

Association for Behavior Analysis International (ABAI)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2022 - 2023

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation

Range of Accreditation Activity: The Accreditation Board of the Association for Behavior Analysis International accredits degree programs in behavior analysis at the master's and doctoral levels in institutions of higher learning in the United States of America.

International Accreditation Activity:

0 Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

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Yes Organization evaluates credentials or degrees from outside the U.S.

Sponsoring Organization: Association for Behavior Analysis International. (Its independent functional relationship is defined in the ABAI Accreditation Board Governance Policies and in the Memorandum of Understanding between ABAI and the ABAI Accreditation Board.)

Composition of Decision-Making Body:

A nine-member board composed of 7 voting members (1 is the community representative, 6 are faculty members - 3 applied behavior analysts and 3 basic behavior analysts) and 2 non-voting members (liaisons to the Executive Council; one is an elected member of the Council and the other is the CEO of the association)

n/a Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

0 Direct support from any sponsoring organization

204,522 In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 0 Full-time **1** Part-time **Volunteers: 12** – served 2022 - 2023

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

38 Accredited U.S. and non-U.S. Institutions and Programs

2022 - 2023

- 27 Total U.S. Degree-Granting
- 18 Public
- 9 Private Nonprofit
- 0 Private For-Profit

- 0 Total U.S. Non-Degree-Granting
- O Public
- O Private Nonprofit
- 0 Private For-Profit

1,738 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: 3-7 years

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: At least every 5 years

2022 - 2023

Summary of Formal Actions 2022 - 2023

- 0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted
- Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied
- 3 Initial Accreditation Granted
- 0 Initial Accreditation Denied
- **4** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review
- **4** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up
- **Summary of Additional Actions**
- 7 Substantive Changes Reviewed
- 6 Site Visits
- 0 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation

- 0 Notice or Warning
- **0** Probation
- 0 Show Cause
- 0 Accreditation Terminated or Removed
- Actions under Appeal
- 0 Other