Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education (MACTE)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

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

Range of Accreditation Activity: Accredits Montessori teacher education institutions and programs that award credentials to their graduates in the United States, Brazil, Canada, China, Czech Republic, Korea, Mexico, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Philippines, Poland, South Africa, Sweden, Taiwan, Turkey, United Kingdom, and Vietnam.

International Accreditation Activity:
- 34 Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.
- 10 U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.
- No Organization evaluates credentials or degrees from outside the U.S.

Sponsoring Organization: None

Composition of Decision-Making Body:
The composition of the Board of Directors shall not exceed twelve non-public (Montessori) board members and three public board members, for a total of no more than fifteen

750,000 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 1 Part-time
Volunteers: 62 – served 2020-2021

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

112 Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Programs

2020-2021

112 Degree-Granting:
- 12 Public
- 100 Private For-Profit

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

2,550 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

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

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: Every 5 years.

Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

n/a Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted
n/a Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied
22 Initial Accreditation Granted
1 Initial Accreditation Denied
n/a Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review
2 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

0 Notice or Warning
5 Probation
n/a Show Cause
8 Accreditation Terminated or Removed
1 Actions under Appeal
0 Other

Summary of Additional Actions

45 Substantive Changes Reviewed

42 Site Visits

15 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation