

## **LAB OBSERVATION/ESSAY INSTRUCTIONS**

### **Observation**

To schedule a scanning lab observation session, contact: Rachael Arnholt,  
Director of Sonography, at 217-554-2497 or [r.arnholt@dacc.edu](mailto:r.arnholt@dacc.edu)

### **Essay**

If you are unable to travel to DACC for an observation session due to your  
schedule and/or distance from Danville, you must then:

Type a 1-2 page essay that covers the following topics:

1. Why do you want to be a sonographer?
2. What is the job description of/typical workday like for a sonographer?
3. What is the average salary in the U.S. for a sonographer?
4. What are the employment/career advancement opportunities for a sonographer?

We recommend using the following sources of information:

[www.asrt.org](http://www.asrt.org)

[www.ardms.org](http://www.ardms.org)

[www.sdms.org](http://www.sdms.org)

<http://dacc.edu/depts/sono>

[https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=sonography](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=sonography)