



## WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC)

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### PROFILE OF ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION

2020-2021

**Accreditor types:** Institutional

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

**Range of Accreditation Activity:** Institutions of higher education in the US and internationally that offer the baccalaureate degree or above.

#### International Accreditation Activity:

**11** 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.

**Sponsoring Organization:** None

#### Composition of Decision-Making Body:

32 Commissioners including 7 public members, 13 from private institutions, 10 from public institutions, 1 representative from a For-Profit institution, 1 representative from the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, and 1 representative from the Accrediting Commission for Schools.

**6,665,860** Operating Budget for Accrediting Unit Only

**0** Direct support from any sponsoring organization

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

**Employees: 23** Full-time **0** Part-time

**Volunteers: 507** – served 2020-2021

### PROFILE OF ACCREDITED INSTITUTIONS

2020-2021

**214** Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Institutions

**214** Degree-Granting:

**44** Public

**141** Private Nonprofit

**29** Private For-Profit

**0** Non-Degree-Granting:

**0** Public

**0** Private Nonprofit

**0** Private For-Profit

**1,399,418** Students

### PROFILE OF ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

2020-2021

**n/a** Accredited U.S and non-U.S. Programs

**204** Degree-Granting:

**44** Public

**130** Private Nonprofit

**30** Private For-Profit

**0** Non-Degree-Granting:

**0** Public

**0** Private Nonprofit

**0** Private For-Profit

**1,399,418** Students

### PROFILE OF ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

2020-2021

**Frequency of Comprehensive Reviews and Required Follow-Up:** Comprehensive reviews every 6, 8 or 10 years. Follow up varies.

**Frequency of Comprehensive Review of Accreditation Standards:** Every 6, 8 or 10 years.

#### Summary of Formal Actions 2020-2021

**4** Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Granted

**1** Initial Candidacy or Preaccreditation Denied

**7** Initial Accreditation Granted

**0** Initial Accreditation Denied

**32** Accreditation Continued Following Comprehensive Review

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

**8** Notice or Warning

**1** Probation

**1** Show Cause

**0** Accreditation Terminated or Removed

**0** Actions under Appeal

**0** Other

#### Summary of Additional Actions

**93** Substantive Changes Reviewed

**56** Site Visits

**1** Voluntary Discontinuance or Expiration of Accreditation

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