BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING

Second Baccalaureate Degree Option

This 12 month program is identical to the senior year of the degree option. Successful completion leads to a second baccalaureate degree in Magnetic Resonance Imaging. This option is for a student who already possesses a bachelor's degree and is motivated to become a practicing Magnetic Resonance Technologist in 12 months.

To be considered for the second baccalaureate degree option, the applicant must have satisfactorily completed a baccalaureate degree, with a minimum GPA of 2.7 (on a 4.0 scale), including the following prerequisite courses:

PREREQUISITE COURSES	
COLLEGE ALGEBRA	3
PRINCIPLES OF CHEMISTRY I & II	8
GENERAL PHYSICS I & II	8
ANATOMY/PHYSIOLOGY I & II	8
MEDICAL ETHICS	3
ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION ELECTIVE	3
THEOLOGY	3

The applicant must complete the application for the professional year and submit official transcripts of prior college work through the SLU admissions website at www.slu.edu. Application deadline is August 1st.

The applicant must show satisfactory evidence of good character and physical ability to perform functions of the Magnetic Resonance Technologist. All applicants must meet the professional performance and technical standards required by the profession. Students must also successfully complete a drug screen and criminal background check prior to the start of the professional year.

Application to the 12 month option is via a competitive application process with admission granted on a space-available basis. The selection process includes a personal interview for qualified applicants.

Selection Factors

Among the parameters considered by the Selection Committee are:

- Applicant's academic potential as evidenced by previous performance in college
- Specific motivation toward pursuit of a health care profession
- Evidence of sound judgment
- Interpersonal and communication skills
- Job shadowing of a Magnetic Resonance Imaging Department is highly recommended

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