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STATEMENT OF ACCREDITATION STATUS

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INSTITUTIONAL INFORMATION

Enrollment

(Headcount): 36888 Undergraduate; 12872 Graduate

Control: Public

Affiliation: State

Institution Type: Doctoral/Research-Extensive

Degrees Offered: Certificate/Diploma, Bachelor's, Master's, 1st Professional Degree, Doctoral;

Distance Learning: Yes

Accreditors Approved by U.S. Secretary of Education: Accrediting Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) ; American Bar Association (ABA), Section on Legal Education and Admission to the Bar ; American Council on Pharmaceutical Education (ACPE) ; American Dietetic Association, Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Education (CADE) ; American Library Association (ALA), Committee on Accreditation ; American Physical Therapy Association (APTA), Commission on Accreditation ; American Psychological Association (APA), Committee on Accreditation ; Association of American Law Schools (AALS) ; Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business; Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) ; Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH) ; Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) ; Landscape Architecture Accrediting Board (LAAB) ; National Accrediting Agency for the Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS) ; National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD), Commission on Accreditation ; National Association of Schools of Music (NASM), Commission on Accreditation ; National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (NASPAA), Commission on Peer Review and Accreditation ; Planning Accreditation Board (PAB)

Other Accreditors: American Chemical Society; Teacher Education Accreditation Council.

Instructional Locations

Branch Campuses: None

Additional Locations: Atlantic Cape Community College, Atlantic City, NJ; CCM, Headquarters Plaza, Morristown, NJ; Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ; Harborside Financial Center, Jersey City, NJ; Merrill Lynch Executive Education Center, Plainsboro, NJ; PHH Training Center, Mount Laurel, NJ; Plaza Business Centre, Shanghai, China; Plaza Conference Centre, Beijing, China; Rider University, Lawrenceville, NJ

Other Instructional Sites: Atlantic Cape Community College, Mays Landing, NJ; Bordentown, Bordentown, NJ; Bridgeton, Bridgeton, NJ; Bridgewater-Raritan High School, Bridgewater, NJ; Cape May High School, Cape May, NJ; Center for Effective School Practices, Somerset, NJ; Cherokee High School, Marlton, NJ; Cherry Hill West, Cherry Hill, NJ; Clark High School, Clark, NJ; Cresskill High School, Cresskill, NJ; East Brunswick High School, East Brunswick, NJ; Eastern Regional High School, Voorhees, NJ; High School, Gloucester, NJ; Hotel Palace, Prague, Czech Republic; McNair High School, Jersey City, NJ; Monroe, Monroe, NJ; Morris Hills High School, Rockaway, NJ; Morristown High School, Morristown, NJ; Newport Centre, Jersey City, NJ; North Branch, North Branch, NJ; Northfield Community School, Northfield, NJ; Plainfield Adult Learning Center, Plainfield, NJ; Prudential, Bridgewater, NJ; Ridgefield Park Jr.-Sr. High School, Ridgefield Park, NJ; South Brunswick High School, South Brunswick, NJ; Toms River, Toms River, NJ; Union High School, Union, NJ; Virtua Health, Voorhees, NJ; Wayne Hills High School, Wayne, NJ; Western Monmouth Higher Ed. Center, Freehold, NJ

ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

Status: Member since 1921

Last Reaffirmed: November 19, 2003

Most Recent Commission Action:

July 5, 2007: To acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request submitted by the institution and to note the institution's decision to close the additional locations at Merrill Lynch, Hopewell, New Jersey, New Jersey Department of Personnel HRDL, Trenton, New Jersey, and Virtua Health, Voorhees, New Jersey. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2007-2008.

Brief History Since Last Comprehensive Evaluation:

November 19, 2003: To accept the Periodic Review Report and to reaffirm accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2007-08.

June 15, 2005: **SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE COMMITTEE** - to acknowledge receipt of the substantive change request submitted by Rutgers University and to include the online Master of Library and Information Science degree program within the scope of the institution's accreditation. The next evaluation visit is scheduled for 2007-2008.

Next Self-Study Evaluation: 2007 - 2008

Next Periodic Review Report: 2013

Date Printed: August 14, 2007

DEFINITIONS

Branch Campus - A location of an institution that is geographically apart and independent of the main campus of the institution. The location is independent if the location: offers courses in educational programs leading to a degree, certificate, or other recognized educational credential; has its own faculty and administrative or supervisory organization; and has its own budgetary and hiring authority.

Additional Location - A location, other than a branch campus, that is geographically apart from the main campus and at which the institution offers at least 50 percent of an educational program.

Other Instructional Sites - A location, other than a branch campus or additional location, at which the institution offers one or more courses for credit.

Distance Learning - Yes or No indicates whether or not the institution has been approved to offer one or more degree or certificate/diploma programs for which students could meet 50% or more of their requirements by taking distance learning courses.