

From: Shane Degarmo <sdegarmo@regents.state.oh.us>
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2013 5:41 PM
To: Matthew Huckaby
Subject: RE: Arkansas State University
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Dear Matthew:

Thank you for your inquiry. Online programs that contain on-ground components would require the Chancellor's authorization if the on-ground component will be completed in Ohio. Based on your message, the programs you mentioned would need to be approved if students are going to complete such on-ground components within the state. Attached is the form the university may use to request approval to offer on-ground components within the state. Please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Shane

From: Matthew Huckaby [mhuckaby@astate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 02, 2013 3:13 PM
To: Shane Degarmo
Subject: Arkansas State University

Greetings:

Arkansas State University-Jonesboro (ASU) is currently updating records in regards to offering distance education programs (EdS-Educational Leadership, MSE- Theory and Practice, MSE- Educational Leadership/Principalship, MSE- Curriculum and Instruction, MSE- Special Education p-4, MSE – Special Education 4-12, MPA, MS-Sport Administration, MS- College Student Personnel, and a BS –Interdisciplinary Studies) in the state of Ohio via on-line delivery. Accordingly, all coursework for our programs is offered completely online; the university will not have any kind of physical presence within the state. Most of these programs require that each student identify a mentor or sponsor for the required program internship. This component is overseen by a local school district administrator or relevant entity in your state who mentors the student to relate their learning specifically to your state's educational practices or relative to the curriculum of their program; no university faculty will be present in the state. ASU is a public, four-year university accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

We will not have any type of administrative office in your state.

At least initially, all advertising and recruiting will be through website advertising or e-mail contact. Enrollment and payment will be handled online or via telephone. It is possible that, at some point in the future, we may have a recruiter that would visit your state on occasion.

It is our understanding that no approval, registration, or licensing of our institution or its programs is required by the state of Ohio. Furthermore, our records, through correspondence with your state, indicate that you have not required

us to seek approval in the recent past. I believe this is only accurate for ASU distance education programs which do not have an internship component?

Could you please confirm the above by responding to this email so that we may have a current and accurate record of your state's requirements?

Sincerely,

NOTICE: Payment Deadlines are accelerated and payment is due by the payment deadline of each course. A personal payment is required if your Financial Aid has not disbursed by the payment deadline. **NO EXCEPTIONS GRANTED.**



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