

### Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications (ACEJMC)

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### PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

Accreditor types: Programmatic

**Recognition Status:** Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation

2022 - 2023

Range of Accreditation Activity: Programs in regionally and nationally accredited institutions within the United States and internationally that provide professional education in journalism and mass communications at the baccalaureate and master's degree level (only profession-focused master's level program)

#### **International Accreditation Activity:**

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

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

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

#### Non-US Program and Institution Countries

United Arab Emirates Mexico New Zealand Chile Qatar

Sponsoring Organization: n/a

#### Composition of Decision-Making Body:

A 24-member Council composed of members of media industry organizations, practitioners, educators at ACEJMC-accredited programs, the public.

320,000 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

0 Direct support from any sponsoring organization

 ${\bf 0} \ \ {\rm In\text{-}kind\ support\ from\ any\ sponsoring\ organization}$ 

**Employees: 2** Full-time **1** Part-time **Volunteers: 77** – served 2022 - 2023

## PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

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

2022 - 2023

119 Total U.S. Degree-Granting

**95** Public

24 Private Nonprofit

O Private For-Profit

**0** Total U.S. Non-Degree-Granting

**0** Public

**0** Private Nonprofit**0** Private For-Profit

**80,000** Students

# PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up:  $\boldsymbol{6}$ 

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards:  $10\,$ 

2022 - 2023

#### Summary of Formal Actions 2022 - 2023

0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

0 Initial Accreditation Granted

0 Initial Accreditation Denied27 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive

Review

**3** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

### Summary of Additional Actions

0 Substantive Changes Reviewed

26 Site Visits

0 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation

O Notice or Warning

2 Probation

O Show Cause

 ${\bf 0} \ \ {\sf Accreditation Terminated or Removed}$ 

0 Actions under Appeal

0 Other

