



August 29, 2024

Christine Shanaberger
Assistant Provost for Academic Planning & Accreditation
Willamette University
900 State Street
Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Ms. Shanaberger,

This is to certify that the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as an authority on the educational quality and institutional effectiveness of higher education institutions throughout the United States, with member institutions located in Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, and Washington. The Commission also recognizes higher education institutions internationally, including Canada.

This letter serves to verify that Willamette University located in Salem, Oregon has been accredited continuously by NWCCU since receiving initial accreditation on April 8, 1924. NWCCU accredits Willamette University at the baccalaureate, master, and doctoral degree levels. The Commission most recently reaffirmed the accreditation of the institution in Fall 2019 on the basis of a Mission Fulfillment and Sustainability evaluation. The institution's next comprehensive evaluation review is scheduled for Fall 2026.

The institutional accreditation of Willamette University includes all of its educational offerings, and the following locations:

- Main Campus located at 900 State Street, Salem, Oregon 97301
- Pacific Northwest College of Art - Arlene & Harold Schnitzer Center for Art & Design located at 511 NW Broadway, Portland, Oregon 97209
- PNCA Glass Building located at 2139 N Kerby Ave, Portland, Oregon 97209
- Graduate and Professional Center located at 721 NW 9th Ave, Portland, Oregon 97209

Please contact me if you have questions regarding the institution's accredited status with the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

Sincerely,

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