



Commission on English Language Program Accreditation (CEA)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2022 - 2023

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the U.S. Department of Education

Range of Accreditation Activity: Accreditation of postsecondary, non-degree-granting English language programs and institutions in the United States and internationally

International Accreditation Activity:

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

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

No Organization evaluates credentials or degrees from outside the U.S.

Non-US Program and Institution Countries

Colombia	Greece	Kuwait	Morocco	Peru	Qatar	Saudi Arabia	Türkiye
Egypt	Iraq	Mexico					

Sponsoring Organization: n/a

Composition of Decision-Making Body:

11 elected members; 2 public members

1,394,344 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

0 Direct support from any sponsoring organization

0 In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 6 Full-time **16** Part-time

Volunteers: 103 – served 2022 - 2023

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

2022 - 2023

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

0 Total U.S. Degree-Granting

0 Public

0 Private Nonprofit

0 Private For-Profit

299 Total U.S. Non-Degree-Granting

87 Public

41 Private Nonprofit

171 Private For-Profit

65,697 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2022 - 2023

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: 5

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: 1

Summary of Formal Actions 2022 - 2023

26 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

26 Initial Accreditation Granted

0 Initial Accreditation Denied

54 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

25 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

21 Notice or Warning

3 Probation

2 Show Cause

0 Accreditation Terminated or Removed

0 Actions under Appeal

0 Other

Summary of Additional Actions

150 Substantive Changes Reviewed

76 Site Visits

35 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation