



## Accreditation at Indiana Wesleyan University

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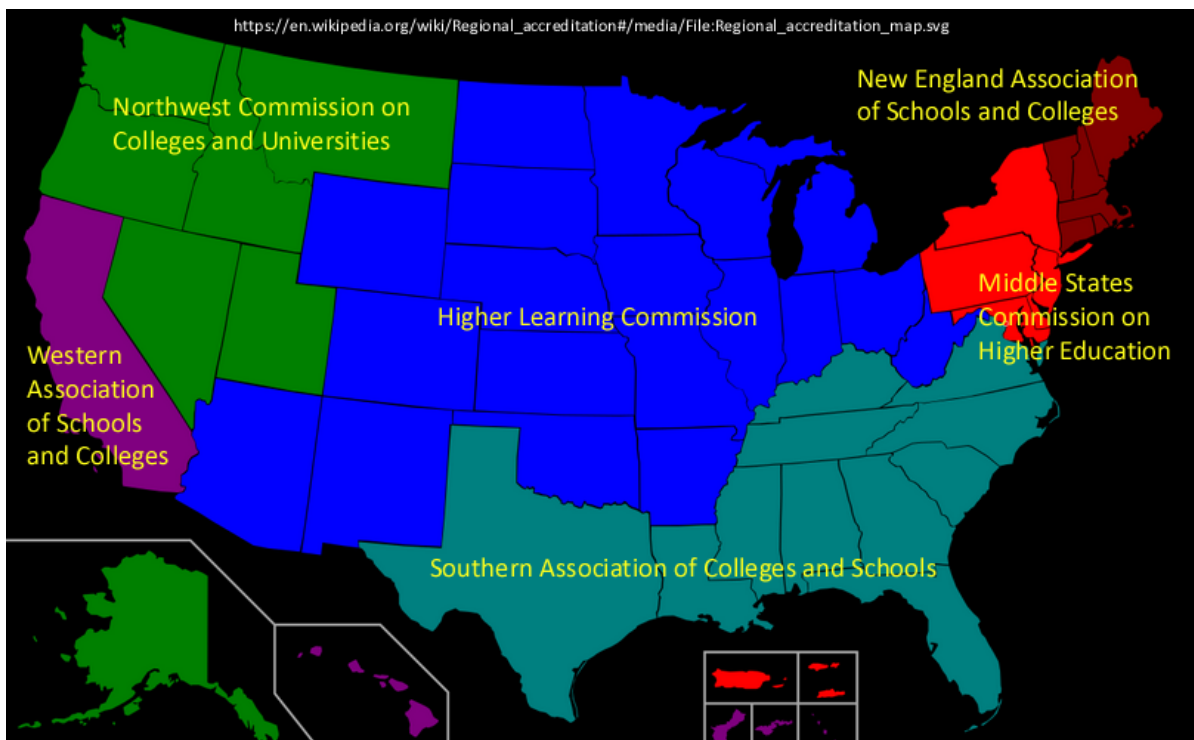
## Context

Accreditation is a voluntary system of quality assurance based on peer review. Accreditation provides external validation of the integrity and quality of IWU's academic programs, in the case of disciplinary accreditation, and validation of institutional systems and processes in the case of institutional (regional) accreditation. Accreditation ensures that IWU is following good practice as understood by the larger higher education community.

IWU as an institution is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, one of six regional accreditors recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as gate keepers for participation in Title IV federal financial aid.

## The Accreditation Landscape

Regional accreditation dates from the late 1800's when colleges began to band together to hold one another accountable to best practice and to certify institutional integrity through the establishment of accreditation standards. Eventually, six such associations covered the regions of the United States (see map below), hence the term regional accreditation. Trade schools tended to gather by academic focus rather than geography, leading to the development of "national" accrediting agencies in parallel to the regional accrediting agencies.



Accreditation was independent of governmental regulation until the 1950's when GI Bill federal financial aid eligibility was linked to accreditation. Since that time, federal financial aid has become more and more prevalent, as has federal influence over accreditors and schools.

Accreditors are held accountable in at least two ways. The first, as mentioned above, is through federal recognition. To serve as a gate keeper for participation in federal financial aid programs, an accreditor must apply for recognition by the U.S. Department of Education. Applicant accreditors are reviewed by the National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity (NACIQI). Recognized accreditors are also reviewed by NACIQI on a regular basis. The second accountability mechanism for accreditors is recognition by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). CHEA recognition is not required for Department of Education recognition, but both mechanisms serve to assure the integrity and value of the accreditation granted to schools and programs.

**HLC – The Higher Learning Commission**  
<https://www.hlcommission.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	Institutional
Primary IWU Contact	David Wright (President)
	<a href="mailto:iwupresident@indwes.edu">iwupresident@indwes.edu</a> ; x2100
Secondary IWU Contact	Don Sprowl (Accreditation Liaison Officer)
	<a href="mailto:Don.sprowl@indwes.edu">Don.sprowl@indwes.edu</a> ; x1002
Current Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	March 30, 1966
Most Recent Reaffirmation	November 15, 2010
Next Visit	November 11-12, 2019
HLC Contact	Karen Solomon (VP for Accreditation Relations)

**Recent Milestones:**

- October 27-28, 2016 – A 4-person IWU team (Karen Hoffman, Anita Manwell, Frank Ponce', Don Sprowl) attended the HLC Workshop on Assessment of General Education
- 2017-2019 – Don Sprowl represented IWU as a member of the HLC Innovation Zone team.
- October 6, 2017 – IWU's Quality Initiative project, *Diversity for Mission and Service*, was approved.
- December 12, 2017 – A multi-location visit was successfully completed.
- May 8, 2018 – IWU was approved to offer a competency-based version of the BSM.
- October 26, 2018 – IWU was approved to offer the DBA and the B-DNP, and the institutional stipulation at the doctoral level was removed.
- January 7, 2020 – Final team report from the November 11-12 comprehensive review visit received.

**Upcoming Milestones:**

- Spring, 2020 – Accreditation continuation decision by the Institutional Actions Council (IAC) of HLC.

**Other News:**

- IWU members of the HLC Peer Corps: Joanne Barnes, Carson Castleman, Haydee Encarnacion-Garcia, Stacy Hammons, Karen Hoffman, John Johnson, Abson Joseph, Kwasi Kena, Frank Ponce', Henry Smith, Don Sprowl
- IWU members of the HLC Institutional Actions Council: Don Sprowl
- Don Sprowl is representing IWU at the HLC Innovation Zone project.

**ACBSP – Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs**  
<https://www.acbsp.org/>

<p>IWU Programs Accredited</p> <p>(The programs listed to the right are all housed in the DeVoe School of Business in the College of Adult and Professional Studies. Programs in the DeVoe Division of Business in the College of Arts and Sciences are not ACBSP accredited.)</p>	<p>AS in Accounting  AS in Business  AS in Computer Information Technology  BS in Accounting  BS in Business Administration  BSBA – Human Resources  BS in Business Information Systems  BS in Healthcare Administration  BS in Management  BSM – Human Resources  BS in Marketing      Digital Advertising      Marketing Analytics      Non-Profits      Social Media  MS in Accounting  MS in Management  MS in Human Resources Management  MBA  MBA in Healthcare Administration</p>
<p>Primary IWU Contact</p>	<p>Dedra Daehn</p>
	<p>dedra.daehn@indwes.edu; x5266</p>
<p>Secondary IWU Contact</p>	
<p>Status</p>	<p>Business programs are accredited with conditions, accounting programs are accredited</p>
<p>Initial Accreditation</p>	<p>January 4, 2019</p>
<p>Most Recent Reaffirmation</p>	<p>January 4, 2019</p>
<p>Next Visit</p>	<p>2028</p>
<p>ACBSP Contact</p>	

**Recent Milestones:**

- January 4, 2019 – Conditional accreditation granted to DSB business programs
- January 4, 2019 – Accreditation granted to DSB accounting programs

### Upcoming Milestones:

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### Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - No
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - N/A

### Other News:

- The DeVoe School of Business program accreditation was recognized at the ACBSP Annual Conference in Houston on June 23, 2019.

**ACOTE – Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education**  
<https://www.aota.org/education-careers/accreditation.aspx>

IWU Programs Accredited	Occupational Therapy Doctorate (OTD) Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) (Applicant status)
Primary IWU Contact	Doug Morris (OTD Program Director)
	doug.morris@indwes.edu; x1427
Secondary IWU Contact	Julie Carson (OTA Program Director)
	julie.carson@indwes.edu; 317-859-3124
Status	Accredited in good standing (OTD) Applicant (OTA)
Initial Accreditation	October 2017 (OTD)
Most Recent Reaffirmation	October 2017 (OTD)
Next Visit	2024-2025 (OTD)
ACOTE Contact	Sue Graves ( <a href="mailto:sgraves@aota.org">sgraves@aota.org</a> )

Recent Milestones:

- December 2018, Application for OTA candidacy submitted.

Upcoming Milestones:

- April 2019, Expected decision on OTA application by ACOTE.

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - Yes.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - Exams for the conferral of Registered Occupational Therapist (OTR) and Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA) are administered by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT), <https://www.nbcot.org/> .

Other News:

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**AMTA – American Music Therapy Association**  
<https://www.musictherapy.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	B.A. in Music Therapy
Primary IWU Contact	Rebecca Barnard
	<a href="mailto:Rebecca.barnard@indwes.edu">Rebecca.barnard@indwes.edu</a> x2628
Secondary IWU Contact	Michael Flanagin(Division Chair)
	michael.flanagin@indwes.edu; x2564
Status	AMTA-Approved
Initial Accreditation	2014
Most Recent Reaffirmation	2014
Next Visit	2020-21
AMTA Contact	Jane Creagan, MME, MT-BC, creagan@musictherapy.org

Recent Milestones:

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Upcoming Milestones:

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Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - Licensure is not required for music therapy practice, but board certification is available only to graduates of AMTA-approved academic programs.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - The Certification Board for Music Therapy (<https://www.cbmt.org/>) administers the certification exam. Certification confers the credential MT-BC (Music Therapist – Board Certified). Only graduates of AMTA-approved programs, having completed a 6-month internship, are permitted to sit for the exam.

Other News:

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**ATS – Association of Theological Schools**  
<https://www.ats.edu/>

IWU Programs Accredited	Master of Arts in Ministry, Master of Divinity, Master of Practical Theology, Doctor of Ministry
Primary IWU Contact	Colleen Derr (President of Wesley Seminary at IWU)
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Secondary IWU Contact	Abson Joseph (Dean Wesley Seminary at IWU)
	<a href="mailto:Abson.joseph@indwes.edu">Abson.joseph@indwes.edu</a> x1241
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	July 15, 2014
Most Recent Reaffirmation	July 15, 2014
Next Visit	Spring 2021
ATS Contact	Tom Tanner (Director, Accreditation and Institutional Evaluation)

Recent Milestones:

- June 2015 – Approval to offer the DMin

Upcoming Milestones:

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Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

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**CAAHEP – Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs**  
<https://www.caahep.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	BS in Exercise Science
Primary IWU Contact	Melissa Cook (Program Director)
	melissa.cook@indwes.edu; x3481
Secondary IWU Contact	
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	March 15, 2013
Most Recent Reaffirmation	March 16, 2018
Next Visit	Spring 2028
CAAHEP Contact	William Coale, Director of the Committee on Accreditation of the Exercise Sciences; <a href="mailto:wcoale@coaes.org">wcoale@coaes.org</a> ; 317-777-1135

Recent Milestones:

- Fall 2017. Re-accreditation self study completed and submitted to CAAHEP/CoAES.
- January 2018. Re-accreditation site visit.
- March 16, 2018. Full 10 year continuing accreditation granted.

Upcoming Milestones:

- We added a new faculty member in exercise science, but another faculty member is now a Dean, so we remain at 2 faculty.
- July 2020, annual report due.

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - No licensure is required to practice in exercise science. One benefit for graduating from an accredited program is a discount on the cost of the certification exams through ACSM (American College of Sports Medicine).
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

Other News:

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**CAATE – Council on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education**

<https://caate.net/>

IWU Programs Accredited	BS in Athletic Training
Primary IWU Contact	Adam Thompson (Program Director) adam.thompson@indwes.edu; x3482
Secondary IWU Contact	Jessica Keller <a href="mailto:Jessica.keller@indwes.edu">Jessica.keller@indwes.edu</a> ; x3480
Status	Active - in good standing
Initial Accreditation	2003
Most Recent Reaffirmation	November 8, 2018
Next Visit	Fall 2027
CAATE Contact	

**Recent Milestones:**

- November 8, 2018 – Full 10 year continuing accreditation granted

**Upcoming Milestones:**

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**Licensure:**

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

**Other News:**

- Discussion to transition the current program to a professional program at the master's degree level per CAATE requirements by 2026.

**CACREP – Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs**

<https://www.cacrep.org>

IWU Programs Accredited	MA in Clinical Mental Health Counseling MA in School Counseling MA in Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy
Primary IWU Contact	Mark Gerig
	Mark.gerig@indwes.edu; x2195
Secondary IWU Contact	
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	March 1, 1998
Most Recent Reaffirmation	2013
Next Visit	Spring, 2021
CACREP Contact	

Recent Milestones:

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Upcoming Milestones:

- 2019-09-15. Annual Vital Statistics Report submission
- 2020-09-15. Annual Vital Statistics Report submission
- 2020-09-30. Submission of CACREP Self-Study
- 2020, November. Initial Review of Self-Study by CACREP
- 2021, February. CACREP Site Visit
- 2021, July. Final CACREP Board Decision
- 2021, August. Receipt of CACREP Decision

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

Other News:

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**CAEP – Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation**  
<http://www.ncate.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	BS in Early Childhood Education BS in Elementary Education BS in Secondary Education English Education Mathematics Education Music Education Physical and Health Education Science Education Social Studies Education Spanish Education TESOL Education Visual Arts Education BS in Exceptional Needs Education Principal Licensure Program - Certificate
Primary IWU Contact	Anita Manwell, Dean, School of Teacher Education <a href="mailto:anita.manwell@indwes.edu">anita.manwell@indwes.edu</a> x2264
Secondary IWU Contact	
Status	Full Accreditation (Initial Teacher Preparation)
Initial Accreditation	April 2018 (Initial CAEP accreditation in 2018 replaces prior, current NCATE accreditation)
Most Recent Reaffirmation	April 2018
Next Visit	Fall 2024
CAEP Contact	

Recent Milestones:

- April 2018, Initial accreditation granted at the initial licensure level.

Upcoming Milestones:

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Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - Yes.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

- Teaching licenses are issued by the individual states. Indiana: Indiana Teaching License issued by the Indiana Department of Education.

Other News:

- IWU SPAs (Specialized Professional Associations)
  - American Association for Health Education (AAHE)
    - Health Education
  - Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI)
    - Elementary Education
  - Council for Exceptional Children (CEC)
    - Exceptional Learners K-12
  - Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC)
    - Principal Licensure Program
  - National Association for Sport & Physical Education (NASPE)
    - Physical Education
  - National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)
    - Early Childhood Education
  - National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS)
    - Social Studies Education
  - National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE)
    - English Education
  - National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM)
    - Mathematics Education – High School
  - National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)
    - Science Education
  - Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
    - Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages
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**CAPTE – Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education**  
<http://www.capteonline.org/home.aspx>

IWU Programs Accredited	Doctor of Physical Therapy
Primary IWU Contact	Rosanne Thomas (Program Director) rosanne.thomas@indwes.edu; x3698
Secondary IWU Contact	Martin Rice (SHS Dean) martin.rice@indwes.edu; x2939
Status	Developing program, Director Employed stage
Initial Accreditation	
Most Recent Reaffirmation	
Next Visit	Jan/Feb 2021 (candidacy visit)
CAPTE Contact	Michael Chevalier <a href="mailto:michaelchevalier@apta.org">michaelchevalier@apta.org</a>

Recent Milestones:

- September 25, 2018, IWU acknowledged to have a developing program and placed in the queue for accreditation.

Upcoming Milestones:

- As part of the Cycle B 2020 queue, IWU will submit Application for Candidacy Report by December 1, 2020.
- Candidacy Visit in Jan/Feb of 2021.

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - Yes.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - Licensure is conferred by agencies of the individual states (Indiana: Indiana Professional Licensing Agency, <https://www.in.gov/pla/pt.htm> )
  - The licensure examination is administered by the Federation of State Boards of Education (FSBPT), <http://www.fsbpt.org/>

Other News:

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**CCCU Accreditation Council – Council of Christian Colleges and Universities**  
<https://www.cccu.org/>

The CCCU does not accredit, but the CCCU includes schools accredited by all of the regional accreditors. The CCCU has established an Accreditation Council for each of the regional accrediting agencies, for mutual encouragement and to bear favorable influence on HLC policy and practice. Don Sprowl is a member of the CCCU HLC Accreditation Council led by Eric Forseth, Provost at Dordt College.

**CCNE – Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education**  
<https://www.aacnnursing.org/CCNE>

IWU Programs Accredited	The baccalaureate, master’s, and doctoral degree programs in nursing at Indiana Wesleyan University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education ( <a href="http://www.ccneaccreditation.org">http://www.ccneaccreditation.org</a> ). The post-graduate APRN certificate program at Indiana Wesleyan University is under review for accreditation by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education ( <a href="http://www.ccneaccreditation.org">http://www.ccneaccreditation.org</a> ).
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Secondary IWU Contact	Lisa Timmons <a href="mailto:lisa.timmons@indwes.edu">lisa.timmons@indwes.edu</a> Administrative Assistant, School of Nursing
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	1999
Most Recent Reaffirmation	May 24, 2010
Next Visit	November, 2019
CCNE Contact	Daniel Michalski Director of Accreditation Services <a href="mailto:dmichalski@ccneaccreditation.org">dmichalski@ccneaccreditation.org</a> 202.887.6791 Ext. 253

Recent Milestones:

- January 21, 2015, DNP accredited
- November 2019, reaccreditation site visit with positive exit report

Upcoming Milestones:

- Spring 2020, notification of review outcome by CCNE

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - State Boards of Nursing have to accredit BSN programs so students are eligible to sit for licensure.
  - Nurse Practitioner programs must be accredited by a nursing organization so students are eligible to sit for certification.

- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - Registered Nurse License, particular agency for each state.
  - Nurse Practitioner License, particular agency for each state.

Other News:

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CCNE Evaluators:

- Dr. Robert Dawson
- Dr. Barbara Ihrke
- Dr. Terry Neal

Annual Reports:

- American Association of Colleges of Nursing Annual report is due first week in November.

**CEPH – Council on Education for Public Health**  
<https://ceph.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	Master of Public Health
Primary IWU Contact	Haydee Encarnacion-Garcia (Program Director) haydee.encarnacion@indwes.edu; x5266
Secondary IWU Contact	Martin Rice (SHS Dean) martin.rice@indwes.edu; x2939
Status	Application for Candidacy
Initial Accreditation	
Most Recent Reaffirmation	
Next Visit	April 2020
CEPH Contact	Mollie Mulvanity (Deputy Director) Kristen Varol (Director of Accreditation Services)

Recent Milestones:

- May 2019 – Decision to reinitiate the accreditation process
- October 29, 2019 - Initial Application Submission (IAS)
- March 2020 – CEPH Council Decision (IAS pending approval)

Upcoming Milestones:

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - Licensure is not required for professional service in public health. Public health certification may be required by some employers and should be advantageous in all cases.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - Public health certification is provided by the National Board of Public Health Examiners (<https://www.nbphe.org/>). The credential conferred upon passing the certification exam is Certified in Public Health (CPH). Graduation from a CEPH-accredited program is one pathway of eligibility to sit for the exam.

Other News:

- July 2019 - CPH new eligibility criteria “Public Health Work Experience”
  - Individuals who have:
    - at least a bachelor’s degree, in any concentration, and at least five subsequent years’ public health work experience
 or

- a relevant graduate-level degree, and at least three subsequent years' public health work experience

or

- a certificate from a school or program of public health that is accredited by or in applicant status with CEPH, and at least three subsequent years' public health work experience

**CHEA – Council for Higher Education Accreditation**  
<https://www.chea.org/>

CHEA is a private organization that recognizes accrediting agencies that fulfill a basic set of requirements for rigor and quality. Just as there are diploma mills that sell meaningless credentials, there are accreditation mills that peddle meaningless accreditations - being listed with CHEA certifies that an accrediting agency is legitimate and of reliable quality. Accrediting agencies are also certified by the US Department of Education if they serve as gate keepers for Title IV federal financial aid, so there are several high quality accrediting agencies that are not registered with CHEA, but many accreditors, such as the Higher Learning Commission, that are recognized both by CHEA and the Department of Education.

**COAMFTE – Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Education**  
<https://coamfte.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	MA in Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy
Primary IWU Contact	Nenezin Stoeckle (Program Director)
	nenezin.stoeckle@indwes.edu; 317-713-6159
Secondary IWU Contact	Rob Atchison (Division Chair)
	Rob.atchison@indwes.edu; x2195
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	May 1, 2015
Most Recent Reaffirmation	May 1, 2015
Next Visit	Fall 2020
COAMFTE Contact	Tanya Tamarkin (Director of Accreditation) <a href="mailto:ttamarkin@aamft.org">ttamarkin@aamft.org</a> (703) 253-0457

Recent Milestones:

- January 2019, Annual report submitted

Upcoming Milestones:

- April 1, 2019, eligibility criteria due
- May 1, 2021, reaffirmation due

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
  - No, but it is advantageous for our students as it simplifies the licensure process.
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?
  - Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist Associate (LMFTA) & Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (LFMT); Behavioral Health and Human Services Licensing Board

Other News:

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**CSWE – Council on Social Work Education**  
<https://www.cswe.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	BSW – Bachelor of Social Work BSW – Bachelor of Social Work Online MSW – Master of Social Work (Candidate status)
Primary IWU Contact	Katti Sneed (BSW Program Director) Katti.sneed@indwes.edu; x2273
Secondary IWU Contact	Cynthia Faulkner (MSW Program Director) Cynthia.faulkner@indwes.edu; 606-356-7094
Status	Accredited in good standing (BSW) Accredited in good standing (MSW)
Initial Accreditation	1982 (BSW) 2019 (MSW)
Most Recent Reaffirmation	October 2013 (BSW) June 2019 (MSW)
Next Visit	Sometime between December 2021 –February 2022 (BSW and MSW)
CSWE Contact	Katie Gibson-Ledl (Accreditation Specialist)

**Recent Milestones:**

- Oct 2018 Site visit for MSW Initial Accreditation
- MSW Full Accreditation June 2019
- MSW and BSW adjusted to same reaccreditation cycle (June 2022)

**Upcoming Milestones:**

- Social Work Directors to attend Accreditation Workshop in Washington, DC in Fall 2020
- August 1, 2021 BSW and MSW self-study due for Reaffirmation
- Site visit between December 2021 and February 2022

**Licensure:**

- BSW students need to graduate from accredited programs to sit for the LBSW.
- MSW students need to graduate from accredited program to sit for the LMSW and LCSW.

**Other News:**

- BSW students who graduate from an accredited program may qualify for Advanced Standing allowing them to complete an MSW in 30 credit hours (9-14 months) as opposed to 60 credit hours.





**NASAC – National Addiction Studies Accreditation Commission**  
<https://nasacaccreditation.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	MA in Clinical Addictions Counseling
Primary IWU Contact	Don Osborn (Program Director) Donald.osborn@indwes.edu; x1979
Secondary IWU Contact	Mark Gerig (Division Chair) Mark.gerig@indwes.edu; x2195
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	March 30, 2013
Most Recent Reaffirmation	March 30, 2013
Next Visit	2020
NASAC Contact	

Recent Milestones:

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Upcoming Milestones:

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Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

Other News:

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**NASM** – National Association of Schools of Music  
<https://nasm.arts-accredit.org/>

IWU Programs Accredited	BA in Music BS in Music Education Indiana Wesleyan Music Academy BA in Music Therapy Bachelor of Music in Composition (BMus) Bachelor of Music in Performance (BMus)
Primary IWU Contact	Michael Flanagin(Division Chair)
	michael.flanagin@indwes.edu; x2564
Secondary IWU Contact	
Status	Accredited in good standing
Initial Accreditation	September 1, 1994
Most Recent Reaffirmation	2010
Next Visit	March 18-20, 2020
NASM Contact	

Recent Milestones:

- Michael Flanagin attended NASM conferences in Dallas, Scottsdale and Washington, D.C. He attended sessions on creating the self-study in two of those conferences.

Upcoming Milestones:

- Mock visit March 27-29, 2019. Dr. Calvin Hofer from Colorado Mesa University will be visiting on NASM’s behalf.
- Self study will be submitted by February 18, 2020, in support of the re-accreditation visit March 18-20, 2020.

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

Other News:

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**NLN – National League for Nursing**

[http://www.nln.org/accreditation-services/the-nln-commission-for-nursing-education-accreditation-\(cnea\)/overview](http://www.nln.org/accreditation-services/the-nln-commission-for-nursing-education-accreditation-(cnea)/overview)

IWU Programs Accredited	The Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree was accredited by NLN from 1976 to 2000. After 2000, nursing programs are accredited by CCNE.
Primary IWU Contact	Barbara Ihrke (VPAA School of Nursing)
	Barbara.ihrke@indwes.edu; x2813
Secondary IWU Contact	
Status	none
Initial Accreditation	1976
Most Recent Reaffirmation	
Next Visit	
NLN Contact	

Recent Milestones:

Upcoming Milestones:

Licensure:

- Is accreditation required for graduates to sit for any licensure?
- If so, what license and what is the licensing agency(s)?

Other News:

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