Floral Design Technology
CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT (CoA)   REQUIRED CREDITS: **30**   DEGREE CODE: **FLORDT-CT**

DESCRIPTION
This certificate prepares students for the commercial floral design industry which encompasses private retail shops, wedding chapels, silk floral establishments and major resort hotels. Typical positions in floral establishments include owner/manager, lead designer, assistant designer or salesperson. A work experience program is also available for students wishing to obtain on-the-job training.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Appraise and evaluate the basic tasks of a floral designer in a commercial setting by calculating, estimating and justifying market sheets for ordering product for shop needs, and acting as a consultant for weddings, special events and funerals.
- Assess criteria to select and recommend materials for the construction of floral decor to customer's preference, using industry standards.
- Compose photographic images of floral design.
- Demonstrate math, communication, computer technology skills, and other core supervisory/entry level management skills in the floral design industry.

PLEASE NOTE - The courses listed below may require a prerequisite or corequisite. Read course descriptions before registering for classes. All MATH and ENG courses numbered 01-99 must be completed before reaching 30 total college-level credits. No course under 100-level counts toward degree completion.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)

COMMUNICATIONS (3 credits)
Required: COM 115 Applied Communication

SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (27 CREDITS)

CORE REQUIREMENTS (24 credits)
FLOR 102B	Introduction to Floral Design	3
FLOR 106B	Permanent Botanicals	3
FLOR 202B	Tributes and Traditions	3
FLOR 204B	Traditional Weddings	3
FLOR 208B	Creativity and Competition	3
FLOR 220B	Events and Display	3
FLOR 240B	Advanced Weddings	3
PHO 101B	Beginning Photography	3

ELECTIVES (choose 3 credits)
FLOR 108B	Event Balloon Sculptures	1.5
FLOR 115B	Mega-Department Practices	3
FLOR 206B	Beginning Ikebana	3
FLOR 224B	Techniques and Mechanics	1.5
FLOR 225B	Color and Product Mix	1.5
FLOR 295B	Floral Careers Internship	3

Computation included in FLOR 202B

Human Relations included in FLOR 202B

FULL-TIME STUDENT DEGREE PLAN
Plan can be modified to fit the needs of part-time students by adding more semesters.

FIRST SEMESTER	Credits
COM 115 Applied Communication	3
FLOR 102B Introduction to Floral Design	3
PHO 101B Beginning Photography	3
TOTAL CREDITS	*9-11*

SECOND SEMESTER	Credits
FLOR 202B Tributes and Traditions[1]	3
FLOR 220B Events and Display[2]	3
TOTAL CREDITS	*6*

THIRD SEMESTER	Credits
FLOR 106B Permanent Botanicals[3]	3
FLOR 204B Traditional Weddings[3]	3
TOTAL CREDITS	*6*

FOURTH SEMESTER	Credits
FLOR 208B Creativity and Competition[1]	3
FLOR 240B Advanced Weddings[3]	3
Complete Electives (see courses this page)	3
TOTAL CREDITS	*9*

DEGREE PLAN TOTAL CREDITS..**30-32**

[1]This course offered every other Spring only.

[2]This course offered in the Spring only.

[3]This course offered in the Fall only.