## Accreditation

Accreditation is a process used in higher education to evaluate colleges, universities and educational programs for quality and to assess their efforts toward continuous quality improvement.

## **Institutional Accreditation**

- <u>Middle States Commission on Higher Education</u>
- <u>Commonwealth University's Statement of Accreditation Status</u>

## **Program or Specialized Accreditations**

Professional degree programs are accredited by program or specialized accrediting agencies to ensure they meet standards and expectations in the field of study. Accredited programs and agencies for Commonwealth University are listed below.

Accrediting Agency	Program	Accreditation Letter
Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB)	Master of Accountancy (MAcc) – Accounting Master of Business Administration (MBA) – General Business MS in Information Technology (MSIT) Education (BS) Business Administration (BS) Business Administration – <i>Accounting</i> (BS) Business Administration – <i>Finance</i> , including Banking (BS) Business Administration – <i>International Business</i> (BS) Business Administration – <i>Management</i> (BS) Business Administration – <i>Marketing</i> (BS) Business Administration – <i>Supply Chain/Transport/Logistics</i> (BS)	Accreditation Letter
Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)	Nursing (ASN)	Statement of Accreditation Status

Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)	Nursing (BSN) – (Mansfield only)	Statement of Accreditation Status
Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND)	Nutrition (BS) – Dietetics - (Mansfield only)	Accreditation Letter
American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (ASBMB)	Chemistry (BS) - Biochemistry and Pre-Medicine	Accreditation Letter
Accreditation Review Commission of Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC- PA)	Physician Associate Studies (MHS)	Accreditation Letter
Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) - Audiology	Audiology (AuD)	Statement of Accreditation Status
Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) - Speech Language Pathology	Speech Language Pathology (MS)	Statement of Accreditation Status
<u>Commission on Accreditation of Allied</u> <u>Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) –</u> <u>Applied Exercise Physiology</u>	Applied Exercise Physiology (MS)	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) – Exercise Science	Exercise Science (BS)	Accreditation Letter
Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP)	All initial and advanced educator preparation programs	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC)	Respiratory Care (BS)	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE)	Athletic Training (MS)	Accreditation Letter/Email
Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP)	Clinical Mental Health Counseling (MS)	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Collegiate Interpreter Education (CCIE)	American Sign Language/English Interpreting (BS)	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)	Nursing – BSN (Bloomsburg only)	Accreditation Letter
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)	Nursing - MSN	Accreditation Letter

Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education	Nursing - DNP	Accreditation Letter
(CCNE) Council on Education of the Deaf (CED)	Education of the Deaf/Hard of Hearing Program (B.S.ED.)	Accreditation Letter
Computing Accreditation Commission of	Computer Science (BS)	Statement of
ABET		Accreditation Status
Engineering Technology Accreditation	Electronics Engineering Technology (BS)	Statement of
Commission of ABET		Accreditation Status
Council on Accreditation (COA) of Nurse	Nurse Anesthesia (BSN-DNP)	Accreditation Letter
Anesthesia Educational Programs Council of Social Work Education	Social Work (BSW)	Statement of
Accreditation (CSWE)	Social work (BSw)	Accreditation Status
Council of Social Work Education	Social Work (MSW, Candidacy)	Statement of
Accreditation (CSWE)	(	Accreditation Status
Joint Review Committee on Education in	Radiography (BS) (Mansfield only)	Accreditation Letter
Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)		
National Association of Schools of Arts and Design (NASAD)	Visual Arts (BA)	NASAD Directory Listing
Design (INASAD)	Concentrations:	Listing
	Painting (BL, MA, LH)	
	Drawing (BL, MA, LH)	
	Sculpture (BL, MA, LH)	
	Ceramics (BL, MA, LH)	_
	Art History (BL, MA, LH)	
	Graphic Design (BL, MA, LH)	
	Printmaking (BL, MA)	
	Photography (BL, MA)	
	Fabric Design (BL)	
	Visual Arts (BFA)	
	Concentrations:	
	Art History (BL, MA)	
	Graphic Design (BL, MA)	
	Painting (BL)	
	Drawing (BL)	

	Sculpture (BL)	
	Ceramics (BL)	
	Printmaking (BL)	
	Photography (BL)	
	Fabric Design (BL)	
	2D Media (MA)	
	3D Media (MA)	
National Association of Schools of Music	Music (BA)	NASM Directory
<u>(NASM)</u>	Music Education (BM)	Listing
	Emphasis in Music Technology (BM)	
	Elective Studies in Business (BM)	
	Performance (BM)	
National Association of Schools of Theatre	Theatre Arts (BA)	NAST Directory
<u>(NAST)</u>		Listing

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