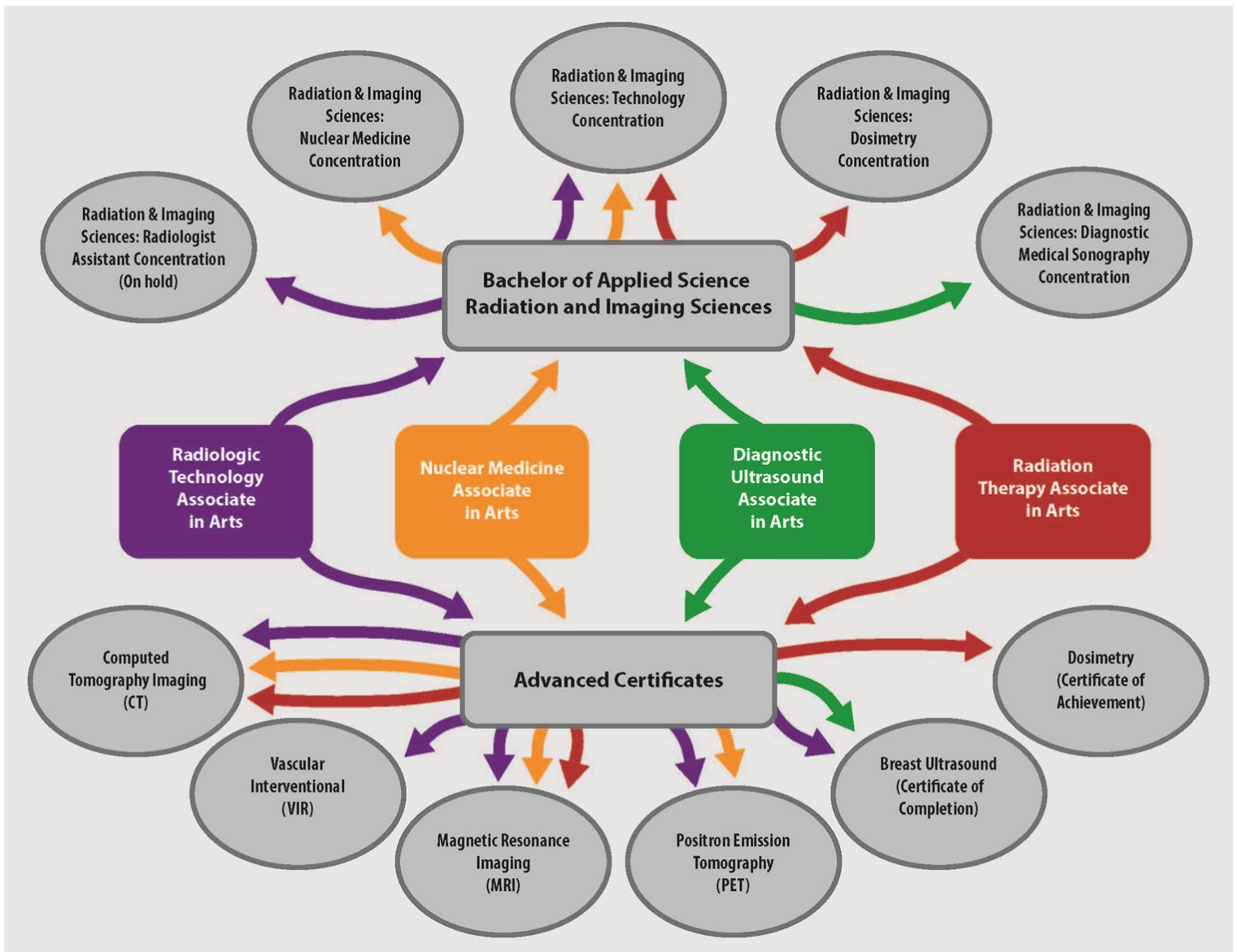


What is an imaging professional?

Imaging professionals use highly specialized equipment to create diagnostic images and assist physicians and other healthcare providers with accurate information used to diagnose patients and create a treatment plan. These professionals are generally registered through a nationwide association affiliated with their imaging specialty.

Which degree do I begin with?



Step 1: Associate Degrees

- Radiologic Technology
- Nuclear Medicine
- Diagnostic Ultrasound
- Radiation Therapy

Step 2: National Certification Exam

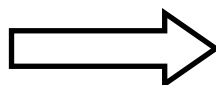
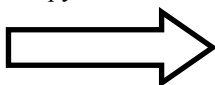
- Each imaging field has a specific certifying board and requirements

Step 3: Advanced Certification

- Includes:
- Clinical practicum
 - Coursework to be eligible to sit for national exam

Step 3: Bachelors Degree Completion

- Prepares for advanced post-primary modalities, management and continued education into



What Are Some Common Prerequisites that I'll Need to Take?

SUMMER		FALL		WINTER		SPRING	
COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS
MATH 098	5	MATH 099	5	ENG 201 (DUTEC/RADON)	5	AHE 110 (DUTEC)	5
		ENG 101	5	BIOL 160	6	BIOL 241	6
		CHEM 121 (Recommended)	6				
TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS	

SUMMER		FALL		WINTER		SPRING	
COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS	COURSE	CREDITS
CMST 101 (RADON)	5	BIOL 242	6	PHYS 100 (DUTEC)	5		
		MATH 130	5	CMST 280	5		
Nursing Assistant Cert		Work as NAC		Apply for Programs			
Volunteer		Volunteer		Volunteer			
TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS		TOTAL QTR. CREDITS	

Important notes about class selection and competitive enrollment:

- CHEM 121 is strongly suggested before BIOL 160, but not required.
- The above plan is ONLY for Diagnostic Ultrasound, Radiologic Technology, and Radiation Therapy. In addition, each program has different grade minimums and requirements. Each program also leads into different certificate and bachelor pathways.
- Nuclear Medicine requires CHEM 121, CHEM 131, PHYS 114, 115, and 116.
- All four programs will require students to have completed all of their prerequisites by the end of winter quarter.
- With the exception of Nuclear Medicine, all programs have a mandatory information session that students must attend.
- All programs have an interview process.
- Radiation Therapy and Nuclear Medicine has a required observation.

It is **highly recommended** that you speak with an academic advisor or program manager for the intended program here at BC to ensure that you are taking the proper courses. To start, double-checking requirements is as easy as going to the department website.

Check your degree progress!
Log into degree audit at: <http://bellevuecollege.edu/degreeaudit/>

Who To Contact for more Information:

Bellevue College has a variety of friendly faces and resources to help you plan and register for classes.

New to Bellevue College? Connect with BC's Welcome Center via www.bellevuecollege.edu/welcome/ or email welcome@bellevuecollege.edu

Currently Taking Classes? Connect with the Academic Advising Department via www.bellevuecollege.edu/advising/ or call 425-564-2212.

Radiation Imaging and Science is part of the Health Sciences Education Wellness Institute division. In order to make an appointment with an academic or faculty advisor, call **425-564-2012**

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