Geographic Information Systems (GIS)- Advanced Technical Certificate (4277)

Career Pathway: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)

Location(s): General Education courses can be taken at any college location. Program specific courses may only be offered at Central Campus. Please consult the course schedule semester for locations.

Program Entrance Requirements: Students must hold a minimum of an Associate’s degree.

Program Description: This certificate program prepares student for employment as a geographic information systems (GIS) technician or provides GIS training to those currently employed in these occupations. The curriculum includes basic computer skill classes, use of spatial databases for the storage of geographic data, creation of maps and analysis of spatial information, and related technologies of remote sensing and global positioning system (GPS) and how they integrate with GIS. The classes provide extensive training with the popular ArcGIS software. Visit the program’s website for more information.

Build Your Education

Recommended Course Sequence for A.S. Graduates

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This is only a recommended course sequence. Students are strongly encouraged to meet with an advisor to create a personalized educational plan.

CHOOSE YOUR COURSES
Program Highlights

Credit for Prior Learning: Accelerate your path to completion with these options:

- Credit by exam
- Earned Industry certifications
- Prior Learning Assessment
- And much more...

Related Industry Certifications: Upon completing this program, graduates will be eligible to sit for the following industry certifications/licenses: N/A

Get Career Ready: After completing your first year of coursework make sure to visit the Career Center for internship opportunities that help you take your career to the next level! Also, explore hundreds of career videos and career profiles through Virtual Job Shadow!

Get an Internship  Virtual Job Shadow Tool

Median Wage and Job Growth Outlook: Broward College has Career Coach & the Career Ladders. These tools are designed to help you find a good career by providing the most current local data on wages, employment, job postings, and associated education and training. Learn how to climb your career ladder.

Fund Your Education: Scholarships may be available for this program.