



## Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)

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### PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2022 - 2023

**Accreditor types:** Institutional

**Recognition Status:** Recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation and the U.S. Department of Education

**Range of Accreditation Activity:** Accredits U.S. and non-U.S. colleges and universities with degree-granting authority which offer one or more post-secondary educational programs, including those offered via distance education, of at least one academic year in length at the Associate's or higher level in Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and any other geographic areas in which the Commission elects to conduct accrediting activities within and outside of the United States.

**International Accreditation Activity:**

**17** Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

**53** 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**

Austria	Chile	France	Italy	Switzerland	United Arab Emirates	United Kingdom	British Virgin Islands
Canada	Egypt	Ireland	Lebanon	Taiwan			

**Sponsoring Organization:** n/a

**Composition of Decision-Making Body:**

At least a 27-member Commission composed of academic, administrative, and public representatives. Federal regulation requires 1/7 of the Commission be public representatives.

**6,808,046** Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

**0** Direct support from any sponsoring organization

**0** In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

**Employees: 38** Full-time **2** Part-time

**Volunteers: 580** – served 2022 - 2023

### PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

2022 - 2023

**519** Accredited U.S. and non-U.S. Institutions and Programs

**502** Total U.S. Degree-Granting

**195** Public

**287** Private Nonprofit

**20** Private For-Profit

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

**0** Public

**0** Private Nonprofit

**0** Private For-Profit

**3,990,790** Students

### PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2022 - 2023

**Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: 8**

**Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: 10**

**Summary of Formal Actions 2022 - 2023**

**4** Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

**0** Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

**1** Initial Accreditation Granted

**0** Initial Accreditation Denied

**64** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

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

**13** Notice or Warning

**1** Probation

**3** Show Cause

**3** Accreditation Terminated or Removed

**0** Actions under Appeal

**365** Other

**Summary of Additional Actions**

**396** Substantive Changes Reviewed

**114** Site Visits

**1** Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation