Career Description
Floral design is the art of using plant materials and flowers to create a pleasing and balanced composition. Evidence of refined floristry is found as far back as the culture of Ancient Egypt. Professionally designed floral designs, arrangements or artwork incorporate the elements of floral design: Line, Form, Space, Texture and Color and the Principles of Floral Design: Balance, Proportion, Rhythm, Contrast, Harmony and Unity.

Program Features
An introduction to floral arrangements focuses on the components of display for effective visual presentation. This course utilizes the principles and techniques that are common to display work in interiors and various businesses. The main emphasis will be on design and color principals, tools and materials used for floral arrangement and display, and safety issues. Wedding floral design and solemn occasions, plant and plant care, artificial and dried flowers, holidays, and theme arrangements are inclusive. Floral design business, securing funds, laws and licensing, shop layout, wholesale market, and pricing strategies for floral design business will be part of this program.

Admission Requirements
In addition to the college’s admissions policy, students must:
• Submit an application for admission.
• Be 16 years of age or older.
• Show documentation of high school graduation or satisfaction of high school equivalency prior to graduating from the program.
• Meet entrance exam requirements.

Costs *
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*Cost does not include online fees, books or tools

Start Dates
January 2014
January 2015