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Fully On-Line Distance Education Program-Registration
Report 2012

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January 2, 2013

The Honorable Martin O'Malley
Governor of the State of Maryland
100 State Circle
Annapolis, MD 20401

Dear Governor O'Malley:

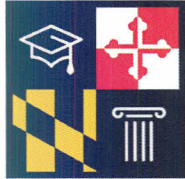
Education Article §11-202.2(G) charges the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC) with submitting a report to the Governor and General Assembly on Fully On-Line Distance Education Programs-Registration. The report for 2012 is enclosed.

This report includes: (1) the number of institutions of post-secondary education that apply for registration; (2) the type and size of the institutions that apply; (3) the number of institutions approved for registration; (4) the number of institutions denied registration; and (5) the number of Maryland students enrolled in institutions required to register under this section. Since this is the first report, certain data have not yet been captured and thus cannot be reported at this time.

Sincerely,

Danette G. Howard, Ph.D.
Secretary of Higher Education

Enclosure



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Background

Education §11-202.2(G) of the Annotated Code of Maryland requires MHEC to report to the Governor and the General Assembly a Fully On-Line Distance Education Program- Registration Report. This report shall include:

- (1) The number of institutions of postsecondary education that apply for registration under this section;
- (2) The type and size of the institutions that apply;
- (3) The number of institutions approved for registration
- (4) The number of institutions denied registration; and
- (5) The number of Maryland students enrolled in institutions required to register under this section.

Report

From July 1, 2012 to December 17, 2012, the Maryland Higher Education Commission has received 140 applications from Out of State institutions seeking registration to offer their fully online programs with the state. The Secretary of Higher Education has issued registration to 71 Out of State institutions; 30 Private (For Profit), 17 Private (Not for Profit) and 9 Public.

I. NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FROM INSTITUTIONS

- a. 140

II. TYPE OF INSTITUTIONS

- a. Private (For Profit): 40
- b. Private (Not for Profit): 36
- c. Public: 26

(*The numbers above reflect the data entered into the database.)

SIZE OF INSTITUTIONS

- d. The initial application does not collect this data. It will become available as of the renewal application submission in March 2013.

III. NUMBER OF INSTITUTIONS APPROVED FOR REGISTRATION: 71

- a. Private (For Profit): 35
- b. Private (Not for Profit): 25
- c. Public: 11

IV. NUMBER OF INSTITUTIONS DENIED REGISTRATION

- a. 0

**V. NUMBER OF MARYLND STUDENTS ENROLLED IN INSTITUTIONS
REQUIRED TO REGISTER**

- a. The initial application does not collect this data. It will become available as of the renewal application submission in March 2013.

VI. LIST OF INSTITUTIONS THAT HAVE SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION

(*The institutions listed below reflect the data entered into the database.)

Institution Name	Institution Type
American Academy McAllister Institute of Funeral Service	P (NP)
American College of Education	P (FP)
American InterContinental University	P (FP)
American Public University System	P (FP)
American Sentinel University	P (FP)
American University	P (NP)
Argosy University	P (FP)
Arizona State University	Public
Arkansas State University	Public
Ashford University	P (FP)
Berkeley College (NJ)	P (FP)
Berkeley College (NY)	P (FP)
Boise State University	Public
Boston University	P (NP)
Brescia University	P (NP)
Briarcliffe College	P (FP)
Brookline College	P (FP)
Capella University	P (FP)
Carrington College California	P (FP)
Central Michigan University Global Campus	Public
Chamberlain College of Nursing	P (FP)
Champlain College	P (FP)
Charter Oak State College	Public
Chatham University	P (NP)
Colorado State University Global Campus	Public
Colorado State University-Pueblo	Public
Colorado Technical University	P (FP)
Columbia College	P (NP)
Columbia Southern University	P (FP)
Columbus State University	Public
Dakota State University	Public
Daniel Webster College	P (FP)
DeVry University	P (FP)
East Carolina University	Public

Institution Name	Institution Type
Eastern Kentucky University	Public
ECPI University	P (FP)
Embry Riddle Aeronautical University	P (NP)
Everest College Phoenix	P (FP)
Everest University South Orlando	P (FP)
Excelsior College	P (NP)
Franklin University	P (NP)
Full Sail University	P (FP)
Georgetown University	P (NP)
Gonzaga University	P (NP)
Grantham University	P (FP)
Herzing University	P (FP)
Indiana State University	Public
Indiana Wesleyan University	P (NP)
International Academy of Design and Technology Online	P (FP)
ITT Technical Institute, Indianapolis	P (FP)
Jones International University	P (FP)
Kansas State University	Public
Kaplan University	P (FP)
Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts	P (FP)
Lesley University	P (NP)
Luther Rice University	P (NP)
Marygrove College	P (NP)
Messiah College	P (NP)
Michigan State University	Public
Missouri University of Science and Technology	Public
National American University	P (FP)
Norwich University	P (NP)
Nova Southeastern University	P (NP)
Ohio University	Public
Pacific Oaks College	P (NP)
PIMA Medical Institute	P (FP)
Pittsburgh Institute of Mortuary Science	P (FP)
Post University	P (NP)
Potomac College	P (FP)
Quinnipiac University	P (NP)
Rasmussen College	P (FP)

Institution Name	Institution Type
Regis University	P (NP)
Rio Salado	Public
Saint Mary of the Woods College	P (NP)
South University	P (FP)
St. Joseph's College (NY)	P (NP)
Strayer University	P (FP)
SUNY Empire State College	Public
The Art Institute of Pittsburgh	P (FP)
The Catholic Distance University	P (NP)
The Chicago School of Professional Psychology	P (NP)
The Pennsylvania State University	Public
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Public
Trident University International	P (FP)
Union Institute & University	P (NP)
University of Illinois at Chicago	Public
University of Illinois Springfield	Public
University of Illinois Urbana Champaign	Public
University of Massachusetts Lowell	Public
University of Nebraska Lincoln	Public
University of New England	P (NP)
University of New Haven	P (NP)
University of Phoenix	P (FP)
University of Pittsburgh	Public
University of Saint Joseph	P (NP)
University of South Dakota	Public
University of St. Augustine	P (FP)
University of St. Mary	P (NP)
University of the Sciences in Philadelphia	P (NP)
University of West Georgia	Public
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	Public
Upper Iowa University	P (NP)
Villanova University	P (NP)
Virginia College	P (FP)
Wake Forest University	P (NP)
Western Governors University	P (NP)
Western International University	P (FP)
Western Kentucky University	Public

Institution Name	Institution Type
Westwood College	P (FP)