

# Accreditations

The Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools serves as the accreditor for Florida State University. The University received its first accreditation in 1915. Discipline-specific accrediting agencies and governing bodies grant accreditation to some departments and programs.

<u>College/School/Program</u>	<u>Degree Level</u>	<u>Accrediting Agency</u>
<b>Florida State University</b>	All	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)
<b>College of Applied Studies</b> Nurse Anesthesia	M	Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA)
<b>College of Arts &amp; Sciences</b> Chemistry Computer Science Psychology	B B M,D	American Chemical Society (ACS) Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET The Clinical Psychology doctoral program is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA); The Master's Program in Psychology with a Specialty in Applied Behavior Analysis is accredited by the Association for Behavior Analysis International.
<b>College of Business</b> Business Administration Business Analytics Management Finance Marketing Risk Management/Insurance Real Estate Management Information Systems Accounting	B,M,D B,M,D M B,M B,M B,M B,M B B,M B,M	The College of Business is Accredited by AACSB International, the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, for all its business programs.  Accounting is accredited separately by AACSB from the general college accreditation
<b>College of Communication and Information</b> Communication Disorders  Information	M  M	Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech/ Language Pathology (CAA) American Library Association (ALA)
<b>College of Education</b> Combined Program in Counseling Psychology & School Psychology Career Counseling & Mental Health Counseling  School Psychology	  D S  S	American Psychological Association (APA) Council for Accreditation of Counseling & Related Educational Programs (CACREP) National Association of School Psychologists (NASP)
<b>College of Engineering</b> Civil Engineering Electrical Engineering Mechanical Engineering Industrial Engineering Computer Engineering Chemical Engineering	B B B B B B	These bachelor's degree programs at the College of Engineering are accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, Inc., <a href="http://www.abet.org">http://www.abet.org</a>
<b>College of Fine Arts</b> Dance Interior Architecture and Design  Studio Art Art Education	B,M B,M  B,M B,M,D	National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD) The bachelor's program is accredited by both Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA) and National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD). The master's program is accredited by National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD). National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD) National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD), and American Art Therapy Association (AATA)

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<b>College of Fine Arts, continued</b>		
Art History	B,M,D	National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD)
Theatre	B,M,D	National Association of Schools of Theatre (NAST)
<b>College of Human Sciences</b>		
Dietetics	B,M	Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition & Dietetics (ACEND)
Athletic Training/Sports Medicine	B	Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE)*
Marriage & Family Therapy	D	Commission on Accreditation for Marriage & Family Therapy Education (COAMFTE)
<b>College of Law</b>	P	American Bar Association (ABA)
<b>College of Medicine</b>	P	Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) of the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC), and the American Medical Association (AMA)
Residency Programs	Residency	Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)
Physician Assistant	M	Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) (preliminary)
<b>College of Music</b>		
Music	B,M,D	National Association of Schools of Music
Music Therapy	B,M	American Music Therapy Association (AMTA) & National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)
Music Education	B,M,D	National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)
<b>College of Nursing</b>	B,M,D	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
<b>College of Social Sciences &amp; Public Policy</b>		
Public Administration	M	Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs, and Administration (NASPAA)
Urban & Regional Planning	M	Planning Accreditation Board (PAB)
Public Health	M	Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)
<b>College of Social Work</b>	B,M	Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

KEY: B = Accredited Bachelor's program  
S = Accredited Specialist program

M = Accredited Master's program  
P = Accredited Professional program

D = Accredited Doctoral program

\*CAATE is transitioning to accrediting only master's programs. The Athletic Training Program will continue as an undergraduate program and, therefore, will not be eligible for CAATE accreditation. The university will teach out the students who entered under CAATE accreditation. The accreditation will expire when the current cycle ends on August 1, 2019.

*Source: Office of the Provost*