

International Fire Service Accreditation Congress - Degree Assembly (IFSAC-DA)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

Accreditor types: Programmatic

Recognition Status: Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation

2018-2019

Range of Accreditation Activity: The IFSAC Degree Assembly accredits fire and emergency related degree programs at the associate, baccalaureate, and master levels offered by colleges and universities in the United States and throughout the world. (2017)

International Accreditation Activity:

- 1 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.

Sponsoring Organization: IFSAC-DA is a part of IFSAC as a whole, which receives in-kind donations from Oklahoma State University for facilities, legal and HR support. IFSAC is housed on OSU-Stillwater campus, but IFSAC is self-governed and OSU has no input on the accreditation process.

63,000 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

n/a Direct support from any sponsoring organization

n/a In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 4 Full-time **0** Part-time **Volunteers: 11** – served 2018-2019

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS

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

2018-2019

- 38 Degree-Granting:
- **33** Public
- 3 Private Nonprofit
- 2 Private For-Profit

n/a Students

- **0** Non-Degree-Granting:
- O Public
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PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: Every 5 years.

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: Every 3 years.

2018-2019

Summary of Formal Actions 2018-2019

- 0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted
- **0** Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied
- 2 Initial Accreditation Granted
- 0 Initial Accreditation Denied
- **5** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review
- **0** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

Summary of Additional Actions

4 Substantive Changes Reviewed

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

n/a Other

Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation

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