

The seal of the State of Arkansas is a circular emblem. It features a central figure, the Arkansas State Personification, holding a torch and a scroll. The figure is surrounded by a wreath and a shield. The shield contains a plow, a sheaf of wheat, and a cotton plant. The outer ring of the seal contains the text "GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS".

# Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board

Regular Quarterly Meeting

October 31, 2014

**ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION  
COORDINATING BOARD  
REGULAR QUARTERLY MEETING**

**Arkansas Department of Higher Education  
Five Main Place Building  
423 Main Street  
Little Rock, AR 72201**

# **SCHEDULE**

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**Friday, October 31, 2014**

**Finance Committee  
8:30 a.m.**

**Academic Committee  
9:15 a.m.**

**Convene Coordinating Board Meeting  
\*10:00 a.m.**

\*Time approximate. Meeting will begin at the end of the Academic Committee meeting.

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10:00 a.m.

Arkansas Department of Higher Education

## AGENDA

### I. EXECUTIVE

- \*1. Approve Minutes of the July 25, 2014 Regular Meeting
- \*2. Appointment of Nominating Committee (Chairman Bob Crafton)
- \*3. Approval of 2015 Coordinating Board Meeting Schedule (Director Shane Broadway)
4. Agency Updates (Director Broadway)
- \*5. University of Arkansas System  
Establishment of New Online Campus: eVersity (Director Broadway)
6. Report on Academic Program Deletions (Mr. Rick Jenkins)
7. Annual Report on Institutional Certification (Ms. Alana Boles)
8. Policy Clarification: Concurrent Enrollment- AHECB 5.16 (Ms. Cynthia Moten)
9. Policy Clarification: Institutional Certification -ICAC Rules, AHECB 5.2 (Ms. Moten)

### II. FINANCE

- \*10. Economic Feasibility of Loan Issue for the University of Arkansas – System  
(Ms. Chandra Robinson)
- \*11. Economic Feasibility of Bond Issue for the University of Central Arkansas  
(Ms. Robinson)
12. Bond/Loan Feasibility Update (Ms. Tara Smith)
13. Maintenance Report (Ms. Smith)

14. Report of 2013-14 Intercollegiate Athletic Revenues and Expenditures (Mr. Jake Eddington)

### III. ACADEMIC

- \*15. University of Arkansas - Fort Smith  
Role and Scope Change Request to Offer Master of Science in Healthcare Administration (Ms. Moten)
- \*16. Off Campus Instruction Center: University of Arkansas at Little Rock  
Degree Center on the Texarkana Campus of the University of Arkansas  
Community College at Hope/Texarkana (Ms. Moten)
- \*17. Institutional Certification Advisory Committee: Resolutions  
(Ms. Boles)
18. Letters of Notification (Ms. Lillian Williams)
19. Letters of Intent (Ms. Williams)

# FINANCE COMMITTEE

Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board  
Arkansas Department of Higher Education  
Board Room

Friday, October 31, 2014

8:30 a.m.

## Finance Committee

Horace Hardwick, Chair

Dr. Charles Allen

Dr. Joe Bennett

Chris Gilliam

Sherrel Johnson

Greg Revels

Bob Crafton, Ex officio

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**Arkansas Department of Higher Education**  
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Academic Committee

Sarah Argue, Chair

Dr. Olin Cook

Florine Milligan

Ben Pickard

Mary Anne Salmon

Bob Crafton, Ex officio

**REGULAR AGENDA**

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**CONSENT AGENDA**

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(Ms. Alana Boles)
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**ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD**  
**Regular Quarterly Meeting**  
**July 25, 2014**

**Minutes of Meeting**

The July 25, 2014, regular meeting of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) was held at the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) in Little Rock, Arkansas. Chairman Hodges called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. with all Coordinating Board members present.

Coordinating Board present:

Kaneaster Hodges, Chair  
Bob Crafton, Vice Chair  
Sarah Argue, Secretary  
Dr. Charles Allen  
Dr. Joe Bennett  
Dr. Olin Cook  
Horace Hardwick  
Sherrel Johnson  
Florine Milligan  
Ben Pickard  
Greg Revels  
Mary Anne Salmon

Department staff present:

Shane Broadway, Director  
Cynthia Moten, Associate Director for Academic Programs  
Rick Jenkins, Associate Director for Planning and Accountability  
Tara Smith, Senior Associate Director for Finance  
Janet Lawrence, General Counsel  
Jeanne Jones, Program Specialist for Academic Affairs  
Lillian Williams, Program Specialist for Academic Affairs  
Alana Boles, Program Specialist for Academic Affairs  
Chandra Robinson, Program Coordinator for Institutional Finance  
Callan Callaway, Program Coordinator for Institutional Finance  
Jake Eddington, Program Specialist for Institutional Finance  
Brandi Hinkle, Communications Coordinator  
Nichole Abernathy, Executive Assistant

Presidents, chancellors, institutional representatives, members of the press, and guests were also present.

Chairman Hodges introduced Director Shane Broadway, for a welcome. Director Broadway welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming to the AHECB meeting.

Chairman Hodges thanked Broadway for his welcome.

Agenda Item No. 1  
Approval of Minutes

Greg Revels moved to approve Agenda Item No. 1. Horace Hardwick seconded the motion and the Board unanimously approved.

Agenda Item No. 2  
Report of Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee (Chair- Dr. Joe Bennett, Mary Anne Salmon and Horace Hardwick) recommended the following slate of Board officers for 2014-15 (Horace Hardwick as Vice Chair and Finance Committee Chair).

Dr. Joe Bennett moved to accept the 2014-2015 nominations. Greg Revels seconded the motion and the Board unanimously approved.

Agenda Item No. 3  
Agency Updates

*ADHE Staff Changes*

Director Broadway began by introducing ADHE's new financial aid employee Steven Bell and new receptionist Tracye McKeown. He announced that Angela Lasiter moved from the ADHE finance department to the academic affairs department.

*Faculty Performance Report*

According to Arkansas law and ADHE policy, each institution is required to perform faculty reviews. ADHE staff is required to monitor faculty evaluation processes adopted at Arkansas public institutions and report annually to the AHECB and Legislative Council, said Broadway. All institutions conducted faculty performance reviews during 2013-14 using a variety of methods including assessment by students, classroom visits by administrators, peer review, and self-evaluation activities.

*ADHE Newsletter*

ADHE has re-implemented our newsletter. The newsletter will feature institutions and the positive things going on across the state. It will be sent electronically to people throughout Arkansas higher education, the legislature and to other stakeholders, prior to our quarterly board meetings.



*April Tornadoes*

Director Broadway expressed how proud he was of ADHE staff for their efforts after the Vilonia and Mayflower tornadoes on April 27. There were some unbelievable stories of some of the students affected that lost everything. Some of the students' determination to finish school was very inspiring, he said.

*Miss Arkansas*

Director Broadway introduced Miss Arkansas, Ashton Campbell. Campbell's platform is higher education, said Broadway and she has set an ambitious goal of talking to 75,000 people this year.

Campbell began by thanking the Coordinating Board for giving her the opportunity to address everyone. Ashton stated that since the age of four, she knew she wanted to go to college, specifically the University of Arkansas. At the age of 14 she started pageants as a way to pay for college. In college, she learned that Arkansas was ranked second in child poverty. That prompted her to focus on education to combat these issues. Her platform is "Aim Higher, Setting Our Sights on Higher Education."

Agenda Item No. 4  
Report on 2013 Fall College-Going Rate

The college-going rate measures the proportion of students enrolling in postsecondary education in the fall semester after finishing high school, in most cases, immediately after high school. Since most students enrolling in postsecondary education do so immediately after completing high school, the college-going rate is an indicator of the total proportion that will or did enroll in postsecondary education. The percentage, therefore, reflects the accessibility of higher education as well as students' assessments of the value of attending college when compared to working, entering the military, traveling, or following other pursuits.

The college-going rate (CGR) for all Arkansas public and independent institutions for the 2013 Fall term was 54.3 percent. This represents an increase of 1.4 percentage points from the previous fall term. The share of CGR students at 4-Year Universities has decreased from 33.0 percent to 32.8 percent (a decrease of 0.2 percentage points). The share of CGR students at 2-Year Colleges has increased from 18.2 percent to 18.5 percent (an increase of 0.3 percentage points). The share of CGR students at Private/Independent Institutions has increased from 1.7 percent to 3.0 percent (an increase of 1.3 percentage points). The majority of CGR students attend 4-Year Universities.

Agenda Item No. 5  
Clarification of Concurrent Enrollment Policy  
Approval of Institutional Plans for  
Concurrent Enrollment Program

Arkansas law allows for the enrollment of high school students in college-level courses under certain conditions. Concurrent enrollment allows students to obtain credit toward a high school diploma at the same time they earn college credit.

The concurrent enrollment policy was first approved by the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) in October 1998 with the latest revision in July 2013.

***RESOLVED***, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the clarification statements for concurrent enrollment policy implementation effective August 2014.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the policy amendment on concurrent enrollment effective Fall 2013. The concurrent enrollment policy outlines the guidelines for concurrent program participation; however, Arkansas state-supported colleges and universities are not required to participate in a concurrent enrollment program; and a high school/school district may choose to partner with more than one Arkansas college/university for concurrent courses.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That any Arkansas state-supported college or university that chooses to participate in a concurrent enrollment program with a public school district, private high school, or home-school student shall implement and administer the concurrent program in accordance with the policies of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the rules of the Arkansas State Board of Education. *[An out-of-state college or university that chooses to participate in a concurrent enrollment program with a public school district, private high school, or home-school student must be authorized to offer college courses to Arkansans under Arkansas Code §6-61-301 and AHECB Policy 5.2-ICAC Rules; and shall implement and administer the concurrent program in accordance with the policies of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the rules of the Arkansas State Board of Education.]*

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That any college or university that chooses to participate in a concurrent enrollment program must be accredited by the National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP) or must be authorized by Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board no later than August 1, 2015. A college/university not offering concurrent courses currently must have AHECB's initial authorization for the

institutional concurrent enrollment program prior to the offering of concurrent courses.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That Arkansas state-supported colleges and universities will not participate with Arkansas Early College High School (AECBS) in the delivery of blended AP/concurrent courses for college credit.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That Arkansas state-supported colleges and universities will not participate with AECBS in the offering of single courses for multiple higher education institutions.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That ADHE staff will review, in cooperation with the Arkansas Department of Education, the blended AP/concurrent course offerings throughout the state to determine if these courses are in keeping with the concurrent enrollment policy as outlined in this agenda item.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the ADHE staff to submit an annual report on concurrent course enrollment to the Board which will include institutional data on concurrent course offerings and locations, and could include ADHE Executive Staff Recommendations for policy amendments on the administration, continuance, and funding of the concurrent enrollment program. *[The report also could include proposed clarification statements for concurrent policy implementation.]*

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to provide a copy of the amended policy to presidents and chancellors, academic affairs officers, student affairs officers, and institutional research officers at Arkansas state-supported colleges and universities.

Cynthia Moten asked that the Coordinating Board delay consideration of Agenda Item No. 5 until a later date. She explained that numerous questions have been received and the delay will give all parties involved time to respond.

Chairman Hodges said he hopes ADHE will take their time and get this right. This is too critical an issue for students.

Agenda Item No. 6  
Operating Recommendations  
for 2015-17 Biennium

A.C.A. §6-61-224 establishes the process and key components for formula development for funding public institutions of higher education.

At its April 25, 2014 meeting, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approved the funding models for the two-year colleges, universities, and the technical centers (former technical institutes merged with universities). These models had been developed in conjunction with presidents and chancellors after meetings and revisions. The funding models were used to develop the comparative needs of Arkansas institutions of higher education in terms of the average funding levels of schools in the SREB region.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board adopts the recommendations for state funding of the educational and general operations of Arkansas public institutions of higher education in the 2015-17 biennium as included in Tables 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D and 1E.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to prepare appropriate documents for transmission to the Governor and the General Assembly of the 2015-17 operating recommendations of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That should any errors of a technical nature be found in these recommendations, the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to make appropriate corrections consistent with the policy established by the Board's action on these recommendations.

Director Broadway said that because of current discussions regarding the Fast Track Initiative, the two-year institutions might be back during the October fiscal session to look at some of the elements of the two-year model that they want to discuss further and possibly change.

Bob Crafton commented that this is a lot of overwhelming information and asked Ms. Smith what happens next.

Ms. Smith said the ADHE staff will take this in conjunction with several of the next agenda items and provide a budget recommendation to the General Assembly and the Governor for their consideration.

Greg Revels moved to recommend the approval Agenda Item No. 6 to the full Board. Dr. Joe Bennett seconded and the Committee approved. Chairman Kaneaster Hodges voted no.

Agenda Item No. 7  
Personal Services Recommendations  
for Non-Classified Personnel

A.C.A. §6-61-209 requires the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board to present a consolidated budget request from the state-supported colleges and

universities to the General Assembly and the Governor prior to each regular session of the General Assembly. As part of this process, the quantity of positions, titles, and line-item maximum salaries for all non-classified administrative, academic, and auxiliary positions at each Arkansas public institution of higher education have been reviewed, and changes were recommended.

These recommendations, to be effective July 1, 2015, recognize the varying structures and sizes of institutions, while maintaining reasonable consistency among similar positions at institutions. The primary objective of the ADHE staff was to maintain relative uniformity in titles and line-item maximums for similar positions in comparable institutions, while recognizing the varying missions and structures of institutions, priorities of the new biennium, and FTE enrollment growth.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board adopts the recommended number of positions, titles, and maximum salaries for non-classified positions in academic, administrative, and auxiliary positions for the 2015-17 biennium as recommended by staff.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to make technical corrections consistent with Coordinating Board action.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board requests the Director to transmit the Personal Services recommendations to the Governor and the General Assembly for consideration for the 2015-17 biennium.

Director Broadway noted that the process for our review for ADHE staff started in March. Therefore, the institutions had to start their process last year. Basically they have to determine what personnel they will need, three years in advance, he said.

Dr. Joe Bennett asked how Arkansas salaries compared to SREB salaries. Ms. Smith said Arkansas is on the lower end.

Dr. Bennett asked if the legislators were concerned by the salary discrepancy. Director Broadway said that some are concerned on the two-year level. He noted that some high school teachers make more than some two-year instructors and professors.

Greg Revels moved to recommend the approval of Agenda Item No. 7 to the full Board. Sherrel Johnson seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 8  
Recommendations for State Funding  
of Capital Projects: 2015-17 Biennium

From a total of over \$500 million appropriated, the Governor and the 89<sup>th</sup> General Assembly have provided to date allocations totaling \$65.5 million for distribution from the General Improvement Fund (GIF) for various capital projects at institutions of higher education. For the 2009-11 biennium, almost \$35 million was distributed for capital projects. For the 2007-09 biennium, almost \$59 million was distributed, and \$16.5 million was distributed for capital projects in the 2005-07 biennium.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board adopts the staff recommendations for state funding of capital projects totaling \$225.6 million as identified in the accompanying agenda materials.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director is authorized to transmit to the Governor and the General Assembly the Board's recommendation for state funding.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director is authorized to make such technical adjustments to these recommendations as may be required.

Chairman Hodges inquired about the maintenance funds and how they were used. Ms. Smith explained that ADHE would present the Maintenance Report during the October Coordinating meeting. She also noted that each institution was required to use their funds for critical maintenance across their campus as they deemed necessary. Chairman Hodges requested to see the last Maintenance Report.

Greg Revels asked, regarding the capital project recommendations, what percentage was funded last biennium. Director Broadway said that thanks to Senator Lamoureux and legislators, there was more money allocated to the institutions right off the top.

Florine Milligan said two institutions had made about four or five requests. Is there a particular criteria that isn't being met, she asked. Ms. Smith said many times you will see that institutions will have many requests. We asked them to prioritize their requests. Many times you will see repeat requests because of lack of funding for that project. Therefore the institutions will request from biennium to biennium hoping to get enough funds to complete that project, said Smith.

Greg Revels moved to recommend the approval of Agenda Item No. 8 to the full Board. Dr. Joe Bennett seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 9  
Performance Based Funding  
(Outcomes-Centered) Measures

Act 1203 of 2011 repealed Arkansas Code § 6-61-223 and amended §6-61-224, §6-61-228, §6-61-229, and §6-61-230. The act directs the Department of Higher Education to develop an outcome-centered component of the funding formula for colleges and universities by December 31, 2011. Beginning in 2013-14, the funding recommendations will be based on the need component of student enrollment and the output components of student success and other performance measures. The proportion of the funding recommendation will begin with five percent based on outcome-centered measures, increasing by five percent each year to reach 25 percent in 2017-18. The Director and staff at the Department of Higher Education worked with the presidents, chancellors and key staff at the universities and colleges, along with the Executive Director and key staff at the Arkansas Association of Two-Year Colleges, to develop the university and college performance measures.

**RESOLVED,** That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board adopts the amendment to the performance measures described in this agenda item for outcome-centered components in implementing the provisions of Act 1203 of 2011.

Director Broadway added that ADHE consulted with Complete College America (CCA). Going forward the plan will be to separate those out into a different field (reverse transfer field), so they aren't included in the normal associate degree field and they won't create a spike.

Greg Revels said that should become a non-issue soon, because the spike due to reverse transfer is a one-time thing. Director Broadway said it should be a one-year spike. However, the problem is it affects institutions for three years.

Sherrel Johnson moved to recommend the approval of Agenda Item No. 9 to the full Board. Horace Hardwick seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 10  
Certification of Intercollegiate Athletic Budgets  
for 2014 - 15

A.C.A. §6-62-805 (Act 366 of 1991) requires each state-supported institution of higher education to annually certify by June 15 to the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board that its intercollegiate athletic program will generate sufficient revenues to meet expenditures or that any athletic deficit will be met by separate institutional board-sanctioned student athletic fees.

Other than the educational and general transfer, the use of auxiliary profits is the most sensitive source of income for financing athletic budgets. Other auxiliary

profits are included as a revenue source for intercollegiate athletic programs; however, the use of auxiliary funds to support intercollegiate athletic programs should not undermine sound fiscal management of those auxiliary enterprises.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board accepts the Certification of Intercollegiate Athletic Revenues and Expenditures Budgeted for 2014-15 as prepared in accordance with Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board uniform accounting standards and definitions for athletic reporting.

Sarah Argue asked why a 20 percent raise was necessary for SAUM. Trey Berry, Provost at SAU replied that SAU has some new facilities. Mainly because of compliance and title nine, they are working on using the fees towards that. He also noted that SAU hasn't had an increase in a while.

Dr. Joe Bennett commented that there are three two-year institutions that don't charge an athletic fee, Cossatot Community College of the University of Arkansas (CCCUA), North Arkansas College (Northark) and Midsouth Community College (MSCC). Tara Smith explained that these are really small athletic programs and generally they have very limited facilities that are dedicated to athletics. Therefore, they might not see a need to charge their students an athletic fee.

Dr. Olin Cook noted that none of the three institutions have a football program.

Dr. Jackie Elliott, President of Northark explained that they do charge a student activity fee, which helps support athletics as well as other organizations.

Ben Pickard asked if Northark covered their scholarships out of their student activity fee. President Elliott said yes.

Dr. Charles Allen moved to recommend the approval of Agenda Item No. 10 to the full Board for consideration. Dr. Joe Bennett seconded and the Committee approved. Kaneaster Hodges voted no.

Agenda Item No. 11  
Economic Feasibility of Bond Issue  
Arkansas Tech University – Ozark

Arkansas Tech University – Ozark Campus requests approval of the economic feasibility of plans to issue bonds not to exceed \$6 million with a term of up to thirty (30) years at an annual interest rate not to exceed 5.0 percent. Proceeds from the bond issue will be used for educational & general (E&G) purposes. Arkansas Tech University Board of Trustees approved this financing at its meeting on May 15, 2014.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board considers economically feasible plans for Arkansas Tech University – Ozark Campus to issue bonds in an amount not to



exceed \$6 million with a term of up to thirty (30) years at an estimated interest rate not to exceed 5.0 percent to construct and equip the Allied Health Building and complete the Roofing Project for the Technology and the Academic Support Building.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of Arkansas Tech University of the Coordinating Board's resolution.

There were no questions.

Dr. Joe Bennett moved to recommend the approval of Agenda Item No. 11 to the full Board. Sherrel Johnson seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 12  
Economic Feasibility of Bond Issue  
NorthWest Arkansas Community College

Northwest Arkansas Community College requests approval of the economic feasibility of plans to issue bonds not to exceed \$3 million with a term of twenty (20) years at an annual interest rate not to exceed 4.0 percent. Proceeds from the bond issue will be used for educational & general (E&G) purposes. The Northwest Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees approved this financing at its meeting on June 9, 2014.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board considers economically feasible plans for Northwest Arkansas Community College to issue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$3 million with a term of twenty (20) years at an estimated interest rate of 4.0 percent to purchase 20 acres of land in Springdale, Arkansas.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of Northwest Arkansas Community College of the Coordinating Board's resolution.

There were no questions.

Horace Hardwick moved to recommend Agenda Item No. 12 to the full Board for consideration. Dr. Charles Allen seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 13  
Technical Certificate in Hospitality Management  
Arkansas State University – Mountain Home

The technical certificate in Hospitality Management prepares students for entry-level management positions in the front office, reservations, purchasing, dining rooms and marketing at hotels, resorts, and restaurants. Mountain Home High School began offering courses in hospitality, travel and tourism during the 2013-14 school year. This proposed program will provide an opportunity for these local high school students to continue their education in this field of study.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the Technical Certificate in Hospitality Management (CIP 52.0401, 32 semester credit hours) offered by Arkansas State University - Mountain Home, effective Fall 2014.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to inform the President and Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas State University System, and the Chancellor of Arkansas State University–Mountain Home of the approval.

There were no questions.

Agenda Item No. 14  
Doctor of Occupational Therapy and  
Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant  
Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

There are no Occupational Therapy (OT) programs in the northeast or eastern regions. The proposed OT and occupational therapy assistant (OTA) programs are designed to meet the occupational health care needs of persons in these regions and beyond. ASUJ has not been in a position to develop the degree until now, and a consultant was hired to help develop the curricula. Additionally, in October 2013, 300 OT/OTAs were invited to ASUJ for an informational meeting to discuss program development. Area healthcare administrators also were surveyed on employer need and clinical placement support. The results were overwhelming that OT/OTAs are needed and jobs are available. St. Bernard's Medical Center, Poplar Bluff Regional Medical Center, Health Management Associates-Twin Rivers Regional Medical Center, Mid-South Health Systems, Harris Hospital, Health South Rehabilitation Hospital of Jonesboro, NEA Baptist Memorial Hospital are some of the employers that have need for OT/OTAs. A report from the Arkansas Center for Rural Health indicated a need for 600 OTs through 2016.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant (CIP 51.0803, 63 semester credit hours) and the Doctor of Occupational

Therapy (CIP 51.2306, 120 semester credit hours), offered by Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, effective Summer 2015.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to inform the President and Chair of the Board of Trustees of Arkansas State University System, and the Chancellor of Arkansas State University – Jonesboro of the approval. Program continuation is contingent on ASUJ obtaining and maintaining program accreditation with the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education.

There were no questions.

Agenda Items No. 15 & 16  
Letters of Notification and Letters of Intent

The Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education approved institutional requests for new programs not requiring Board action unless further review is requested by the Board. During this period, the Institutional Certification Advisory Committee received notice of requests from out-of-state institutions to offer degree programs to Arkansas residents. The program notice lists appear in the Letters of Notification on pages 15-1 through 15-87 and in the Letters of Intent on pages 16-1 through 16-26 of the agenda book.

Ms. Moten noted that at the October 31, 2014 Coordinating Board meeting, the Board would be asked to consider a request from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock to establish a degree center at the University of Arkansas Community College at Hope (UACCH), Texarkana campus. This center will allow the university to offer bachelor degree completion programs for the Texarkana students. It would not preclude other universities from offering course work with UACCH, Texarkana campus.

Agenda Item No. 17  
Off Campus Instruction Center in Sheridan, Arkansas  
College of the Ouachitas

The administration and Board of Trustees of the College of the Ouachitas (COTO) request Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board recognition of an off-campus institutional site in Sheridan, Arkansas, to be called the College of the Ouachitas-Grant County Center and commonly referenced as COTO-Sheridan, and Coordinating Board approval to offer remedial/developmental education courses and a limited number of general education core courses and business courses leading to associate degree programs. Since 2009, COTO has offered an Adult Education program in Sheridan that allows Grant County residents to complete the GED. This adult education program will be relocated to the proposed prime location for COTO on Rock Street (directly across from Walmart) which will allow adults completing the GED to enroll in college courses at the same site. There will be modest costs for the renovation of the Sheridan facility. One

administrative staff person will be housed at the Sheridan site, and adjunct faculty will be employed. Annual enrollment for the first year is projected to be 50-100 students and increase to 500 students in 10 years. Tuition will cover the cost of instruction.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) approves the establishment of the College of the Ouachitas, Grant County Center in Sheridan, Arkansas (COTO-Sheridan), and the offering of selected courses leading to associate degree completion along with the offering of remedial/developmental education courses effective immediately; contingent on off-campus center accreditation or recognition by the Higher Learning Commission.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) to inform the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of the College of the Ouachitas of the approval.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the ADHE Director to notify the administrations of the College of the Ouachitas and Southeast Arkansas College that the unnecessary duplication of courses is to be avoided; and that the ADHE Director must inform the AHECB of disputes that arise between any Arkansas public colleges and universities regarding off-campus course offerings.

Dr. Stephen Schoonmaker, President of the College of the Ouachitas (COTO), said that they serve a five county region of the state. They are the only two-year college with a service district to include Hot Springs and Clark counties. To date, COTO has only one official campus location and that is in Malvern, Arkansas. Next, President Schoonmaker presented information on the Program Career Center, the Sheridan High School and concurrent enrollment courses, as well as the Grant County Adult Education Program. He noted that Dr. Steve Hilterbran, President of Southeast Arkansas College, has been very supportive of this program.

Chairman Crafton asked when the center would open and would it require additional facilities. President Schoonmaker said that with approval, they are looking at starting in January. He said they have identified a building location that can house both their adult education and college course offerings. The facility will need some work which will prevent them from starting in traditional fall – maybe late fall. They will definitely have a spring semester start.

Florine Milligan moved to recommend Agenda Item No. 17 to the full Board for consideration. Dr. Olin Cook seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 18  
Role and Scope Change  
Doctor of Education in School Leadership  
Arkansas Tech University

In March 2012, a review team visited the ATU campus to evaluate the institution's request for a change in role and scope from an institution offering degrees up to the specialist degree to one that also offers doctoral degrees. The reviewers requested additional information from ATU related to institutional readiness and identified topics for further consideration by the ATU faculty and administrators. Over an 18-month period, ATU addressed the areas identified by the reviewers and the reviewers' final report was favorable to the ATU request. Two Arkansas universities questioned the need for another doctoral degree program in educational leadership.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the role and scope change for Arkansas Tech University to offer the Doctor of Education in School Leadership (CIP 13.0401, 33 semester credit hours beyond the Educational Specialist) effective August 2014. Program continuation contingent on Higher Learning Commission accreditation/recognition of doctoral degrees at ATU.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to inform the President and Chair of the Board of Trustees of Arkansas Tech University of the conditions of the role and scope approval for the offering of doctoral degree programs.

Dr. Robin Bowen, President of Arkansas Tech University (ATU), introduced ATU faculty and supporters that helped with the Doctor of Education in School Leadership proposal; John Watson, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. Mary Gunter, Dean of the Graduate School, Dr. Sherry Field, Dean of the Education Department, Dr. Mona Chadwick, Chair of the Center for Leadership and Learning and Dr. Andrea Martin, Superintendent of Alpena.

President Bowen explained ATU's long history of offering graduate degree programs. She explained that offering this doctorate would be a natural transition and next step in their institution's evolution.

Dr. Olin Cook praised ATU for their hard work in getting to the approval part of this process.

Sarah Argue said that she is excited about this program and a little curious considering UCA is only a few minutes away from ATU. However, she believes the more options there are available, it tends to encourage a lot of creative thinking. She also noted that she appreciated how thoughtfully this proposal had been done.

Dr. Olin Cook moved to recommend Agenda Item No. 18 to the full Board for consideration. Ben Pickard seconded and the Committee approved.

Agenda Item No. 19  
Role and Scope Change  
Master of Science in Healthcare Administration  
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith

In April 2014, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) approved an amendment to AHECB Policy 5.20 to allow one external review panel to consider the role and scope change request and the new program proposal that required the change request during a single on-campus visit which allows the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) staff to present a recommendation on both the role and scope change and new program proposal in one agenda item. In accordance with AHECB policy, the ADHE Executive Staff recommendation on the role and scope designation and initial master's degree for the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith is presented at this Coordinating Board meeting for information and discussion purposes only. AHECB members will vote on the recommended role and scope designation and proposed master's degree program at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the role and scope change for the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith to offer the Master of Science in Healthcare Administration (CIP 51.0701, 33 semester credit hours, 100 percent by distance technology) effective January 2015. Program continuation contingent on Higher Learning Commission accreditation/recognition of master's degrees at UAFS.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to inform the President and Chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System, and the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith of the conditions of the role and scope approval for the offering of master's degree programs. A status report must be submitted to ADHE on how the campus has addressed the basic standards and practices required for graduate instruction as outlined in the reviewers' report.

Dr. Paul Beran, Chancellor at the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith (UAFS), began by thanking ADHE staff for the phenomenal job they did while working with UAFS during the change in role and scope for the master of science in healthcare administration proposal process. Dr. Beran said that UAFS is on the verge of becoming a comprehensive regional university that serves the region and the city in such a way that they are focusing on putting people in the work place and getting them jobs.

Dr. Carolyn Mosley, Dean of the College of Health Sciences stated that she has been very impressed with UAFS's ability to respond to the community. Their hospitals, doctors and community have all asked for this program, she said. She then introduced several health care professionals representing the Fort Smith area that came to support the Master of Science in Healthcare Administration program.

Agenda Item No. 20  
Institutional Certification Advisory Committee

**Initial Program Certification-Distance Technology**

**RESOLVED**, That pursuant to ACA §6-61-301, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board grants initial program certification to the institutions listed on pages 2-7 to offer the specified degree programs to Arkansas residents for a period of three years through December 31, 2017.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the administration of said institutions that the certification of the degree programs requires the institution to notify the Arkansas Department of Higher Education whenever any of the following occurs: (1) major reorganization of the controlling body; (2) changes in the charter or incorporation documents of the institution; or (3) changes in the method of operation of the institution's programs in Arkansas.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director to notify the administration of said institutions that any advertisement or published materials using the name of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board or the Arkansas Department of Higher Education must contain the following statement:

Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board certification does not constitute an endorsement of any institution or program. Such certification merely indicates that certain criteria have been met as required under the rules and regulations implementing institutional and program certification as defined in Arkansas Code §6-61-301.

Argosy University, Orange, California

Arizona State University, Scottsdale, Arizona

Boise State University, Boise, Idaho

Colorado Technical University, Colorado Springs, Colorado

Concordia University Wisconsin, Mequon, Wisconsin

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia

Mid-America Christian University, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

Simmons College, Boston, Massachusetts

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

University of Nebraska at Kearney, Kearney, Nebraska

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska

University of Saint Mary, Leavenworth, Kansas

**Institutions offering Initial Programs in Arkansas by Distance Technology**

Ashland University, Ashland, Ohio

Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts

Columbia Southern University, Orange Beach, Alabama

Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Emporia State University, Emporia, Kansas

Freed-Hardeman University, Henderson, Tennessee

Grantham University, Lenexa, Kansas

Northcentral University, Scottsdale, Arizona

Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

**Initial Program Certification at Off-Campus Location in Arkansas**

New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York

**RESOLVED**, That pursuant to ACA §6-61-301, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) grants initial certification for the offering of the Master of Science in Medical/Health Care Simulation, Master of Science in Neuromusculoskeletal Sciences, and the Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine by the New York Institute of Technology at an off-campus facility leased on the campus of Arkansas State University-Jonesboro. This certification is for a period of three years through December 31, 2017; contingent on New York Institute of Technology obtaining and maintaining institutional accreditation for an off-campus location in Arkansas, and the New York Institute of Technology-College of Osteopathic Medicine obtaining and maintaining programmatic accreditation and hospital approval by the American Osteopathic Association-Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation to meet professional licensing requirements by the Arkansas State Medical Board



under Arkansas Code 17-91-101. New York Institute of Technology must provide an update on institutional and program accreditation to the Arkansas Department of Higher Education prior to enrolling students in any degree programs. The projected initial enrollment date is August 2016.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the administration of New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York, that the certification to offer degree programs to Arkansas residents requires the institution to notify the Arkansas Department of Higher Education whenever any of the following occurs: (1) major reorganization of the controlling body; (2) changes in the charter or incorporation documents of the institution; (3) changes in the method of operation of the institution's programs in Arkansas; (4) change in home state authorization; (5) a change in institutional accreditation status; or (6) a change in program accreditation or hospital approval status.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director to notify the administration of New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York, that any advertisement or published materials using the name of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board or the Arkansas Department of Higher Education must contain the following statement:

Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board certification does not constitute an endorsement of any institution or program. Such certification merely indicates that certain criteria have been met as required under the rules and regulations implementing institutional and program certification as defined in Arkansas Code §6-61-301.

New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York

**State Authorization for a New Arkansas Independent Institution of Higher Education**

**Institutional Planning and Development to Establish an Arkansas Independent College to Offer Medical and Health Education Degrees**

Proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas

**RESOLVED**, That pursuant to ACA §6-61-301, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) grants certification for institutional planning and development for the establishment of a new Arkansas independent college to be chartered as the Arkansas Colleges of Health Education in Fort Smith, Arkansas, and doing business as the Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, to offer initially the Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine. This certification for institutional planning and development is for a period of three years through December 31, 2017; which requires the Arkansas Colleges of Health Education, d/b/a Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, to obtain pre-accreditation status for the doctoral program in osteopathic medicine prior to the submission of an application for certification to the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) to obtain

AHECB authorization/recognition of the proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine as an Arkansas independent institution of higher education offering the Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine and other health education degrees.

The application for institutional authorization/program certification must be submitted to ADHE no later than October 1, 2015, for a projected enrollment date of August 2016; or by October 1, 2016, for an enrollment date of August 2017. Prior to admitting or enrolling students in any degree programs, the proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine must obtain institutional authorization/recognition as an Arkansas institution of higher education and initial program certification for the Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine from the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board; and must provide written documentation from the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools of the status/timeline of institutional accreditation review/approval.

AHECB authorization/recognition is contingent on the proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas, obtaining and maintaining institutional accreditation from a regional accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education such as the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, and the proposed Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine obtaining and maintaining program accreditation and hospital approval by the American Osteopathic Association-Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation to meet the professional licensing requirements of the Arkansas State Medical Board under Arkansas Code 17-91-101.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the Board of Directors and administration of the proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas, that the certification for institutional planning and development to establish an Arkansas independent institution of higher education to offer medical and health education degree programs requires the proposed institution to notify the Arkansas Department of Higher Education whenever any of the following occurs: (1) major reorganization of the controlling body; (2) changes in the charter or incorporation documents of the proposed institution; (3) changes in the proposed method of operation of the institution and the proposed programs; (4) status of the institution's application and approval for program accreditation by the American Osteopathic Association and other appropriate program accrediting agencies; or (5) status of the institution's application and approval for institutional accreditation from the Higher Learning Commission or other recognized regional accrediting agency.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director to notify the administration of the proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health

Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas, that any advertisement or published materials using the name of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board or the Arkansas Department of Higher Education must contain the following statement:

Proposed Arkansas Colleges of Health Education-Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas

Dr. Charles Welch, President of the Arkansas State University System briefly spoke on the Master of Science in Medical/Health Care Simulation, Master of Science in Neuromusculoskeletal Sciences, and the Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine by the New York Institute of Technology (NYIT) on the campus of Arkansas State University-Jonesboro. He then introduced Dr. Barbara Ross Lee, an Osteopathic Family Physician and Vice President for Health Sciences and Medical Affairs for the NYIT. Dr. Lee explained that the purpose of this proposal is to educate osteopathic physicians for Arkansas, in Arkansas. Arkansas happens to be one of the biggest shortage areas when it comes to physicians, she said. Our goal is to enhance the community by becoming a part of it, not just being in it.

Dr. Joe Bennett asked how this is going to work. Training medical students is a massive process. We have to be careful not to be too hasty about this, he said.

Dr. Lee explained that Arkansas currently has Osteopathic representatives on their medical board. She foresees no problems in recruiting professors to teach Osteopathic Medicine in Arkansas, said Lee.

Dr. Bennett asked how this program would be paid for if not by Arkansas funds. Dr. Lee explained that most Osteopathic programs are tuition dependent.

Florine Milligan said she is a firm believer that Arkansas needs this program.

In closing, Dr. Welch said that he would provide the board with a copy of the feasibility study.

Kyle Parker, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Arkansas Colleges of Health Education presented information on the proposed medical school in Fort Smith. He also introduced Dr. Ken Heiles, a Doctor of Osteopathic (DO) medicine at the Arkansas Colleges of Health Education.

Florine Milligan moved to recommend Agenda Item No. 20 to the full Board for consideration. Ben Pickard seconded and the Committee approved. Dr. Joe Bennett voted no.

#### Report of the Committees

Bob Crafton presented the report of the Finance Committee and moved approval of Agenda Items 6-12. Greg Revels seconded the motion and the Board approved. Chairman Kaneaster Hodges voted no.

Sarah Argue presented the report of the Academic Committee and moved approval of Agenda Items 13, 14, 17, 18 and 20. Dr. Olin Cook seconded the motion and the Board approved. Dr. Joe Bennett voted no.

Remarks by Presidents and Chancellors

Dr. Steve Hilterbran, President of Southeast Arkansas College (SEARK), addressed the Board regarding concurrent enrollment problems, specifically what he called intrusions into concurrent enrollment service areas by other institutions. Most four-year institutions serve the entire state and students from out-of-state. Most two-year institutions, serve their communities – hence the name community colleges. When a university or another institution takes over enrollment in a community, it hurts the local community colleges, said Hilterbran. After further discussion, Hilterbran closed by asking everyone to help prevent a trend that pits institution against institution.

Chairman Hodges announced that the next Coordinating Board meeting would be hosted by the Department of Higher Education on October 31, 2014.

With no further comments, the meeting adjourned at 12:17 p.m.

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Nichole Abernathy

APPROVED:

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Sarah Argue, Secretary

Agenda Item No. 2  
Higher Education Coordinating Board  
October 31, 2014

**APPOINTMENT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE  
FOR 2015-16 BOARD OFFICERS**

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Chairman Bob Crafton will appoint members of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board nominating committee at the October 31, 2014 meeting. The nominating committee will recommend Board officers for 2015-16 at the January 30, 2015 meeting.

**HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD  
2015 MEETING SCHEDULE**

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The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board meets quarterly to act upon Board initiatives and to respond to campus proposals. The proposed 2015 schedule for these regular quarterly meetings follows:

January 30, 2015	Arkansas Department of Higher Education Little Rock
April 30 – May 1, 2015	Southern Arkansas University Magnolia
July 31, 2015	Arkansas Department of Higher Education Little Rock
October 30, 2015	Arkansas Department of Higher Education Little Rock

The following resolution is suggested:

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board agrees to the following dates for regular quarterly meetings during 2015: January 30, May 1, July 31, and October 30.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Board expresses its appreciation and accepts the invitations to meet in January at the Arkansas Department of Higher Education in Little Rock, in May at Southern Arkansas University in Magnolia, in July at the Arkansas Department of Higher Education in Little Rock, and in October at the Arkansas Department of Higher Education in Little Rock.

Agenda Item No. 4  
Higher Education Coordinating Board  
October 31, 2014

### **AGENCY UPDATES**

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Arkansas Department of Higher Education agency updates will be presented by Director Shane Broadway. This agenda item will include updates on new employees, legislation, and current events.

## **UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS SYSTEM eVERSITY**

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The administration and Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System request official recognition of the University of Arkansas System eVersity and the authority, in collaboration with existing University of Arkansas System institutions, for eVersity to offer degree programs by distance technology. This collaborative arrangement would remain in effect until eVersity receives independent accreditation, at which point degree-granting authority would transfer to eVersity. eVersity will be 100 percent online and all student services – from admissions through graduation, including academic advising, tutoring, financial aid, advising and career planning – will be available in completely online formats. The first class of students would enroll in the eVersity and its partner institutions in Fall 2015.

More details on eVersity operations and the ADHE Executive Staff Recommendation will be presented.



**REPORT ON PROGRAM DELETIONS  
Academic Year 2013-2014**

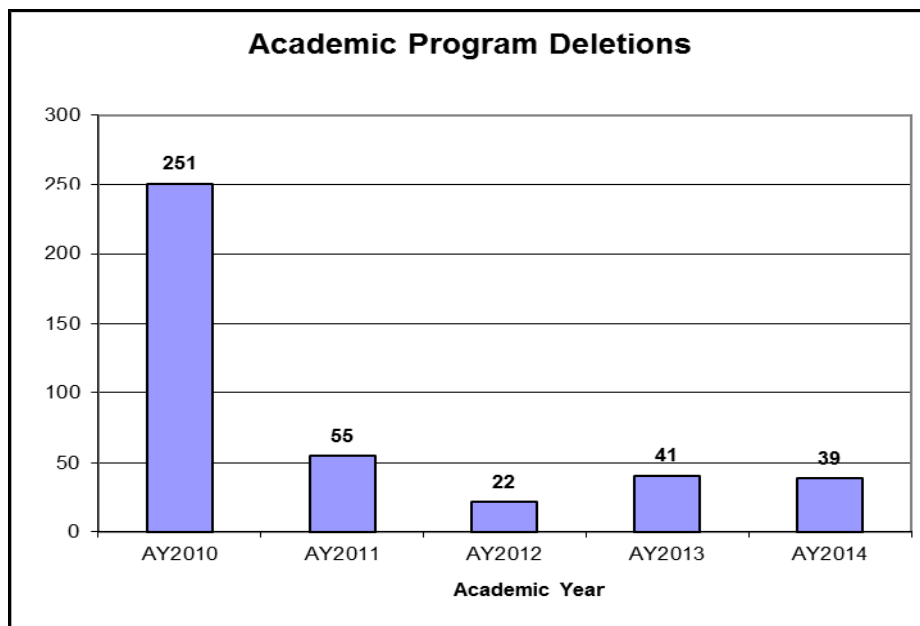
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- Attachment 6-1: Summary of Academic Program Deletions at Arkansas Public Institutions Academic Years 2010-2014
- Attachment 6-2: Academic Programs Deleted for Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities for Academic Year 2014 (2013-2014)
- Attachment 6-3: Academic Programs Deleted for Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities for Academic Year 2013 (2012-2013)
- Attachment 6-4: Academic Programs Deleted for Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities for Academic Year 2012 (2011-2012)
- Attachment 6-5: Academic Programs Deleted for Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities for Academic Year 2011 (2010-2011)
- Attachment 6-6: Academic Programs Deleted for Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities for Academic Year 2010 (2009-2010)

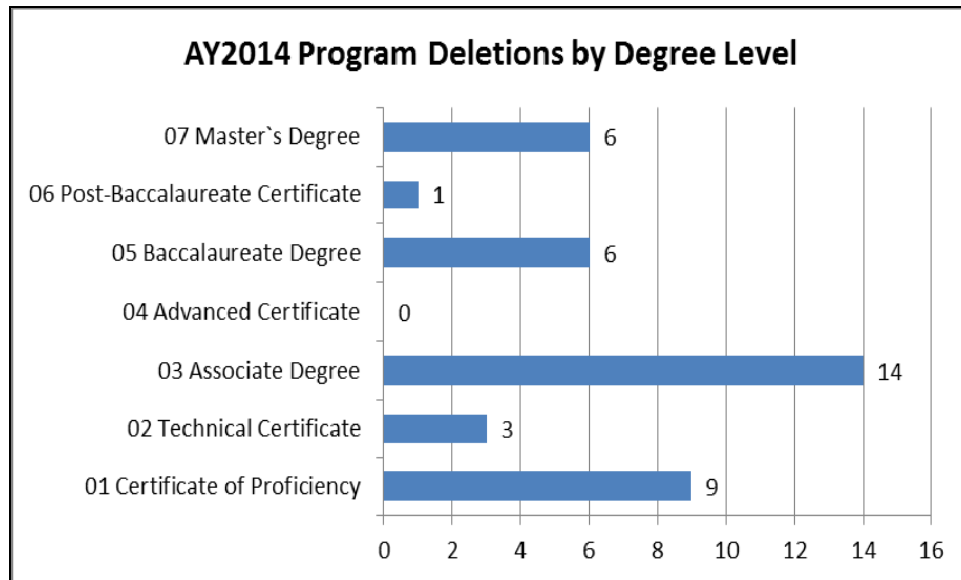
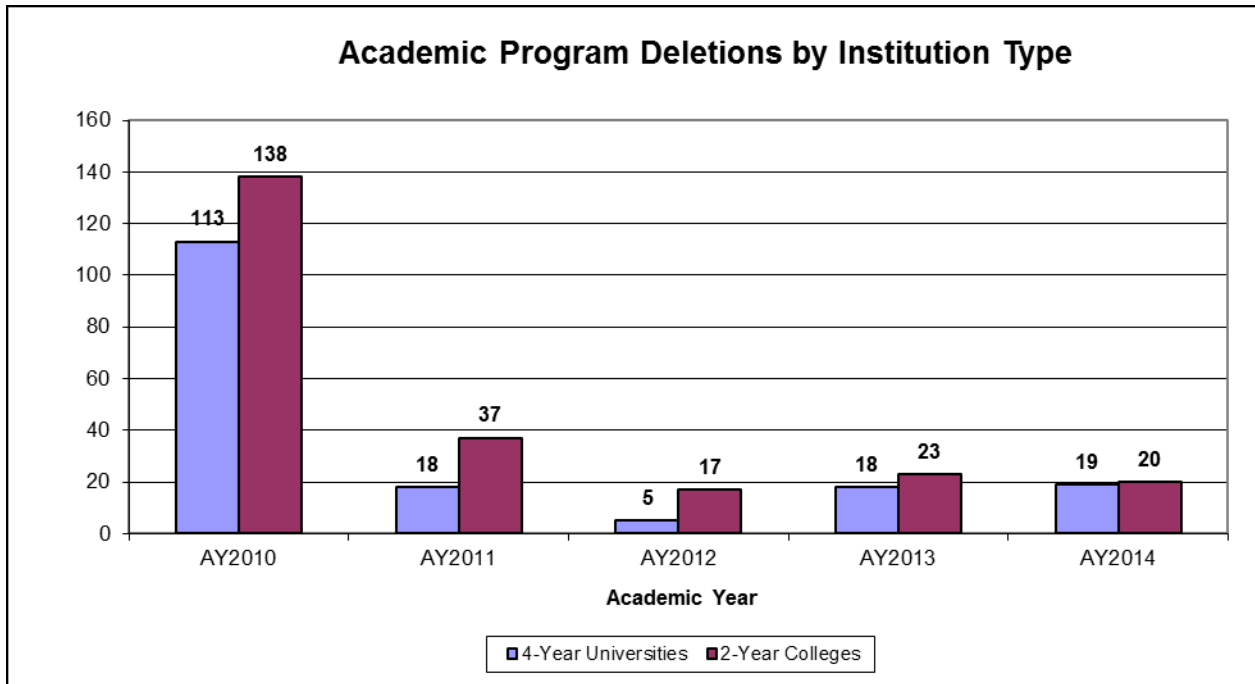
This report provides summary and detailed information about program deletions during Academic Year 2014 (2013-2014).

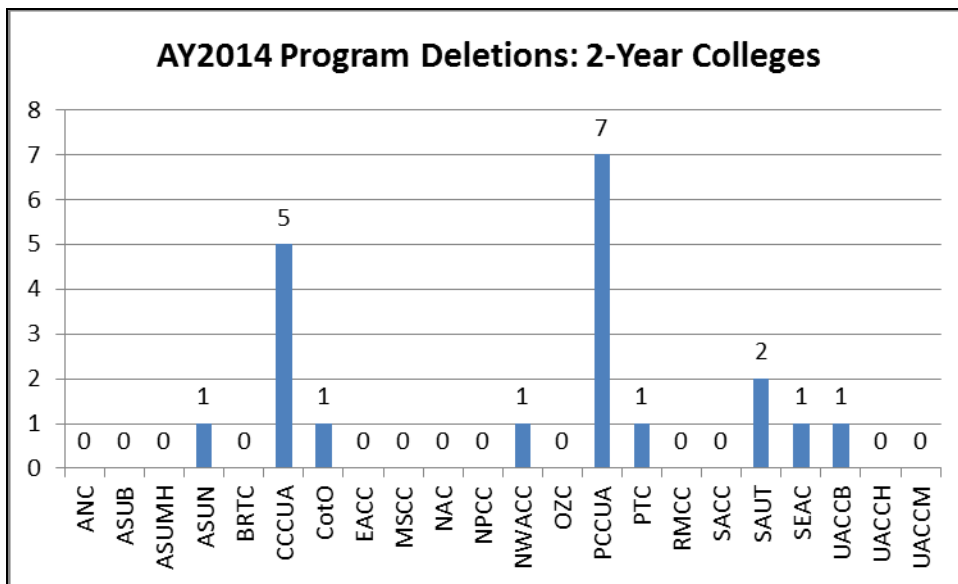
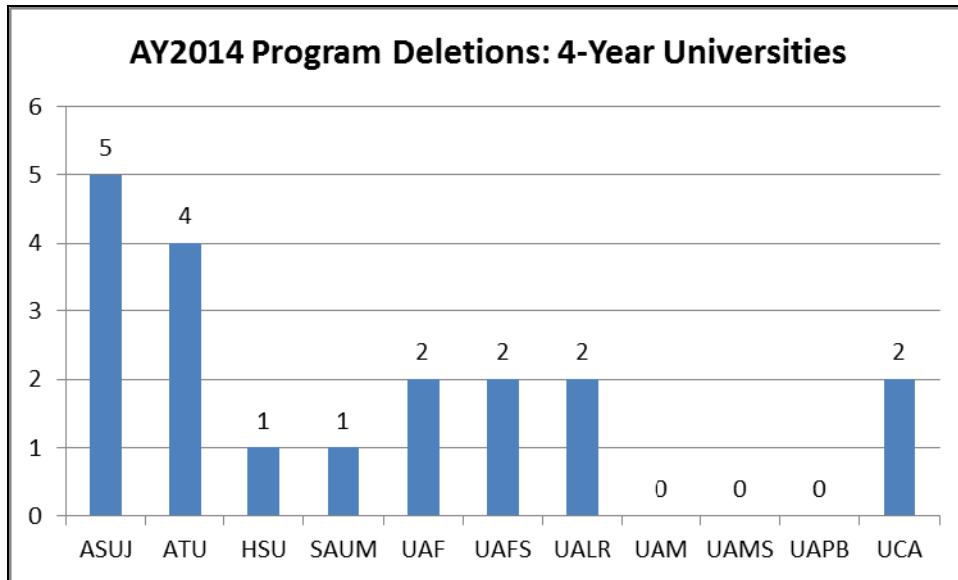
Attachment 6-1 summarizes the number of program deletions for the academic year by level of program and by level of institution for the last five academic years.

Thirty-nine (39) programs were deleted in AY2014 as compared to 41 in AY2013, 22 deletions in AY2012, 55 deletions in AY2011, and 251 deletions in AY2010.



The 251 program deletions in AY2010 were due to the implementation of program viability standards that were approved in 2008.





## Summary of Academic Program Deletions at Arkansas Public Institutions Academic Years 2010 - 2014

Four-Year Institutions	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2009-10	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2010-11	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2011-12	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2012-13	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2013-14
01 Certificate of Proficiency	11	0	0	0	1
02 Technical Certificate	13	2	2	1	0
03 Associate Degree	12	0	0	3	5
04 Advanced Certificate	0	0	0	0	0
05 Baccalaureate Degree	36	12	1	1	6
06 Post-Baccalaureate Certificate	2	0	0	6	1
07 Master's Degree	30	3	1	6	6
08 Specialist Degree/Post-Masters Certificate/Post-First Professional Cert/Degrees	9	1	1	1	0
09/17 Doctoral Degree: Research Scholarship	0	0	0	0	0
10/18 Doctoral Degree: Professional Practice	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>

Two-Year Institutions	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2009-10	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2010-11	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2011-12	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2012-13	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2013-14
01 Certificate of Proficiency	51	10	5	13	8
02 Technical Certificate	44	11	4	5	3
03 Associate Degree	40	16	8	5	9
04 Advanced Certificate	3	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>

Total for all Institutions	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2009-10	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2010-11	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2011-12	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2012-13	Number of Programs Deleted AY 2013-14
01 Certificate of Proficiency	62	10	5	13	9
02 Technical Certificate	57	13	6	6	3
03 Associate Degree	52	16	8	8	14
04 Advanced Certificate	3	0	0	0	0
05 Baccalaureate Degree	36	12	1	1	6
06 Post-Baccalaureate Certificate	2	0	0	6	1
07 Master's Degree	30	3	1	6	6
08 Specialist Degree/Post-Masters Certificate/Post-First Professional Cert/Degrees	9	1	1	1	0
09/17 Doctoral Degree: Research Scholarship	0	0	0	0	0
10/18 Doctoral Degree: Professional Practice	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>39</b>

## Program Deletions of Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities For Academic Year 2014 (2013-2014)

### Programs at 4-Year Universities - Deleted

#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	03	AAS	0405	01.1002	Food Technology
2	1	ASUJ	05	BA	1460	45.0701	Geography
3	1	ASUJ	05	BFA	2070	50.0501	Theatre
4	1	ASUJ	05	BS	2810	09.0401	Journalism
5	1	ASUJ	05	BS	3090	09.0701	Radio-Television
6	1	ATU	01	CP	0017	51.0904	Emergency Medical Technician
7	1	ATU	03	AAS	0206	51.9999	Allied Health
8	1	ATU	07	MA	5480	16.0905	Spanish
9	1	ATU	07	MEd	5755	13.1299	Instructional Improvement
10	1	HSU	05	BSE	4120	13.1303	Business Technology Education
11	1	SAUM	03	AS	0070	15.0612	Industrial Technology
12	1	UAF	07	MA	5320	16.0901	French
13	1	UAF	07	MA	5340	16.0501	German
14	1	UAFS	03	AAS	0355	11.0101	Information Technology
15	1	UAFS	03	AAS	0710	51.3801	Nursing Technology (ADN)
16	1	UALR	05	BAT	1876	30.9999	Applied Technology
17	1	UALR	06	GC	6535	52.1299	Information Systems Leadership
18	1	UCA	07	MS	6190	42.2803	Counseling Psychology
19	1	UCA	07	MS	7490	42.9999	Community Counseling

### Programs at 2-Year Colleges - Deleted

#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	ASUN	01	CP	1480	48.0508	Welding
2	2	CCCUA	01	CP	4485	15.1301	Computer-Aided Drafting & Design
3	2	CCCUA	02	TC	2121	12.0504	Catering
4	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	0437	13.1210	Preschool Professionals
5	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	3120	12.0599	Culinary Arts
6	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	0230	47.0604	Automotive Service Technology
7	2	CotO	01	CP	4629	47.0101	Industrial Electronics
8	2	NWACC	01	CP	1500	52.1601	Tax Specialist
9	2	PCCUA	01	CP	0118	11.9999	Structured Network Cabling
10	2	PCCUA	01	CP	0123	11.1002	Microsoft Network Management
11	2	PCCUA	01	CP	0130	11.1001	Microsoft Client Server Administration
12	2	PCCUA	01	CP	4674	15.0612	Manufacturing Operations
13	2	PCCUA	03	AAS	0345	11.0901	Network Technology
14	2	PCCUA	03	AAS	0585	15.0612	Industrial Technology
15	2	PCCUA	03	AS	0935	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
16	2	PTC	02	TC	4730	51.0708	Medical Transcription
17	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0437	19.0709	Paraprofessional Educator
18	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental Science
19	2	SEAC	03	AAS	3490	43.9999	Emergency Administration & Management
20	2	UACCB	02	TC	4335	52.0801	Banking & Finance

**Programs from Active to Inactive**

#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	HSU	07	MSE	5880	13.1315	Reading
2	1	UALR	07	MS	7500	52.1601	Taxation
3	1	UAPB	05	BS	2275	50.0701	Art
4	2	CCCUA	02	TC	4595	46.0201	Residential Construction Technology
5	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	4487	15.0000	Engineering Technology
6	2	EACC	03	AAS	3510	51.0803	Occupational Therapy
7	2	NWACC	01	CP	1490	43.9999	Homeland Security & Emergency Management
8	2	NWACC	02	TC	2440	43.9999	Homeland Security/Emergency Management
9	2	NWACC	03	AAS	6090	43.9999	Homeland Security & Emergency Management

**Programs Remaining Inactive**

#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	05	BS	3387	43.0106	Forensic Science
2	1	SAUM	05	BS	2890	51.1005	Medical Technology
3	1	UALR	05	BBA	1910	09.0903	Advertising/Public Relations
4	1	UALR	06	GC	6375	45.0604	Regional Economic Development
5	1	UALR	07	MAP	5510	42.2803	Applied Psychology
6	2	EACC	01	CP	1464	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
7	2	EACC	02	TC	1466	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
8	2	EACC	03	AAS	0320	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
9	2	EACC	03	AAS	0430	15.1302	Drafting & Design
10	2	EACC	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental Health & Safety Technology
11	2	EACC	03	AAS	4487	15.0000	Applied Engineering Technology
12	2	MSCC	01	CP	1150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
13	2	MSCC	01	CP	1520	52.0203	Warehousing & Distribution Center Operations
14	2	MSCC	02	TC	2150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
15	2	MSCC	02	TC	2520	52.0203	Logistics & Supply Chain Technology
16	2	MSCC	03	AAS	3150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
17	2	MSCC	03	AAS	3520	52.0203	Logistics & Supply Chain Technology
18	2	SACC	03	AAS	0350	11.1003	Network Security Technology
19	2	SAUT	01	CP	4720	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance
20	2	SAUT	01	CP	4815	47.0105	Industrial Technology
21	2	UACCB	02	TC	4890	51.0909	Surgical Technology

## Program Deletions of Arkansas Public Colleges and Universities For Academic Year 2013 (2012-2013)

### Programs from 4-Year Universities - Deleted

#	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	02	TC	2130	13.1401	Teaching English as a Second Language
2	1	ASUJ	05	BS	1733	09.9999	Digital Media & Design
3	1	ASUJ	07	MSE	5132	13.0408	Educational Leadership
4	1	ASUJ	07	MSE	5134	13.0408	Educational Leadership
5	1	ASUJ	07	MA	5230	50.0701	Art
6	1	ASUJ	07	MPT	6425	51.2308	Physical Therapy
7	1	ASUJ	07	MS	7087	52.1201	Information Systems & E-Commerce
8	1	ASUJ	08	EdS	5133	13.0408	Educational Leadership
9	1	ATU	03	AAS	0575	15.0612	Industrial Systems Technology
10	1	HSU	03	AAS	0395	19.0708	Child Care
11	1	UAF	06	PBC	2480	01.0907	Food Safety Manager
12	1	UAF	06	PBC	2490	01.0907	Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point Coordinator
13	1	UAF	06	GC	5185	30.1101	Gerontology
14	1	UAF	06	GC	6931	52.1201	Enterprise Analytics
15	1	UAF	06	GC	6932	52.1201	Enterprise Resource Planning
16	1	UALR	07	MA	5350	44.0701	Gerontology
17	1	UCA	03	AAS	0300	52.0201	Business Administration
18	1	UCA	06	GC	6575	23.1499	Diverse Literatures

### Programs from 2-Year Colleges - Deleted

#	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	ASUB	01	CP	1495	43.9999	K-9 Assisted Drug / Explosive Detection
2	2	ASUB	01	CP	3840	52.1803	Retail Principles and Techniques
3	2	ASUB	02	TC	2451	01.0607	Landscape and Turfgrass Management
4	2	CCCUA	01	CP	0130	13.1401	English as a Second Language Education
5	2	NAC	01	CP	0182	11.0201	Software Development
6	2	NAC	01	CP	4255	47.0604	Automotive Service Technology
7	2	NAC	02	TC	4755	51.0708	Medical Transcription
8	2	NAC	02	TC	4773	11.0101	Geographic Information Systems
9	2	SAUT	01	CP	0175	15.0508	Hazardous Waste Remediation
10	2	SAUT	01	CP	0483	15.0506	Wastewater
11	2	SAUT	01	CP	0484	15.0506	Water Treatment
12	2	SAUT	01	CP	0485	15.0506	Water Distribution
13	2	SAUT	01	CP	0790	15.1399	Pre-Engineering CADD
14	2	SAUT	01	CP	1170	52.0202	Government Contract Management
15	2	SAUT	01	CP	1112	11.0701	Electronic Data Storage
16	2	SAUT	01	CP	4274	46.0499	Building Trades
17	2	SAUT	02	TC	4510	15.0303	Electronics
18	2	SAUT	02	TC	4340	47.0604	Automotive Technology
19	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0445	15.1202	Electronic Technology
20	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0345	11.0901	Computer Network Technology
21	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0346	11.9999	Multimedia Web Design & Development
22	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0545	11.0701	Microsoft Networking Software
23	2	SEAC	03	AAT	1005	13.1206	Teaching

### Programs from Active to Inactive

#	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	05	BS	3387	43.0106	Forensic Science
2	2	MSCC	01	CP	1150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
3	2	MSCC	01	CP	1520	52.0203	Warehousing and Distribution Center Operations
4	2	MSCC	02	TC	2150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
5	2	MSCC	02	TC	2520	52.0203	Logistics and Supply Chain Technology
6	2	MSCC	03	AAS	3150	15.0613	Renewable Energy Technology
7	2	MSCC	03	AAS	3520	52.0203	Logistics and Supply Chain Technology

### Programs Remaining Inactive

#	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	SAUM	05	BS	2890	51.1005	Medical Technology
2	1	UALR	05	BBA	1910	09.0903	Advertising/Public Relations
3	1	UALR	06	GC	6375	45.0604	Regional Economic Development
4	1	UALR	07	MAP	5510	42.2803	Applied Psychology
5	2	EACC	01	CP	1464	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
6	2	EACC	02	TC	1466	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
7	2	EACC	03	AAS	0320	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
8	2	EACC	03	AAS	0430	15.1302	Drafting & Design
9	2	EACC	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental Health & Safety Technology
10	2	EACC	03	AAS	4487	15.0000	Applied Engineering Technology
11	2	SACC	03	AAS	0350	11.1003	Network Security Technology
12	2	SAUT	01	CP	4720	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance
13	2	SAUT	01	CP	4815	47.0105	Industrial Technology
14	2	UACCB	02	TC	4890	51.0909	Surgical Technology

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### Programs from 4-Year Universities - Deleted

No.	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ATU	02	TC	4295	51.0904	EMT/Paramedic
2	1	ATU	05	BA	1455	24.0102	General Studies
3	1	UAF	08	PMC	5779	13.0699	Educational Policy Studies
4	1	UAMS	07	MS	6370	26.0910	Pathology
5	1	UCA	02	TC	4005	51.1501	Addiction Studies

### Programs from 2-Year Colleges - Deleted

No.	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	ANC	02	TC	4260	52.0301	Computerized Accounting
2	2	ASUB	03	AAS	3580	52.0799	Creative Arts Enterprise
3	2	ASUB	03	AAS	0190	01.0102	Agriculture
4	2	ASUN	03	AAS	0437	13.1210	Early Childhood Education
5	2	ASUN	03	AAS	0470	51.0904	Emergency Medical Service
6	2	BRTC	02	TC	0130	51.0802	Medical Laboratory Assistant
7	2	BRTC	03	AAS	0437	13.1210	Early Childhood Education
8	2	CCCUA	01	CP	0130	13.1401	English as a Second Language Education
9	2	CCCUA	01	CP	4905	48.0508	Welding
10	2	MSCC	01	CP	1485	48.0508	Certification Welding
11	2	NAC	02	TC	2520	52.0701	Entrepreneurship
12	2	NWACC	01	CP	0018	13.1210	Early Childhood Development Specialist
13	2	PCCUA	02	TC	4446	11.0901	Network Technology
14	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0345	11.0901	Computer Network Technology
15	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0346	11.9999	Multimedia Web Design & Development
16	2	UACCH	01	CP	1220	51.2603	Medication Assistant
17	2	UACCH	03	AAS	0610	22.0302	Paralegal Studies

### Programs from Active to Inactive

No.	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	SAUT	01	CP	1112	11.0701	Electronic Data Storage
2	2	SAUT	01	CP	4274	46.0499	Building Trades
3	2	SAUT	01	CP	4720	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance
4	2	SAUT	01	CP	4815	47.0105	Industrial Technology
5	2	SAUT	02	TC	4340	47.0604	Automotive Technology
6	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0545	11.0701	Microsoft Networking Software
7	2	SEAC	01	CP	0222	51.2603	Medication Assisting Technology

### Programs Remaining Inactive

No.	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	SAUM	05	BS	2890	51.1005	Medical Technology
2	1	UALR	05	BBA	1910	09.0903	Advertising/Public Relations
3	1	UALR	06	GC	6375	45.0604	Regional Economic Development
4	1	UALR	07	MAP	5510	42.2803	Applied Psychology
5	2	EACC	01	CP	1464	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
6	2	EACC	02	TC	1466	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
7	2	EACC	03	AAS	0320	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
8	2	EACC	03	AAS	0430	15.1302	Drafting & Design
9	2	EACC	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental Health & Safety Technology
10	2	EACC	03	AAS	4487	15.0000	Applied Engineering Technology
11	2	SACC	03	AAS	0350	11.1003	Network Security Technology
12	2	SEAC	03	AAT	1005	13.1206	Teaching
13	2	UACCB	02	TC	4890	51.0909	Surgical Technology



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### Programs from 4-Year Universities - Deleted

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	05	BS	3060	10.0305	Graphic Communications
2	1	ASUJ	05	BSA	3320	13.1301	Agricultural Education
3	1	ASUJ	07	MS	6550	13.0404	Vocational - Technical Administration
4	1	ASUJ	07	MSA	6580	13.1301	Agricultural Education
5	1	ATU	02	TC	4730	51.0708	Medical Transcription
6	1	SAUM	05	BS	3190	45.1101	Sociology
7	1	UAF	05	BA	1610	51.1102	Medical Science
8	1	UAF	07	MFA	5930	16.9999	Translation
9	1	UALR	05	BS	2710	51.9999	Health Professions
10	1	UALR	05	BA	1270	50.0703	Art History
11	1	UALR	05	BA	1450	16.0901	French
12	1	UALR	05	BA	1480	16.0501	German Studies
13	1	UALR	05	BA	1800	16.0905	Spanish
14	1	UAM	02	TC	4634	47.0303	Industrial Equipment Maintenance
15	1	UCA	05	BA	1450	16.0901	French
16	1	UCA	05	BA	1800	16.0905	Spanish
17	1	UCA	05	BSE	3715	13.1303	Business & Marketing Technology
18	1	UCA	08	PMC	8510	51.3801	Nursing

### Programs from 2-Year Colleges Deleted

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	ANC	02	TC	0012	01.0601	Horticulture, Landscape, & Nursery Operations
2	2	ASUMH	02	TC	4380	52.1201	Business Information Systems
3	2	ASUN	02	TC	2510	51.0904	Paramedic
4	2	ASUN	03	AAS	3510	51.0904	Paramedic
5	2	CCCUA	01	CP	0250	11.0203	A+ Certification
6	2	CCCUA	01	CP	0130	13.1401	English as a Second Language Education
7	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	0320	52.1201	Information Technology
8	2	CotO	02	TC	4355	47.0604	Automotive Service Technology
9	2	EACC	01	CP	4897	52.0201	Leadership
10	2	EACC	02	TC	4615	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance Technology
11	2	EACC	02	TC	4640	52.0205	Industrial Supervision & Safety
12	2	EACC	02	TC	4880	52.0204	Supervisory Leadership
13	2	EACC	03	AAS	0460	15.0303	Electronics
14	2	EACC	03	AAS	0615	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance Technology
15	2	EACC	03	AS	0935	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
16	2	NPCC	02	TC	4730	51.0708	Medical Transcription
17	2	NWACC	02	TC	4261	13.1501	Para Educators of Special Needs Learners
18	2	NWACC	03	AAS	0242	47.0608	Aviation Technology
19	2	OZC	03	AAS	0385	43.0103	Criminal Justice Leadership
20	2	PTC	03	AAS	0633	15.0613	Manufacturing Technology
21	2	RMCC	01	CP	4325	11.1004	Webmaster Developer
22	2	RMCC	01	CP	4326	11.1004	Webmaster Programmer
23	2	RMCC	03	AAS	0290	52.1201	Business Information Technology
24	2	RMCC	03	AAS	0330	11.0501	Programmer/Analyst
25	2	RMCC	03	AAS	0340	11.1002	Network Administration
26	2	RMCC	03	AAS	0360	15.1202	Microcomputer Technician
27	2	RMCC	03	AAS	0363	52.1201	Computer Systems Technology
28	2	RMCC	03	AS	0935	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
29	2	SACC	01	CP	4815	47.0105	Basic Industrial Electricity
30	2	SACC	01	CP	4817	47.0105	Industrial Controls Technology
31	2	SACC	02	TC	4630	47.0105	Industrial Electronics Technology
32	2	SAUT	01	CP	4383	11.0901	Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator
33	2	SAUT	02	TC	4722	15.0613	Manufacturing Technology
34	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0345	11.0901	Computer Network Technology
35	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0340	15.0612	Manufacturing Technology
36	2	SAUT	03	AAS	0346	11.9999	Multimedia Web Design & Development
37	2	UACCH	03	AAS	0390	43.0107	Criminal Justice

**Programs from Deleted to Active Status**

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	UAPB	05	BA	1813	09.0199	Speech & Drama
2	2	PTC	04	AC	1240	52.1201	Computer Information Systems

**Programs from Active to Inactive Status**

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	UALR	05	BBA	1910	09.0903	Advertising/Public Relations
2	1	UAPB	05	BS	2940	51.3801	Nursing
3	2	EACC	03	AAS	0320	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
4	2	EACC	03	AAS	0430	15.1302	Drafting & Design
5	2	EACC	03	AAS	4487	15.0000	Applied Engineering Technology

**Programs from Inactive to Deleted Status**

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	2	ASUMH	03	AAS	0615	47.0303	Industrial Technology
2	2	ASUMH	02	TC	4615	47.0303	Industrial Technology
3	2	CCCUA	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental & Safety Technology
4	2	CCCUA	01	CP	4425	11.0901	Cisco Certified Network Associate
5	2	NWACC	01	CP	0775	52.1803	Marketing Analyst
6	2	NWACC	01	CP	4680	52.1101	International Business
7	2	NWACC	02	TC	4715	52.0201	Business Management
8	2	OZC	03	AAS	0750	51.0806	Physical Therapist Assistant
9	2	OZC	01	CP	4895	49.0205	Over-the-Road Trucking
10	2	SACC	01	CP	9904	47.0399	Industrial Equipment Machinery Maintenance

**Programs Remaining Inactive**

No.	Inst Type	Institution	Degree Level	Award	Degree Code	2010 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	SAUM	05	BS	2890	51.1005	Medical Technology
2	1	UALR	06	GC	6375	45.0604	Regional Economic Development
3	1	UALR	07	MAP	5510	42.2803	Applied Psychology
4	2	EACC	01	CP	1464	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
5	2	EACC	02	TC	1466	45.0702	Geographic Information Systems
6	2	EACC	03	AAS	0475	15.0507	Environmental Health & Safety Technology
7	2	SACC	03	AAS	0350	11.1003	Network Security Technology
8	2	SEAC	03	AAT	1005	13.1206	Teaching
9	2	UACCB	02	TC	4890	51.0909	Surgical Technology

**Academic Programs Deleted  
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#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Code	Degree Level	Award	2000 CIP Code	Degree Name
1	1	ASUJ	4850	02	TC	52.0401	Secretarial Science
2	1	ASUJ	0920	03	AS	52.0401	Business Systems
3	1	ASUJ	1215	03	AS	13.1309	Technical - Vocational Education
4	1	ASUJ	0050	03	CGS	24.0101	General Studies
5	1	ASUJ	1450	05	BA	16.0901	French
6	1	ASUJ	1800	05	BA	16.0905	Spanish
7	1	ASUJ	2380	05	BS	11.0101	Computer Applications
8	1	ASUJ	2440	05	BS	13.1210	Early Care & Education
9	1	ASUJ	3000	05	BS	13.1314	Physical Education
10	1	ASUJ	3260	05	BS	52.0903	Transportation
11	1	ASUJ	3680	05	BSE	13.1302	Art Education
12	1	ASUJ	3820	05	BSE	13.1325	French
13	1	ASUJ	4030	05	BSE	13.1330	Spanish
14	1	ASUJ	4040	05	BSE	13.1001	Special Education - Mild Disabilities (K-12 or Elementary)
15	1	ASUJ	4080	05	BSE	13.1331	Speech Communication & Theatre Arts
16	1	ASUJ	2360	06	PBC	43.0103	Criminal Justice
17	1	ASUJ	5575	07	EMBA	52.0201	Business Administration
18	1	ASUJ	6410	07	MS	13.1314	Physical Education
19	1	ASUJ	6730	07	MSE	13.0408	Educ Leadership - Curriculum & Instruction
20	1	ASUJ	6740	07	MSE	13.0408	Educ Leadership - Elementary Principalship
21	1	ASUJ	6750	07	MSE	13.0408	Educ Leadership - Secondary Principalship
22	1	ASUJ	6960	07	MSE	13.1005	Special Education - Emotionally Disturbed
23	1	ASUJ	5060	08	EdS	13.1101	Counselor Education - College Student Personnel Services
24	1	ASUJ	5070	08	EdS	13.0408	Educational Leadership - Curriculum & Instruction
25	1	ASUJ	5080	08	EdS	13.0408	Educational Leadership - Elementary Principalship
26	1	ASUJ	5090	08	EdS	13.0408	Educational Leadership - Secondary Principalship
27	1	ASUJ	5100	08	EdS	13.0408	Educational Leadership - Superintendency
28	1	ASUJ	5105	08	EdS	13.0408	Educational Leadership - Special Education Program Administration
29	1	ASUJ	5160	08	EdS	13.1101	Counselor Education - School Counseling
30	1	ATU	4600	02	TC	47.0303	Industrial Plant Maintenance
31	1	ATU	4646	02	TC	15.0699	Applied Laboratory Technology
32	1	ATU	0460	03	AAS	15.0303	Industrial Electronic Technology
33	1	ATU	0570	03	AAS	47.0303	Industrial Plant Maintenance
34	1	ATU	3720	05	BS	13.1323	Chemistry
35	1	ATU	2480	05	BSEG	14.0101	Engineering
36	1	ATU	5790	07	MEd	13.1311	Mathematics
37	1	ATU	5860	07	MEd	13.1318	Social Studies
38	1	ATU	6830	07	MSE	13.1004	Gifted & Talented
39	1	HSU	1530	05	BA	19.0101	Family & Consumer Sciences
40	1	HSU	3770	05	BSE	13.1202	Elementary Education
41	1	HSU	6465	07	MS	31.0301	Recreation
42	1	HSU	6640	07	MSE	13.1302	Art
43	1	HSU	6650	07	MSE	13.1322	Biology
44	1	HSU	6820	07	MSE	13.1305	English
45	1	HSU	6870	07	MSE	13.1311	Mathematics
46	1	HSU	6940	07	MSE	13.1317	Social Science
47	1	SAUM	1871	05	BS	30.9999	Interdisciplinary Studies
48	1	SAUM	2640	05	BS	30.0101	General Science
49	1	SAUM	2790	05	BS	15.0612	Industrial Technology
50	1	UAF	5290	07	MA	50.0501	Drama
51	1	UAF	5565	07	MAT	13.1001	Special Education
52	1	UAF	5810	07	MEd	13.1312	Music Education
53	1	UAF	6085	07	MS	40.0899	Applied Physics
54	1	UAF	7090	07	MSOR	52.1301	Operations Research
55	1	UAF	6545	07	MSTE	14.0804	Transportation Engineering
56	1	UAF	5050	08	EdS	13.1101	Counselor Education
57	1	UAF	5140	08	EdS	13.0406	Higher Education
58	1	UAFS	1462	01	CP	45.0702	Geospatial Information Systems
59	1	UAFS	4898	01	CP	52.0201	Leadership Foundations
60	1	UAFS	0311	02	TC	50.0409	Graphic Design
61	1	UAFS	4600	02	TC	47.0303	General Industrial Plant Maintenance
62	1	UAFS	4780	02	TC	51.0909	Surgical Technology
63	1	UAFS	4850	02	TC	52.0401	Office Administration

#	Inst. Type	Institution	Degree Code	Degree Level	Award	2000 CIP Code	Degree Name
64	1	UAFS	4985	02	TC	48.0599	Precision Machining
65	1	UAFS	0312	03	AAS	50.0409	Graphic Design
66	1	UAFS	0810	03	AAS	51.0908	Respiratory Care
67	1	UAFS	1570	05	BA	24.0101	Liberal Arts
68	1	UALR	0095	03	AA	01.0605	Landscape Management & Design
69	1	UALR	1400	05	BA	45.0601	Economics
70	1	UALR	2510	05	BS	15.0303	Engineering Technology (Electrical)
71	1	UALR	2520	05	BS	15.9999	Engineering Technology (Manufacturing)
72	1	UALR	4417	06	PBC	15.1001	Construction Management
73	1	UALR	5750	07	MA	13.0406	College Student Affairs
74	1	UAM	0018	01	CP	19.0708	Child Care Orientation
75	1	UAM	4560	01	CP	51.0708	Medical Transcription
76	1	UAM	4591	01	CP	51.9999	CPR
77	1	UAM	4592	01	CP	51.0999	First Aid/First Responder
78	1	UAM	4594	01	CP	46.0503	Plumbing Apprenticeship
79	1	UAM	4596	01	CP	46.0302	Electrical Apprenticeship (1-4 years)
80	1	UAM	4791	01	CP	24.0102	Adult Education
81	1	UAM	4792	01	CP	19.0706	Caregiver
82	1	UAM	4869	01	CP	47.0606	Small Engine Mechanic
83	1	UAM	0091	02	TC	01.9999	Agriculture Technology
84	1	UAM	4646	02	TC	15.0699	Industrial Processes Technology
85	1	UAM	4789	02	TC	03.0511	Pulp & Paper Science
86	1	UAM	0195	03	AAS	01.0301	Agriculture Production Management
87	1	UAM	0770	03	AAS	03.0509	Paper/Pulp Technology
88	1	UAM	1520	05	BA	45.0101	History & Social Studies
89	1	UAM	2340	05	BS	13.1303	Business Education
90	1	UAMS	4890	02	TC	51.0909	Surgical Technology
91	1	UAMS	0940	03	AS	15.0401	Biomedical Instrumentation Technology
92	1	UAMS	1185	03	AS	51.0908	Respiratory Care
93	1	UAPB	2195	05	BS	50.0901	Music
94	1	UAPB	2240	05	BS	13.1301	Agricultural Education
95	1	UAPB	2265	05	BS	27.0301	Applied Mathematics
96	1	UAPB	2285	05	BS	50.0701	Art
97	1	UAPB	2340	05	BS	13.1303	Business Education
98	1	UAPB	2360	05	BS	19.0701	Child & Family Development
99	1	UAPB	2470	05	BS	13.1202	Elementary Education
100	1	UAPB	2540	05	BS	13.1305	English Education
101	1	UAPB	2980	05	BS	31.0101	Parks & Community Recreation
102	1	UAPB	3250	05	BS	13.1320	Trade & Industrial Education
103	1	UAPB	3910	05	BS	13.1311	Mathematics Education
104	1	UAPB	5690	07	MEd	13.1305	English Education
105	1	UAPB	5725	07	MEd	13.1314	Health & Physical Education
106	1	UAPB	5790	07	MEd	13.1311	Mathematics Education
107	1	UAPB	5845	07	MEd	13.1316	Science Education
108	1	UAPB	5860	07	MEd	13.1318	Social Studies Education
109	1	UCA	1945	02	GC	52.1201	Management Information Systems
110	1	UCA	3940	05	BSE	13.1314	Physical Education
111	1	UCA	6275	07	MS	51.0701	Health Systems
112	1	UCA	6662	07	MS	13.1303	Training Systems
113	1	UCA	6710	07	MSE	13.1210	Early Childhood Education
114	2	ANC	0207	01	CP	52.1803	Service and Retail Applications
115	2	ANC	0531	01	CP	01.0601	Landscaping
116	2	ANC	4315	01	CP	47.0303	Industrial Mechanical Systems
117	2	ANC	0012	02	TC	01.0601	Horticulture, Landscape, & Nursery Operations
118	2	ANC	4393	02	TC	52.0101	Office Technology
119	2	ANC	4502	02	TC	15.1202	Computer Repair & Networking
120	2	ANC	0580	03	AAS	15.0612	Industrial Management Systems
121	2	ASUB	4895	02	TC	49.0205	Truck Driving
122	2	ASUB	0460	03	AAS	15.0303	Electronics Technology
123	2	ASUB	0615	03	AAS	47.0303	Industrial Technology
124	2	ASUMH	0055	01	CP	52.0803	Banking
125	2	ASUMH	0106	01	CP	51.0705	Medical Office/Clinic Management
126	2	ASUMH	0145	01	CP	52.1804	Sales Management
127	2	ASUMH	0160	01	CP	52.9999	Small Business Management
128	2	ASUMH	4485	01	CP	15.1301	Computer Aided Drafting & Design
129	2	ASUMH	4755	01	CP	51.0703	Health Unit Coordinator
130	2	ASUMH	0155	02	TC	52.0803	Banking
131	2	ASUMH	0642	03	AAS	51.0202	Hearing Healthcare Practitioner
132	2	ASUMH	0717	03	AAS	51.1801	Opticianry
133	2	ASUMH	0910	03	CGS	24.0101	General Studies

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134	2	ASUN	4260	02	TC	52.0302	Computerized Accounting
135	2	ASUN	4445	02	TC	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
136	2	ASUN	4850	02	TC	52.0408	Office Occupations
137	2	ASUN	0040	03	AA	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
138	2	ASUN	0363	03	AAS	15.1202	Computer Systems Technology
139	2	ASUN	0890	03	AGE	24.0102	General Education
140	2	ASUN	1095	03	AS	51.1199	Health Sciences
141	2	BRTC	4380	01	CP	52.0407	Microsoft Office User Specialist
142	2	BRTC	4915	01	CP	52.0204	Workplace Leadership, Communication, & Productivity
143	2	BRTC	0910	03	CGS	24.0101	General Studies
144	2	CCCUA	4869	01	CP	47.0606	Small Engine Repair
145	2	CCCUA	4786	02	TC	03.0509	Pulp & Paper Technology
146	2	EACC	0490	03	AAS	52.0801	Banking & Finance
147	2	MSCC	0384	01	CP	43.0106	Crime Scene Investigation
148	2	MSCC	0388	01	CP	43.0103	Law Enforcement Administration
149	2	MSCC	4235	01	CP	11.0901	Network Professional
150	2	MSCC	4895	01	CP	49.0205	Truck Driving
151	2	MSCC	0021	02	TC	47.0104	Microcomputer Networking & Maintenance
152	2	MSCC	0386	02	TC	43.0106	Crime Scene Investigation
153	2	MSCC	0389	02	TC	43.0103	Law Enforcement Administration
154	2	MSCC	4363	02	TC	52.0803	Banking Operations
155	2	MSCC	4440	02	TC	43.0104	Criminal Justice
156	2	MSCC	4660	02	TC	51.1613	Practical Nursing
157	2	MSCC	4865	02	TC	43.0102	Corrections
158	2	MSCC	0387	03	AAS	43.0106	Crime Scene Investigation
159	2	MSCC	0605	03	AAS	43.0104	Law Enforcement Administration
160	2	MSCC	0710	03	AAS	51.1601	Nursing (RN)
161	2	MSCC	0935	03	AS	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
162	2	MSCC	0910	03	CGS	24.0101	General Studies
163	2	NAC	4835	02	TC	12.0504	Restaurant Management
164	2	NAC	0936	03	AAS	01.0000	Agriculture
165	2	NAC	0935	03	AS	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
166	2	NPCC	4430	01	CP	52.1299	Computer Apprentice
167	2	NPCC	0024	02	TC	15.0799	Industrial Safety
168	2	NPCC	0345	02	TC	11.9999	Programming Support
169	2	NPCC	1560	02	TC	47.0303	Industrial Maintenance Technology
170	2	NPCC	4357	02	TC	47.0607	Sheet metal (Aircraft)
171	2	NPCC	4383	02	TC	11.0901	Microsoft
172	2	NPCC	4434	02	TC	11.0901	Cisco
173	2	NPCC	4485	02	TC	15.1301	CAD/CAM
174	2	NPCC	4720	02	TC	48.0501	Manufacturing Technology
175	2	NPCC	4773	02	TC	11.0101	Computer Support
176	2	NPCC	4880	02	TC	52.1201	Supervisory Management
177	2	NPCC	0473	03	AAS	44.9999	Emergency Services Management
178	2	NPCC	0500	03	AAS	43.0203	Fire Protection
179	2	NPCC	0795	03	AAS	31.0101	Recreation
180	2	NPCC	4725	03	AAS	48.0501	Manufacturing Technology
181	2	NWACC	4359	01	CP	47.0607	Aviation Maintenance Airframe
182	2	NWACC	4496	01	CP	49.0104	Aviation Management
183	2	NWACC	4357	02	TC	47.0607	Aviation Maintenance Airframe
184	2	NWACC	4358	02	TC	47.0608	Aviation Maintenance Powerplant
185	2	OTC	0115	01	CP	47.0201	Air Conditioning, Heating, & Refrigeration Technology
186	2	OTC	4630	02	TC	47.0101	Engineering & Manufacturing Technology
187	2	OTC	0225	03	AAS	47.0699	Automotive Service Technology
188	2	PCCUA	0115	01	CP	47.0201	Heating, Ventilation, & Air Conditioning
189	2	PCCUA	0220	01	CP	51.2603	Medication Assistant
190	2	PCCUA	0821	01	CP	52.0401	Microsoft Office User Specialist
191	2	PCCUA	4274	01	CP	46.0499	Restoration Carpentry
192	2	PCCUA	4395	01	CP	19.0505	Food Service
193	2	PCCUA	4425	01	CP	11.0901	Business Systems Networking: Cisco
194	2	PCCUA	4557	01	CP	22.0302	Paralegal Technology
195	2	PCCUA	4672	01	CP	52.0803	Business & Banking Essentials
196	2	PCCUA	4675	01	CP	15.0612	Industrial Technology
197	2	PCCUA	4676	01	CP	15.0699	Industrial Productions Technology
198	2	PCCUA	4255	02	TC	46.0499	Preservation Construction Supervision
199	2	PCCUA	4275	02	TC	46.0499	Restoration Carpentry
200	2	PCCUA	4447	02	TC	52.0407	Data Processing Machine Operator
201	2	PCCUA	4490	02	TC	15.1301	Drafting
202	2	PCCUA	4550	02	TC	47.0699	Farm Equipment Mechanics
203	2	PCCUA	4630	02	TC	47.0105	Industrial Electricity/Electronics

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204	2	PCCUA	4690	02	TC	47.0399	Maintenance Mechanics Technology
205	2	PCCUA	4710	02	TC	51.0716	Medical Administrative Assistant Secretary
206	2	PCCUA	0272	03	AAS	46.0499	Historic Preservation Trades
207	2	PCCUA	0280	03	AAS	52.1801	Business Administration
208	2	PCCUA	0320	03	AAS	52.1201	Computer Technology
209	2	PCCUA	0435	03	AAS	15.1301	Drafting Technology
210	2	PCCUA	0600	03	AAS	43.0107	Law Enforcement
211	2	PTC	0093	02	TC	01.0605	Landscape Management
212	2	PTC	0095	03	AAS	01.0605	Landscape Management
213	2	PTC	0859	04	AC	47.0604	Automotive Service Technology
214	2	PTC	1240	04	AC	52.1201	Computer Information Systems
215	2	SACC	0115	01	CP	47.0201	Commercial A/C, Heating & Refrigeration
216	2	SACC	4363	01	CP	46.0201	Carpentry
217	2	SACC	4629	01	CP	47.0101	Solid State/Analog Technology
218	2	SACC	4869	01	CP	47.0606	Basic Industrial Power Products (Small Engines)
219	2	SACC	4373	02	TC	46.0201	Residential Carpentry
220	2	SACC	4890	02	TC	51.0909	Surgical Technology
221	2	SAUT	0127	01	CP	52.0204	Data Entry
222	2	SAUT	0131	01	CP	13.0501	Multimedia Audio / Video Production
223	2	SAUT	0313	01	CP	50.0402	Multimedia Graphics Technology
224	2	SAUT	1346	01	CP	11.9999	Multimedia Web Design & E-Commerce
225	2	SAUT	4315	01	CP	47.0303	Industrial Technology - Mechanical
226	2	SAUT	4427	01	CP	11.9999	Linux/Unix
227	2	SAUT	4719	01	CP	15.0613	Manufacturing Technology-CIM
228	2	SAUT	4721	01	CP	15.0613	Manufacturing Technology-CNC
229	2	SAUT	4384	02	TC	11.0501	Microsoft Certified Solutions Developer (MCSD)
230	2	SAUT	4446	02	TC	11.0901	Computer Network Technology
231	2	SAUT	4615	02	TC	47.0303	Industrial Technology
232	2	SAUT	0136	03	AAS	13.0501	Multimedia Audio / Video Production
233	2	SAUT	0312	03	AAS	50.0402	Multimedia Graphics Technology
234	2	SAUT	0460	03	AAS	15.0303	Electronic Engineering Technology
235	2	SAUT	0615	03	AAS	47.0303	Industrial Technology
236	2	SAUT	4676	03	AAS	15.0699	Industrial Technologies
237	2	SEAC	0017	01	CP	15.0702	Quality Management & Workforce Leadership Specialist
238	2	SEAC	0077	01	CP	51.0904	Emergency Medical Technology - Intermediate
239	2	SEAC	3735	01	CP	51.0708	Medical Transcription Technology
240	2	SEAC	4381	01	CP	52.0407	Microsoft Office Specialist - Proficient
241	2	SEAC	4382	01	CP	52.0407	Microsoft Office Specialist-Expert
242	2	SEAC	4430	01	CP	52.1299	Web Design
243	2	SEAC	4816	01	CP	47.0105	Industrial Skills Technology
244	2	SEAC	0477	03	AAS	26.1201	Biotechnology
245	2	SEAC	0495	03	AAS	43.0203	Fire Science Technology
246	2	SEAC	0883	04	AC	26.1201	Biotechnology
247	2	UACCB	0077	01	CP	51.0904	Emergency Medical Technology - Intermediate
248	2	UACCB	0935	03	AS	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences
249	2	UACCH	0130	01	CP	13.1401	English as a Second Language
250	2	UACCH	0490	03	AAS	52.0801	Banking & Finance
251	2	UACCH	0935	03	AS	01.0000	Agricultural, Food, & Life Sciences

Agenda Item No. 7  
Meeting of the Coordinating Board  
October 31, 2014

**ANNUAL REPORT ON STUDENT ENROLLMENT AND GRADUATION  
INSTITUTIONS CERTIFIED UNDER ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED §6-6-301  
INSTITUTIONAL CERTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

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An update on the number of Arkansas residents pursuing academic degrees offered by out-of-state and for-profit institutions certified to operate in Arkansas will be presented.

Agenda Item No. 8  
Meeting of the Coordinating Board  
October 31, 2014

## **CLARIFICATION OF CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT POLICY**

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Clarification statements for AHECB Policy 5.16 (Concurrent Enrollment) will be presented.



Agenda Item No. 9  
Meeting of the Coordinating Board  
October 31, 2014

## **CLARIFICATION OF INSTITUTIONAL CERTIFICATION POLICY**

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Clarification statements for AHECB Policy 5.2 (ICAC Rules) will be presented.

**ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY OF LOAN  
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-SYSTEM**

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The University of Arkansas-System (UA-SYS) requests approval of the economic feasibility of plans to secure a loan from the College Savings Bond Revolving Loan Fund in the amount of \$500,000 with a term of up to ten (10) years at an annual interest rate of 0.22 percent. Proceeds from the loan, along with reserves set aside for these projects, will be used for major repairs to the B. Alan Sugg Administration Building, including repair of the roof and replacement of weather damaged windows and doors. The University of Arkansas Board of Trustees approved this financing at its meeting on January 24, 2014.

The loan issue will be for \$500,000 with an annual debt service of \$50,607 and a term of ten (10) years. The annual debt service on the bond issue will be supported by revenue from the billings to the institutions in the University of Arkansas System for a portion of the legal and audit services. Coordinating Board policy doesn't specifically address educational and general debt service payments supported by revenue from billings for services, but does address debt service for projects supported by auxiliary revenue. This loan feasibility analysis uses the policy for auxiliary revenue. Coordinating Board policy regarding debt service provides revenue from this source should be no less than 120 percent of the estimated total annual debt service.

Relevant data follows:

Budgeted 2014-15 Revenue from Billing for a Portion of	
Legal and Audit Services .....	\$ 4,635,793
Maximum Debt Service (\$4,635,793/120%).....	3,863,161
Existing Debt Service .....	0
Proposed Debt Service .....	50,607
Amount Remaining for Additional Debt Service .....	\$ 3,812,554

The above data demonstrates that the University of Arkansas-System has sufficient billing revenue to support a loan issue of \$500,000 with a term for ten (10) years at an annual interest rate of 0.22 percent.

Any loan proceeds utilized for purchase or construction of new facilities resulting in additional square footage are subject to the AHECB policy as adopted in October 2010. The above project does not provide additional square footage.

ADHE Executive Staff recommend that the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approve the following resolution:

**RESOLVED,** That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the loan from the College Savings Bond Revolving Loan Fund to the University of Arkansas-System for \$500,000 with a term of ten (10) years at an interest rate of 0.22 for major repairs to the B. Alan Sugg Administration Building, including repair of the roof and replacement of weather damaged windows and doors.

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas of the Coordinating Board's resolution.

**ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY OF BOND ISSUE  
UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS**

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The University of Central Arkansas requests approval of the economic feasibility of plans to issue bonds of approximately \$17.5 million with a maximum term of thirty (30) years at an annual interest rate not to exceed 5.75 percent. Proceeds from the bond issue will be used for auxiliary purposes. The University of Central Arkansas Board of Trustees approved this financing at its meeting on September 16, 2014.

The auxiliary issue will not exceed \$17.5 million with an annual debt service of \$1,165,305 and a term of thirty (30) years. The annual debt service on the bond issue will be repaid with housing revenue from the residents and rents from the retail and commercial tenants. Proceeds from the bond issue will be used to fund the design and construction of Donaghey Hall. This mixed use facility includes four floors, the upper three at 17,500 square feet each are dedicated to residential space providing an additional 165 upper-classmen beds. The 15,000 (13,500 leasable) square feet on the first floor will provide retail and commercial space for tenants. Coordinating Board policy regarding debt service for auxiliary projects provides that annual net auxiliary revenues should be no less than 120 percent of the estimated total annual auxiliary debt service.

Relevant data follows:

Projected 2014-15 Auxiliary Revenue .....	\$ 12,314,863
Maximum Debt Service (\$12,314,863/120%).....	10,262,386
Existing Debt Service .....	7,814,540
Proposed Debt Service .....	1,165,305
Amount Remaining for Additional Debt Service .....	\$ 1,282,540

The above data demonstrates that the University of Central Arkansas has sufficient auxiliary revenue to support an auxiliary bond issue of approximately \$17.5 million with a term for thirty (30) years at an estimated annual interest rate not to exceed 5.75 percent.

In accordance with board policy, the University of Central Arkansas will sustain a building maintenance fund to be supported by housing and retail revenue. These funds will be held in a separate account for the maintenance of the new facilities by transferring annually to plant funds based on the Association of Physical Plant Administrators (APPA) of Universities and Colleges recommendation. The current APPA recommendation is \$1.25 per gross square foot for auxiliary facilities. Based on a total of 67,500 square feet, \$84,375 will be transferred annually.

ADHE Executive Staff recommend that the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approve the following resolution:

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board considers economically feasible plans for the University of Central Arkansas to issue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$17.5 million with a maximum term of thirty (30) years at an annual interest rate not to exceed 5.75 percent to fund the design and construction of the Donaghey Hall.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Central Arkansas of the Coordinating Board's resolution.

## **Bond/Loan Feasibility Update**

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This update consists of the actual terms for bond and loan issues receiving AHECB approval that occurred from June 2013 through October 2014. This update was requested by the AHECB during the July 30, 2010 quarterly meeting.

Approved Bonds/Loans from June 2013 to October 2014									
Institution	Date of AHECB Approval	Approved Maximum Total of Issue	Approved Terms	Tax Status	Date of Issue	Actual Amount of Issue	Actual Terms	Project	Type of Project
UALR	6/13/2013	\$30,500,000	18 yrs/ 3.75%	Tax-exempt	8/1/2013	\$30,372,863	17 yrs/ 3.71%	E&G purposes to fund a complete campus energy management and conservation program.	E&G
BRTC	6/13/2013	\$11,000,000	30 yrs/ 3.50%	Tax-exempt	7/30/2014	\$8,250,000	2 yrs/ 2.04%	Loan - E&G purposes to fund the construction of a health and science facility on the BRTC campus at Pocahontas.	E&G
ASUJ	7/26/2013	\$1,000,000	10 yrs/ 1.00%	Tax-exempt	8/1/2013	\$1,000,000	10 yrs/ 0.24%	CSB Revolving Loan Fund - E&G purposes for Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) campus surface improvements including pedestrian walkways and parking.	E&G
HSU	7/26/2013	\$1,100,000	20 yrs/ 5.00%	Taxable	2/14/2014	\$1,100,000	15 yrs/ 4.98%	Loan - Auxiliary purposes to repay their food service provider, Aramark for equipment and renovation of the café portion of the Garrison Activity and Conference Center.	Auxiliary
ASUJ	10/25/2013	\$27,700,000	30 yrs/ 6.50%	2013A Student Fee Revenue Bonds - Taxable & 2013B Student Fee Revenue Bonds - Tax-exempt	Both issued 12/1/13	2013A Student Fee Revenue Bonds - \$11,130,000 & 2013B Student Fee Revenue Bonds - \$14,685,000 = \$25,815,000	2013A Student Fee Revenue Bonds - 25 yrs/5.37% & 2013B Student Fee Revenue Bonds - 30 yrs/ 4.66%	E&G purposes to construct, furnish, and equip a student activities center and to complete a humanities and social sciences building.	E&G
ATU	10/25/2013	\$5,500,000	30 yrs/ 5.00%	Tax-Exempt	11/7/2013	\$5,000,000	30 yrs/ 4.70%	E&G purposes to construct, equip and furnish an academic classroom, student support and administrative facility.	E&G
UCA	10/25/2013	\$13,800,000	30 yrs/ 5.75%	2013A Greek Village - Taxable & 2013B Greek Village - Tax-exempt	Both issued 12/17/13	2013A Greek Village - \$12,300,000 & 2013B Greek Village - \$1,500,000 = \$13,800,000	Both for 30 yrs/ 2013A Greek Village @5.54% & 2013B Greek Village @4.65%	Auxiliary purposes for the design and construction of five sorority houses and one National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) facility, on the University's campus to be known as "Greek Village, Phase I."	Auxiliary
HSU	3/21/2014	\$33,000,000	30 yrs/ 6.35%	As of 10/21/2014, not yet issued	As of 10/21/2014 not yet issued	As of 10/21/2014, not yet issued	As of 10/21/2014, not yet issued	Auxiliary purposes for the following: (a) the acquisition and renovation of an existing 288 bed apartment complex known as Whispering Oaks Apartments, (b) the acquisition, construction, furnishing and equipping of a new 300 bed residence hall, (c) the acquisition, construction, furnishing and equipping of a new 240 bed apartment-style complex, (d) the renovation of the football stadium, including particularly, without limitation, new turf, a new entrance, new ticket booths and fencing, (e) the construction of a new intramural field, (f) the renovation of the baseball field, including particularly, without limitation, new turf and seating, (g) the renovation of the softball field, including particularly, without limitation, new turf, (h) the renovation of existing housing facilities, including particularly, without limitation, East Hall, West Hall, Sturgis Hall and International House and (i) the construction of new parking lots.	Auxiliary
CotO	4/25/2014	\$1,000,000	15 yrs/ 0.24%	Tax-exempt	5/28/2014	\$1,000,000	15 yrs/ 0.24%	CSB Revolving Loan Fund - E&G purposes for the purchase and renovation of a building for workforce training.	E&G
SAUM	4/25/2014	\$10,000,000	20 yrs/ 5.00%	Tax-exempt	6/15/2014	\$10,000,000	20 yrs/ 3.71	Auxiliary purposes to purchase the University Village apartments on the campus of Southern Arkansas University in Magnolia, Arkansas.	Auxiliary
UCA	4/25/2014	\$13,500,000	30 yrs/ 5.75%	Tax-exempt	7/22/2014	\$13,500,000	29 yrs/ 3.90%	E&G purposes to fund the design and construction of the Lewis Science Addition including the replacement of the Lewis Science Center roof.	E&G
UAF	6/12/2014	\$33,500,000	30 yrs/ 5.00% (E&G) and 6.00% (Auxiliary)	E&G - Tax-exempt and Auxiliary - Taxable	Both issued 6/30/14	E&G \$24,730,000 and Auxiliary - \$5,020,000	Both for 29 yrs/ E&G @3.95% & Auxiliary @4.27%	E&G purposes \$27,000,000 issue for the following projects: (1) acquiring the Cato Springs Research Center building, grounds and adjacent property with an approximate annual debt service of \$458,853 supported by the existing budgeted annual lease costs of the facility with additional square footage of 28,982. (2) renovating the Central Heating Plant Building and upgrading the production infrastructure with additional approximate annual debt service of \$215,213 supported by utility revenues. (3) renovating, improving, equipping and furnishing the Field House building for use as a performing arts center with additional approximate annual debt service of \$488,172 supported by Facility Fee Revenue. (4) renovating, improving, equipping and furnishing space in the Agricultural, Food and Life Science Building for use as classrooms with an approximate annual debt service of \$173,334 supported by Facility Fee revenue. (5) renovating, improving, equipping and furnishing a previously purchased warehouse and small office building. A second, smaller deteriorated warehouse will be demolished, and the remaining warehouse will be renovated and expanded by two floors. Total square footage for the completed project will be approximately 34,000 square feet. The Art and Design District is located just south of the main campus between Government Avenue and Hill Avenue. The Department of Art is growing rapidly, and will be moving its expanded Foundations Studio courses, Sculpture labs, and MFA research studios to the district for use by its students and faculty, helping to accommodate the continuing growth of the Department with an approximate annual debt service of \$243,231 supported by Facility Fee. (6) acquiring, constructing, improving, renovating, equipping, and/or furnishing other capital improvements and infrastructure and acquiring various equipment and/or real property if proceeds are available. \$6.5M for auxiliary purposes will be used to renovate, construct, and furnish (1) housing for the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, and (2) other capital improvements and infrastructure and	E&G/Auxiliary
UAFS	6/12/2014	\$11,000,000	25 yrs/ 5.00%	Tax-Exempt	6/26/2014	\$10,930,000	25 yrs/ 3.83%	E&G purposes to fund the acquisition, construction, equipping and furnishing of a student recreation and wellness center, and acquiring, constructing, improving, renovating, equipping and/or furnishing other capital improvements and infrastructure and acquiring various equipment and/or real property for the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith.	E&G
ATU-Ozark Campus	7/25/2014	\$6,000,000	30 yrs/ 5.00%	Tax-Exempt	10/23/2014	\$6,000,000	30 yrs/ 3.69%	E&G purposes to construct and equip the Allied Health Building and complete the Roofing Project for the Technology and the Academic Support Building.	E&G
NWACC	7/25/2014	\$3,000,000	20 yrs/ 4.00%	Tax-exempt	10/9/2014	\$2,440,000	20 yrs/ 3.11%	E&G purposes to purchase 20 acres of land in Springdale, Arkansas.	E&G

## **REPORT ON AHECB POLICY FOR MAINTENANCE OF NEW FACILITIES**

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The AHECB policy for maintenance of new facilities, passed October 29, 2010, states that a report on the amount transferred to plant funds would be presented annually at the October Board meeting. This policy was proposed to ensure that in the future all newly constructed or purchased facilities would have a source of funding for maintenance of the new facility. Institutions seeking approval of a loan or a bond issue for the construction or purchase of a new facility must provide for the maintenance of that facility by transferring annually to plant funds an amount as recommended by the Association of Physical Plant Administrators of Universities and Colleges (APPA). This is currently \$2.50 per gross square foot for an educational and general facility or \$1.25 per gross square foot for an auxiliary facility. A lower rate per gross square foot for a specific building/facility can be approved with appropriate justification.

It is the expectation that the institution provide for the long term maintenance of the facility for which the funds were accrued. Funds may be utilized for facility renovation and upkeep including upgrade or replacement of equipment and furnishings of the designated building. These funds will be transferred to the plant fund annually and shall begin in the fiscal year following the completion and occupancy of the facility and will continue as long as the building is in use. The funds can also be used for critical and deferred maintenance of the institution. This report includes the status of the FY 2012-13 and FY2013-14 maintenance transfers.



**MAINTENANCE REPORT**

Agenda Item No. 13

Institution	Facility	Date Board Approved	Date of Completion	Date of Occupancy	Actual Square Footage	FY 2012-13 Amount of Transfer	FY 2013-14 Amount of Transfer
<b>UNIVERSITIES:</b>							
ASUJ	Housing Facilities (Greek Housing & Honors Dormitory)	January 2012	8/1/13	9/1/13	74,179	N/A	N/A
ASUJ	Student activities center & Humanities and Social Sciences building	October 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
ATU	M Street Dorm	July 2011	7/10/13	8/28/13	64,170	\$80,213	\$80,213
ATU	Baseball Field	April 2012	4/9/13	4/9/13	8,043	\$10,054	\$10,054
ATU	Chambers Cafeteria Renovation	October 2012	8/23/13	8/28/13	36,997	\$46,246	\$46,246
ATU	Academic classroom, student support and administrative facility	October 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied	66,900	N/A	\$167,250
ATU-O	Allied Health Building	July 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
HSU	Dining Facility	October 2010	6/6/13	5/27/13	21,980	\$27,475	\$27,475
HSU	Purchase apartment complex, Construct residence hall and apartment complex	March 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
SAUM	Agriculture Center	February 2011	4/1/13	11/1/12	33,178	\$82,945	\$82,945
SAUM	University Hall	April 2012	6/1/13	8/1/13	35,000	\$43,750	\$43,750
SAUM	Story Arena	February 2013	4/20/13	5/1/13	6,400	\$8,000	\$8,000
SAUM	Mulerider Activity Center	February 2013	6/1/12	10/1/12	34,770	N/A	\$44,910
SAUM	University Village apartments	April 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Nanoscale Science & Eng.	December 2009	2/1/11	3/1/11	77,691	\$194,228	\$194,228
UAF	Epley Center for Health Professions	December 2009	12/1/11	12/1/11	45,335	\$113,338	\$113,338
UAF	Vol Walker Hall	April 2011	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Ozark Hall	April 2011	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Hillside Auditorium	April 2011	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied	35,175	N/A	\$87,938
UAF	Child Development Study Center	April 2011	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied	58,495	N/A	\$146,238
UAF	Fraternity House Expansion	April 2011	9/19/11	12/1/11	15,106	\$42,753	\$18,883
UAF	Founders Hall	April 2011	8/1/13	8/1/13	78,300	N/A	N/A
UAF	Uptown Campus	June 2012	8/1/12	8/1/12	58,655	N/A	\$146,638
UAF	Athletic Academic and Dining Facility, a Baseball and Track Indoor Training Facility and a Basketball Practice Facility	March 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Classroom and teaching laboratory building	March 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Various E&G projects	June 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAF	Housing for the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity	June 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UAFS	Lion's Den	January 2009	8/1/10	8/1/10	114,560	\$54,163	\$56,717
UAFS	Boreham Library	November 2010	3/1/13	3/1/13	39,170	N/A	\$97,925
UAFS	Student recreation and wellness center	June 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UALR	West Hall Residence	October 2009	8/12/11	8/12/11	106,800	\$60,000	\$60,000
UALR	University Village	April 2012	11/30/12	11/30/12	139,554	\$175,000	\$175,000
UCA	Bear Hall-Construction	July 2010	8/15/12	8/13/12	112,000	\$140,000	\$140,000
UCA	Bear Village-Purchase (Previously leased before purchase)	July 2012	8/1/12	6/1/05	156,915	\$196,144	\$196,144
UCA	HPER Expansion	October 2012	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied	42,325	\$52,906	\$52,906
UCA	UCA Sky Box-Purchase	April 2013	8/30/12	9/1/12	9,900	\$12,375	\$12,375
UCA	Weight Room Additon-Purchase	April 2013	4/1/12	1/15/12	6,106	\$7,633	\$7,633
UCA	Sorority houses and National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) facility	October 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UCA	Lewis Science Addition	April 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
<b>COLLEGES:</b>							
ASUB	Housing Complex	January 2010	10/12/11	8/11/11	57,400	\$24,281	\$24,103
ASUMH	Vada Sheid Community Development Center	July 2009	8/1/10	8/1/10	65,000	\$100,000	\$130,000
ASUN	Fowler Family Hospitality Services Building	January 2012	7/15/13	8/1/13	11,826	N/A	\$29,565
BRTC	Health & Science Facility	June 2013	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
CCCUA	Murfreesboro Building	October 2010	11/1/10	11/1/10	22,000	\$55,000	\$55,000
CCCUA	Nashville Maintenance Building	April 2013	2/1/13	2/1/13	8,100	\$20,250	\$20,250
CCCUA	Nashville Main Building	April 2013	3/1/08	7/1/08	21,550	\$53,875	\$53,875
CCCUA	Nashville Technical Trades Building	April 2013	3/1/08	7/1/08	16,834	\$42,085	\$42,085
CCCUA	Nashville Education A Building	April 2013	3/1/08	7/1/08	2,510	\$6,275	\$6,275
CCCUA	Nashville Education B Building	April 2013	3/1/08	7/1/08	2,510	\$6,275	\$6,275
CoTO	Cosmetology Building Renovation/Addition	February 2011	8/1/11	8/1/11	2,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
CoTO	Workforce Training Facility	April 2014	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
EACC	Transportation/Technology Facility	October 2010	8/1/12	8/1/12	19,902	\$49,775	\$49,755
EACC	Allied Health Facility	October 2010	1/13/14	1/13/14	13,451	N/A	\$33,628
MSSC	Marion Berry Renewable Energy Building and Wellness Centers	April 2012	7/9/13	8/1/13	35,120	N/A	\$87,800
NAC	Science Building	July 2012	6/8/14	8/10/14	14,330	N/A	N/A
NWACC	Health Professional Bldg	July 2010	10/1/12	10/1/12	55,171	\$137,928	\$137,928
OZC	Mtn View Student Services Center	October 2012	8/1/12	8/15/12	10,683	\$26,708	\$26,708
PTC	Fine & Performing Arts Center	September 2011	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
PTC	Culinary Arts Center	September 2012	5/29/14	8/12/13	56,701	N/A	\$141,753
RMCC	Library, Classroom, Lab and Meeting Space	June 2012	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
SACC	Health Science Building	July 2009	3/10/11	2/1/11	38,378	\$95,945	\$95,945
SAUT	Multi-purpose Student Facility	April 2012	Not Yet Completed	Not Yet Occupied		N/A	N/A
UACCB	Nursing & Allied Health Bldg	January 2010	6/5/11	8/1/11	40,669	\$101,673	\$101,673
UACCH	Texarkana Instruction Center	October 2011	7/1/12	7/1/12	10,000	\$25,000	\$25,000

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## **REPORT OF 2013-14 INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES**

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Act 245 of 1989 (A.C.A. §6-62-106) directed the Coordinating Board to develop and establish uniform accounting standards and procedures for reporting revenues and expenditures. Based on these standard definitions and formats, the Coordinating Board is to collect the financial data and provide a uniform report of each institution's athletic revenues and expenditures for the previous fiscal year to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee and the public by November of each year.

Athletic revenues and expenditures for 2013-14 for each institution have been collected according to uniform standards and compiled in a summary report that follows this agenda item. An explanation of the reporting format follows:

1. The athletic report details revenues and expenditures for each institution.
2. Athletic revenues will match athletic expenditures unless there is an ending fund balance.
3. Act 366 of 1991 (A.C.A. § 6-62-804) prohibits athletic deficits. A designated athletic fee must be charged to the students by the institution if athletic-generated revenues (i.e., ticket sales, media/tournament/bowl, concessions/program sales, and game guarantees), foundations/clubs and other private gifts, other athletic income, auxiliary profits, and the allowable educational and general transfer do not cover the total expenditures for athletics.
4. In accordance with the uniform reporting and auditing of intercollegiate athletic expenditures of state-supported institutions of higher education, maintenance of facilities expenditures related to all intercollegiate teams and spirit groups, excluding bands, shall be reported as actual costs of operating such athletic facilities or a proration of actual costs based on athletic usage (A.C.A. § 6-62-807).

The 2013-14 total amount of athletic expenditures reported by state-supported universities is \$140,815,591 and two-year colleges is \$530,403. The statewide total is \$141,345,994 – a decrease of \$3,409,974 (2.36%) from \$144,755,968 in 2012-13.

A comparison of 2013-14 actual expenditures to 2013-14 budgeted revenues certified to the Coordinating Board in July 2013 is also illustrated at the bottom of the summary chart. Certified budgeted revenues for 2013-14 totaled

\$136,608,769 for all institutions. Total actual expenditures for 2013-14 for all institutions exceeded this budgeted amount by 3 percent. Actual expenditures varied from the Board of Trustees-certified budgeted revenue by a range of 24 percent over the budgeted amount to 9 percent under the budgeted amount.

The following resolution is presented for the Board's consideration:

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board accepts the Report of 2013-14 Intercollegiate Athletic Revenues and Expenditures as prepared in accordance with Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board uniform accounting standards and definitions for athletic reporting.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board authorizes the Director to transmit the Report of 2013-14 Intercollegiate Athletic Revenues and Expenditures to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee according to the provisions of Act 245 of 1989.

**Summary of Intercollegiate Athletic Revenues and Expenditures, 2013-14**

INSTITUTIONS		ASUJ	ATU	HSU	SAUM	UAF	UAFS	UALR	UAM	UAPB	UCA	4-yr TOTAL	CCCUA	MSCC	NAC
R E V E N U E S	Ticket Sales	\$1,455,567	\$207,105	\$78,963	\$33,097	\$34,284,320	\$35,208	\$377,280	\$34,407	\$583,277	\$426,030	\$37,515,254	\$0	\$0	\$11,373
	Media/Tournament/Bowl	\$293,639	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$21,681,751	\$0	\$580,009	\$0	\$0	\$38,076	\$22,593,475	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Concessions/Program Sales	\$120,346	\$0	\$2,692	\$17,975	\$996,231	\$43,831	\$421	\$0	\$13,683	\$12,690	\$1,207,869	\$22,422	\$0	\$0
	Game Guarantees	\$1,921,000	\$53,250	\$17,000	\$19,700	\$364,725	\$24,000	\$263,315	\$11,700	\$613,189	\$661,000	\$3,948,879	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Foundations/Clubs & Other Private Gifts	\$445,250	\$31,037	\$140,998	\$0	\$11,796,980	\$16,965	\$373,078	\$0	\$184	\$251,219	\$13,055,711	\$0	\$63,500	\$0
	Student Athletic Fees	\$4,629,080	\$3,072,675	\$1,540,020	\$1,127,098	\$0	\$2,865,142	\$4,202,794	\$700,902	\$952,738	\$4,838,092	\$23,928,541	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Other Income	\$1,805,453	\$170,101	\$16,915	\$28,063	\$12,710,577	\$52,764	\$480,820	\$23,222	\$322,616	\$1,118,749	\$16,729,280	\$0	\$0	\$0
	<b>Total Revenues for Athletics</b>	<b>\$15,527,654</b>	<b>\$4,933,624</b>	<b>\$3,778,038</b>	<b>\$3,234,994</b>	<b>\$81,846,294</b>	<b>\$3,579,338</b>	<b>\$7,448,950</b>	<b>\$3,280,097</b>	<b>\$6,855,092</b>	<b>\$11,243,057</b>	<b>\$141,727,137</b>	<b>\$75,497</b>	<b>\$194,274</b>	<b>\$260,633</b>
O T H E R F I N A N C I N G S O U R C E S	CWSP Federally Funded Portion	\$0	\$8,769	\$0	\$63,096	\$11,710	\$0	\$0	\$45,476	\$0	\$113,877	\$242,928	\$0	\$0	\$0
	CWSP Fed. Portion as % Total CWSP	0%	75%	0%	40%	80%	0%	0%	100%	0%	100%	66%	0%	0%	0%
	Other Auxiliary Profits	\$3,642,392	\$0	\$766,523	\$731,038	\$0	\$541,428	\$0	\$1,389,390	\$2,281,989	\$2,783,324	\$12,136,084	\$0	\$0	\$137,560
	Transfers from Unrestricted E&G	\$1,214,927	\$1,390,687	\$1,214,927	\$1,214,927	\$0	\$0	\$1,171,233	\$1,075,000	\$1,138,234	\$1,000,000	\$9,419,935	\$53,075	\$130,774	\$111,700
	Prior Year Fund Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$949,182	\$0	\$949,182	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Transfers from Other Funds/Balance Forward (Inclusive of Interfund Borrowing)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
E X P E N D I T U R E S	Salaries	\$3,694,953	\$1,086,790	\$997,206	\$668,228	\$24,278,774	\$958,989	\$2,553,288	\$823,544	\$1,765,104	\$2,523,177	\$39,350,053	\$19,805	\$55,430	\$46,330
	Budgeted FTE Positions	69.0	24.02	18.75	14.75	271.5	18.00	41.0	18.85	36	42.30	554	0.50	1.3	1.1
	Fringe Benefits	\$1,088,060	\$333,691	\$332,629	\$187,503	\$5,658,315	\$301,577	\$617,649	\$260,633	\$480,867	\$783,576	\$10,044,500	\$6,665	\$15,720	\$8,596
	Fringe Benefits as a % of Salaries	29.4%	30.7%	33.4%	28.1%	23.3%	31.4%	24.2%	31.6%	27.2%	31.1%	25.5%	33.7%	28.4%	18.6%
	Extra Help	\$331,943	\$158,869	\$12,445	\$162,653	\$2,008,986	\$82,345	\$337,672	\$38,298	\$70,420	\$213,989	\$3,417,620	\$0	\$6,202	\$4,211
	CWSP	\$0	\$11,692	\$20,873	\$159,214	\$14,638	\$0	\$0	\$45,476	\$0	\$113,877	\$365,770	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Game Guarantees	\$635,969	\$10,300	\$0	\$0	\$3,319,072	\$11,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$128,000	\$4,104,841	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Athletic Scholarships	\$4,159,503	\$1,334,116	\$1,506,319	\$1,060,559	\$6,932,224	\$1,098,599	\$1,969,282	\$997,101	\$1,739,422	\$3,351,709	\$24,148,834	\$0	\$38,500	\$54,669
	Medical Insurance/Injury Claims	\$19,679	\$280,041	\$106,410	\$94,658	\$1,150,297	\$53,848	\$0	\$224,486	\$0	\$245,461	\$2,174,880	\$0	\$7,989	\$22,040
	Travel	\$2,702,121	\$391,025	\$332,432	\$411,927	\$9,039,928	\$364,256	\$891,820	\$271,276	\$643,320	\$1,409,150	\$16,457,255	\$11,480	\$23,727	\$38,526
	Equipment	\$24,456	\$66,266	\$21,724	\$15,067	\$762,832	\$0	\$47,697	\$0	\$11,470	\$5,375	\$954,887	\$0	\$7,114	\$0
	Concessions/Programs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$15,499	\$0	\$41,981	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$57,480	\$0	\$0	\$0
	M & O	\$2,487,509	\$315,824	\$289,637	\$242,393	\$11,854,283	\$243,609	\$722,188	\$363,258	\$868,115	\$1,094,925	\$18,481,741	\$37,547	\$38,771	\$62,567
	Facilities	\$354,000	\$274,280	\$158,363	\$130,225	\$6,016,014	\$298,810	\$162,781	\$89,977	\$65,454	\$544,740	\$8,094,644	\$0	\$820	\$23,694
	Debt Service	\$29,461	\$254,748	\$0	\$87,068	\$9,406,393	\$0	\$75,931	\$120,129	\$1,210,920	\$628,604	\$11,813,254	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Expenses	\$0	\$134,072	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$123,824	\$0	\$45,919	\$0	\$57,065	\$360,880	\$0	\$0	\$0	
OTHER FINANCING USES	Transfers to Other Funds/Accounts	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$774,902	\$0	\$70,642	\$0	\$0	\$143,409	\$988,953	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Total Expenditures for Athletics</b>	<b>\$15,527,654</b>	<b>\$4,651,714</b>	<b>\$3,778,038</b>	<b>\$3,234,994</b>	<b>\$81,216,658</b>	<b>\$3,579,338</b>	<b>\$7,448,950</b>	<b>\$3,280,097</b>	<b>\$6,855,092</b>	<b>\$11,243,057</b>	<b>\$140,815,591</b>	<b>\$75,497</b>	<b>\$194,273</b>	<b>\$260,633</b>	
Fund Balance	\$0	\$281,910	\$0	\$0	\$629,636	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$911,546	\$0	\$1	\$0	
2013-14 Budgeted Revenue Certified July 2013	\$14,162,188	\$4,691,257	\$3,553,309	\$2,601,800	\$80,675,500	\$3,536,316	\$7,291,609	\$3,380,390	\$6,403,987	\$9,805,789	\$136,102,145	\$66,555	\$153,000	\$287,069	
% Difference Between Expenditures & Budgeted Revenue	10%	-1%	6%	24%	1%	1%	2%	-3%	7%	15%	3.0%	13%	27%	-9%	

**ROLE AND SCOPE CHANGE  
MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HEALTHCARE ADMINISTRATION  
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS – FORT SMITH**

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**Role and Scope Change/Program Proposal Review**

In June 2014, a review team visited the UAFS campus to evaluate the institution's request for a change in role and scope from an institution offering certificates, associate and bachelor's degrees to one that also offers master's degrees. After meeting with administrators at the two Fort Smith hospitals and with UAFS administrators, faculty and students, the external review panel concluded that the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith is well-positioned to offer the master's degree in healthcare administration and other master's degrees when the need and demand have been documented. The reviewers noted that UAFS must 1) develop the policies governing graduate faculty status that include the increased expectations for faculty research and faculty workload; 2) develop a marketing and recruiting plan for the proposed program; and 3) designate a coordinator for the master's degree program.

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**Program Justification**

The proposed Master of Science in Healthcare Administration degree is needed to address the shortage of health managers in Arkansas and nationally. Healthcare administrators are responsible for the business and financial aspects of hospitals, clinics, and other health services organizations. They are partners with other healthcare providers in providing care and serving the needs of patients, their families, and communities. Employment of medical and health services managers is expected to grow faster than the average for all

occupations. As people remain active later in life, the healthcare industry as a whole will see an increase in the demand for medical services. Managers will be needed to organize and manage medical information and healthcare staffs in all areas of the industry.

Desiring to have a positive impact on UAFS students and on healthcare in the community, the Benefit Bank and an anonymous donor have funded three endowed professorships in nursing. These endowed professorships will help the College of Health Sciences recruit superior new faculty and/or retain faculty whose research, teaching and or practice uniquely contributes to the mission of the University. These professorships will also create stronger economic development ties between the private sector and UAFS. Two new faculty will be employed for the proposed master's degree in healthcare administration.

According to the Harvard Business School, healthcare administrators must understand science, medicine, information technology, economics, and finance to be innovative in how they approach outcomes of care and maintain financial viability.

During the development of the healthcare administration degree program, UAFS discussed issues related to course content with a variety of industry leaders. UAFS will appoint an advisory committee to engage in ongoing discussions related to content of the curriculum along with other critical topics and meet at least bi-annually. Institutional representatives will include the Provost/Senior Vice Chancellor, Associate Provost, and Dean of the College of Health Sciences.

### **Arkansas Institution Offering Similar Program**

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

### **Program Viability**

Expected Initial Student Enrollment – 12 students

Required Graduates by Summer 2021–12 students total, based on AHECB viability standard

### **ADHE Executive Staff Recommendation**

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the role and scope change for the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith to offer the Master of Science in Healthcare Administration (CIP 51.0701, 33 semester credit hours, 100 percent by distance technology) effective Fall 2015 with limited coursework offered beginning in January 2015. Program continuation is contingent on Higher Learning Commission accreditation/recognition of master's degrees at UAFS.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education to inform the President and Chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System, and the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas-Fort Smith of the conditions of the role

and scope approval for the offering of master's degree programs. A status report must be submitted to ADHE by July 1, 2015, on how the campus has addressed the basic standards and practices required for graduate instruction as outlined in the reviewers' report.

**Degree Requirements**

Master of Science in Healthcare Administration; Total semester credit hours – 33

<b>FALL SEMESTER: 9 hours</b>			
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>Courses</b>		
3	MHCA 5003 Healthcare Systems		
3	MHCA 5013 Healthcare Policy and Governance		
3	MHCA 5023 Human Behavior in Healthcare Organizations		
<b>SPRING SEMESTER: 9 hours</b>			
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>Courses</b>		
3	MHCA 5033 Healthcare Law and Ethics		
3	MHCA 5043 Research in Healthcare Administration		
3	MHCA 6003 Budgetary Issues in Healthcare Services		
<b>SUMMER SEMESTER: 3 hours</b>			
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>Courses</b>		
3	MHCA 6013 Information Systems Management in Healthcare		
<b>FALL SEMESTER: 9 hours</b>			
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>Courses</b>		
3	MHCA 6023 Managed Care and Reimbursement Systems		
3	MHCA 6033 Healthcare Quality Improvement		
3	MHCA 6043 Healthcare Administration Internship		
<b>SPRING SEMESTER: 3 hours</b>			
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>Courses</b>		
3	MHCA 6053 Graduate Project in Healthcare Administration		
<b>Total Hours: 33</b>			

A comprehensive examination will be administered at the completion of MHCA 6053 Graduate Project in Healthcare Administration. Three faculty members must read the examination and score the examination against a rubric. Students must achieve at least 90 percent (averaging the scores from each faculty member) on the comprehensive examination to graduate from the program.



**Program Admission Requirements**

Students seeking admission to the online Master of Science in Healthcare Administration program must adhere to the following requirements:

1. Submit a completed application with official transcripts. The application must include a 500-word statement outlining reasons for seeking the degree, any previous work experience in the healthcare field, and educational goals and objectives.
2. Possess an earned bachelor's degree in nursing, healthcare administration, or other related healthcare field from an accredited regional institution with at least a 3.0 GPA. Students with an earned Bachelor of Business Administration degree from a regionally accredited institution will be considered as well.
3. Complete the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). Students must have a total score of 1000 on the verbal and quantitative sections of the GRE, or a combined score of 1500 on all three portions, or a score of 410 on the Miller Analogies Test (MAT). The test score must not be more than five years old. The GRE requirement is waived for applicants who have earned an advanced degree from a regionally accredited university.
4. Achieve a minimum score of 550 on the written Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or 213 on the computer based TOEFL if an international applicant whose native language is not English. The TOEFL may be waived for any applicant who has graduated from an accredited college or university in the United States.
5. Submit three letters of reference which comments on the student's potential for success in a graduate program.
6. Provisional Admission: A student failing to meet one or more of the standards required for admission as a regular student may be eligible for provisional admission if space in the program is available. Students who fail to make progress under provisional admission will be withdrawn from the program.

**UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK DEGREE CENTER AT  
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE/TEXARKANA**

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The administration of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR) requests Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board approval of a Degree Center on the campus of the University of Arkansas Community College at Hope/Texarkana (UACCH/T). The Degree Center will be referenced as the UALR Texarkana Center. The Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System has authorized UALR to offer selected courses and some existing bachelor's and master's degree programs on the UACCH/Texarkana Campus upon program approval by the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board. Degree offerings will be determined jointly by UALR and UACCH/T based on student demand and community/employer needs. Initial degree offerings will include bachelor's degree completion programs in professional studies, general business administration and construction management as well as the Master of Social Work.

UALR will house a Center Director at the Texarkana site to assist with admission, advising, financial aid, and student transfer. The UALR courses will be offered by distance technology or taught on the UACCH/T campus by UALR adjunct faculty. UACCH/T will provide classroom space and computer facilities for online courses. There is an agreement that outlines the responsibilities of UALR and UACCH/Texarkana. The establishment of the UALR Texarkana Center will allow UACCH/T students to pursue degrees beyond the associate degree without leaving their home campus, and with the continuation of state scholarship and grant funds.

**ADHE Executive Staff Recommendation**

**RESOLVED**, That the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board (AHECB) approves the establishment of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock Degree Center (UALR Texarkana Center) on the campus of the University of Arkansas Community College at Hope/Texarkana, and the offering of selected courses, bachelor's degree completion programs and master's degrees effective January 2015; contingent on prior approval by AHECB of the degree programs offered by UALR in Texarkana, and the recognition of the UALR Texarkana Center by the Higher Learning Commission.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board approves the University of Arkansas at Little Rock to offer associate to bachelor's degree completion programs for the Bachelor of Professional Studies, Bachelor of Science in Construction Management, and Bachelor of Business Administration in General Business, and to offer the Master of Social Work at the UALR Texarkana Center effective January 2015.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) to inform the President and the Chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System and the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock of the approval.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the ADHE Director to notify the administrations of Southern Arkansas University-Magnolia and Henderson State University that the unnecessary duplication of courses and degrees in Texarkana, Arkansas, is to be avoided; and that the ADHE Director must inform the AHECB of disputes that arise between Arkansas public colleges and universities regarding off-campus course offerings.

**INSTITUTIONAL CERTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
RESOLUTIONS**

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**ADHE Executive Staff Recommendation**

**Initial Program Certification-Distance Technology**

**RESOLVED**, That pursuant to ACA §6-61-301, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board grants initial certification to the institutions listed on pages 1-6 to offer the specified degree programs to Arkansas residents for a period of three years through December 31, 2017.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is authorized to notify the administration of said institutions that the certification of the degree programs requires the institution to notify the Arkansas Department of Higher Education whenever any of the following occurs: (1) major reorganization of the controlling body; (2) changes in the charter or incorporation documents of the institution; or (3) changes in the method of operation of the institution's programs in Arkansas.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Coordinating Board instructs the Director to notify the administration of said institutions that any advertisement or published materials using the name of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board or the Arkansas Department of Higher Education must contain the following statement:

Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board certification does not constitute an endorsement of any institution or program. Such certification merely indicates that certain criteria have been met as required under the rules and regulations implementing institutional and program certification as defined in Arkansas Code §6-61-301.

American College of Healthcare Science, Portland, Oregon

State Authorization: Oregon Office of Degree Authorization

Institutional Accreditation-National Career-Related: Distance Education and Training Council Accrediting Commission

Master of Science in Complementary and Alternative Medicine

Master of Science in Holistic Nutrition

American Public University, Charles Town, West Virginia

State Authorization: West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission

Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

Associate of Arts in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Management  
Master of Arts in Transportation and Logistics Management

Arizona State University, Scottsdale, Arizona

State Authorization: Arizona Board of Regents  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools  
Programmatic Accreditation: American Dietetics Association

Bachelor of Arts in Business  
Bachelor of Arts in Global Health  
Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering  
Master of Arts in Emergency Management and Homeland Security  
Master of Arts in History  
Master of Legal Studies  
Master of Science in Business Analytics  
Master of Science in Family and Human Development  
Master of Science in the Science of Health Care Delivery  
Master of Science in Nutrition (non-licensure)  
Master of Science in Technology in Graphic Information Technology

Belhaven University, Jackson, Mississippi

State Authorization: Mississippi Commission on College Accreditation  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools

Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Accounting  
Church-Related Training, Exempt from Certification: Undergraduate Certificate in Biblical Studies, Associate of Arts in Biblical Studies, Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies

Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts

State Authorization: Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Acts of 1869, Chapter 322  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: New England Association of Colleges and Schools

Bachelor of Liberal Studies Degree Completion Program  
Master of Laws in Taxation

Columbia Southern University, Orange Beach, Alabama

State Authorization: Alabama Department of Postsecondary Education  
Institutional Accreditation-National Career-Related: Distance Education and Training Council Accrediting Commission

Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice  
Associate of Applied Science in Fire Science  
Associate of Arts in General Studies

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Management  
Bachelor of Science in Fire Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Management  
Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership  
Bachelor of Science in Psychology  
Master of Public Administration  
Master of Science in Organizational Leadership

Concordia University Wisconsin, Mequon, Wisconsin

State Authorization: Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

Master of Science in Education, Educational Design and Technology (non-licensure)

Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

State Authorization: Washington, D.C. Education Licensure Commission  
Institutional Accreditation – Regional: Middle States Commission on Higher Education

Master of Science in Finance

Courses:

HIST 007 Introduction Early History: World I  
GOVT 008-130 United States Political Systems  
HSCI 111-130 Biochemistry and Human Functioning  
PHIL 132-130 Ethics: Justice  
WRIT 015-130 Writing and Culture Seminar

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

State Authorization: Maryland Higher Education Commission  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Middle States Commission on Higher Education

Master of Public Policy

Master of Science in Applied Economics

Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas

State Authorization: Kansas Board of Regents  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools  
Programmatic Accreditation: Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation/National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Kansas State Department of Education

Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Computing, Design and Online Learning (non-licensure)

Master of Science in Family Studies and Human Services

Courses:

HMD 640 Entrepreneurship in Dietetics

HMD 720 Administration of Healthcare Organizations  
HMD 891 Environmental Scanning and Analysis of Current Issues in Dietetics  
HMD 896 Financial Management and Cost Controls  
HMD 643 Food Writing  
HN 820 Functional Foods for Chronic Disease Prevention  
MERCH 510 Consumer Behavior  
MERCH 610 Historical and Contemporary Issues in Trade  
MERCH 650 Strategic Planning in Merchandising

Northcentral University, Scottsdale, Arizona

State Authorization: Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools  
Programmatic Accreditation: Commission for the Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy, Arkansas State Board of Examiners in Counseling

Master of Arts in Marriage and Family Therapy  
Doctor of Philosophy in Marriage and Family Therapy (Non-Licensure)

Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

State Authorization: Oregon State Board of Higher Education  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities  
Programmatic Accreditation - Education: Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation/National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Oregon Department of Education  
Programmatic Accreditation – Counseling: Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs, Arkansas State Board of Examiners in Counseling

Master of Education: Adult Education (Non-Licensure)  
Master of Education for K-12 Teachers  
Master of Health Physics  
Master of Science in Counseling – School Concentration  
Doctor of Philosophy in Counseling (Non-Licensure)

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

State Authorization: Ohio Board of Regents  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools  
Programmatic Accreditation: Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education

Undergraduate Certificate in Medical Biller/Coder  
Undergraduate Certificate in Software Productivity  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science in Health Informatics  
Post-Master's Certificate in Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska

State Authorization: Nebraska Coordinating Commission on Postsecondary Education  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

Program Approval: Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation/National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Nebraska Department of Education

Bachelor of Science in Child, Youth, and Family Studies, Emphasis in Early Childhood in a Mobile Society

Master of Laws in Space, Cyber, and Telecommunications

Walden University, Minneapolis, Minnesota

State Authorization: Minnesota Office of Higher Education

Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

Program Approval: Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation/National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Minnesota Department of Education

Master of Arts in Teaching

Master of Science in Education

Education Specialist

Doctor of Education

**New Institutions – Arkansas Campus**

Baptist Health Schools Little Rock, Little Rock, Arkansas

Institutional Accreditation-National Career-Related: Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools

Program Approval/Accreditation: Arkansas State Board of Nursing, Accrediting Commission for Education in Nursing (Pending), Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing

Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant

Jefferson Regional Medical Center School of Nursing, Pine Bluff, Arkansas

Institutional Accreditation-National Career-Related: Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools

Program Approval: Arkansas State Board of Nursing, Accrediting Commission for Education in Nursing (Pending)

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing

**New Institutions – Distance Technology**

The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles, California

State Authorization: California Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education

Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Western Association of Schools and Colleges



Bachelor of Arts in Psychology Degree Completion  
Master of Arts in Forensic Psychology  
Master of Arts in Industrial and Organizational Psychology  
Master of Arts in Psychology

Frontier Nursing University, Hyden, Kentucky

State Authorization: Kentucky Council of Postsecondary Education  
Institutional Accreditation-Regional: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools  
Programmatic Accreditation: Accrediting Commission for Education in Nursing

Master of Science in Nursing  
Post Master's Certificate in Nursing  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

Independence University, Salt Lake City, Utah

State Authorization: Utah Division of Consumer Protection  
Institutional Accreditation-National Career-Related: Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges

RRT-Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care Degree Completion Program

(Acknowledgment by the Arkansas State Medical Board that the RRT-BSRC degree completion program is not an advanced practice licensure program; Bachelor's degree admission limited to RRTs licensed in Arkansas. *Independence University has submitted program admission, student disclosure, and program administration statements for Arkansans.*)

## LETTERS OF NOTIFICATION

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The Director of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education (ADHE) has approved the following program requests since the July 2014 AHECB meeting. According to AHECB policy 5.11, program actions approved by the ADHE Director must be included on the AHECB meeting agenda prior to initiation and may require further review by the Coordinating Board.

### **New Organizational Unit**

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville  
Center for Ethics in Journalism

### **New Certificate/Degree Programs**

Arkansas State University – Newport

Certificate of Proficiency in Behavioral Health Technician (CIP 51.1502; 16 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Arkansas Tech University – Ozark

Certificate of Proficiency in Industrial Control Systems (CIP 15.0399; 16 credit hours; Summer 2015)

Mid-South Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Process Technology I (CIP 15.0699; 18 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Rich Mountain Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Cosmetology Instructor (CIP 12.0413; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Certificate in Child Advocacy Studies Training (CIP 44.0701; 9 credit hours; Fall 2015; 100% online)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Graduate Certificate in Data Science (CIP 11.0401; 12 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Master of Science in Information Science (CIP 11.0401; 33 credit hours; Fall 2014)

### **Program – New – Option/Emphasis/Concentration/Minor/Focus Area**

Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

Concentrations in Instrumental or Vocal Performance in Master of Music in Performance (DC 5990; CIP 50.0903; 30 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Southern Arkansas University – Magnolia

Option in Computer Technology in the Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (DC 2410; CIP 11.0101; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Indigenous Studies (CIP 05.0202; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015)

Minor in Jewish Studies (CIP 38.0206; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015)

Minor in Journalism in Bachelor of Arts in Journalism (DC 1560; CIP 09.0401; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015; 50% online)

Minor in Child Advocacy Studies Training (CIP 44.0701; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015; 100% online)

Minor in Southern Studies (CIP 05.0122; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015)

University of Arkansas - Fort Smith

Option in Office Management and Medical Office Professional in Associate of Applied Science in Office Management Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0402; 60 credit hours; Summer 2015)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Concentration in Public Relations in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Concentration in Media Production in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Concentration in Motion Picture in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Concentration in Journalism in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 12 credit hours; Fall 2014)

University of Central Arkansas

Minor in Special Education (CIP 13.1001; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

**Education Program Revisions to Meet New Teacher Licensure Requirements**

Southern Arkansas University – Magnolia

Master of Arts in Teaching (DC 5542; CIP 13.1299; 30 credit hours; Fall 2014)

University of Central Arkansas

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics (DC 2870; CIP 27.0101; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

**Deleted Programs**

National Park Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Medication Aide (DC 0221; CIP 51.2603; Fall 2014)

South Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Solid State Technology (DC 4818; Fall 2014)

Certificate of Proficiency in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0388; Fall 2014)

Technical Certificate in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0389; Fall 2014)

Associate of Applied Science in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0391; Fall 2014)

University of Arkansas Community College at Hope

Associate of Applied Science in Respiratory Care (DC 0810; Spring 2015)

University of Central Arkansas

Bachelor of Science in Education in Mathematics (DC 3910; Fall 2014)

Bachelor of Science in Secondary Science Education (DC 3950; Fall 2014)

**Deleted Programs – Option/Emphasis/Concentration/Minor**

Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

Option in Early Childhood Education in the Master of Arts in Teaching (DC 5542; CIP 13.1299; Fall 2014)

Arkansas Tech University

Option in Turf Management in Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Park Administration (DC 2970; CIP 31.0301; Summer 2015)

University of Arkansas – Fort Smith

Options in Human Resources Assistant and Accounting Assistant in Associate of Applied Science in Administrative Professional and Office Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0402; Summer 2015)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Emphasis in Engineering Science in the Master of Science in Applied Sciences (DC 6095; CIP 40.0101; Fall 2014)

Emphasis in Engineering Science and Systems; Applied Computing; and Information Quality in Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Sciences (DC 7140; CIP 40.0101; Fall 2014)

**Program – Inactive Status**

Mid-South Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Computer Numerical Control Machine Operator (DC 1151; CIP 15.0613; Fall 2014)

National Park Community College

Technical Certificate in Residential Carpentry (DC 4373; CIP 46.0201; Fall 2014)

South Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Truck Driving (DC 4895; CIP 49.0205; Fall 2014)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Art Education Track in the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art (DC 1250; CIP 57.0702; Fall 2014)

**Associate Degrees for Transfer and Bachelor's Degree Completion**

Arkansas State University - Beebe

Associate of Science in Health Science (CIP 51.1199; DC 1095; 60 credit hours; Spring 2015) to Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (CIP 51.9999; DC 2715) emphases in Health Services Administration and Physical Therapy at the University of Central Arkansas

**Program Reconfiguration – New Certificates and Degrees**

Black River Technical College

Associate of Applied Science in Business Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0401; Fall 2014) reconfigured to create Associate of Applied Science in Accounting (CIP 52.0302); Administrative Services (CIP 52.0401); Business Administration (CIP 52.0201); Entrepreneurship (CIP 52.0701); Health Information (CIP 51.0707); Business Technology Applications (CIP 52.1299); and Computer Information Technology (CIP11.1099) 60-63 credit hours

Mid-South Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Electrical Level I (DC 1251), Mechatronics Electrical Level II (DC 1252), Mechatronics Mechanical Level I (DC 1261), Mechatronics Mechanical Level II (DC 1262), Mechatronics Mechanical Level III (DC 1263), and Mechatronics Management (DC 1264) CIP 15.0403 reconfigured to create Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level I (16 credit hours); Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level II (16 credit hours); Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level III (9 credit hours); and Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level IV (9 credit hours) all CIP 15.0403; Spring 2015

Certificate of Proficiency in Machine Technology Machinist Attendant (DC 1480; CIP 48.0503) reconfigured to Certificate of Proficiency in CNC Operations and Programming (19 credit hours; Spring 2015)

North Arkansas College

Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice (CIP 43.0103; 61-62 credit hours; Fall 2014)

University of Arkansas –Fort Smith

Certificate of Proficiency in Office Assistant changed to Certificate of Proficiency in Office Management and Certificate of Proficiency in Medical Office Professional (DC 1707; Summer 2015)

Technical Certificate in Administrative Assistant changed to Technical Certificate in Office Management and Technical Certificate in Medical Office Professional (DC 4729; Summer 2015)

Associate of Applied Science in Administrative Professional & Office Technology changed to Associate of Applied Science in Office Management Technology-Options in Office Management and Medical Office Professional (DC 0307; Summer 2015)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Certificate in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Graduate Certificate in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 15 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Business Administration in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 120 credit hours; Fall 2015)

**Program/Unit Name Changes**

Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

Specialist in Community College Teaching changed to Specialist in Community College Education (DC 7420; Spring 2015)

Arkansas Tech University

Emphasis in Recreation Administration in the Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Park Administration changed to Emphasis in Recreation Sport Management (DC 2970; CIP 31.0301; 120 credit hours; Summer 2015)

South Arkansas Community College

Technical Certificate in Industrial Equipment Maintenance Technology (CIP 47.0399; DC 4635) changed to Technical Certificate in Industrial Technology Mechatronics (CIP 15.0499; Fall 2014)

Certificate of Proficiency in Basic Gas Welding (CIP 48.0508; DC 0215; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in SMAW Welding

Certificate of Proficiency in Welding-Gas Tungsten Arc (GTAW-TIG) (CIP 48.0508; DC 0713; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in TIG Welding

Certificate of Proficiency in Basic Welding Technology (CIP 48.0508; DC 4905; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in MIG Welding

Certificate of Proficiency in Emergency Medical Technician – Basic (CIP 51.0904; DC 0015; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in Emergency Medical Technician

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Science (CIP 51.1004; DC 0153; Fall 2014) changed to Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Technician

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Agricultural Communications changed to Minor in Agricultural Food and Life Sciences (AFLS) Communications (DC 3340; CIP 01.0102; Spring 2015)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Master of Education in Teaching the Gifted and Talented changed to Master of Education in Gifted, Creative, and Talented Education (DC 5890; CIP 13.1004; Fall 2014)

**Existing Certificate or Degree Program Offered at Off-Campus Location**

Arkansas State University – Beebe

Certificate of Proficiency and Technical Certificate in Multi-Skills Technology offered at Lonoke High School (DC's 4701 & 4702; CIP 47.0101; Fall 2014)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Bachelor of Professional Studies offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 1871; CIP 30.9999; 50% online; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Science in Construction Management offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 2417; CIP 15.1001; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Business Administration in General Business offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 5201; CIP 52.0201; 100% online; Spring 2015)

Master of Social Work offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 7100; CIP 44.0701; Spring 2015)

**Existing Program via Distance Technology**

Arkansas Tech University

Master of Science in Business Administration (DC 5580; 30 credit hours; Summer 2015; 100% online)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Communication in Bachelor of Arts in Communication (DC 1330; 24 credit hours in minor; Spring 2015; 100% online)

Minor in Criminal Justice in Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice (DC 1360; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015; 50% online)

Minor in African and African American Studies (CIP 05.0201; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015; 100% online)

Minor in Spanish in Bachelor of Arts in Spanish (DC 1800; CIP 16.0905; 15 credit hours; Spring 2015; 100% online)

**Degree Modification – Credit Hour Reduction (Act 747 of 2011)**

Arkansas State University - Jonesboro

Bachelor of Science in Education in Business Technology (DC 3710; 121 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Northwest Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Nursing Assistant (DC 1510; CIP 51.3902; 16 credit hours; Spring 2015)

University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

Associate of Applied Science in Industrial Technology (DC 0580; 60 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 66 to 60)

Options in Print Journalism and Broadcast Journalism in Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communications (DC 1560; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 124-127 to 120)

Options in Acting and Management in Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (DC 1813; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 128 to 120)

**Curriculum Revisions**

Arkansas State University – Newport

Course name change from UNIV 1001 Freshman Seminar to UNIV 1001 College and Life Skills; Fall 2014

**Programs Pending Review by Arkansas Department of Education**

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Bachelor of Science in Education in Elementary Education, K-6 (CIP 13.1202; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Science in Education in Middle Level Education (CIP 13.1203; DC 3915; Spring 2015)

**Programs Pending Review by Arkansas State Board of Nursing**

Southeast Arkansas College

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing (LPN to RN; DC 0715; CIP 51.3801; Summer 2015; 50% online)

University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton

Technical Certificate in Practical Nursing (DC 0710; CIP 51.3801; Spring 2016) to be offered at satellite campus in Clinton, AR



**INSTITUTIONAL CERTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**Program Recertification**

**Expires: December 31, 2017**

Baptist Memorial College of Health Sciences, Memphis, Tennessee  
RN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Belhaven University, Jackson, Mississippi

Associate of Arts in Business  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
Bachelor of Health Administration  
Master of Health Administration  
Master of Sports Administration

Capella University, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Master of Science in Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy  
Master of Science in Mental Health Counseling

Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, Michigan

Graduate Certificate in General Administration  
Master of Science in Administration with Concentration in General Administration  
Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics

Colorado State University-Global Campus, Greenwood Village, Colorado

Bachelor of Science in Applied Social Sciences  
Bachelor of Science in Business Management  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership  
Bachelor of Science in Public Management  
Master of Science in Management  
Master of Science in Organizational Leadership

Franklin University, Columbus, Ohio

Bachelor of Science in Allied Healthcare Management  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

Master of Science in Nursing

ITT Technical Institute, Carmel, Indiana

Associate of Applied Science in Information Systems Administration  
Master of Business Administration

Jones International University, Centennial, Colorado

Master of Arts in Business Communication  
Master of Business Administration  
Doctorate in Business Administration

Kaplan University, Davenport, Iowa

Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood Development  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Finance  
Master of Science in Nursing

Lesley University, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology Degree Completion  
Bachelor of Science in Business Management Degree Completion

National American University, Rapid City, South Dakota

Associate of Applied Science in Accounting  
Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration  
Associate of Applied Science in Business Logistics  
Associate of Applied Science in Computer Security  
Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice  
Associate of Applied Science in Information Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Management (formerly Associate of Applied Science in Applied Management)  
Associate of Applied Science in Medical Administrative Assistant  
Associate of Applied Science in Medical Staff Services Management

University of Phoenix, Tempe, Arizona

Distance Technology, Little Rock Campus, Rogers Campus  
Cisco Networking Fundamentals Certificate  
Network + Technologies Certificate  
Bachelor of Arts in English  
Bachelor of Science in Accounting  
Bachelor of Science in Biological Science  
Bachelor of Science in Communications  
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science  
Bachelor of Science in History  
Bachelor of Science in Psychology  
Graduate Accounting Certificate  
Graduate Human Resource Management Certificate  
Graduate Marketing Certificate  
Master of Health Administration  
Master of Information Systems  
Master of Public Administration

Distance Technology  
Doctor of Philosophy in Higher Education Administration  
Doctor of Philosophy in Industrial/Organizational Psychology

**Institutional Changes**

Argosy University, Orange, California

Tuition per credit hour changes:  
Doctor of Business Administration-from \$894 to \$925

Doctor of Education in Organization Leadership-from \$894 to \$925

DeVry University, Downers Grove, Illinois

Rob Paul replaced David Pauldine as President

South University, Savannah, Georgia

Tuition per credit hour changes:

Master of Public Health, Master of Science in Public Relations-from \$551 to \$561

MSN, Post Graduate Certificates -from \$436 to \$458

RN to MSN-from \$420 to \$441

**Letter of Exemption from Certification – New (church-related training)**

Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri, offering programs by distance technology

Certificates:

Ethnic Immigrant Pastor

Deaf Institute Pastor

Hispanic Deaconess

Deaconess Certification

Hispanic Pastor

Specific Ministry Pastor

Specific Ministry General Pastor

Residential Alternate Route Pastor

Master of Deaconess Studies

Master of Divinity

Master of Sacred Theology

Doctor of Ministry

Equip School of Ministry, New Life Christian Center, Centerton, Arkansas

Courses:

Basic Bible Doctrines

Prayer and Consecration

Divine Healing 101

Our Full Gospel Heritage

Ministry of Excellence

Understanding the Kingdom of God

Praise and Worship

Old Testament Survey

Luke and Acts

New Testament Survey

Redemption Realities

Discipleship and Small Group Ministry

Understanding Kingdom Principles

Evangelism

Manifestation Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Practical Ministry and Supernatural Activation

**Letter of Exemption from Certification – Renewal (church-related training)**

College of Faith, West Memphis, Arkansas

Associate of Ministry

Bachelor of Ministry

**Program Decertifications**

Kaplan University, Davenport, Iowa

Associate of Applied Science in Education Paraprofessional

Bachelor of Science in Public Health

Master of Science in Fire and Emergency Services

**Program changes/additions**

American College of Healthcare Sciences

New Graduate Certificates

Anatomy and Physiology

RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online

NAT 501 Anatomy and Physiology I Online

NAT 502 Anatomy and Physiology II Online  
NAT 503 Integrative Pathophysiology Online  
NAT 504 Complementary and Alternative Medicine Pathology and Protocols Online

Aromatherapy

CHEM 502 Principles of Pharmacognosy and Phytochemistry Online  
TOX 501 Fundamentals of Toxicology and Safety in Botanical Medicine Online  
AROMA 501 Aromatherapy Science Online  
RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online

Botanical Safety

CHEM 502 Principles of Pharmacognosy and Phytochemistry Online  
TOX 501 Fundamentals of Toxicology and Safety in Botanical Medicine Online  
BOT 501 Botany and Plant Identification for the Holistic Practitioner Online  
RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online

Complementary Alternative Medicine

RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online  
NAT 503 Integrative Pathophysiology Online  
NAT 504 Complementary and Alternative Medicine Pathology and Protocols Online

*Choose two from the following:*

NUT 501 Advanced Applied Holistic Nutrition Online  
HOM 501 Homeopathy Online  
AROMA 501 Aromatherapy Science Online  
HERB 502 Advanced Herbal Materia Medica I Online  
HOMB 501 Dynamic Phytotherapy Online  
HERB 503 Advanced Herbal Materia Medica II Online

Herbal Medicine

RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online  
BOT 501 Botany and Plant Identification for the Holistic Practitioner Online  
TOX 501 Fundamentals of Toxicology and Safety in Botanical Medicine Online  
HERB 502 Advanced Herbal Materia Medica I Online  
HERB 503 Advanced Herbal Materia Medica II Online

Nutrition

NAT 501 Anatomy and Physiology I Online  
NAT 502 Anatomy and Physiology II Online  
NUT 501 Advanced Applied Holistic Nutrition Online  
RES 501 Assessment and Integration of Research Online

Art Institute of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Associate of Science in Digital Photography

Courses Added:

FNDA 135 Image Manipulation  
PHOA 233 Advanced Photographic Post-Production  
PHOA 223 Advanced Lighting  
PHOA 115 History of Photography I

PHOA 305 History of Photography

Courses Deleted:

PH 110 Photo History Survey

FND 112 Fundamentals of Design

PH 213 News Photography

PH 224 Advanced Studio Techniques

PH 312 Photography Portfolio

PH 231 Editorial Photography

Belhaven University, Jackson, Mississippi

Associate of Arts in Business

Courses Added:

BUS 280 Introduction to Online Education

WVC 301 Christian Interpretation of Life

Courses Deleted:

WVC 218 Christian Perspective

Bryan College, Springfield, Missouri

Rogers Campus

GEN 180 Technical Writing replaced with GEN 140 Composition II in General Education requirements

Capella University, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Master of Science in Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy

Course Added:

COUN 5876 Methods of Family Research

Course Deleted:

COUN 5006 Survey of Research Methodology

Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, Michigan

Graduate Certificate in General Administration

Courses Added:

MSA 501 Managing Change with Emotional Intelligence

MSA 510 Global Leadership Perspectives

MSA 634 Managerial Accounting Concepts

MSA 635 Financial Management

MSA 640 Quantitative Applications in Decision Making

MSA 660 Marketing Administration

Courses Deleted:

ECO 532 Economic Forecasting

ECO 603 Economic Effects of Urbanization and Technology

ECO 660 Public Finance and Fiscal Policy

Master of Science in Administration with Concentration in General Administration

Courses Added:

MSA 640 Quantitative Applications in Decision Making

MSA 510 Global Leadership Perspective

MSA 501 Managing Change with Emotional Intelligence

MSA 660 Marketing Administration  
MSA 634 Managerial Accounting Concepts  
MSA 635 Financial Management

Courses Deleted:

ECO 532 Economic Forecasting  
ECO 603 Economic Effects of Urbanization and Technology  
ECO 625 Firm Behavior and Game Theory  
ECO 660 Public Finance and Fiscal Policy

New Graduate Certificates/Concentrations in the Master of Science in Administration Degree Program

Engineering Management  
IET 500 Production Concepts  
IET 501 Application of Industrial Management Principles  
IET 524 Technology and Environment  
IET 650 Project Management  
IET 670 Lean Manufacturing and Six Sigma Quality  
IET 680 Sustainability and Green Technology

Human Resources Administration

*Choose one from the following:*

MGT 643 Human Resource Management  
PSC 711 Public Personnel Administration Practice

*Choose one from the following:*

COM 665 Seminar in Communication and Negotiation in Employee Relations  
ECO 515 Collective Bargaining and Labor Law  
MGT 646 Labor Relations Issues

*Choose one from the following:*

CED 555 Human Relations Skills  
COM 560 Communication and Social/Organizational Change  
COM 561 Communication in Conflict Management  
MGT 649 Seminar in Organizational Development

*Choose two from the following:*

MGT 645 Personnel Compensation Practice and Process  
MGT 647 Employee Selection and Evaluation  
PSY 536 Personnel Psychology  
PSY 636 Organizational Applications of Personnel Psychology

Information Resource Management

BIS 634 Seminar in Information Systems Issues

*Choose one from the following:*

BIS 601 Management Information Systems  
CPS 603 Computer Information Systems

*Choose one from the following:*

BIS 630 Systems Analysis Design  
CPS 510 Software Systems Engineering

*Choose one from the following:*

BIS 635 Business Systems Applications

CPS 612 Software Project Management

*Choose one from the following:*

MSA 501 Managing Change with Emotional Intelligence

MSA 634 Managerial Accounting Concepts

MSA 635 Financial Management

MSA 640 Quantitative Applications in Decision Making

MSA 660 Marketing Administration

MSA 696 Special Topics

International Administration

ANT 506/SOC 506 Comparative Cultural Systems

COM 667 Seminar in Intercultural Communication

FIN 573 International Finance

MGT 667 International Business

MKT 560 International Marketing

MSA 510 Global Leadership perspectives

PSC 551 Seminar in International Relations

PSC 555 International Law I

PSC 642 Problems and Processes of International Development I

PSC 651 Comparative Political and Economic Systems

Leadership

PSC 785 Strategic Leadership

*Choose four from the following:*

CED 555 Human Relations Skills

COM 560 Communication and Social/Organizational Change

COM 561 Communication in Conflict Management

COM 665 Seminar in Communication and Negotiation in Employee Relations

COM 667 Seminar in Intercultural Communication

ECO 515 Collective Bargaining and Labor Law

MGT 646 Labor Relations Issues

MGT 649 Seminar in Organizational Development

MSA 501 Managing Change with Emotional Intelligence

MSA 510 Global Leadership perspectives

MSA 696 Special Topics

PHL 518 Professional Ethics

PSY 531 Group Dynamics

PSY 535 Organizational Psychology

Philanthropy and Fundraising

MSA 641 Historical and Cultural Perspectives on Philanthropy

MSA 642 Principles, Theory and Ethical Practices in Fundraising and Grant Making

MSA 643 Administration of Annual, Capital Campaigns and Major Gifts

MSA 644 Philanthropy: The Role of Foundations, Non Profit Organizations

MSA 645 Strategic Philanthropy: Corporations, Foundations, and Individuals

*Choose one from the following:*

EDL 609 Administration of Volunteer Programs

EDL 610 Grants and Fund Procurement

MSA 612 Grants Fiscal Administration  
RPL 521 Fund Development and Grant Writing for Public and Non Profit Organizations

Public Administration

*Choose five from the following:*

COM 665 Seminar in Communication and Negotiation in Employee Relations

ECO 515 Collective Bargaining and Labor Law

MGT 646 Labor Relations Issues

PSC 514 American Public Policy Making

PSC 522 Regulatory Processes and Administrative Law

PSC 561 American State Government and Administration

PSC 563 Politics and Policy in Urban Communities

PSC 565 Managing Modern Local Government

PSC 566 Intergovernmental Relations in the United States

PSC 610 Foundations of Public Administration

PSC 711 Public Personnel Administration Practice

PSC 713 Public Budgeting and Finance

PSC 714 Program Analysis and Evaluation

PSC 774 Strategic Planning for Public/Non Profit Organizations

PSC 775 Organization Theory in Public Administration

PSC 785 Strategic Leadership

Recreation and Park Administration

RPL 611 Evaluation in Recreation and Leisure Services

RPL 618 Issues in Leisure

*Choose three to four from the following:*

MSA 660 Marketing Administration

RPL 511 Liability and Risk Management in Leisure Services

RPL 521 Fund Development and Grant Writing for Public and Non Profit Organizations

RPL 545 Marketing of Leisure Services

RPL 636 Recreation Facility Operations and Management

RPL 640 Recreation Program and Event Administration

Research Administration

MSA 611 Contract Administration

MSA 612 Grants Fiscal Administration

MSA 613 Project Administration

MSA 614 Ethics in Research Administration

*Choose two from the following:*

MSA 615 Sponsored Project Administration

MSA 616 The Practice of Research Administration

MSA 617 Clinical Research Administration

MSA 622 Research Facilities Administration and Cost

Columbia Southern University, Orange Beach, Alabama

New Undergraduate Certificates

Industrial Hygiene Management



Environmental Management

*Choose four from the following:*

- BEM 3001 Environmental Law
- BEM 3101 Environmental Science
- BEM 3201 Environmental Assessment
- BEM 3501 Air Quality
- BEM 3601 Waste Management
- BEM 3701 Hazardous Waste Management
- BEM 4001 Pollution Prevention
- BEM 4301 Environmental Strategies
- BEM 4351 Environmental Technology

Finance

*Choose four from the following:*

- BBA 2501 Microeconomics
- BBA 2301 Principles of Accounting II
- BBA 4201 Financial Institutions
- BBA 4301 International Finance
- BBA 4351 International Economics
- BBA 4446 International Legal Operations
- BBA 4653 International Trade

Fire Science

*Choose four from the following:*

- BFS 3251 Introduction to Fire Protection
- BFS 3501 Advanced Fire Administration
- BFS 4401 Legal Aspects of Fire Protection
- BFS 4432 Fire Prevention and Code Enforcement
- BFS 4631 Management of Fire Incident Command Systems
- BFS 4618 Incendiary Fire Analysis and Investigation
- BFS 4753 Terrorism Incident Management and Emergency Procedures

Hospitality and Tourism

*Choose four from the following:*

- BHM 3010 Introduction to Hospitality
- BHM 3020 Introduction to Tourism
- BHM 3890 Accounting for Hospitality and Tourism
- BHM 4100 Facilities Management and Design in Hospitality and Tourism
- BHM 4300 Legal Aspects of Hospitality and Tourism
- BHM 4400 Resort Management and Operation
- BHM 4680 Marketing for Hospitality and Tourism

Human Resource Management

*Choose four from the following:*

- BHR 3551 Human Relations and Development
- BHR 3565 Employment Law
- BHR 3301 Compensation and Benefits
- BHR 4350 Collective Bargaining

BHR 4601 Staffing Organizations  
BHR 4501 International Human Resource Management

Information Technology

*Choose four from the following:*

ITC 3001 Personal Computer Fundamentals  
ITC 3450 Introduction to Data Communications  
ITC 4010 System Analysis and Design  
ITC 4150 Database Design and Implementation  
ITC 4210 Programming Concepts and Problem Solving I  
ITC 4230 Programming Concepts and Problem Solving II  
ITC 4310 Web Design and Development

International Management

*Choose four from the following:*

BBA 4653 International Trade  
BBA 4301 International Finance  
BBA 4426 International Management  
BBA 4351 International Economics  
BBA 2551 Intercultural Management  
BBA 4446 International Legal Operations  
BHR 4501 International HR Management

Management

*Choose four from the following:*

BBA 2026 Organizational Communications  
BBA 3451 Organizational Theory and Behavior  
BBA 3826 Managerial Decision Making  
BBA 4126 Project Planning  
BBA 4426 International Management  
BHR 4601 Staffing Organizations  
BBA 4851 Production Management

Marketing

*Choose four from the following:*

MAR 3211 Consumer Behavior  
ITC 4310 Web Design and Development  
MAR 3231 Marketing Research  
MAR 2251 Internet Marketing Principles  
MAR 4625 Direct Marketing  
MAR 3271 Advertising

Occupational Safety and Health

*Choose four from the following:*

BOS 3001 Fundamentals of Occupational Safety and Health  
BOS 3125 Hazardous Materials Management  
BOS 3301 Fleet Safety  
BOS 3401 Construction Safety

BOS 3525 Legal Aspects of Safety and Health  
BOS 3640 Interactions of Hazardous Materials  
BOS 3651 Total Environmental, Health and Safety Management  
BOS 3701 Industrial Ergonomics  
BOS 4010 Safety Supervisor  
BOS 4025 OSHA Standards  
BOS 4201 Toxicology  
BOS 4301 Industrial Hygiene  
BOS 4601 Accident Investigation

Project Management

*Choose four from the following:*

BBA 3626 Project Management Overview  
BBA 2026 Organizational Communications  
BBA 4126 Project Planning  
BBA 3826 Managerial Decision Making  
BBA 4226 Risk Management  
BBA 4326 Procurement and Contract Management

Sport Management

*Choose four from the following:*

BSM 2701 Sociology of Sport  
BSM 2801 Sport Marketing  
BSM 2901 Sport Fundraising  
BSM 4001 Sport Facilities  
BSM 4101 Sport Administration  
BSM 4201 Sport Financing  
BSM 4301 Sport Legal Liability and Risk Management

Graduate Certificates

Environmental Management

MEE 5801 Industrial and Hazardous Waste  
MEE 6201 Advanced Pollution Prevention  
MEE 5901 Advanced Solid Waste Management  
MEE 6501 Advanced Air Quality Control

Finance

MBA 6081 Corporate Finance  
MBA 6641 International Economics  
MBA 6651 International Finance  
MBA 6841 Public Budgeting

Health Care Management

MHA 5001 Health Care Financial Management  
MHA 5101 Legal Foundations of Health Care  
MHA 5201 Health Resources and Policy Analysis  
MHA 6501 Advanced Health Care Management

Human Resource Management  
MHR 6551 Training and Development  
MHR 6901 Compensation Management  
MHR 6751 Labor Relations and Collective Bargaining  
MHR 6401 Employment Law

Marketing

*Choose four from the following:*

MAR 3211 Consumer Behavior  
ITC 4310 Web Design and Development  
MAR 3231 Marketing Research  
MAR 2251 Internet Marketing Principles  
MAR 4625 Direct Marketing  
MAR 3271 Advertising

Occupational Safety and Health

*Choose four from the following:*

MOS 5101 Safety and Accident Prevention  
MOS 5201 Safety Engineering  
MOS 5301 Fire Protection Technology  
MOS 5425 Advanced Toxicology  
MOS 5525 ISO 14000  
MOS 6301 Advanced Industrial Hygiene  
MOS 6625 System Safety Engineering  
MOS 6701 Advanced Ergonomics  
MOS 6801 Emergency Management

Project Management

MBA 6931 Project Management Strategy and Tactics  
MBA 6941 Managing Project Teams  
MBA 6951 Managing Complex Projects  
MBA 6961 Project Management

Public Administration

MBA 6841 Public Budgeting  
MBA 6851 Administration of Public Institutions  
MBA 6861 Public Policies  
MBA 6871 Public Finances/Legislative Process

Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

Master of Science in Nursing

Courses Added:

NURO 675 Foundations of Health Systems and Policy  
NURO 622 Foundations of Nursing Education and the Curriculum Design Process  
NURO 675 Reproductive Health Care of Women II  
NURO 682 Labor, Birth, and Newborn Care  
NURO 710 Care of the Family in Crisis  
NURO 676 Adult Gerontology ACNP I

NURO 678 Adult Gerontology ACNP II  
NURO 696 Adult Gerontology ACNP III  
NURO 692 Best Practices in Teaching and Learning  
Courses Deleted:  
HESY 621 Health Policy  
NUR 522 Intrapartum, Postpartum, and Newborn Care  
NUR 620 Complex Reproductive Health Care of Women  
NUR 672 Acute Care Nurse Practitioner I  
NUR 674 Acute Care Nurse Practitioner II  
NUR 680 Acute Care Nurse Practitioner III  
NUR 689 Instructional Design, Methodologies, and Evaluation  
NUR 626 Acute Care Advanced Practice Nursing I  
NUR 636 Acute Care Advanced Practice Nursing II  
NUR 650 Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist III  
NUR 680 Acute Care Nurse Practitioner III  
Adult Acute and Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist Concentration Deleted

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland  
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in School Administration and Supervision  
851.601 Organization and Administration of Schools  
851.603 School Law  
851.705 Effective Leadership  
852.602 Supervision and Professional Development  
881.610 Curriculum Theory, Development, and Implementation  
851.810 Internship in Administration and Supervision

Jones International University, Centennial, Colorado  
Doctor of Business Administration  
Courses Added:  
RES 704 Trend Forecasting  
RES 705 Leading Change  
Courses Deleted:  
BA 715 Organizational Measurement and Assessment I  
BA 716 Organizational Measurement and Assessment II

New Graduate Certificates  
Business Essentials  
ETH 5011 Making Ethical Management Decisions  
MBA 502 Economic Theory and Applications  
MBA 503 Managerial Accounting  
MBA 504 Financial Management

Corporate Financial Management  
MBA 591 Corporate Finance  
MBA 592 Financial Management Multinational Corporations  
MBA 593 Investment and Portfolio Management  
MBA 594 Advanced Corporate Finance

Health Care Administration  
MBA 531 Telemedicine and Emerging Technologies  
MBA 532 Managing the Health Care Professional  
MBA 533 Marketing Health Services  
MBA 600 Strategic Management

Project Management  
MBA 571 The Project Management Framework  
MBA 572 Planning Projects to Manage Outcomes  
MBA 573 Project Controls and Tracking Project Progress  
MBA 574 Strategic Thinking and Project Management

Lesley University, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Bachelor of Science in Business Management Degree Completion  
Courses Added:  
CECON 2101 Microeconomics  
CECON 2102 Macroeconomics  
Courses Deleted:  
CMGMT 2464 Marketing  
CMGMT 3305 The Art and Science of Leadership

National American University, Rapid City, South Dakota

Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration  
Course Added:  
MT 2100 Entrepreneurship and Small Business  
MT 3655 Business Management Capstone  
Course Deleted:  
MT 3500 Managing Information Systems

Associate of Applied Science in Information Technology

Courses Added:  
CI 3091 Database Design and Management  
AC 2760 Accounting for Managers  
MT 2050 Principles of Management  
Courses Deleted:  
CI 3091 Intermediate Database  
AC 1060 Principles of Accounting I  
AC 1160 Principles of Accounting II

Associate of Applied Science in Management (formerly Associate of Applied Science in Applied Management)

Courses Added:  
AC 2760 Accounting for Managers  
MT 3655 Business Management Capstone  
Courses Deleted:  
AC 1060 Principles of Accounting I  
AC 1160 Principles of Accounting II

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Administrative Assistant

Courses Added:

ME 3321 Medical Administrative Assistant Practicum

AC 2760 Accounting for Managers

Courses Deleted:

ME 1240 First Aid and Safety

OF 1010 Office Accounting

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Staff Services Management

Course Added:

ME 3332D Medical Staff Services Management Project

Post University, Waterbury, Connecticut

New Graduate Certificates

Corporate Innovation

BUS 660 Leadership and Change Management

BUS 665 Unleashing and Sustaining Innovation in Organizations

BUS 670 Complexity of the Innovation Process

BUS 675 Financial Tools for Managing Innovations

Alcohol and Drug Counseling (Non-Licensure)

HSV 530 Biology of Addiction

HSV 532 Theories of Alcohol and Drug Counseling

HSV 534 Psychopathology of Addiction

HSV 536 Group and Family Treatment in Addictions

HSV 593 Field Practicum I

HSV 594 Field Practicum II

Entrepreneurship

BUS 504 Integrated Marketing Mix Strategies

BUS 510 Financial Modeling

BUS 520 Competitive Intelligence

Choose one from the following:

BUS 610 New Venture Creation

BUS 625 Acquisitions in New Business Formation

Leadership

BUS 660 Leadership and Change Management

BUS 668 Virtuous Leadership

BUS 669 Innovating Leadership and Management

BUS 670 Complexity of the Innovative Process

Marketing

BUS 615 New Product Development

BUS 617 Matching Value Propositions to Buyers

BUS 618 Integrated Marketing for Managers

BUS 619 Driving Growth Through Customer Relationship Management

Online Teaching (Non-Licensure)  
EDU 630 Online Teaching and Learning  
EDU 633 Designing and Delivering Online Instruction  
EDU 637 Online Assessment and Evaluation  
EDU 639 Trends in Online Learning

Performance Management  
BUS 508 The Future of Management and Leadership II  
BUS 515 Organizational Dynamics and Effectiveness  
BUS 665 Unleashing and Sustaining Innovation in the Organization  
BUS 661 Benchmarking, Measuring and Rewarding Performance

Non-Profit Management  
HSV 540 Human Service Management and Information Technology  
HSV 541 Financial Management of a Non-Profit Organization  
HSV 542 Human Resource Management  
HSV 544 Organizational Behavior

South University, Savannah, Georgia

Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies

LGS 1001 Introduction to Paralegalism changed to LGS 1001 The Legal Field: Law and Ethics

Bachelor of Business Administration

Accounting Specialization

Courses Added:

BUS 3001 Ethics in Organizations

BUS 3059 Quantitative Business Analysis

MIS 3101 Application of Management Information Systems

Courses Deleted:

BUS 3058 Quantitative Business Analysis

BUS 4101 Quality Management

FIN 3030 Corporate Finance

Associate of Science in Criminal Justice

Courses Added:

CRJ 3003 Juvenile Delinquency and Criminal Justice System

CRJ 3004 Race, Class, and Gender in Criminal Justice

Courses Deleted:

CRJ 2065 Introduction to Police Organizations

EDM 2010 Fundamentals of Emergency and Disaster Management

Master of Public Health

Public Health Practice Specialization and Healthcare Management and Policy Specialization

Deleted

Master of Business Administration

Course Added:

MBA 5009 Managerial Environment



Course Deleted:

MBA 6505 Organizational Development and Change Management

RN to MSN Adult Health Nurse Practitioner changed to RN to MSN Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner

University of Phoenix, Tempe, Arizona

Distance Technology, Little Rock Campus, Rogers Campus

Bachelor of Arts in English

Courses Added:

ENG 270 Literary Interpretation and Analysis

ENG 230 Mechanics of Writing

ENG 240 Introduction to Creative Writing

ENG 250 History of the English Language

ENG 260 Folklore and Fairytales

ENG 265 The Short Story

ENG 295 Children's Literature

LIT 375 Literary Theory and Criticism

WRIT 320 Advanced Composition for the English Major

LIT 305 Major American Novel

LIT 325 Modern Theatre

LIT 330 Modern Poetry

LIT 410 Literature of the Fantastic

LIT 420 Comic Books and Graphic Novels

LIT 430 The Romantic Poets

LIT 450 Women Writers

RHET 300 Rhetorical Theories

RHET 450 Advanced Linguistics

RHET 470 Studies of American Rhetoric

RHET 475 Rhetoric and Social Media

WRIT 310 Creative Writing: Personal Essays and Creative Non-Fiction

WRIT 350 Writing for Social Media

WRIT 410 Creative Writing: Poetry

WRIT 415 Creative Writing: Short Story

WRIT 420 Creative Writing: One Act Play

ENG 480 Applied Rhetoric

Courses Deleted:

ENG 290 Children's Literature in a Pluralistic Society

ENG 125 Literature in Society

ENG 106 Survey of Literary Masterpieces

ENG 155 Mythology in Literature and Life

ENG 157 Multicultural Literature

ENG 215 Effective Academic Writing

ENG 135 Essentials of Contemporary Communication

ENG 221 Technical Writing Fundamentals

HUM 150 Introduction to Film Studies

ENG 301 American Ethnic Literature

ENG 306 Poetry and Society

ENG 340 Creative Writing  
COMM 301 Proposal Writing  
ENG 302 20<sup>th</sup> Century American Literature  
ENG 495 Advanced Creative Writing

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

Courses Added:

PHL 320 Critical Thinking and Decision Making in Business  
BIS 220 Introduction to Computer Applications and Systems and ACC 340 Accounting Information Systems I combined to ACC 210 Accounting Information Systems  
ETH 376 Accounting Ethics and Professional Regulations and LAW 421 Contemporary Business Law combined to ETH 321 Ethical and Legal Topics in Business

Bachelor of Science in Biology

Courses Added:

BIO 350 General Biology I  
BIO 351 General Biology II  
BIO 310 Ethnobotany  
BIO 420 Ornithology  
BIO 421 Herpetology  
BIO 422 Ichthyology  
BIO 423 Vertebrate Zoology  
BIO 424 Mycology  
BIO 425 Primatology  
SUS 300 Environmental Sustainability

Bachelor of Science in Communications

Course Added:

BSCOM 324 Communication Research

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science

Courses Added:

SUS 300 Environmental Sustainability  
ENV 340 Energy and the Environment

Bachelor of Science in History

Courses Added:

HST 290 Historians and History  
HST 113 Western Civilization II  
HIS 207 History of Puerto Rico  
HIS 265 Hawaii: History and Culture  
HST 320 History Research Methods  
HIS 305 California State History  
HST 408 Colonial America  
HST 409 American Revolution  
HST 440 Vietnam War: The American Experience  
HST 498 History Capstone

Courses Deleted:

HIS 309 American Colonial and Revolutionary History  
RES 404 Historical Research Methods  
HIS 458 History of Human Discovery

Bachelor of Science in Psychology

Courses Added:

PSY 305 Professional Orientation in Psychology

PSY 335 Research Methods

PSY 345 Sensation and Perception

PSY 420 Theories of Behavior

Vista College, Richardson, Texas

Fort Smith Campus

Phlebotomy Technician Seminar

PH 101 Phlebotomy for Healthcare Professionals

**ARKANSAS COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES****PROGRAM/DEGREE CURRICULA (New Programs, Program Modifications, Name Changes)**Arkansas State University – Newport

Certificate of Proficiency in Behavioral Health Technician (CIP 51.1502; 16 credit hours; Spring 2015)

ENG	1203	Technical Communications
MIS	1033	Introduction to Computers
BH	1133	<i>Behavioral Health Issues</i>
BH	1143	<i>Pharmacology for Behavioral Health</i>
BH	1141	<i>Behavioral Health Practicum</i>
SPCH	2243	Interpersonal Communications

(Provides paraprofessionals with skills and academia background needed in mental health careers.)

Arkansas Tech University – Ozark

Certificate of Proficiency in Industrial Control Systems (CIP 15.0399; 16 credit hours; Summer 2015)

ICS	1104	Fundamentals of Electricity
ICS	1123	Semiconductors I
ICS	1143	Introduction to Digital Logic
ICS	1103	Programming I
ICS	1153	Networking I

(No new courses; existing courses in AAS & TC in Industrial Control Systems. CP prepares students for entry-level employment in industrial maintenance, computer networking; or engineering-related field.)

Mid-South Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Process Technology I (CIP 15.0699; 18 credit hours; Fall 2014)

PTEC	1004	<i>Safety, Health &amp; Environment</i>
PTEC	1024	<i>Introduction to Process Technology</i>
PTEC	1003	<i>Process Quality</i>
PTEC	XXX4	<i>Process Technology I: Equipment</i>
PTEC	XXX3	<i>Process Instrumentation I</i>

(Local industry employers (Agrileum) expressed a need for employees who can process chemicals. Employers need and will hire over 25 chemical process technicians over the next 3 years. Curriculum is designed for graduates to have entry-level skills for these positions. 5 new courses have been designed for the CP in concert with industry employers.)

Rich Mountain Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Cosmetology Instructor (CIP 12.0413; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

COSI	1005	<i>Preparatory Training</i>
COSI	1105	<i>Conducting Theory and Practical Classes</i>
COSI	1114	<i>Conducting Lab Experiences</i>
COSI	1124	<i>Record Keeping &amp; State Board Preparation</i>

(4 new courses; already has TC in Cosmetology. Only 2 licensed cosmetology instructors in service area.)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Certificate in Child Advocacy Studies Training (CIP 44.0701; 9 credit hours; Fall 2015; 100% online)

- SCWK 3013 *Child Advocacy I: Perspectives on Child Maltreatment & Child Advocacy*
- SCWK 4013 *Child Advocacy II: Professional and System Responses to Child Maltreatment*
- SCWK 4023 *Child Advocacy III: Responding to the Survivor of Child Abuse*

(Child Advocacy Studies Training certificate program is designed to better prepare future child protection workers, law enforcement officers, and other child-serving professionals in child welfare. 100% online.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Graduate Certificate in Data Science (CIP 11.0401; 12 credit hours; Fall 2014)

- IFSC 7320 Database Systems (or)
- CPSC 7351 Database Design
- IFSC 7370 *Data Science and Technologies*
- IFSC 5345 Information Visualization
- IFSC 7360 Data and Information Privacy

(This GC will give interested professionals the opportunity to get recognized for some basis training in the data and information science disciplines as well as give them a stepping stone towards pursuing other graduate degrees, e.g., MS in Information Science or PhD in Integrated Computing-Information Science track.)

Master of Science in Information Science (CIP 11.0401; 33 credit hours; Fall 2014)

- IFSC 5345 Information Visualization
- IFSC 7320 Database Systems (or)
- CPSC 7351 Database Design Database Concepts
- IFSC 7360 Data and Information Privacy
- IFSC 7370 *Data Science and Technologies*
- IFSC 7686 Graduate Project (or)
- IFSC 76XX Graduate Thesis

15 credit hours of Electives Chosen From below:

- IFSC 7321 Information Science and Theory
- CPSC 7382 Systems Analysis and Design (or)
- IFSC 7310 Information Systems Analysis (or)
- CPSC 7311 Software Engineering
- IFSC 5325 Data Mining
- IFSC 5330 Database Security
- IFSC 5339 Network Security
- IFSC 5360 Social Computing
- IFSC 7325 Advanced Data Mining
- IFSC 7330 Information Systems Security
- IFSC 7331 Network Sciences
- IFSC 7350 E-Commerce
- CPSC 7352 Advanced Database Issues

CPSC	7373	Artificial Intelligence
CPSC	7374	Image Processing
CPSC	7375	Machine Learning
CPSC	7383	Modeling and Simulation
CPSC	7385	Analysis of Algorithms

No more than two courses chosen with an INFQ prefix

INFQ	7303	Principles of Information Quality
INFQ	7318	Information Quality TQM and SPC
INFQ	7322	Information Quality Theory
INFQ	7337	Information Quality Project Management
INFQ	7342	Information Quality Tools and Landscape
INFQ	7348	Entity Resolution and IQ

(MS in Information Science will provide a pipeline for PhD in Integrated Computer (Information Science Track). The MS will also provide an exit strategy for those students who start the PhD, but change their minds. The MS will complement the existing MS in Information Quality, but will focus more on the tools and techniques for processing, storing, retrieving and analyzing data.)

**Program – New - Minor**

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Indigenous Studies (CIP 05.0202; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015)

Student chooses one course from each category below and two elective courses from any category below, for a total of five courses or 15 credit hours.

Culture

ANTH	3203	American Indians Today
ANTH	3213	Indians of North America
ANTH	3263	Indians of Arkansas and the South
ANTH	3473	Native American Prehistory
ANTH	3533	Medical Anthropology
ANTH	4143	Ecological Anthropology

History

HIST	3263	History of the American Indian
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Literature

COMM	3983	Special Topics: Native Americans in Film
ENGL	3553	Topics in Native American Literature
ENGL	4553	Studies in Native American Literature
WLLC	4043	New France Archives
WLLC	4053	French Mississippi Archives

(Minor in Indigenous Studies will prepare students for careers or graduate study; to promote campus diversity, minority recruitment, and understanding of cultural differences. All courses are existing.)

Minor in Jewish Studies (CIP 38.0206; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015)

<i>JWST</i>	<i>2003</i>	<i>Introduction to Judaism (Required Course)</i>
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Student chooses 12 credit hours from below:

<i>JWST</i>	<i>3103</i>	<i>Introduction to Jewish Languages</i>
<i>JWST</i>	<i>4003</i>	<i>Modern Jewish Thought</i>

JWST	4013	<i>Contemporary Jewish Thought</i>
ENGL	3843	Topics in Modern American Literature and Culture: Jewish-American Writing
MRST	3013	Special Topics in Medieval Studies: Representations of Jews in English Literature
Medieval		
GERM	4013	Germany and the Holocaust
GERM	470V	Special Topics: German-Jewish Writers
HIST	4143	European Intellectual History
HIST	3473	Modern Palestine/Israel
HIST	3043	Modern Middle East
HIST	4493	Religion in America
GREK	2003	Plato Greek/New Testament
GREK	4093	Biblical and Patristic Greek
HUMN	425V	Colloquium: The Land of Israel in Jewish Thought
HUMN	425V	Colloquium: Intensive Biblical Hebrew
HUMN	425V	Colloquium: Jewish-Christian Relations

(Minor in Jewish Studies provides a cohesive program introducing students to Jewish thought and history; and provides an interdisciplinary minor to students across the college interested in different aspects of Jewish religion and culture.)

Minor in Journalism in Bachelor of Arts in Journalism (DC 1560; CIP 09.0401; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015; 50% online)

JOUR	1023	Media and Society (online)
JOUR	1033	Fundamentals of Journalism (online)
JOUR	3633	Media Law (online)
JOUR	4333	Ethics in Journalism
JOUR	2063	Media Technology
JOUR	2013	News Reporting I

(All courses are existing and required for minor. 3 courses are offered online.)

Minor in Child Advocacy Studies Training (CIP 44.0701; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015; 100% online)

SCWK	3013	<i>Child Advocacy I: Perspectives on Child Maltreatment &amp; Child Advocacy</i>
SCWK	4013	<i>Child Advocacy II: Professional and System Responses to Child Maltreatment</i>
SCWK	4023	<i>Child Advocacy III: Responding to the Survivor of Child Abuse</i>

Choose three courses from below:

SCWK	4233	Child Welfare
SCWK	3233	Juvenile Delinquency
SCWK	4143	Addiction & the Family
SCWK	3163	On Death and Dying

(The CHAS online minor is designed for students majoring in social work, criminal justice, education, sociology, psychology, nursing, paralegal, or other areas where knowledge of child maltreatment and advocating for children might be necessary.)

Minor in Southern Studies (CIP 05.0122; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015)

SOST	2003	<i>Introduction to Southern Studies</i>
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Choose five courses from below:

AAST	3233	African American History to 1877 (or)
HIST	3233	African American History to 1877
AAST	3243	African American History since 1877 (or)
HIST	3243	African American History since 1877
AAST	4093	The History of African Americans and Social Justice (or)
HIST	4093	The History of African Americans and Social Justice
AAST	4293	African American Politics (or)
PLSC	4293	African American Politics
AAST	4383	The American Civil Rights Movement (or)
HIST	4383	The American Civil Rights Movement
AAST	4933	African American Political Ideology (or)
PLSC	4933	African American Political Ideology
ANTH	3253	Culture of the South (or)
PLSC	3273	Culture of the South
ENGL	3013	Folklore
ENGL	3863	Topics in Literature and Culture of the American South
ENGL	3853	Topics in African-American Literature and Culture
ENGL	5803	Politics and Immobility in African American Literature
AAST	499V	Politics and Immobility in African American Literature
HIST	4503	History of the Political Parties in the United States, 1789-1896
HIST	4563	The Old South, 1607-1865
HIST	4653	Antebellum America, 1828-1850
HIST	4663	Rebellion to Reconstruction, 1850-1877
HIST	4673	The American Civil War
PLSC	3213	The South and the Law: Race, Gender, and Citizenship
PLSC	3983	Politics in Literature (American South)
PLSC	4333	Southern Politics
HIST	4583	Arkansas in the Nation* (or)
HIST	3383	Arkansas and the Southwest*
PLSC	3223	Arkansas Politics*

\* A maximum of 6 hours can be taken in Arkansas-specific courses.

(Minor in Southern Studies exposes students to interdisciplinary approaches to important problems and academic questions regarding southern history, politics, and literature.)

#### University of Central Arkansas

Minor in Special Education (CIP 13.1001; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

ECSE	3309	Development and Characteristics of Diverse Learners
ECSE	3320	Foundations of Inclusive Education
ECSE	4303	Current Issues and Trends in Special Education
ECSE	4308	Educational Programming for Students with Significant Disabilities
ECSE	4306	Educational Programs for Middle and Secondary Learners with Mild Disabilities
ECSE	4302	Behavior Guidance for the Diverse Classroom

(Minor provides an opportunity for students who do not seek teacher licensure, but who have an interest in diverse populations to increase their knowledge of and skills in working with persons with disabilities.)



**Program – New – Option/Emphasis/Concentration/Focus Area**Arkansas State University – Jonesboro

Concentrations in Instrumental or Vocal Performance in Master of Music in Performance (DC 5990; CIP 50.0903; 30 credit hours; Spring 2015)

MUS	6131	Graduate Recital (one hour)
MUSP	6111-4	Performance (eight hours)
MUSP	6121-2	Pedagogy and Performance (two hours)
MUS	XXX6	Music History (6000 level)
MUS	XXX6	Music Theory (6000 level)
MUS	XXX3	Large Ensembles
MUS	XXX	Languages for Voice & Keyboard Concentrations

(Options offer graduates students advanced study in instrumental or vocal performance culminating in a graduate recital.)

Southern Arkansas University – Magnolia

Option in Computer Technology in the Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (DC 2410; CIP 11.0101; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Option in Computer Technology – 25 credit hours

CSCI	3503	Computational methods for Industrial Technologists (or)
ITEC	3503	Computational methods for Industrial Technologists
CSCI	3143	<i>Computer Networks and Security</i>
CSCI	3133	Advanced UNIX/LINUS
CSCI	4173	Computerized Simulations
CSCI	4123	Computer Aided Manufacturing (or)
ITEC	4123	Computer Aided Manufacturing (or)
ITEC	4044	Advanced Manufacturing Systems
ITEC	3073	Engineering Economic Analysis
ENGR	3103	Digital Electronics

(New option addresses the need to produce graduates to work in the fields related to computer technology, especially Information Technology, Industrial Technology, electronic systems, and devices in the creation of computer hardware and software. 25 SCH for option.)

University of Arkansas - Fort Smith

Option in Office Management and Medical Office Professional in Associate of Applied Science in Office Management Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0402; 60 credit hours; Summer 2015)

(These two options will provide students with the skills and abilities needed for applicable positions in the workforce. Current options in Human Resource Assistant and Accounting Assistant will be deleted.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Concentration in Public Relations in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

General Education – 35 credit hours

BPS Professional Core – 15 credit hours

MGMT	3340	Managing People in Organizations
MGMT	3320	Human Resources Management
MGMT	3300	Principles of Management

- SPCH 3330 Professional Communication
- RHET 3316 Writing for the Workplace
- Professional Core Electives – Select six hours from below
- ITEC 3610 Introduction to Information Technology and Applications
- PSYC 3370 Industrial Psychology
- PSYC 4325 Personnel Psychology
- PSCY 4363 Organizational Psychology
- RHET 3301 Editing for Use and Style
- RHET 3315 Persuasive Writing
- SPCH 3340 Communication Ethics for the Professional
- SPCH 3320 Advanced Public Speaking
- SOCI 3334 Social Problems
- SOCI 3330 Racial and Minority Groups
- SOCI 4365 Sociology of Organizations
- Public Relations Concentration – 18 credit hours
- MCOM 2350 Beginning Reporting
- MCOM 2380 Strategic Communications Principles
- MCOM 4380 Public Relations Writing
- MCOM 4381 Public Relations Cases
- Choose one course from below:
- MCOM 3315 Mass Media Research
- MCOM 3320 Advanced Reporting
- MCOM 3360 Law, Policy, Ethics
- ADVT 3330 Introduction to Advertising
- MKTG 3350 Principles of Marketing
- Culminating Special Project – 3 credit hours
- MCOM 4382 Public Relations Campaigns
- XX18 Mass Communication (12 must be upper-level)
- Unrestricted General Electives
- XX22 Upper level courses and in residence

Concentration in Media Production in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

General Education – 35 credit hours

BPS Professional Core – 15 credit hours

- MGMT 3340 Managing People in Organizations
- MGMT 3320 Human Resources Management
- MGMT 3300 Principles of Management
- SPCH 3330 Professional Communication
- RHET 3316 Writing for the Workplace
- Professional Core Electives – Select six hours from below
- ITEC 3610 Introduction to Information Technology and Applications
- PSYC 3370 Industrial Psychology
- PSYC 4325 Personnel Psychology
- PSCY 4363 Organizational Psychology
- RHET 3301 Editing for Use and Style
- RHET 3315 Persuasive Writing
- SPCH 3340 Communication Ethics for the Professional

- SPCH 3320 Advanced Public Speaking
- SOCI 3334 Social Problems
- SOCI 3330 Racial and Minority Groups
- SOCI 4365 Sociology of Organizations
- Media Production Concentration – 18 credit hours
- MCOM 2300 Introduction to Production
- MCOM 3345 Studio Production
- MCOM 4354 Documentary Techniques
- MCOM 3390 Non-Linear Video Editing I
- Choose one course from below:
- MCOM 4330 Lighting
- MCOM 4332 Digital Audio Production
- MCOM 4340 Digital Graphics and Animation
- MCOM 4342 Cinema Techniques
- Culminating Special Project – 3 credit hours
- MCOM 4395 Electronic Media Capstone
- XX18 Mass Communication (12 must be upper-level)
- Unrestricted General Electives
- XX22 Upper level courses and in residence

Concentration in Motion Picture in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

General Education – 35 credit hours

BPS Professional Core – 15 credit hours

- MGMT 3340 Managing People in Organizations
- MGMT 3320 Human Resources Management
- MGMT 3300 Principles of Management
- SPCH 3330 Professional Communication
- RHET 3316 Writing for the Workplace

Professional Core Electives – Select six hours from below

- ITEC 3610 Introduction to Information Technology and Applications
- PSYC 3370 Industrial Psychology
- PSYC 4325 Personnel Psychology
- PSCY 4363 Organizational Psychology
- RHET 3301 Editing for Use and Style
- RHET 3315 Persuasive Writing
- SPCH 3340 Communication Ethics for the Professional
- SPCH 3320 Advanced Public Speaking
- SOCI 3334 Social Problems
- SOCI 3330 Racial and Minority Groups
- SOCI 4365 Sociology of Organizations

Motion Picture Concentration – 18 credit hours

- MCOM 2300 Introduction to Production
- MCOM 3360 Mass Communication Law, Policy, Ethics
- MCOM 3390 Non-Linear Video Editing I
- MCOM 4342 Cinema Techniques

Choose one course from below:

- MCOM 4308 Screenwriting

- MCOM 4320 Advanced Post-Production
- MCOM 4330 Cinematography and Lighting
- MCOM 4340 Digital Graphics and Animation
- MCOM 4354 Documentary Techniques
- Culminating Special Project – 3 credit hours
- MCOM 4395 Electronic Media Capstone
- XX18 Mass Communication (12 must be upper-level)
- Unrestricted General Electives
- XX22 Upper level courses and in residence

Concentration in Journalism in Bachelor of Professional Studies (CIP 30.9999; 12 credit hours; Fall 2014)

General Education – 35 credit hours

BPS Professional Core – 15 credit hours

- MGMT 3340 Managing People in Organizations
- MGMT 3320 Human Resources Management
- MGMT 3300 Principles of Management
- SPCH 3330 Professional Communication
- RHET 3316 Writing for the Workplace

Professional Core Electives – Select six hours from below

- ITEC 3610 Introduction to Information Technology and Applications
- PSYC 3370 Industrial Psychology
- PSYC 4325 Personnel Psychology
- PSCY 4363 Organizational Psychology
- RHET 3301 Editing for Use and Style
- RHET 3315 Persuasive Writing
- SPCH 3340 Communication Ethics for the Professional
- SPCH 3320 Advanced Public Speaking
- SOCI 3334 Social Problems
- SOCI 3330 Racial and Minority Groups
- SOCI 4365 Sociology of Organizations

Journalism Concentration – 18 credit hours

- MCOM 2350 Beginning Reporting
- MCOM 3320 Advanced Reporting
- MCOM 3365 Radio-TV Journalism
- MCOM 3360 Law, Policy and Ethics (or)
- MCOM 4352 News Media and the First Amendment

Choose one course from below:

- MCOM 3330 Photojournalism
- MCOM 3350 Introduction to News Editing
- MCOM 3366 Electronic News Gathering
- MCOM 4359 Feature and Magazine Journalism

Culminating Special Project – 3 credit hours

- MCOM 4388 Reporting of Public Affairs
- XX18 Mass Communication (12 must be upper-level)

Unrestricted General Electives

- XX22 Upper level courses and in residence

**Education Program Revisions to Meet New Teacher Licensure Requirements**

Southern Arkansas University – Magnolia

Master of Arts in Teaching (DC 5542; CIP 13.1299; 30 credit hours; Fall 2014)

(Curriculum did not change. Received approval to recommend MAT candidates for the 4-8 middle level license in Math, Science, Language Arts, and Social Studies; the K-12 license in Art, Music (vocal and instrumental), Spanish, PE, and French; and the 4-12 license in Business Technology upon completion of the prescribed program of study and the required licensure assessments.)

University of Central Arkansas

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics (DC 2870; CIP 27.0101; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014)

Mathematics Core

MATH	1496	Calculus I
MATH	1497	Calculus II
MATH	2335	Transition to Advanced Math
MATH	2471	Calculus III
MATH	3320	Linear Algebra
MATH	4371	Introduction to Probability Theory

Mathematics Education Track

MATH	2441	Mathematical Computations
MATH	3360	Abstract Algebra
MATH	3370	Mathematics in the Secondary Schools
MATH	4301	Secondary Math Methods
MATH	2330	Discrete Structures I (or)
MATH	3354	Concepts of Discrete Mathematics
MATH	4372	Introduction to Statistical Inferences (or)
MATH	3311	Statistical Methods II
MATH	X3XX	Upper Division Math Elective

Additional Requirements

MATH	4345	College Geometry
MATH	4313	<i>Functions and Modeling</i>

(This track will replace BSE in Mathematics. This model will follow the UTeach model which requires a candidate to receive a BS in a content area; then hours in a content area, e.g., math education.)

**Deleted Programs**

National Park Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Medication Aide (DC 0221; CIP 51.2603; Fall 2014)

(Never offered; no student interest; no community need)

South Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Solid State Technology (DC 4818; Fall 2014)

Certificate of Proficiency in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0388; Fall 2014)

Technical Certificate in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0389; Fall 2014)

Associate of Applied Science in Law Enforcement Administration (DC 0391; Fall 2014)

(0 students and programs no longer offered at SACC)

University of Arkansas Community College at Hope  
Associate of Applied Science in Respiratory Care (DC 0810; Spring 2015)  
(Declining enrollment and graduates; last students will graduate December 2014)

University of Central Arkansas  
Bachelor of Science in Education in Mathematics (DC 3910; Fall 2014)

Bachelor of Science in Secondary Science Education (DC 3950; Fall 2014)  
(Above 2 programs are being deleted and being replaced by UCA STEMteach. Science/mathematics teacher education candidates will earn a disciplinary degree in science or mathematics and will complete the STEM Education minor in the UCA STEMteach program.)

**Deleted Option/Emphasis/Concentration**

Arkansas State University – Jonesboro  
Option in Early Childhood Education in the Master of Arts in Teaching (DC 5542; CIP 13.1299; Fall 2014)  
(ADE has discontinued non-traditional licensure options for Early Childhood Education. Last students in option should graduate in 2014. No new students have been admitted.)

Arkansas Tech University  
Option in Turf Management in Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Park Administration (DC 2970; CIP 31.0301; Summer 2015)  
(Low student enrollment. Students in this option will be switched to new option in Recreation Sport Management.)

University of Arkansas – Fort Smith  
Options in Human Resources Assistant and Accounting Assistant in Associate of Applied Science in Administrative Professional and Office Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0402; Summer 2015)  
(These two options are being deleted; Options in Office Management and Medical Office Professional in the Associate of Applied Science in Office Management Technology are being added.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock  
Emphasis in Engineering Science in the Master of Science in Applied Sciences (DC 6095; CIP 40.0101; Fall 2014)

Emphasis in Engineering Science and Systems; Applied Computing; and Information Quality in Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Sciences (DC 7140; CIP 40.0101; Fall 2014)  
(These emphases are no longer needed. Students are being supported by PhD's in Engineering Science and Systems; and Integrated Computing; and the MS in Systems Engineering.)

**Program – Inactive Status**

Mid-South Community College  
Certificate of Proficiency in Computer Numerical Control Machine Operator (DC 1151; CIP 15.0613; Fall 2014)

(No students in program.)

National Park Community College

Technical Certificate in Residential Carpentry (DC 4373; CIP 46.0201; Fall 2014)

(No students in program. Reason- many students were taking the program as a hobby, no intention of working in the field. Employers did not pay grads any more than non-grads when filling vacancies.)

South Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Truck Driving (DC 4895; CIP 49.0205; Fall 2014)

(Program being placed on inactive status. No students in program and none in program in years.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Art Education Track in the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art (DC 1250; CIP 57.0702; Fall 2014)

(No students in Art Education Track; program requires 144 SCH and the time to complete degree is not attractive to students.)

**Program/Unit Name Changes**

Arkansas State University-Jonesboro

Specialist in Community College Teaching changed to Specialist in Community College Education (DC 7420; Spring 2015)

(Most enrollees are in Administration emphasis and new program name will be more appropriate for all enrollees.)

Arkansas Tech University

Emphasis in Recreation Administration in the Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Park Administration changed to Emphasis in Recreation Sport Management (DC 2970; CIP 31.0301; 120 credit hours; Summer 2015)

(Name change of emphasis area only. No change in curriculum. Name change will reflect a more prominence on sport management. This change will propel graduates to gain employment in the Recreation Sport Management field.)

South Arkansas Community College

Technical Certificate in Industrial Equipment Maintenance Technology (CIP 47.0399; DC 4635) changed to Technical Certificate in Industrial Technology Mechatronics (CIP 15.0499; Fall 2014)

(Name change as a result of South West AR Community Colleges Consortium collaboration.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Basic Gas Welding (CIP 48.0508; DC 0215; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in SMAW Welding

Certificate of Proficiency in Welding-Gas Tungsten Arc (GTAW-TIG) (CIP 48.0508; DC 0713; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in TIG Welding

Certificate of Proficiency in Basic Welding Technology (CIP 48.0508; DC 4905; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in MIG Welding

(Welding name changes above better reflect the curriculum of the program and align with the major as listed in the catalog.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Emergency Medical Technician – Basic (CIP 51.0904; DC 0015; Fall 2014) changed to Certificate of Proficiency in Emergency Medical Technician  
(Name change meets current name for the program.)

Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Science (CIP 51.1004; DC 0153; Fall 2014) changed to Associate of Applied Science in Medical Laboratory Technician  
(Name change matches the naming standards of the National Accrediting Agency of Clinical Laboratory Sciences.)

#### University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Agricultural Communications changed to Minor in Agricultural Food and Life Sciences (AFLS) Communications (DC 3340; CIP 01.0102; Spring 2015)

(The name change better describes the curriculum as it has evolved to serve students in the School of Human Environmental Sciences as well as students studying traditional agricultural disciplines.)

#### University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Master of Education in Teaching the Gifted and Talented changed to Master of Education in Gifted, Creative, and Talented Education (DC 5890; CIP 13.1004; Fall 2014)

(Name change reflects the current terminology in the field and is more easily electronically searchable.)

### **Associate Degrees for Transfer and Bachelor's Degree Completion**

#### Arkansas State University - Beebe

Associate of Science in Health Science (CIP 51.1199; DC 1095; 60 credit hours; Spring 2015) to Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (CIP 51.9999; DC 2715) emphases in Health Services Administration and Physical Therapy at the University of Central Arkansas  
Associate of Science in Health Science – 60 credit hours to be completed at Arkansas State University – Beebe

#### Possible Pre-requisites

UNIV	1003	Principles of Academic Success (required if registering for a remedial course)
ENG	0013	Precollege Literacy
ENG	0023	College Literacy (taken simultaneously with ENG 1003-Freshman English I)
MATH	0013	Foundations of Algebra I
MATH	0023	Foundations of Algebra II
General Education – 35 credit hours		
ENG	1003	Freshman English I
ENG	1013	Freshman English II
SPCH	1203	Oral Communications
ENG	2003	World Literature I (or)
ENG	2013	World Literature II
MATH	1023	College Algebra
BIOL	1004	Biology for General Education



CHEM	1014	General Chemistry I
	XXX3	Fine Arts
	XXX6	Social Sciences
	XXX3	Social or Behavioral Science Elective
Health Services Administration Core – 25 credit hours		
ECON	2313	Principles of Macroeconomics
MATH	1033	Plane Trigonometry
MATH	2233	Applied Statistics
PHYS	2054	General Physics I
PHYS	2064	General Physics II
ZOOL	2004	Human Anatomy and Physiology I
ZOOL	2014	Human Anatomy and Physiology II
University of Central Arkansas – Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (Health Services Administration Emphasis) – 60 credit hours		
ACCT	2310	Principles of Accounting I
ACCT	2311	Principles of Accounting II
BIOL	4311	Pathophysiology
BIOL	4351	General Pharmacology
CHEM	2450	Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry
ECON	2321	Principles of Microeconomics
FIN	3330	Managing Finance and Capital
H ED	4301	Health Education in the Medical Care Setting
H ED	4370	Administration of Health Programs
H SC	3123	Medical Terminology
H SC	4600	Health Sciences Internship
MGMT	3340	Managing People and Work
MIS	2343	Microcomputer Applications I
MKTG	3350	Principles of Marketing
	XXX4	Biology Elective
	XXX6	Health Education Major – two Upper Division Electives
	XXX6	Upper Division Elective

Associate of Science in Health Science – 60 credit hours to be completed at Arkansas State University – Beebe

Possible Pre-requisites

UNIV	1003	Principles of Academic Success (required if registering for a remedial course)
ENG	0013	Precollege Literacy
ENG	0023	College Literacy (taken simultaneously with ENG 1003-Freshman English I)
MATH	0013	Foundations of Algebra I
MATH	0023	Foundations of Algebra II
General Education – 35 credit hours		
ENG	1003	Freshman English I
ENG	1013	Freshman English II
SPCH	1203	Oral Communications
ENG	2003	World Literature I (or)
ENG	2013	World Literature II

MATH	1023	College Algebra
BIOL	1004	Biology for General Education
CHEM	1014	General Chemistry I
	XXX3	Fine Arts
	XXX6	Social Sciences
	XXX3	Social or Behavioral Science Elective
Health Services Administration Core – 25 credit hours		
BIOL	2013	Nutrition
CHEM	1024	General Chemistry II
MATH	1033	Plane Trigonometry
MATH	2233	Applied Statistics
PHYS	2054	General Physics I
ZOOL	2004	Human Anatomy and Physiology I
ZOOL	2014	Human Anatomy and Physiology II
University of Central Arkansas – Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (Physical Therapy Emphasis) – 60 credit hours		
BIOL	2420	Histology
BIOL	3370	Introduction to Neuroscience
BIOL	4311	Pathophysiology (or)
BIOL	4351	Pharmacology
H SC	3123	Medical Terminology
KPED	2381	Anatomical Kinesiology or General Elective
PHYS	1420	College Physics II
PSYC	3332	Research Methods
	XXX3	UCA Core (Capstone)
	XXX6	UCA Core Upper Division Electives
	XX21	Upper Division Major Elective (From Approved List-See Major Advisor)
	XXX3	Psychology Elective
	XXX6	Electives

### **ASUB/UCA Transfer Agreement**

- Any student earning the Associate of Science in Health Science at ASUB will be admitted to the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (Health Services Administration or Physical Therapy Emphases) at UCA with full junior classification, subject to the provisions listed below:
- The student must complete the requirements necessary for general admission to UCA.
- The student will have earned the Associate of Science in Health Science at ASUB, with at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average, on or after the Effective Date of this Agreement.
- A transfer student who has not completed all of the courses specified within the AS in Health Science degree plan at ASUB before entering UCA, must work with the academic advisor to ensure timely completion of the degree program requirements.
- Remedial course grades will not be computed in the cumulative GPA for purposes of admission to UCA.
- UCA will accept the transfer of credits, up to a maximum of six credit hours, for “D” grades subject to the following conditions:
  - The transfer of credits with “D” grades is available only to first-time entering transfer students at the time of admission to UCA.

- Prerequisite rules shall apply to transfer of credits with “D” grades in the same manner as they would for credits earned at UCA.
- Calculation of overall GPA for purposes of graduation and awarding of honors is left to the discretion of UCA.
- The Chief Academic Officers at each institution will implement the terms of this Agreement.
- This Agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis; both UCA and ASUB agree to notify one another in a timely manner of any curriculum changes that would significantly impact the nature of this Agreement.
- UCA and ASUB will work together cooperatively, in the best interest of affected students, to resolve any issues related to the transfer of courses should changes to either degree program occur while the Agreement is in effect.
- Students will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in accordance with their academic year of entry at ASUB. A student may opt for a subsequent revision of this Agreement, but must meet all of the requirements specified therein.
- UCA and ASUB will make every effort to inform students of this Agreement.
- This Agreement may be terminated by either party with at least 90 calendar days written notice.
- In the event that the Agreement is terminated, all students who have already been admitted to UCA, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, will be allowed to complete their approved course of study under the terms contained therein.
- Attached to this Agreement and made a part hereof as if set out word for word is the UCA University Contract Rider pursuant to Board of Trustees Policy No. 416.

#### **Rider**

Any contract or agreement to which the University of Central (UCA) is a party shall be deemed to have the following provisions incorporated by reference:

- Notwithstanding any other provision of this agreement or contract, the UCA shall not be responsible or liable for any type of special or consequential damage to the other party, specifically, including, but not limited to, lost profits or commissions, loss of goodwill, or any other damages of such nature.
- Notwithstanding any other provision of this agreement or contract, the UCA shall never indemnify or hold another party harmless from any damages, liability, claims, demands, causes of action or expenses. However, with respect to any loss, expense, damage, liability, claim or cause of action, either at law or in equity, for actual or alleged injuries to persons or property, arising out of any negligent act or omission by UCA, or its employees or agents, in the performance of this agreement, UCA agrees that:
  - It will cooperate with the other party to this agreement in the defense of any action or claim brought against the other party seeking damages or relief;
  - It will, in good faith, cooperate with the other party to this agreement should such other party present any claims or causes of action of the foregoing nature against UCA to the Arkansas State Claims Commission;
  - It will not take any action to frustrate or delay the prompt hearing on claims of the foregoing nature by the Arkansas State Claims Commission, and will make reasonable efforts to expedite any hearing thereon.

UCA reserves the right, however, to assert in good faith any and all defenses available to it in any proceedings before the Arkansas State Claims Commission or any other forum.

Nothing herein shall be interpreted or construed to waive the sovereign immunity of UCA.

- The UCA does not have any form of general liability insurance. It does have liability insurance coverage on vehicles, as well as certain professional liability coverage for clinical programs (and student assigned through those programs). Please contact the university department with responsibility for the program involved or the Office of General Counsel, if you have questions concerning insurance coverage.

**Program Reconfiguration**

Black River Technical College

Associate of Applied Science in Business Technology (DC 0307; CIP 52.0401; Fall 2014) reconfigured to create Associate of Applied Science in Accounting (CIP 52.0302); Administrative Services (CIP 52.0401); Business Administration (CIP 52.0201); Entrepreneurship (CIP 52.0701); Health Information (CIP 51.0707); Business Technology Applications (CIP 52.1299); and Computer Information Technology (CIP11.1099) 60-63 credit hours

General Education – 15 credit hours

ENG	1003	Freshman English I
ENG	1013	Freshman English II (or)
ENG	1023	Technical Writing
MATH	1003	Technical Math for Business
CA	1903	Introduction to Computer concepts
POSC	2103	U. S. Government

AAS in Administrative Services – 45 credit hours

ACCT	1003	Accounting I (or)
ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ADMS	1103	Legal Terminology
ADMS	1203	Legal Transcription
ADMS	2073	Professional Development
ADMS	2413	Word/Information Processing
ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	1023	Business Office Machines
BSYS	2003	Business/Professional Presentations
BSYS	2583	Spreadsheets for Managerial Decisions
BUAD	1013	Introduction to Business
BUAD	1033	Business Ethics
CIS	2073	Desktop Publishing
LAW	2023	Legal Environment of Business
CRIM	1023	Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM	1003	Criminal Justice Workshop III (or)
CRIM	1043	Law Enforcement Ethics (or)
CRIM	2063	Police Administration and Management

General Education – 15 credit hours

ENG	1003	Freshman English I
ENG	1013	Freshman English II (or)

ENG	1023	Technical Writing
MATH	1003	Technical Math for Business
CA	1903	Introduction to Computer concepts
	XXX3	Social Science Elective

## AAS in Accounting – 45 credit hours

ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT	2013	Introduction to Managerial Accounting
ACCT	2033	Payroll Accounting
ACCT	2043	Introduction to Cost Accounting
ACCT	2053	Introduction Tax Accounting
ACCT	2063	Applied Accounting Concepts
ADMS	2073	Professional Development
ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	2003	Business/Professional Presentations
BSYS	2583	Spreadsheets for Managerial Decisions
BUAD	1033	Business Ethics
BUAD	1043	Personal Financial Planning
CIS	1073	Computerized Accounting
CIS	2043	Database Management Systems
ECON	2313	Principles of Macroeconomics

## AAS in Business Administration – 45 credit hours

ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT	2013	Introduction to Managerial Accounting
ACCT	XXX3	2000 level Accounting course
ADMS	2413	Word/Information Processing
ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	2003	Business/Professional Presentations (or)
CIS	2073	Desktop Publishing
BUAD	1013	Introduction to Business (or)
BUAD	1043	Personal Financial Planning
BUAD	1023	Introduction to Marketing
ECON	2313	Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON	2323	Principles of Microeconomics (or)
ECON	2333	Economics Issues and Concepts
LAW	2023	Legal Environment of Business
MGMT	2603	Leadership Issues (or)
MGMT	2613	Principles of Supervision
MGMT	2623	Small Business Management
MGMT	XXX3	Management Elective
	XXX3	Open Elective

## AAS in Entrepreneurship – 45 credit hours

ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT	2013	Introduction to Managerial Accounting
ADMS	2413	Word/Information Processing

ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BUAD	1013	Introduction to Business
BUAD	1023	Introduction to Marketing
BUAD	1033	Business Ethics
ECON	2323	Principles of Microeconomics
ENTR	1003	Introduction to Entrepreneurs
ENTR	2003	Professional Selling/Advertising
ENTR	2033	Feasibility and Funding Analysis
LAW	2023	Legal Environment of Business
MGMT	2613	Principles of Supervision
MGMT	2623	Small Business Management
SCOM	1203	Oral Communication

## AAS in Health Information – 45 credit hours

ACCT	1003	Accounting I (or)
ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ADMS	1213	Medical Transcription
ADMS	2073	Professional Development
ADMS	2413	Word/Information Processing
ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	1023	Business Office Machines
BSYS	2583	Spreadsheets for Managerial Decisions (or)
CIS	2043	Database Management Systems
BUAD	1033	Business Ethics
CIS	1073	Computerized Accounting
MEDL	1001	Introduction to Health Care
MEDL	1003	Medical Terminology
MEDL	1043	Medical Coding I
MEDL	1063	Medical Coding II
ZOOL	2004	Human Anatomy & Physiology I with Lab
ZOOL	2414	Human Anatomy & Physiology II with Lab

## AAS in Business Technology Applications – 46 credit hours

ACCT	1003	Accounting I (or)
ACCT	2003	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ADMS	2073	Professional Development
ADMS	2413	Word/Information Processing
ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	2003	Business/Professional Presentations
BSYS	2013	Web Page Design
BSYS	2533	Internet, Intranet, and Email (or)
CIS	1013	Introduction to Computer Information Systems
BSYS	2583	Spreadsheets for Managerial Decisions
BUAD	1013	Introduction to Business
CIS	1044	PC Trouble-Shooting and Repair I
CIS	1073	Computerized Accounting
CIS	2043	Database Management Systems
CIS	2053	Microsoft Windows

CIS	2073	Desktop Publishing
	XXX3	Open/Directed Elective

AAS in Computer Information Technology – 46-48 credit hours

ADMS	2563	Business Communications
BSYS	2013	Web Page Design (or)
CIS	2303	Networking Applications
CIS	1024	Network Server Technology
CIS	1044	PC Trouble-Shooting and Repair I
CIS	2004	Network Operating System Technology
CIS	2014	LAN Administration
CIS	2044	PC Trouble-Shooting and Repair II
CIS	2204	Networking Concepts
CIS	2424	Advanced LAN Administration
MGMT	2633	IT Project Management

Choose 9-11 credit hours from below:

BSYS	2583	Spreadsheets for Managerial Decisions
BUAD	1033	Business Ethics
BUAD	1043	Personal Financial Planning
CIS	1023	Network Media Infrastructure
CIS	1034	Introduction to Computer Programming
CIS	1054	Computer Forensics I
CIS	2043	Database Management Systems
CIS	2103	Internship for Networking
ENTR	1003	Introduction to Entrepreneurship
MGMT	2603	Leadership Issues
MGMT	2613	Principles of Supervision
MGMT	2623	Small Business Management

(AAS in Business Technology is being reconfigured into 7 separate AAS degrees.)

Mid-South Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Electrical Level I (DC 1251), Mechatronics Electrical Level II (DC 1252), Mechatronics Mechanical Level I (DC 1261), Mechatronics Mechanical Level II (DC 1262), Mechatronics Mechanical Level III (DC 1263), and Mechatronics Management (DC 1264) CIP 15.0403 reconfigured to create Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level I (16 credit hours); Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level II (16 credit hours); Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level III (9 credit hours); and Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level IV (9 credit hours) all CIP 15.0403; Spring 2015

(Reconfiguring 6 CP's into 4 CP's to align more with industry standards.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level I (16 credit hours)

MANF	2023	Mechanical Drives and Bearings
TECH	2013	Fluid Power
TECH	1003	Introduction to Blueprint Reading
TECH	1013	Shop Essentials
TECH	2033	Applied Electricity/Electronics
DKEY	1201	Introduction to Computers

(CP will prepare & equip graduates to enter industrial maintenance with the principles of electricity/electronics, mechanical systems and fluid power, and the ability to apply them to the maintenance and troubleshooting of industrial machinery.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level II (16 credit hours)

MANF	2223	Advanced Mechanical Drives
MANF	2044	Programmable Logic Controllers
MANF	1153	Electric Motor Control Systems
MANF	XXX3	Rotating Electrical Equipment
MANF	2253	Overview of the National Electric Code and Conduit Installation

(CP will prepare & equip grads with the principles and applications of brakes, clutches, heavy chain drives, motor control, conduit installation and National Electric Code, and programmable logic controllers as they apply to installation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of industrial machinery. Grads will also qualify for a certification from a nationally recognized accrediting body.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level III (9 credit hours)

MANF	1433	Advanced Fluid Power Systems
MANF	2473	Fluid Power Systems Maintenance & Troubleshooting
MANF	2493	AC/DC Motor Control

(CP will prepare maintenance technicians with an advanced understanding of the principles and applications of electronic motor control and hydraulic/pneumatic systems as they apply to installation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of industrial machinery. Grads will also qualify for a certification from a nationally recognized accrediting body.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Mechatronics Level IV (9 credit hours)

MANF	2113	Advanced Programmable Logic Controllers
MANF	2463	Precision Alignment and Support Systems
TECH	2293	Capstone Learning Experience

(CP will prepare maintenance technicians with an advanced understanding of the principles and applications of programmable logic controllers, precision laser alignment and vibration detection systems as they apply to installation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of industrial machinery. Students will also complete a capstone project, applying what they have learned to a real world task. Grads will also qualify for a certification from a nationally recognized accrediting body.)

Certificate of Proficiency in Machine Technology Machinist Attendant (DC 1480; CIP 48.0503) reconfigured to Certificate of Proficiency in CNC Operations and Programming (19 credit hours; Spring 2015)

(Curriculum and name will better align with industry recognized certifications. Also, provides accelerated CNC Operator only program, removing Manual Machining from the initial certification. These changes were suggested by advisory committee.)

North Arkansas College

Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice (CIP 43.0103; 61-62 credit hours; Fall 2014)

General Education – 15 credit hours

ENGL	1013	English Composition I
ENGL	1023	English Composition II



MAT	1123	Math for Career and Tech II or higher (or)
CIS	1103	Information to Information Technology
PLSC	2003	American National Government
Institutional Requirement – select 3 credit hours from below:		
ART	1003	Art Appreciation (or)
DRAM	1003	Theatre Appreciation (or)
MUS	1003	Music Appreciation
Degree Emphasis Requirements – 9 credit hours		
AJ	1003	Introduction to Criminal Justice
SOC	2203	Social Problems
PHIL	1003	Introduction to Philosophy
Degree Emphasis Electives – select up to 26 credit hours from below:		
AJ	2033	Juvenile Delinquency
AJ	2043	Community Relations in Law Enforcement
AJ	2253	Criminal Investigation
AJ	2263	Criminal Evidence & Procedure
AJ	1053	Introduction to Criminology
PSYC	2003	General Psychology
BIOL	1004	General Biology (or)
BIOL	1304	General Botany
CHEM	1214	Chemistry for Health Related Professions (or)
CHEM	1415	College Chemistry (or)
GEOL	1014	General Geology (or)
PHSC	1004	Fundamentals of Physical Science (or)
PHYS	20144	College Physics (or)
PHSC	1044	Introduction to Astronomy
HIST	2003	U.S. History I (or)
HIST	2013	U.S. History II (or)
SOC	2013	Introduction to Sociology
PSYC	2003	General Psychology
SOC	2013	Introduction to Sociology
Technical Support Elective – select 9 credit hours from below:		
ANTH	2023	Cultural Anthropology
ECON	2313	Principles of Macroeconomics
FL	1303	Beginning Spanish I
FL	1313	Beginning Spanish II
HIST	1003	History of Western Civilization I
HIST	1013	History of Western Civilization II

[\(Prepares graduates for careers or career advancement in the field of Criminal Justice. All courses are included in AS in Criminal Justice – approved 7/25/2014.\)](#)

#### University of Arkansas –Fort Smith

Certificate of Proficiency in Office Assistant changed to Certificate of Proficiency in Office Management and Certificate of Proficiency in Medical Office Professional (DC 1707; Summer 2015)

Certificate of Proficiency in Office Management (16 credit hours)

ENGL	1203	Composition I
ITA	1003	Computer Applications for the Knowledge Worker

OMT	1203	<i>Introduction to Office Management</i>
OMT	1703	<i>Advanced Computer Applications</i>
OMT	2344	<i>Office Communication Essentials</i>
Certificate of Proficiency in Medical Office Professional (16 credit hours)		
ENGL	1203	Composition I
ITA	1003	Computer Applications for the Knowledge Worker
OMT	2344	<i>Office Communication Essentials</i>
OMT	2843	<i>Medical Insurance and Billing</i>
HLTH	1473	Medical Terminology

Technical Certificate in Administrative Assistant changed to Technical Certificate in Office Management and Technical Certificate in Medical Office Professional (DC 4729; Summer 2015)

Technical Certificate in Office Management (30 credit hours)

Core Courses (22 credit hours)

ENGL	1203	Composition I
ENGL	1213	Composition II
ITA	1003	Computer Applications for the Knowledge Worker
LEGL	1043	Introduction to Law
OMT	1203	<i>Introduction to Office Management</i>
OMT	1703	<i>Advanced Computer Applications</i>
OMT	2344	<i>Office Communication Essentials</i>

Select 8 credit hours from the following:

OMT	1653	<i>Employee Benefits</i>
OMT	2243	<i>Strategic Personnel Development</i>
OMT	2662	<i>Law Office Technology</i>
OMT	2843	<i>Medical Insurance and Billing</i>
OMT	2853	<i>Medical Insurance Coding I</i>
OMT	2983	<i>Emerging Office Technologies</i>
OMT	290V	<i>Special Topics</i>
OMT	299V	<i>Office Management Technology Special Projects</i>
LEGL	2133	Torts
LEGL	2162	Employment Law
LEGL	2323	Civil Litigation
LEGL	2723	Criminal Law
WFL	1374	Human Relations and Interpersonal Development
WFL	2503	Fundamentals of Finance and Accounting for Non-Financial Managers

Technical Certificate in Medical Office Professional (30 credit hours)

Core Courses (22 credit hours)

ENGL	1203	Composition I
ENGL	1213	Composition II
ITA	1003	Computer Applications for the Knowledge Worker
LEGL	1043	Introduction to Law
OMT	1203	<i>Introduction to Office Management</i>
OMT	1703	<i>Advanced Computer Applications</i>
OMT	2344	<i>Office Communication Essentials</i>

Select 8 credit hours from the following:

OMT	2843	<i>Medical Insurance and Billing</i>
OMT	2853	<i>Medical Insurance Coding I</i>
OMT	2863	<i>Medical Insurance Coding II</i>
OMT	2983	<i>Emerging Office Technologies</i>
OMT	286V	<i>Academic Internship</i>
OMT	290V	<i>Special Topics</i>
OMT	299V	<i>Office Management Technology Special Projects</i>
HLTH	1013	Health Career Concepts
HLTH	1473	Medical Terminology
LEGL	2133	Torts
WFL	1374	Human Relations and Interpersonal Development

Associate of Applied Science in Administrative Professional & Office Technology changed to Associate of Applied Science in Office Management Technology-Options in Office Management and Medical Office Professional (DC 0307; Summer 2015)

General Education (19 credit hours)

ENGL	1203	Composition I
ENGL	1213	Composition II (or)
ENGL	1233	Honors Composition (and)
RHET	2863	Advanced Composition
SPCH	1203	Introduction to Speech
MATH	1403	College Algebra
	XXX4	Lab science
POLS	2753	American National Government (or)
PSYC	1163	General Psychology
SOCI	2753	Introduction to Sociology

Office Management Technology Core (26 credit hours)

ITA	1003	Computer Applications for the Knowledge Worker
LEGL	1043	Introduction to Law
OMT	1203	<i>Introduction to Office Management</i>
OMT	1703	<i>Advanced Computer Applications</i>
OMT	2344	<i>Office Communication Essentials</i>
WFL	1374	Human Relations and Interpersonal Development
WFL	2413	Project Management
OMT	2923	<i>Integrated Office Procedures Project</i>

Office Management Option (15 credit hours)

OMT	2243	<i>Strategic Personnel Development</i>
WFL	2503	Fundamentals of Finance and Accounting for Non-Financial Managers
OMT	2983	<i>Emerging Office Technologies</i>
LEGL	2162	Employment Law

Select four credit hours from below:

LEGL	2323	Civil Litigation
OMT	2662	<i>Law Office Technology</i>
OMT	1653	<i>Employee Benefits</i>
LEGL	2133	Torts
LEGL	2723	Criminal Law
OMT	2843	<i>Medical Insurance and Billing</i>
OMT	2853	<i>Medical Insurance Coding I</i>

- OMT 286V *Academic Internship*
  - OMT 290V *Special Topics*
  - OMT 299V *Office Management Technology Special Projects*
- Medical Office Professional Option (15 credit hours)
- HLTH 1473 *Medical Terminology*
  - OMT 2843 *Medical Insurance and Billing*
  - OMT 2853 *Medical Insurance Coding I*
  - OMT 2863 *Medical Insurance Coding II*

Select 3 credit hours from below:

- HLTH 1013 *Health Career Concepts*
- OMT 2983 *Emerging Office Technologies*
- OMT 286V *Academic Internship*
- LEGL 2133 *Torts*
- WFL 2503 *Fundamentals of Finance and Accounting for Non-Financial Managers*
- OMT 290V *Special Topics*
- OMT 299V *Office Management Technology Special Projects*

(Name change reflects the duties and expectations of, and educational requirements for, executive and administrative assistants.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Certificate in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 18 credit hours; Spring 2015)

- BINS 4350 *Business Database Management Systems (or)*
- IFSC 3320 *Database Concepts*
- BINS 4351 *Data Analysis and Reporting*
- FINC 4355 *Predictive Data Analysis*
- MGMT 4304 *Supply Chain Management*
- MKTG 4310 *Marketing Research*

Choose one course from below:

- ECON 4350 *Econometrics*
- ERSC 4421 *Introduction to GIS*
- IFSC 4325 *Data Mining*
- IFSC 4345 *Information Visualization*

Graduate Certificate in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 15 credit hours; Spring 2015)

- BINS 5351 *Data Analysis and Reporting*
- BINS 7304 *Business Applications for Decision Making*
- IFSC 5345 *Information Visualization*

Choose six hours from below:

- BINS 5350 *Business Database Management Systems (or)*
- BINS 7303 *Systems Development and Database Design*
- BINS 7309 *Cloud-based Business Intelligence*
- IFSC 5325 *Data Mining Concepts and Techniques*
- IFSC 5360 *Social Computing*
- IFSC 7360 *Data and Privacy Protection*

Bachelor of Business Administration in Business Analytics (CIP 52.1201; 120 credit hours; Fall 2015)

Pre-Business Courses (21 credit hours)

MATH	1342	Business Calculus
ACCT	2310	Principles of Accounting I
ACCT	2330	Principles of Accounting II
ECON	2310	Business Statistics I
ECON	2322	Principles of Microeconomics
ECON	2323	Principles of Macroeconomics
MKTG	2380	Legal Environment of Business
Professional Business Studies Core Courses (28 credit hours)		
BINS	3305	Management Information Systems
BINS	3352	Data Analytics and Visualization
BINS	3380	Business Communications
BSAD	3100	Business Professionalism
ECON	3355	Quantitative Methods
FINC	3310	Business Finance
MGMT	3300	Organizational Behavior and Management
MGMT	3304	Production/Operations Management
MGMT	4380	Business Strategy and Policy
MKTG	3350	Principles of Marketing

Emphasis Area Courses (18 credit hours)

BINS	4350	Business Database Management Systems
BINS	4351	Data Analysis and Reporting
<i>BINS</i>	<i>4360</i>	<i>Business Analytics Project Development</i>
<i>FINC</i>	<i>4355</i>	<i>Predictive Data Analysis</i>
MKTG	4310	Marketing Research
SPCH	3320	Advanced Public Speaking

Choose 6 credit hours from below:

BINS	3392	Cooperative Education (or)
BINS	4394	Internship
MGMT	4304	Supply Chain Management
MKTG	3385	Consumer Analysis and Behavior

Choose 3 credit hours from below:

ECON	4350	Econometrics
ERSC	4421	Introduction to GIS
IFSC	4325	Data Mining
IFSC	4345	Information Visualization

(The consolidation will result in an interdisciplinary business certificate, graduate certificate, and degree using courses in multiple departments: Business Information Systems, Economics and Finance, Management, Marketing, and others. An interdisciplinary approach is essential to development broad-based analytics competencies/skills demanded in the marketplace.)

**Curriculum Revisions**

Arkansas State University – Newport

Course name change from UNIV 1001 Freshman Seminar to UNIV 1001 College and Life Skills; Fall 2014

**New Organizational Units**

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Center for Ethics in Journalism

(Center for Ethics in Journalism will be located on UAF campus in the Lemke Department of Journalism. The purpose is to foster the study and practice of journalistic principles of accuracy, fairness, and service to the public. The Center will also conduct public events at the University and elsewhere to promote the discussion of these issues.)

**Existing Certificate or Degree Program Offered at Off-Campus Location**

Arkansas State University – Beebe

Certificate of Proficiency and Technical Certificate in Multi-Skills Technology offered at Lonoke High School (DC’s 4701 & 4702; CIP 47.0101; Fall 2014)

(Program designed to prepare graduates to enter the workforce at Remington Arms. Due to aging and retiring workforce @ Remington Arms, 600 additional trained workers are projected to be needed over the next 5 years. Classroom space is being provided free at Lonoke High School per gratis. Anyone can take the classes, however, Remington will reimburse their employees.)

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Bachelor of Professional Studies offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 1871; CIP 30.9999; 50% online; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Science in Construction Management offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 2417; CIP 15.1001; Spring 2015)

Bachelor of Business Administration in General Business offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 5201; CIP 52.0201; 100% online; Spring 2015)

Master of Social Work offered at University of Arkansas Community College at Hope-Texarkana (DC 7100; CIP 44.0701; Spring 2015)

**Existing Program via Distance**

Arkansas Tech University

Master of Science in Business Administration (DC 5580; 30 credit hours; Summer 2015; 100% online)

(Majority of students are working professionals; many do not live in Russellville and find it difficult to attend traditional classes. Students need degree for promotion; a more flexible schedule; and degree by distance.)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Minor in Communication in Bachelor of Arts in Communication (DC 1330; 24 credit hours in minor; Spring 2015; 100% online)

Minor in Criminal Justice in Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice (DC 1360; 18 credit hours; Fall 2015; 50% online)

Required courses – 9 credit hours

- CMJS 2003 Introduction to Criminal Justice Systems\*\*
- CMJS 3023 Criminology\*\*
- SOCI 3313 Social Research\*\*

Choose 9 credit hours from below (3 credit hours maximum from SOCI)

CMJS	3043	The Police and Society**
CMJS	3203	Corrections**
CMJS	3503	Criminal Procedures
CMJS	3513	Criminal Evidence
CMJS	4043	Juvenile Justice
CMJS	4053	Homeland Security**
CMJS	4113	Terrorism**
CMJS	4013	Special Topics in Criminal Justice
SOCI	3153	Urban Sociology
SOCI	3223	Social Psychology
SOCI	3723	Deviant Behavior**
SOCI	4023	Social Theory
SOCI	4063	Organizations in Society
SOCI	3193	Race, Class and Gender in America
SOCI	3103	Religion and Society
SOCI	4013	Special Topics in Sociology

\*\*Courses offered online

Minor in African and African American Studies (CIP 05.0201; 15 credit hours; Fall 2015; 100% online)

Minor in Spanish in Bachelor of Arts in Spanish (DC 1800; CIP 16.0905; 15 credit hours; Spring 2015; 100% online)

**Degree Modification – Credit Hour Reduction (Act 747 of 2011)**

Arkansas State University - Jonesboro

Bachelor of Science in Education in Business Technology (DC 3710; 121 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Courses Deleted

ECON	2313	Principles of Macroeconomics
SCOM	1203	Oral Communications
CIT	2543	Keyboarding for Professionals
CIT	4503	Business Technology Methods
CIT	4513	Business Technology Field Experiences
CIT	4533	Word Processing II

Courses Added

MKTG	4073	Social Media Marketing
GCOM	3673	Desktop Publishing & Publication Design

Course credit hour reduction

SCED	2513	Introduction to Secondary Teaching
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Northwest Arkansas Community College

Certificate of Proficiency in Nursing Assistant (DC 1510; CIP 51.3902; 16 credit hours; Spring 2015)

Courses Deleted

AHSC	1001	Medical Terminology
CISQ	1103	Introduction to Computer Information

University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

Associate of Applied Science in Industrial Technology (DC 0580; 60 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 66 to 60)

Courses Deleted

HLPE	X2XX	Physical Education
CPSC	2363	Introduction to Business Programming
TECH	2308	Strength of Materials
ECON	2310	Principles of Economics I
TECH	2100	Co-op Seminar

Added Courses

HLPE	1310	Personal Health & Safety (or)
HUSC	1311	Nutrition & Wellness

Options in Print Journalism and Broadcast Journalism in Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communications (DC 1560; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 124-127 to 120)

Courses Deleted in Print Journalism Option

HLPE	X1XX	Physical Education
	X6XX	Liberal Arts/Science Elective

Course Added in Print Journalism Option

THTR	2340	Voice & Movement
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Courses Deleted in Broadcast Journalism Option

HLPE	XXX1	Physical Education
MCIM	3311	News Reporting
	X6XX	Liberal Arts Elective

Courses Added in Broadcast Journalism Option

MCOM	2323	Computer Editing
MCOM	3320	Public Relations

Options in Acting and Management in Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (DC 1813; 120 credit hours; Fall 2014: credit hours reduced from 128 to 120)

Courses Deleted in Acting Option

HLPE	X1XX	Physical Education
THTR	2325	Introduction to Theatre History
THTR	2365	Stage Lighting
	X1XX	Directed Electives

Courses Deleted in Management Option

HLPE	X1XX	Physical Education
THTR	2365	Stage Lighting
THTR	3312	Fundraising for the Arts
	X1XX	Directed Electives

**New Certificates and Degrees Offered through Consortium Partnerships**

**Programs Pending Review by Arkansas Department of Education**

University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Bachelor of Science in Education in Elementary Education, K-6 (CIP 13.1202; Spring 2015)



(Revision of current BSE in Early Childhood Education to Elementary Education, K-6 to meet new ADE educator program licensure requirements.)

Bachelor of Science in Education in Middle Level Education (CIP 13.1203; DC 3915; Spring 2015)

(Revision of Current BSE in Middle Childhood Education to meet new ADE educator program licensure requirements. The change allows candidates to select any combination of the four content areas. This allows for 9 possible routes to licensure. The change moves from these two teaching areas: math/science or language arts/social studies.)

**Programs Pending Review by Arkansas State Board of Nursing**

Southeast Arkansas College

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing (LPN to RN; DC 0715; CIP 51.3801; Summer 2015; 50% online)

Courses offered online

NURS	2114	Nursing Process I
NURS	2117	Nursing Process II
NURS	2317	Nursing Process III

Courses not offered online

NURS	2122	Nursing Practicum I
NURS	2224	Nursing Practicum II
NURS	2324	Nursing Practicum III

(Program designed for qualified LPN's who are motivated to achieve upward mobility through flexible combination of online and concurrent clinical courses with minimal synchronous face-to-face instructor to student interaction. Program received pre-requisite approval from ASBN in September 2014; will receive initial approval in January 2015.)

University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton

Technical Certificate in Practical Nursing (DC 0710; CIP 51.3801; Spring 2016) to be offered at satellite campus in Clinton, AR

## LETTERS OF INTENT

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The following notifications were received through October 10, 2014.

### Arkansas Tech University

Bachelor of Arts in Cultural and Geospatial Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Math Education/Physics Education

### College of the Ouachitas

Certificate of Proficiency in Digital Media  
Certificate of Proficiency in Film and Theatre Arts  
Technical Certificate in Film and Theatre Arts  
Technical Certificate in Entrepreneurial Design  
Associate of Applied Science in Innovation and Entrepreneurial Design

### Henderson State University

Associate of Arts (for reverse transfer and degree completion purposes only)  
Bachelor of Arts in Innovative Media

### National Park Community College

Technical Certificate in Aerospace Fabrication and Repair

### NorthWest Arkansas Community College

Associate of Applied Science in Construction Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant  
Associate of Applied Science in Occupational and Life Skills

### Rich Mountain Community College

New Off-Campus Instruction Center at Montgomery County Center

### University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Bachelor of Science in Education in Special Education, K-12

### University of Arkansas at Monticello

Master of Jazz

### University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

Master of Education in Special Education: Mildly Disabled, K-12

### University of Arkansas Community College at Hope

Certificate of Proficiency in Commercial and Residential Engineering  
Technical Certificate in Commercial and Residential Engineering

**INSTITUTIONAL CERTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

American Business and Technology University, Saint Joseph, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Information Technology  
Business Administration and Information Technology Diploma  
Computer Programming and Systems Design Diploma  
Criminal Justice Diploma  
Health Information Technology Diploma  
Network Administration and Information Security Diploma  
Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration and Information Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Computer Programming and Systems Design  
Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice  
Associate of Applied Science in Health Information Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Network Administration and Information Security  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Business Management in the Global Economy  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Information Systems Engineering – Networking and Security  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Software Engineering – Business Applications  
Master of Business Administration

American College of Education, Indianapolis, Indiana

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Education in Elementary Education  
Master of Education in Educational Leadership  
Master of Education in Educational Technology  
Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction, Specializations in Bilingual Education, English as a Second Language  
Master of Arts in Teaching – Elementary, Secondary  
Education Specialist in Leadership  
Doctor of Education in Leadership

American College of Healthcare Sciences, Portland, Oregon

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Complementary Alternative Medicine  
Associate of Applied Science in Health and Wellness  
Master of Science in Aromatherapy  
Master of Science in Herbal Medicine

American InterContinental University, Schaumburg, Illinois

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Education

American Public University, Charles Town, West Virginia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Reverse Logistics Management  
Master of Arts in Reverse Logistics Management

American Sentinel University, Aurora, Colorado

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Health Informatics  
Master of Science in Health Systems Management

American University, Washington, D.C.

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Graduate Certificate in Non-Profit Monitoring and Evaluation  
Master of Arts in Nutrition Education  
Master of Arts in Public Administration  
Master of Arts in Strategic Communication  
Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Foreign Language

Argosy University, Orange, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Science in Health Information Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Health Informatics Information Management  
Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health  
Master of Arts in Education in Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Arts in Education in Education Administration  
Master of Arts in Education in Educational Leadership  
Master of Law in Compliance  
Master of Science in Accounting  
Doctor of Education in Pastoral Community Counseling  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Non-Profit Management

Arkansas College of Health Education, Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, Arkansas

Initial Certification – Doctor of Osteopathy

Baker College, Flint, Michigan

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science  
Associate of Business  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
Bachelor of Computer Science  
Bachelor of General Studies  
Bachelor of Information Systems  
Bachelor of Science  
Bachelor of Web Development  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science

Baptist Bible College and Seminary, Clarks Summit, Pennsylvania

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts

Bachelor of Science in Counseling  
Bachelor of Science  
Master of Arts  
Master of Arts in Apologetics  
Master of Divinity  
Master of Education  
Master of Science in Counseling  
Master of Ministry

Baptist Health Schools Little Rock, Little Rock, Arkansas

Initial Certification – Little Rock Campus and by Distance Technology  
Certificate in Histotechnology  
Certificate in Medical Technology  
Certificate in Nuclear Medicine Technology  
Certificate in Practical Nursing  
Certificate in Radiography  
Certificate in Sleep Technology  
Certificate in Surgical Technology

Belhaven University, Jackson, Mississippi

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Graduate Certificate in Health Administration  
Graduate Certificate in Human Resources  
Graduate Certificate in Leadership  
Graduate Certificate in Sports Administration

Bellevue University, Bellevue, Nebraska

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Business  
Bachelor of Science in Behavioral Science  
Bachelor of Science in Marketing Management  
Bachelor of Science in Supply Chain Management  
Bachelor of Science in Security Management  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Healthcare Administration  
Master of Public Administration  
Master of Science in Clinical Counseling  
Master of Science in Leadership and Coaching

Benedictine College, Atchison, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies

Bethel University, McKenzie, Tennessee

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership

Boise State University, Boise, Idaho

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Adult Gerontology Nursing Practice – Acute Care  
Master of Adult Gerontology Nursing Practice – Primary Care  
Master of Business Administration  
Doctor of Nursing Practice  
Certificate in Adult Gerontology Nursing Practice – Acute Care  
Certificate in Adult Gerontology Nursing Practice – Primary Care  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Educational Technology  
Master of Science in Organizational Performance and Workplace Learning (formerly Instructional and Performance Technology)

Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Art Education  
Masters of Music, Music Education  
Doctor of Musical Arts, Music Education

Bryant and Stratton College, Orchard Park, New York

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Financial Support Services  
Associate of Applied Science in Graphic Design  
Associate of Applied Science in Office Management  
Associate of Applied Science in Restaurant and Hotel Management

California Institute of Integral Studies, San Francisco, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Transformative Leadership  
Doctor of Philosophy in Transformative Studies

California State University, Northridge, Northridge, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies  
Bachelor of Arts in Public Sector Management  
Master of Arts in Educational Administration  
Master of Public Administration  
Master of Public Health: Community Health Education  
Master of Science in Assistive Technology Studies and Human Services  
Master of Science in Communication Disorders and Sciences – Speech-Language Pathology  
Master of Science in Tourism, Hospitality and Recreation Management  
Master of Social Work

Carl Albert State College, Poteau, Oklahoma

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts in Business Administration  
Associate of Arts in General Studies

Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, Michigan

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Master of Arts in Educational Technology

Master of Science in Administration

Capella University, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Centura College, Virginia Beach, Virginia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Associate of Applied Science in Aviation Maintenance Management

Associate of Applied Science in Business

Associate of Applied Science in Paralegal Law

Associate of Occupational Science in Criminal Justice

Associate of Occupational Science in Medical Assisting

Bachelor of Science in Business

Chamberlain College of Nursing, Addison, Illinois

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Chicago, Illinois

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health Counseling

Doctor of Philosophy in International Psychology

Doctor of Philosophy in Organizational Leadership

Doctor of Philosophy in Business Psychology

Applied Forensic Psychology Certificate

Applied Industrial/Organizational Psychology Certificate

Child and Adolescent Psychology Certificate

Consumer Psychology Certificate

Leadership for Healthcare Professionals Certificate

Organizational Effectiveness Certificate

Workplace Diversity Certificate

Behavior Analyst Post-Master's Respecialization Certificate

Colorado State University-Global Campus, Greenwood Village, Colorado

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

Bachelor of Science in Communication

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Administration

Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration and Management

Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Management

Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Professional Studies

Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems and Business Analytics

Bachelor of Science in Marketing

Bachelor of Science in Project Management

Colorado Technical University, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Cybersecurity Policy

Colorado State University - Pueblo, Pueblo, Colorado  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology  
Bachelor of Arts in Social Science  
Bachelor of Science in Sociology  
Bachelor of Science in Social Science

Columbia College, Columbia, Missouri  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Columbia International University, Columbia, South Carolina  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Undergraduate Certificate in Bible  
Graduate Certificate in Bible and Theology  
Graduate Certificate in Biblical Ministry  
Master of Arts in Intercultural Studies  
Master of Arts in Muslim Studies  
Master of Arts in Theological Studies  
Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Education in Educational Administration

Columbia Southern University, Orange Beach, Alabama  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Fire Science  
Master of Science in Criminal Justice Administration  
Doctor of Business Administration

Concorde Career College, Kansas City, Missouri  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Health Information Management  
Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration

Concordia College New York, Bronxville, New York  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Accounting  
Master of Science in Business Leadership

Concordia University, Nebraska, Seward, Nebraska  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Education-Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Education- Educational Administration  
Master of Education-Early Childhood



Master of Education-Literacy  
Master of Education-Teaching English as a Second Language  
Master of Human Services  
Master of Public Health  
Master of Science in Family Life  
Master of Science in Gerontology

Concordia University, Portland, Oregon

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Education in Career and Technical Education  
Bachelor of Science in Education in Early Childhood Education  
Bachelor of Science in Homeland Security  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Education  
Doctorate in Education

Concordia University Wisconsin, Mequon, Wisconsin

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Rehabilitation Services to Master of Occupational Therapy  
Master of Science in Education, Teaching and Learning  
Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Science in Educational Leadership  
Master of Science in Education, Counseling  
Master of Science in Education, Education Administration  
Master of Science in Education, Literacy  
Master of Science in Education, Special Education

DeVry University, Naperville, Illinois

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Business  
Undergraduate Certificate in Medical Billing and Coding  
Master of Science in Finance  
Graduate Certificate in Accounting  
Graduate Certificate in Business Administration  
Graduate Certificate in Curriculum Leadership  
Graduate Certificate in Entrepreneurship  
Graduate Certificate in Financial Analysis  
Graduate Certificate in Health Services Management  
Graduate Certificate in Human Resource Management  
Graduate Certificate in Information Security  
Graduate Certificate in Information Systems Management  
Graduate Certificate in Network and Communications Management  
Graduate Certificate in Project Management

Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science in Library and Information Science

Master of Science in Science of Instruction

Ecclesia College, Springdale, Arkansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Associate of Arts

Associate of General Studies

Associate of Sciences

Bachelor of Arts in Communications

Bachelor of Arts in Cross-Cultural Communications

Bachelor of Arts in Leadership

Bachelor of Arts in Musical Arts

Bachelor of Arts in Religious Education

Bachelor of Science in Behavioral Sciences

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Bachelor of Science in Counseling

Bachelor of Science in Organizational Communications

Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Bachelor of Medical Science in Medical Imaging

Master of Business Administration, Modular Executive

Master of Public Health

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Emporia State University, Emporia, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Master of Arts in History

Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Second Language

Master of Education in Teaching

Master of Science in Business Education

Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction

Master of Science in Earth Science

Master of Science in Informatics

Master of Science in Instructional Specialist

Master of Science in Rehabilitation Counseling

Everest University, Orlando, Florida

Recertification – Distance Technology

Associate of Applied Science in Applied Management

Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Science

Associate of Applied Science in Homeland Security

Bachelor of Science in Applied Management

Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Science

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

Bachelor of Science in Homeland Security

Everest College, Phoenix, Arizona

Recertification – Distance Technology

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Excelsior College, Albany, New York

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Technical Studies  
Bachelor of Professional Studies in Business and Management  
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in Cyber Operations  
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Health Care Management  
Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Nuclear Engineering Technology  
Masters of Science in Health Sciences

Faulkner University, Montgomery, Alabama

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Humanities  
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in Business  
Master of Arts in Teaching  
Master of Arts in Humanities  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Education  
Master of Justice Administration  
Master of Science in Counseling  
Doctor of Humanities

Franklin University, Columbus, Ohio

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Instructional Design  
Bachelor of Science in Entrepreneurship  
Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management  
Bachelor of Science in Social Sciences

Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Global Leadership  
Master of Arts in Intercultural Studies  
Master of Arts in Theology and Ministry

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Executive Master of Healthcare Administration

Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Project Management

Certificate in Digital Marketing  
Certificate in International Business Management  
Certificate in Social Media Management

Grand Canyon University, Phoenix, Arizona

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Digital Film: Production  
Bachelor of Arts in Digital Film: Screenwriting  
Bachelor of Arts in Government  
Education Specialist  
Master of Arts in Autism Spectrum Disorders  
Master of Arts in Reading  
Master of Divinity  
Master of Science in Organizational Growth and Sales  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

Grantham University, Kansas City, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts in General Studies  
Associate of Science in Computer Science  
Associate of Science in Electronics and Computer Engineering  
Bachelor of Business Administration in Human Resource Management  
Bachelor of Science in Accounting  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering Technology  
Master of Science in Information Management  
Master of Science in Performance Improvement

Hazelden Graduate School of Addiction Studies, Center City, Minnesota

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Addiction Counseling: Advanced Practice  
Master of Arts in Addiction Counseling: Integrated Recovery for Co-Occurring Disorders

Heritage Christian University, Florence, Alabama

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts in Biblical Studies  
Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies  
Master of Arts in Biblical Studies  
Master of Ministry  
Master of Divinity

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of General Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Certificate in Histotechnology  
Master of Business Administration

Master of Library Science  
Master of Social Work  
Master of Science in Global Supply Chain Management  
Master of Science in Finance  
Master of Science in Language Education

ITT Technical Institute, Carmel, Indiana

Initial Certification – Little Rock campus  
Accounting Diploma  
Business Management Diploma  
Criminology and Forensic Technology Diploma  
Drafting and Design Technology Diploma  
Electrical Engineering Technology Diploma  
Network Systems Administration Diploma  
Software Development Diploma  
Associate of Applied Science in Accounting

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Government  
Master of Education in the Health Professions  
Master of Science in Bioinformatics  
Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Master of Science in Engineering in Systems Engineering  
Master of Science in Information Systems Engineering  
Master of Science in Public Health, Child and Adolescent Health and Development  
Master of Science in Public Health, Global Disease Epidemiology and Control  
Master of Science in Public Health, Health Education and Health Communication  
Master of Science in Public Health, Health Policy  
Master of Science in Public Health, Health Systems  
Master of Science in Public Health, Human Nutrition  
Master of Science in Public Health, Occupational and Environmental Hygiene  
Master of Science in Public Health, Population and Health  
Master of Science in Public Health, Reproductive, Perinatal and Women's Health  
Master of Science in Regulatory Science  
Master of Science in Systems Engineering  
Master of Science in Technical Management  
Doctor of Education

Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Electrical Engineering

Kaplan University, Davenport, Iowa

Recertification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Public Administration

Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Medical Office Assistant  
Bachelor of Science in Applied Web Technologies  
Master of Arts in Ethnomusicology  
Master of Arts in Music Education  
Master of Arts in Music and Worship  
Master of Arts in Strategic Communications  
Master of Arts in Worship Studies  
Master of Science in Cyber Security  
Master of Science in Marketing  
Doctor of Nursing Practice  
Doctor of Worship Studies  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts in Accounting  
Associate of Arts in Management Information Systems  
Bachelor of Science in Accounting  
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems  
RN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Nursing

Lindenwood University, St. Charles, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Business  
Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Arts in General Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Arts in Education Technology  
Master of Arts in Gifted Education K-12  
Master of Arts in Leadership  
Master of Arts in Nonprofit Administration  
Master of Arts in Public Administration  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Fine Arts in Writing

Mid-America Christian University, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting and Ethics  
Bachelor of Business Administration in Ethics  
Bachelor of Science in Christian Ministries  
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Corrections and Ethics  
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems and Ethics  
Master of Science in Counseling

Missouri State University, Springfield, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

Missouri Southern State University, Joplin, Missouri  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health

National University, La Jolla, California  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Teaching

The New School, New York, New York  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York  
Institutional Planning and Development to offer degrees on Arkansas State University  
Jonesboro Campus  
Initial Certification – Arkansas Location on Arkansas State University-Jonesboro Campus  
Master of Science in Medical and Health Care Simulation  
Master of Science in Neuromusculoskeletal Sciences  
Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine

Northcentral University, Prescott Valley, Arizona  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
Bachelor of Education  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Education  
Education Specialist  
Doctor of Business Administration  
Doctor of Education  
Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration  
Doctor of Philosophy in Education

Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science in Taxation  
Master of Science in Finance  
Master of Science in Health Informatics

Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Health Science  
Doctor of Health Science  
Doctor of Philosophy in Health Science  
Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy

Oklahoma Wesleyan University, Bartlesville, Oklahoma  
Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Master of Arts in Theology and Apologetics  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Strategic Leadership

Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Sustainability  
Master of Science in Science or Mathematics Education-School Based Learning for K-12 Teachers  
Master of Science in Science or Mathematics Education-Free Choice Learning  
Master of Science in Natural Resources  
Masters of Science in Fisheries and Wildlife Administration  
Certificate in Geographic Information  
Certificate in Public Health

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Letters, Arts, and Sciences  
Bachelor of Science in Business  
Bachelor of Science in Information Sciences and Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership  
Bachelor of Science in Psychology  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Engineering Management  
Master of Geographic Information Systems  
Master of Professional Studies in Homeland Security-Homeland Security Base Program  
Master of Public Administration

Post University, Waterbury, Connecticut

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Science in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in Instructional Design and Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Interactive Communications  
Bachelor of Science in International Business  
Graduate Certificate in Finance  
Graduate Certificate in Professional Counseling  
Master of Education

Prescott College, Prescott, Arizona

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Education in Educational Leadership, Principalship  
Master of Education in Elementary Education  
Master of Education in Secondary Education  
Master of Science in Counseling  
Post-Master Certificate in Counseling/Ecopsychology  
Post-Master Certificate in Counseling/Adventure-based Psychotherapy  
Post-Master Certificate in Counseling/Equine-Assisted Mental Health  
Post-Master Certificate in Counseling/Expressive Arts Therapy



Post-Master Certificate in Counseling/Somatic Psychology  
Doctor of Philosophy in Education/Sustainability Education

Rasmussen College, Bloomington, Minnesota

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Graphic Design  
Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice  
Associate of Applied Science in Human Services  
Associate of Applied Science in Information Systems Management  
Associate of Applied Science in Paralegal  
Associate of Applied Science in Software Application Development  
Bachelor of Science in Business Management  
Bachelor of Science in Business Systems Analysis  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
Bachelor of Science in Cyber Security  
Bachelor of Science in Digital Design and Animation  
Bachelor of Science in Entrepreneurship  
Bachelor of Science in Finance  
Bachelor of Science in Game and Simulation Programming  
Bachelor of Science in Human Resources and Organizational Leadership  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Management  
Bachelor of Science in International Business  
Bachelor of Science in Marketing  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Remington College, Little Rock, Arkansas

Initial Certification – Little Rock Campus  
Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, New Jersey

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Labor and Employment Relations  
Bachelor of Science in Public Health  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)  
Master of Accountancy in Governmental Accounting  
Master of Arts in American Studies  
Master of Arts in Criminal Justice  
Master of Arts in French Literature  
Master of Arts in Global Affairs  
Master of Arts in Jazz History  
Master of Arts in Liberal Studies  
Master of Arts in Political Science  
Master of Arts in Teaching in Global Languages  
Master of Arts in Teaching in Science  
Master of Arts in Teaching in Spanish  
Master of Business and Science in Drug Discovery and Development

Master of Business and Science in Supply Chain Management  
Master of Engineering in Biomedical Engineering  
Master of Engineering in Pharmaceutical Engineering and Science  
Master of Education in Adult Education  
Master of Education in Language Education  
Master of Education in Learning, Cognition, and Development  
Master of Library and Information Sciences  
Master of Music in Music Education  
Master of Public Administration  
Master of Science in Behavioral and Neural Sciences  
Master of Science in Earth and Environmental Science  
Master of Science in Economics  
Master of Social Work  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

Saint Joseph's College of Maine, Standish, Maine

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration in Leadership  
Recertification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Health Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Science Administration  
Master of Health Administration  
Master of Science in Nursing

Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of General Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Bachelor of Science in Technology Management  
Master of Arts in Educational Technology  
Master of Arts in Teaching of English as a Second Language  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science in Business, Organizational Management  
Master of Science in Criminal Justice

Southern Adventist University, Collegedale, Tennessee

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Global Community Development  
Master of Nursing  
Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration (Dual Degree)  
Master of Social Work  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

South University, Savannah, Georgia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Science in Paralegal Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Public Relations  
Doctor of Ministry  
Initial Certification – Little Rock Campus  
Associate of Science in Accounting  
Associate of Science in Criminal Justice  
Associate of Science in Information Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant  
Associate of Applied Science in Physical Therapist Assistant  
Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health Counseling  
Master of Public Health  
Master of Science in Information Systems Technology  
Master of Science in Leadership  
Master of Science in Nursing (RN to MSN)  
Doctor of Business Administration  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

Stratford University, Fairfax, Virginia

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration  
Associate of Applied Science in Medical Billing and Coding

Texas Wesleyan University, Fort Worth, Texas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Nurse Anesthesia  
Doctorate of Nurse Anesthesia

Trident University International, Cypress, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Education  
Master of Science in Emergency Disaster Management  
Master of Science in Information Technology  
Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration  
Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Leadership  
Doctor of Philosophy in Health Sciences

Union University, Jackson, Tennessee

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Information and Data Science

University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in General Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology  
Master of Arts in Teaching  
Master of Science in Criminal Justice

University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care Degree Completion  
Bachelor of Science in Substance Abuse Counseling  
Master of Arts in Speech Language Pathology

University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies-Environmental Management  
Bachelor of Science in Microbiology and Cell Science  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Fire and Emergency Services  
Bachelor of Science in Sport Management  
Bachelor of Science in Health Education and Behavior  
Bachelor of Science in Criminology and Law  
Bachelor of Science in Communication Sciences and Disorders  
Master of Architectural Studies  
Master of Arts in Art Education  
Master of Arts in Latin  
Master of Arts in Mass Communication  
Master of Arts in Urban and Regional Planning  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Family, Youth, and Community Sciences  
Master of Fisheries and Aquatic Science  
Master of Music in Music Education  
Master of Science in Entomology and Nematology  
Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Education in Educational Leadership  
Master of Engineering in Aerospace Engineering  
Master of Engineering in Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Master of Engineering in Environmental Engineering Sciences  
Master of Engineering in Materials Science and Engineering  
Master of Engineering in Industrial and Systems Engineering  
Master of International Construction Management  
Master of Science in Aerospace Engineering  
Master of Science in Agricultural Education and Communication  
Master of Science in Agroecology  
Master of Science in Civil Engineering  
Master of Science in Computer Engineering  
Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Master of Science in Environmental Engineering Sciences  
Master of Science in Materials Science and Engineering

Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering  
Master of Science in Industrial and Systems Engineering  
Master of Science in Forest Resources and Conservation  
Master of Science in Soil and Water Science  
Master of Latin  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences  
Master of Public Health  
Master of Science in Veterinary Medical Sciences  
Specialist in Education in Curriculum and Instruction  
Specialist in Education in Special Education  
Doctor of Audiology  
Doctor of Education in Curriculum and Instruction  
Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership  
Doctor of Education in Higher Education Administration  
Doctor of Nurse Practice  
Doctor of Pharmacy  
Doctor of Philosophy in Classical Studies with a specialization in Classical Civilization  
Doctor of Philosophy in Classical Studies with a specialization in Latin and Roman Studies

University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Administration of Special Education  
Certificate in Clinical Research Management  
Certificate in Healthcare Informatics  
Certificate in Health Professions Educator  
Certificate in Organizational Leadership  
Certificate in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nurse Practitioner  
Certificate in Public Health Nursing  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Education Curriculum and Instruction (English to Speakers of Other Languages)  
Master of Science in Education Educational Administration  
Master of Science in Education Early Childhood Unified Education  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Chemistry

University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Educational Studies  
Master of Arts in Journalism  
Master of Education in Counseling Psychology  
Master of Education in Gifted Education  
Master of Education in Math or Science  
Master of Education in Educational, School, and Counseling Psychology, focus area in Positive Coaching  
Master of Education in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Master of Education in Special Education with an emphasis in Early Childhood Education  
Master of Science in Agricultural Education  
Master of Science in Natural Resources with an emphasis in Agroforestry  
Master of Science in Personal Financial Planning  
Educational Specialist in Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis  
Doctor of Philosophy in Human Environmental Sciences with an emphasis in Architectural Studies  
Doctor of Philosophy in Learning, Teaching, and Curriculum-Art Education  
Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing

University of Missouri-Kansas City, Kansas City, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Educational Foundations  
Bachelor of Liberal Arts  
Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Graduate Certificate in Community College Leadership  
Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction in Multicultural Education  
Master of Science in Dental Hygiene Education  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Post Master's Certificate in Nurse Educator  
Educational Specialist in Education Administration  
Doctor of Nursing Practice  
Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing

University of Nebraska at Kearney, Kearney, Nebraska

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood  
Bachelor of Science in Organizational and Relational Communication  
Bachelor of Science in Sociology  
Master of Arts in Education, Art Education  
Master of Arts in Education, Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Arts in Education, Curriculum Supervisor of Academic Area  
Master of Arts in Education, Music Education  
Master of Arts in Education, Physical Education  
Master of Arts in Education, Reading  
Master of Arts in Education, School Principalship  
Master of Arts in Education, Special Education  
Master of Arts in Education, Supervisor of Special Education  
Master of Science in Education, Instructional Technology  
Master of Science in Education, Science/Math Education  
Doctor of Education in School Superintendent

University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, Nebraska

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
RN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Nursing

University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Criminology and Criminal Justice  
Bachelor of Science in Education, School Library Media  
Bachelor of Science in Education, Library Science  
Bachelor of Science in General Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Library Science  
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems  
Bachelor of Science in Nonprofit Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Political Science  
Bachelor of Science in Sociology  
Master of Arts in Social Gerontology  
Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing  
Master of Science in Child, Youth and Family Studies  
Master of Science in Criminology and Criminal Justice  
Master of Science in Elementary Education  
Master of Science in Political Science  
Master of Science in Reading  
Master of Science in Secondary Education  
Master of Science in Special Education

University of New Haven, West Haven, Connecticut

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Professional Studies  
Master of Science in Emergency Management  
Master of Science in Environmental Engineering

University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, North Dakota

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering  
Master of Business Administration

University of Phoenix, Phoenix, Arizona

Initial Certification – Little Rock Campus, Rogers Campus  
Master of Science in Nursing

University of Saint Mary, Leavenworth, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Nursing

University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Arts in General Studies  
Bachelor of General Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences  
Master of Arts in Educational Administration/Adult and Higher Education  
Master of Business Administration

Master of Professional Accountancy  
Doctorate in Physical Therapy

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Certificate in Gifted Education  
Certificate in Special Education  
Master of Arts in Teaching  
Master of Education in School Leadership  
Doctor of Education in Organizational Change and Leadership

University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, Indiana

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Health Services  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Bachelor of Science in Radiologic and Imaging Sciences  
Master of Business Administration  
Master of Science in Health Administration  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Doctor of Nursing Practice

University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, Texas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Science in Nursing – Nurse Practitioner

University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Laws in Indian Law  
Master of Laws in Energy Law  
Master of Energy Business

University of West Alabama, Livingston, Alabama

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Education in School Counseling  
Master of Science in Continuing Education in Guidance and Counseling

University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, Green Bay, Wisconsin

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Applied Science in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management and Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science in Sustainable Management

University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie, Wisconsin

Initial Certification – Distance Technology



Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Human Development and Family Studies  
Bachelor of Science in Management  
Bachelor of Science in Golf Management  
Master of Science in Education  
Master of Science in Career and Technical Education  
Master of Science in Training and Development

Utah Valley University, Orem, Utah

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Aviation  
Bachelor of Science in Aviation  
Bachelor of Science in Emergency Services Administration Management

Vista College, Richardson, Texas

Initial Certification – Fort Smith campus  
Medical Assistant Diploma  
Medical Insurance Billing and Coding Diploma  
Information Technology Diploma  
Business Administration Diploma  
Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Diploma  
Massage Therapy Diploma  
Patient Care Technician Diploma  
Electrical Technician Diploma

Walden University, Baltimore, Maryland

Recertification – Distance Technology  
Doctor of Business Administration  
Doctor of Philosophy in Health Services  
Doctor of Philosophy in Human Services  
Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health

Western Governors University, Salt Lake City, Utah

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Arts in Science (Teaching Grades 5-12)  
Bachelor of Science in Health Informatics  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)  
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology  
Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation  
Master of Arts in Mathematics Education  
Master of Arts in Science Education  
Master of Business Administration in Management and Strategy  
Master of Education in Instructional Design  
Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction  
Master of Science in Information Security and Assurance  
Master of Science in Learning and Technology  
Master of Science in Nursing  
Master of Science, Nursing Education

Master of Science in Nursing, Leadership and Management

Western International University, Tempe, Arizona

Recertification – Distance Technology, Little Rock and Rogers campuses

Associate of Arts in Business

Bachelor of Arts in Behavioral Science

Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Behavior

Bachelor of Arts in Human Resource Management

Bachelor of Arts in Legal Studies

Bachelor of Arts in Professional Communication

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

Bachelor of Science in Business

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Bachelor of Science in Informatics Information Technology

Bachelor of Science in Management

Master of Arts in Human Dynamics

Master of Arts in Innovative Leadership

Master of Business Administration

Master of Public Administration

Master of Science in Information Systems Engineering

Westminster College, Fulton, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Delivery

Courses:

ACC 216 Principles of Managerial Accounting

BUS 220 Fundamental Management

BUS 230 Personal Finance

BUS 250 Principles of Marketing

BUS 326 Human Resource Management

BUS 330 Advertising

CHM 105 Introduction to Chemistry

CLA 215 Mythology

CLS 100 College Learning Strategies

ECN 110 Introduction to Economics

ECN 211 Principles of Macroeconomics

ECN 300 Introduction to Health Economics

EDU 221 Educational Psychology

EDU 230 Child Growth and Development

EDU 231 Education of Exceptional Individual

EDU 385 Diversity in Education

GOG 101 Introduction to Geography

HES 240 Introduction to Global Public Health

HES 251 Introduction to Nutrition

HIS 103 History of US to 1890

HIS 200 Introduction to Museum Work

HUM 277 Spanish Civilization

MUS 205 Music in West World

NSC 305 Survey History of Science

PHL 101 Introduction to Philosophy  
POL 300 National Security Law  
REL 102 World Religions  
SEC 300 Issues in Homeland Security  
SPE/WGS 203 Interpersonal Communication  
WGS 210 Introduction to Women's Studies

William Woods University, Fulton, Missouri

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Bachelor of Science in American Sign Interpretation-English  
Master of Business Administration

Wright Career College, Overland Park, Kansas

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Associate of Applied Science in Personal Training and Fitness  
Associate of Applied Science in Business Administration  
Associate of Applied Science in Health Care  
Associate of Applied Science in Network and Security  
Associate of Applied Science in Computer Information Systems  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Health Care Administration  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems & Analysis

**Pending Review by Arkansas State Board of Nursing**

ITT Technical Institute, Indianapolis, Indiana

Initial Certification – Little Rock Campus  
Associate of Applied Science in Nursing

**Pending Review by Arkansas Department of Education**

Oklahoma Wesleyan University, Bartlesville, Oklahoma

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Education

**Pending Review by Arkansas State Board of Examiners in Counseling**

University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota

Initial Certification - Distance Technology  
Master of Arts in Addiction Studies

**Pending Review by the Arkansas State Medical Board**

Western New Mexico University, Silver City, New Mexico

Initial Certification – Distance Technology  
Master of Occupational Therapy