Accreditation Council Actions

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At the spring 2018 meeting, on April 30, 2018, the following actions were taken.

CAEP Standards

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Accreditation Granted:

CAEP Standards

Accreditation is granted if the EPP meets all of the CAEP Standards and required components, even if areas for improvement (AFIs) are identified in the final report of the Accreditation Council.

The following EPP is receiving national accreditation in educator for the first time:

Central Baptist Teacher Education Program  
Central Baptist College  
Arkansas
These EPPs have earned national accreditation in educator preparation after previously earning accreditation through National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) Standard or Teacher Education Accreditation Council (TEAC) Quality Principles.

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Seton Hall University  
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The College of Wooster  
Ohio

Teacher Prep. Program of Sec. Schools  
Universidad de Puerto Rico de Mayaguez  
Puerto Rico

College of Arts, Education, and Sciences  
University of Louisiana at Monroe  
Louisiana

Pott College of Science, Engineering, and Education  
University of Southern Indiana  
Indiana

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**ACCREDITATION WITH STIPULATION(S) GRANTED:**

**CAEP STANDARDS**

Accreditation with stipulations is granted if an EPP receives one (1) stipulation on a required or nonrequired component(s) and all standards are met. Failure to submit a response to the stipulation within a two (2)-year time frames results in automatic denial. Failure to correct the condition leading to the stipulation within the specified two (2)-year period results in revocation, denial or probationary accreditation.

Undergraduate Teacher Education  
Calvin College  
Michigan
In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.

Met standard with a stipulation:
- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

**Indiana University Purdue University - Columbus**
Indiana

In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.
Met standard with a stipulation:
- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

**College of Education**
**Kean University**
New Jersey

In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.
Met standard with a stipulation:
- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

**Professional Education Unit**
**Shepherd University**
West Virginia

In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.
Met standard with a stipulation:
- Standard 2 (Clinical Partnerships and Practice)

**Department of Pedagogy**
**Universidad de Puerto Rico de Cayey**
Puerto Rico

In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.
Met standard with a stipulation:
- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

**LIFF College of Education**
**University of Akron**
Ohio

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Met standard with a stipulation:
  • Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

College of Education
University of Nebraska at Kearney
Nebraska

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Met standard with a stipulation:
  • Standard 2 (Clinical Partnerships and Practice)

Bunce School of Education
University of Rio Grande
Ohio

In the action report accompanying accreditation with stipulations, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.
Met standard with a stipulation:
  • Standard 4 (Program Impact)
  • Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

Accreditation with Stipulations Granted After Reconsideration:
CAEP Standards

The Accreditation Council changed the accreditation decision of the following list from Probationary Accreditation to Accreditation with Stipulations. The term of the accreditation remains October 2017 – December 2019. Accreditation with stipulations is granted if an EPP receives one (1) stipulation on a required or nonrequired component(s) and all standards are met. Failure to submit a response to the stipulation within a two (2)-year time frames results in automatic denial. Failure to correct the condition leading to the stipulation within the specified two (2)-year period results in revocation, denial or probationary accreditation.

College of Arts, Education, and Sciences
University of Louisiana at Lafayette
Louisiana

College of Liberal Arts and Education
University of Detroit Mercy
Michigan

Probationary Accreditation Granted:
CAEP Standards

Probationary accreditation is granted for two (2) years when an EPP does not meet one (1) of the CAEP Standards. Failure to correct the condition leading to the unmet standard within the specified two (2)-year period results in revocation or denial.

Dwight Schar College of Education
Ashland University
Ohio

In the action report accompanying probationary accreditation, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.

Unmet standard with stipulations:

- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

School of Education
Heidelberg University
Ohio

In the action report accompanying probationary accreditation, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.

Unmet standard with stipulations:

- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

Teacher Education
Morris College
South Carolina

In the action report accompanying probationary accreditation, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.

Unmet standard with a stipulation:

- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)

School of Education
Pace University
New York

In the action report accompanying probationary accreditation, the CAEP Accreditation Council has required issues in each of the following CAEP Standards be addressed.

Unmet standard with stipulations:

- Standard 5 (Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement)
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At the spring 2018 meeting, on April 30, 2018, the following actions were taken for providers seeking accreditation through legacy NCATE Standards.

NCATE Standards

The recent meeting of CAEP’s Accreditation Council culminates several years of preparation and examination of the EPPs seeking NCATE accreditation. Beginning with the institutional-reporting process and ending with the deliberation of the Council, much thought and effort goes into the accreditation process. EPPs were examined as required throughout each stage of the accreditation process to determine the degree to which each of the NCATE Standards were met. Meeting the NCATE Standards requires comprehensive self-evaluation and demonstration in each of the following areas: 1) candidate knowledge, skills, and professional dispositions; 2) assessment system and unit evaluation; 3) field experiences and clinical practice; 4) diversity; 5) faculty qualifications, performance, and development; and 6) unit governance and resources.

Continuing Accreditation After a Full or Focused Visit:

Accreditation for the duration of an institution’s seven-year accreditation cycle is confirmed after a full or focused visit is conducted to remove previous problems or concerns.

Accreditation for two years with a full visit
When one or more standard(s) is not met and problems exist across standards, the Commission will request a visit addressing all standards within two years of the semester of the onsite visit.

School of Education and Behavioral Sciences
Langston University
Oklahoma

College of Education
University of Texas at Arlington
Texas
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At the spring 2018 meeting, on April 30, 2018, the following actions were taken for programs at providers seeking accreditation through legacy TEAC Quality Principles.

**TEAC Quality Principles**

The recent meeting of CAEP’s Accreditation Council culminates several years of preparation and examination of the EPPs seeking accreditation. Beginning with the inquiry process and ending with the deliberation of the Council, much thought and effort goes into the accreditation process. EPP programs were examined, as required, throughout each stage of the accreditation process to determine the degree to which each of the TEAC Quality Principles were met.

Meeting the TEAC Quality Principles requires a comprehensive audit and demonstration in each of the following areas: 1) evidence of candidate learning, 2) evidence of faculty learning and inquiry, and 3) evidence of institutional commitment and capacity for program quality.

**Continuing Accreditation After Stipulation Removal:**

A stipulation is a deficiency that is serious enough to place a component of a Quality Principle below the standard, but not so serious that it causes the panel to find the entire Quality Principle below standard. The program must address the stipulation within two years to remain complaint with its accreditation status in TEAC.

Teacher Preparation Certification Program  
**Tulane University**  
Louisiana