

Figure 22

Number and Location of U.S. Institutions and Programs Operating Outside the United States and Accredited by Recognized U.S. Accrediting Organizations, 2012-2013*

Twenty-two (22) accrediting organizations were active in 116 countries outside the United States in 2012-2013, accrediting 409 U.S. operations.

Regional Accrediting Organizations	Number of Institutions or Programs	Countries and U.S. Commonwealths and Territories
Higher Learning Commission	63	Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, England, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guam, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Oman, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates
Mid-Atlantic Region Commission on Higher Education Middle states Commission on Higher Education	82	Afghanistan, Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, British Indian Ocean Territory, Bulgaria, Burma, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, England, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guam, Honduras, Hong Kong, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kosovo, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mozambique, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Russia, Saint Lucia, Saudi Arabia, Scotland, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Tanzania, Thailand, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela, Vietnam, Yugoslavia, Zambia
New England Association of Schools and Colleges Commission on Institutions of Higher Education	22	Australia, Belgium, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, England, France, Germany, Guatemala, Honduras, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Italy, Jamaica, Kuwait, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Mexico, Nicaragua, Northern Mariana Islands, Oman, Panama, Poland, Puerto Rico, Russia, Singapore, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges**	67	Costa Rica, Mexico, United Arab Emirates
WASC Senior College and University Commission	50	American Samoa, Canada, China, France, Hong Kong, India, Japan, Malta, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Republic of Palau, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Taiwan, Thailand, Ukraine, Vietnam
Regional Accrediting Organizations Total	284	111 countries (including U.S. Commonwealths and Territories)

* Includes institutions and programs in Guam, Northern Mariana Islands and the U.S. Pacific Islands.

** SACSCOC data are for 2010-2011.

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National Faith-Related Organizations

Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools	13	Australia, Brazil, Costa Rica, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Guatemala, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Myanmar, Philippines, Romania, Russia, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden, Ukraine
Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools Accreditation Commission	5	Bangladesh, Belgium, Canada, China, England, Philippines, South Korea, Spain
National Faith-Related Accrediting Organizations Total	18	25 countries (including U.S. Commonwealths and Territories)

National Career-Related Organizations

Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges	1	Singapore
Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges Schools	14	France, Germany, Spain
Council on Occupational Education	13	Argentina, Brazil, Germany, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Spain
Distance Education Accrediting Commission	1	Canada
National Career-Related Accrediting Organizations Total	29	10 countries (including U.S. Commonwealths and Territories)

Programmatic Accrediting Organizations

ABET*	28	Qatar
Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs	25	Afghanistan, Canada, China, England, Germany, Greece, Guam, Italy, Malaysia, Netherlands, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, United Arab Emirates, Vietnam
American Academy for Liberal Education**	1	Singapore
American Culinary Federation Foundation, Inc.	1	Puerto Rico
American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation	1	Trinidad and Tobago
American Veterinary Medical Association Council on Education	2	West Indies
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education	2	Lebanon
Council for Interior Design Accreditation	1	Qatar
International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education	12	Afghanistan, Australia, Bahamas, Bahrain, Belgium, Bolivia, Chile, China, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, England, Germany, Greece, Guam, Hong Kong, India, Italy, Japan, Kosovo, Kuwait, Macedonia, Malaysia, Marshall Islands, Netherlands, Norway, Oman, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Taiwan, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, Vietnam
Montessori Accreditation Council for Teacher Education	4	China, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, Taiwan
Society of American Foresters	1	Canada
Programmatic Accrediting Organizations Total	78	51 Countries (including U.S. Commonwealths and Territories)

Grand Total **409** **116 Countries** (including U.S. Commonwealths and Territories)

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