistantship) Phlebotomist

### **Diagnostic Ultrasound Technician Certificate courses**

Ultrasonography is the most cost effective and safe imaging modality and excellently suited to the developing country environment. It is rapidly expanding in its use and there is a growing need for technicians. Although there may be other schools of ultrasound in Ghana, we offer a refreshing clinical approach by training our technician not only to do

the procedure but to offer the ordering physician preliminary interpretation (the European approach) in the following areas:

#### General Diagnostic Ultrasound Technician

#### Echocardiography Technician Vascular Ultrasound Technician

#### **Medical Laboratory Technician Course**

No medical diagnostic system can operate without a laboratory. Our graduates will be offered the best practical training otherwise not available in other institutions in the following areas:

General medical laboratory technician Medical Microbiology Technician Hematology Technician Medical Biochemistry Technician Histopathology Technician

#### **Emergency Medical Technician/Paramedic Certificate course**

Our EMT training is the first of its kind in Ghana. There are currently no EMTs to serve our country and therefore no well run ambulance service. We are working with the Ministry of Health and the Fire Service to fill this badly needed service. Such technicians will also serve in hospitals, schools, airports, sports events and so on. The division will also offer first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation to all our graduates and to all healthcare personnel as short courses.

#### Surgical/Operating Room Technician Certificate Course

This course will also be the one of its kind in Ghana. The rapidly expanding health care field in Ghana especially in the private is in demand of operating room technician to make all surgeries safe. The surgical technician is as vital a member of the surgical team as the anesthesiology technician or the nurse to ensure a successful and safe surgical outcome.

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Applicants must have SSSCE Certificate with passes in the following: English, Mathematics and Integrated Science, in addition to One (1) elective subject (in Arts, Sciences and Business).

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## **APPLICATION FORMS**

Separate application forms for Bachelor's degree and Certificate programmes may be obtained from:

#### **Registrar's Office**

Radford University College Mailing: P O BOX CT 2837, Cantonments, Accra 48 Boundary Road Block 46 East Legon Accra, Ghana

# (233) 0241882113

(233) 0275972570 Office (233) 021521348 E-mail <u>info@radforduc.edu.gh</u> www.radforduc.edu.gh