

## U.S. Department of Education Office of Postsecondary Education

#### NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONAL QUALITY AND INTEGRITY (NACIQI)

July 27-29, 2021

9:00AM - 5:00PM EST

#### **WebEx Virtual Platform Links for Public Attendees**

Participant Access Link for Tuesday, July 27, 2021:

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## Tuesday, July 27, 2021 9:00AM

Welcome and Introductions George Alan Smith | NACIQI Executive Director

Arthur E. Keiser | NACIQI Chairperson

Administration Policy Update Michelle Asha Cooper | Acting Assistant Secretary,

Office of Postsecondary Education

Accreditor Dashboards Presentation Brian Fu | Program and Management Analyst, Office of

Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development

Link to Accreditor Dashboards:

https://sites.ed.gov/naciqi/files/2021/07/Dashboards 2

0210712.pdf

Link to Accreditor Data File:

https://sites.ed.gov/naciqi/files/2021/07/Institutional-

Performance-by-Accreditor 2021-07-12.xlsx

*Third-Party Commenters:* 

Ms. Alejandra Acosta, New America Ms. Amy Laitinen, New America Student Success Subcommittee David A. Eubanks | Subcommittee Chairperson

*Third-Party Commenter:* 

Dr. Bernard Fryshman, Association of Advanced

Rabbinical and Talmudic Schools

Standard Review Procedures Overview Arthur E. Keiser | NACIQI Chairperson

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## **Order of Accrediting Agency Reviews**

#### Renewal of Recognition:

American Psychological Association, Commission on Accreditation (APA)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Mary Ellen Petrisko

Roslyn Clark Artis

**Department Staff:** Stephanie McKissic

**Agency Representatives:** Georita Frierson, PhD, Chairperson, APA; Dean, School

of Arts, Sciences and Education, D'Youville College

Jacqueline Remondet Wall, PhD, Director, Office of Program Consultation and Accreditation, APA

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12:00PM – 12:45PM LUNCH

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#### **Renewal of Recognition:**

Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Kathleen Sullivan Alioto

David A. Eubanks

**Department Staff:** Reha Mallory

**Agency Representatives:** Dr. Michale S. McComis, Executive Director, ACCSC

Karen Marcinski, Director of Member Services, ACCSC

Jennifer Bergeron, Chair of the Commission, ACCSC

Joanne Wenzel, Vice-Chair of the Commission, ACCSC

*Third-Party Commenters:* 

Mr. Michael Itzkowitz, Third Way

Mr. William Hubbard, Veterans Education Success

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#### **Renewal of Recognition:**

### Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools (ABHES)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Ronnie Booth

Jennifer Blum

**Department Staff:** Elizabeth Daggett

**Agency Representatives:** India Tips, Executive Director, ABHES

Amy Rowe, Associate Executive Director of Membership

Services, ABHES

Dr. Thomas Kenny, Chairperson, ABHES

## Wednesday, July 28, 2021 9:00AM

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American Bar Association, Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar (ABA)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Paul LeBlanc

Jennifer Blum

**Department Staff:** Nicole S. Harris

**Agency Representatives:** Scott Bales, Council Chair, ABA Section of Legal

Education and Admissions to the Bar and Chief Justice

of the Arizona Supreme Court (Retired)

William E. Adams, Jr., Managing Director of

Accreditation and Legal Education, ABA Section of Legal

Education and Admissions to the Bar

Stephanie Giggetts, Deputy Managing Director, ABA Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar

Kristen M. Winek, Accreditation Counsel, ABA Section of

Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar

*Third-Party Commenter:* 

Mr. William Hubbard, Veterans Education Success

**Renewal of Recognition:** 

Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools, Accreditation Commission (TRACS)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Steven VanAusdle

**Robert Mayes** 

**Department Staff:** Mike Stein

**Agency Representatives:** Dr. James L. Flanagan, Chair, TRACS Accreditation

Commission; President, Luther Rice College and

Seminary

Dr. Benson M. Karanja, Vice-Chair, TRACS Accreditation Commission; President, Beulah Heights University

Dr. Timothy W. Eaton, President, TRACS

Dr. Ronald D. Cannon, COO/Vice President, Institutional

Compliance, TRACS

Dr. Tanmay Pramanik, Vice President, Institutional

Compliance, TRACS

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## 12:00PM – 12:45PM LUNCH

#### **Renewal of Recognition:**

#### **Council on Occupational Education (COE)**

NACIQI Primary Readers: Jill Derby

**Robert Mayes** 

**Department Staff:** Elizabeth Daggett

**Agency Representatives:** Dr. Lois Gackenheimer, Chairperson COE; President,

Academy for Nursing and Health Occupations

Robert Aguis, Vice Chairperson, COE; Director,

Marchman Technical College

Dr. Gary Puckett, Executive Director, COE

Cindy Sheldon, Deputy Director, COE

#### **Renewal of Recognition:**

Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools (ATS)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Wallace Boston

**Robert Shireman** 

**Department Staff:** Nicole S. Harris

**Agency Representatives:** Frank M. Yamada, Executive Director, ATS

Tom Tanner, Director of Accreditation, ATS

Stephen R. Graham, Strategic Director of Context and

Continuity, ATS

# Thursday, July 29, 2021 9:00AM

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Accreditation Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (ACAOM)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Claude Pressnell

Robert Shireman

**Department Staff:** Charity Helton

**Agency Representatives:** Mark S. McKenzie, Lac, PhD (China), MSOM, Executive

Director, ACAOM

Marnae C. Ergil, Lac, DACM, Chairperson, ACAOM

Karl Gauby, PhD, JD, Director of Reg. Affairs, ACAOM

*Third-Party Commenters:* 

Ms. Abigail Seldin, Seldin/Haring-Smith Foundation Ms. Ellie Bruecker, Seldin/Haring-Smith Foundation

#### **Renewal of Recognition:**

American Osteopathic Association, Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation (AOACOCA)

NACIQI Primary Readers: Wallace Boston

Anne Neal

**Department Staff:** Karmon Simms-Coates

**Agency Representatives:** 

David Forstein, DO, FACOOG, Chairperson, AOACOCA; Provost and Professor of OB/GYN, Rocky Vista University

Joshua Prober, JD, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, AOACOCA

Wambui Wang'ombe, Associate Vice President, Operations and Accreditation, AOACOCA

Daniel Mendelson, MS, CAE, Director, Accreditation, AOACOCA

Third-Party Commenters:
Ms. Alejandra Acosta, New America
Ms. Amy Laitinen, New America

**NACIQI Policy Discussion** 

Arthur E. Keiser | NACIQI Chairperson

Third-Party Commenter:

Mr. William Hubbard, Veterans Education Success

Adjournment

Arthur E. Keiser | NACIQI Chairperson