Accreditation Commission for Audiology Education (ACAE)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation

Range of Accreditation Activity: ACAE accredits doctoral-level programs in audiology within the United States. Programs are located in regionally recognized institutions, e.g., universities and colleges. Students who are eligible for licensure in audiology in the U.S. must be graduates of an accredited program and have successfully passed a recognized national examination.

International Accreditation Activity:
- 0 Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.
- 0 U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

Sponsoring Organization: ACAE is an independent 501(c)(3) organization. It is also a partner of the American Academy of Audiology (AAA).

Composition of Decision-Making Body:
- 11 Member BOD: 1 Chair, 1 Vice-Chair, 1 Secretary-Treasurer, 7 Members at-large, 1 Public Member

Employees: 0 Full-time 2 Part-time

Volunteers: 40 served 2020-2021

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS

5 Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Institutions

2020-2021

5 Degree-Granting: 3 Public 2 Private Nonprofit 0 Private For-Profit

n/a Non-Degree-Granting: n/a Private Nonprofit n/a Private For-Profit

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: Every 10 years for re-accreditation with annual reports required each year

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: Every 8-10 years

Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

1 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted
0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied
0 Initial Accreditation Granted
0 Initial Accreditation Denied
2 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review
0 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up
0 Notice or Warning
0 Probation
0 Show Cause
0 Accreditation Terminated or Removed
0 Actions under Appeal
0 Other

Summary of Additional Actions
1 Substantive Changes Reviewed
3 Site Visits
0 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation