

## STATE AUTHORIZATION FORM

DEAC Standard XII.E. requires that the institution be properly licensed, authorized, exempted, or approved by all applicable state education institutional authorizations (or their equivalent for non-U.S. institutions) and that exemptions from state law be supported by state-issued documentation or in statutory language for that state. Proper state authorization in an institution's state of domicile is a prerequisite for DEAC accreditation and required to maintain accredited status.

This State Authorization Form is intended to be used and submitted with institution's Application for Accreditation, Self-Evaluation Report, and substantive change applications to assure compliance with states' authorization, licensure, and exemption requirements. Institutions should select the appropriate check box next to each relevant state and territory in the United States and include the date the authorization, licensure, or exemption was received or indicate if authorization is still pending and provide the date documentation was submitted. If not applicable, check the appropriate box and provide a brief explanation.

United States and Territories	Licensed	Authorized	Exempt	Pending	Date	Not Applicable	Reason
Alabama							Not enrolling
					N/A	$\boxtimes$	from this state
	Alabama De	etailed Reason:	Enrollmen	t allowed if i	nstitution is	approved thro	ough either - the
	licensure pr	ocess and prog	rammatic a	pproval <b>or</b> t	heir exemp	tion is approve	d by ACHE.
Alaska							Not enrolling
					N/A	$\boxtimes$	from this state
							at this time
		<b>niled Reason:</b> Ex plication fee nee	•		tic, applicat	ion must be ap	proved by ACPE
American Samoa							Not enrolling
					N/A	$\boxtimes$	from this state
							at this time
Arizona							No
							authorization
	Ιп	П	$\square$	П	N/A	П	required for
					14//1		out-of-state
							distance
							education

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Arkansas					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
		etailed Reason: paid, and an ex			proved by	ADHE, the appl	ication fee
California	⊠ ⊠				1996		Located in and Licensed to operate in California
Colorado			☒		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education
Connecticut					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
		t Detailed Reas				-	-
Delaware					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
	Delaware D	etailed Reason	: Must appl	y for an Ope	erating Licer	ise and be appi	
District of Columbia					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
	DC Detailed	<b>l Reason:</b> Applio	cation must	be approve	d for condit	ional exemptio	n or exclusion.
Florida			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education
Georgia					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time
	Georgia De	tailed Reason: /	Authorizatio	on and vario	us fees are	required.	
Guam					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
Hawaii			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education

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Idaho			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education	
Illinois			×		N/A		No Authorization Needed 7 24 2025	
	Illinois Deta		stitution m	ust complet	e the Distan	ce Education A	application Form	
Indiana					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time	
	Indiana Det	ailed Reason: A	Application	form require	ed and vario	us fees are req		
lowa					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time	
	<b>Iowa Detailed Reason:</b> Iowa is Exempt for Authorization requires, if you have no presence in the State (so you do not need to register with Iowa College Aid) - But the University's does have to file financial responsibility application - This filing for financial responsibility includes a requirement for a continuous corporate surety bond made payable to State of Iowa c/o Iowa College Aid							
Kansas					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time	
	Kansas Detailed Reason: Certificate of Approval is required for out- of-state institutions that are "actively soliciting" in Kansas — which we are not. However, the Kansas Board of Regents website does not says explicitly that if a school is not "actively soliciting" in Kansas then it would not require a Certificate of Approval. I emailed them for clarification.							
Kentucky					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time	
	_	etailed Reason us an addition		•	– Must con	nplete applica	ition form and	
Louisiana					N/A		No Authorization Needed as of 7	
Maine			⊠		N/A		SARA Site Says no Authorization Needed 7 24 2025	

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Maryland					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	_	etailed Reason n and additior	•	•					
Massachusetts			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education		
Michigan					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	_	etailed Reason oth an applicat		•		tion must sen	d application		
Minnesota					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	form for ex	Minnesota Detailed Reason: Registration required. Institution must send application form for exemptions and at least an annual fee (this is the SARA fee cost - it did not list a Non-SARA fee).							
Mississippi					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	Mississippi Detailed Reason: Exempt only if - institution sends letter to MCCA to say "Name of Institution located at Legal Mailing Address has reviewed the conditions which would cause it to be required by the State of Mississippi's Commission on College Accreditation to be authorized. Resultant from this review, Name of Institution stipulates that is engages in none of the listed activities."								
Missouri					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	Missouri Detailed Reason: Exempt only If - institution submits application and an application fee with exemption category (Schools or training programs regulated and approved by other state agencies) and supporting documents - if exemption is approved - a notification letter will be provided that verifies MDHEWD action to exempt the school.								
Montana					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
		etailed Reason a surety bond		•			tion (no fees required) y-case basis).		

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Nebraska					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time 7 24 2025		
Nevada					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
		tailed Reason: l	•	•		•	on for Distance		
New Hampshire			×		N/A		No Authorization Needed 7 24 2025		
New Jersey			×		N/A		Must have approval on Home states ETPL List		
New Mexico					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
		o Detailed Reas			•				
New York	application	and fees req	uired, and		N/A	(case-by-case	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
		Detailed Reason or and fees req			•				
North Carolina	⊠				N/A	⊠	Not enrolling from this state at this time 7 24 2025		
North Dakota					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	North Dakota Detailed Reason: Official Out-of-State Exemption Required – Institution must complete an online form to receive an exemption - to be officially granted by the Board.								
N. Marianas Islands					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		

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Territories						Applicable	
Ohio			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state
							distance education. 7 24 2025
Oklahoma					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time 7 24 2025
Oregon					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
	Institution		te the app	lication for	authorizat	ion form, W-9	tion Required – ), program list,
Pennsylvania			×		N/A		No Authorization Needed if no physical presence 7 24 2025
Puerto Rico					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
Rhode Island					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time
		d Detailed Rea			•		s will be ction Category.
South Carolina			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education
South Dakota			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education.

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Tennessee			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education		
Texas			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education		
Utah					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	Filing for Authorization in progress 7 24 2025								
Vermont			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education		
Virginia					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	Virginia Detailed Reason: Certification Required - Without Certification, no postsecondary school/entity shall offer degrees, courses for degree credit, programs of study leading to a degree, or courses for non-degree credit, either at a site or via telecommunications equipment located within the Commonwealth.								
Virgin Islands					N/A	×	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
Washington			×		N/A		No authorization required for out-of-state distance education		

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West Virginia			×		N/A		No Authorization Needed as of 7 24 2025		
	West Virginia Detailed Reason: Unknown - No mention of how State Authorization								
	works on t	heir website t	hat I was a	ble to find	. I emailed	them for clari	ification.		
Wisconsin					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
	Wisconsin [	<b>Detailed Reasor</b>	ո։ Authoriz	ation requ	ired - Befor	e completing	any forms,		
	schools see	eking approva	l should co	ntact the E	EAP and ask	to speak wit	h one of the		
	School Adr	ministration Co	onsultants	. Then com	plete the a	pplication, pa	y fees, surety		
	bond, deta	iled forms abo	out the un	iversity fro	m faculty, բ	programs, bal	ance sheets,		
	Income, ov	vnership, and	employme	ent verifica	tion.				
Wyoming					N/A	$\boxtimes$	Not enrolling from this state at this time		
		etailed Reason form, pay fee		-			lete the		