



National Accrediting Commission of Career Arts and Sciences (NACCAS)

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PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2020-2021

Accreditor types: Institutional

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

Range of Accreditation Activity: Postsecondary non-degree institutions and programs in cosmetology, manicuring, aesthetics, barbering, massage and related areas in the United States, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and United States territories.

International Accreditation Activity:

n/a Non-U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

n/a U.S. institutions or programs operating outside the U.S.

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

Sponsoring Organization: n/a

Composition of Decision-Making Body:

Board of 13 Commissioners - 5 School Owner Commissioners; 2 School Administrator Commissioners; 2 Academic Commissioners; 2 Professional Services Commissioners; & 2 Public Interest Commissioners

7,300,000 Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

n/a Direct support from any sponsoring organization

n/a In-kind support from any sponsoring organization

Employees: 33 Full-time **0** Part-time

Volunteers: n/a – served 2020-2021

PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS

2020-2021

1,156 Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Institutions

0 Degree-Granting:

0 Public

0 Private Nonprofit

0 Private For-Profit

1,156 Non-Degree-Granting:

0 Public

25 Private Nonprofit

1,131 Private For-Profit

179,411 Students

PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2020-2021

Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up: Institutions granted Initial Accreditation receive a term of accreditation of not greater than three (3) years. Institutions granted Renewal of Accreditation receive a term of accreditation of not greater than six (6) years.

Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards: Two standards reviewed each year; all reviewed over a 5-year period.

Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

61 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

0 Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

29 Initial Accreditation Granted

7 Initial Accreditation Denied

498 Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

n/a Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review with Required Follow-up

n/a Notice or Warning

61 Probation

60 Show Cause

13 Accreditation Terminated or Removed

49 Actions under Appeal

n/a Other

Summary of Additional Actions

707 Substantive Changes Reviewed

783 Site Visits

86 Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation