

## **Regional Accrediting Bodies**

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Philadelphia, PA 19104-2680

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### **New England Association of Schools and Colleges**

209 Burlington Road

Bedford, MA 01730-1433

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### **North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (The Higher Learning Commission)**

30 North LaSalle Street, Suite 2400

Chicago, IL 60602-2504

(Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming)

### **Northwest Association of Schools and of Colleges and Universities (Commission on Colleges and Universities)**

8060 165<sup>th</sup> Avenue, NE, Suite 100

Redmond, WA 98052

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### **Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (Commission on Colleges)**

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Decatur, GA 30033-4097

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### **Western Association of Schools and Colleges (Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities)**

985 Atlantic Avenue, Suite 100

Alameda, CA 94501

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