Network Analyst

Emphasis

Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree

Program Information

The Anoka Technical College Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Information Technology with a concentration in Network Analyst is a 72-credit program designed to prepare graduates to successfully compete for high-paying, rewarding careers in IT fields with the highest demand, both today and in the future. The program requirements were determined through consultation with employers, those working in the industry, technical training professionals, and those currently seeking training and retraining for IT careers.

The IT degree has an initial curriculum of over 90 courses in seven career areas of concentration:

- · Convergence Technology
- · Database Design & Development
- · Game Programming
- · Mobile Development
- · Network Analyst
- Software Development
- Web Design & Development

This unique program allows technical specialization in one option while the common core courses and required electives from other options build a broad IT foundation needed to understand the terminology and methodologies of other IT specialties in the workplace.

Graduates will be encouraged to take advantage of access to corporate recruitment and IT recruiting firms. Internships and work-study positions will also be available. The IT graduate will be highly employable, in many cases even before graduation.

Prerequisites

Some courses may require appropriate test score or completion of basic math, basic English and/or reading courses with a "C" or better.

Graduation Requirements

All Anoka Technical College students seeking an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree, diploma or certification must meet the gradepoint average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher. Please contact your advisor for any further program graduation requirements.

Transfer Opportunities

To see how credits from this program may transfer into other Anoka Technical College programs or into a program at another college, visit:

- Minnesota Transfer: (www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_agreements.php?numResults=25&archive=false&from_inst=70&from_prog=&to_inst=&Search=Search)
- <u>Anoka Technical College transfer student</u>: (www.anokatech.edu/ BecomeStudent/Transfers.aspx)

Industry Information

Anoka Technical College Network Analyst graduates are specialists in their field, and have a broad base of foundational knowledge from

the common core courses that span the seven areas of concentration. Professional standards and proper methodology such as sound engineering principles and project management, are emphasized throughout the courses.

Wages/Outlook/Advancement

Wage information is available from the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (http://mn.gov/deed/jobseekers/job-outlook/index.jsp).

Technical Education: 57 Credits

Networking Fundamentals	3
Web Development Technologies	4
Project Management	4
Documentation Standards	2
IT Support	1
Programming Logic & Design	4
IT Support & Security	4
Information Systems Analysis	4
Windows Server Administration	6
Linux/Web Server Administration	4
DB Admin. & Security	4
Network Security Fundamentals	4
Internetworking Devices I	4
Cloud Computing	2
Integrated Capstone Project	4
Technology Fundamentals	3
	Networking Fundamentals

General Education/MnTC Requirements: 15 Credits

Also see: AAS degrees and diplomas in: Business Data Analyst, Convergency Technology, Information Systems Analyst, Mobile Development, Multimedia and Game Programming, Software Development and Web Design and Development

Start Dates

Fall Semester	August, October
Spring Semester	January, March
(Also multiple start options each semester.)	

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For information on how to apply, to schedule a tour, or for service during summer hours, contact Enrollment Services at 763-576-7710 or EnrollmentServices@anokatech.edu

