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TO:	U.S. Department of Education State Departments of Education Accrediting Agencies Other Interested Parties
FROM:	Accrediting Council for Continuing Education & Training (ACCET)
SUBJECT:	Solicitation of Commentary – Institutions under Consideration for ACCET Accreditation at the December 2017 and April 2018 Commission Meetings
DATE:	August 31, 2017

The institutions listed below have applied and are scheduled for either initial accreditation or reaccreditation review by the Accrediting Council for Continuing Education & Training (ACCET). As part of the accreditation process, a check is made with State Departments of Education, accrediting bodies, and other interested parties that might have information concerning the educational services, business ethics, and general reputation of the applicant schools.

If you have any such information that would be helpful to the Application Review Committee and the Accrediting Commission as they consider these institutions, we would appreciate hearing from you by November 15, 2017 for institutions under consideration in December 2017 and March 15, 2018 for those under consideration for the April 2018. Thank you for your cooperation and interest. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Hendrickson, Deputy Executive Director, by phone at 955-1113, ext. 101 or by e-mail at [jhendrickson@accet.org](mailto:jhendrickson@accet.org).

**The institutions below will be considered for a grant of initial accreditation at the December 2017 Commission meeting<sup>1</sup>:**

1. Berlitz Orlando (1501), Orlando, FL (avocational/non-title IV)
2. Branford Hall (1507), Branford, CT (branches in Southington, CT; Amityville, NY; Bohemia, NY) (vocational/title IV)
3. Brightwood Career Institute (1523), Broomall, PA (vocational/title IV)
4. Brightwood Career Institute (1522), Philadelphia Mills, PA (vocational/title IV)
5. Brightwood Career Institute (1528), Pittsburgh, PA (vocational/title IV)
6. Brightwood Career Institute (1529), Harrisburg, PA (branch in Philadelphia, PA) (vocational/title IV)
7. Brightwood College (1530), Dayton, OH (vocational/title IV)
8. Brightwood College (1534), Las Vegas, NV (vocational/title IV)

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<sup>1</sup> In most instances, for ACICS-accredited institutions seeking initial accreditation with ACCET, the main campuses will be visited in the December 2017 review cycle, with the branch campuses visited in the April 2018 cycle.

9. Brightwood College (1532), Baltimore, MD (vocational/title IV)
10. Brightwood College (1516), Beltsville, MD (vocational/title IV)
11. Brightwood College (1531), Towson, MD (vocational/title IV)
12. Brightwood College (1536), North Hollywood, CA (branch in Riverside, CA) (vocational/title IV)
13. Brightwood College (1520), Hammond, IN (branch in Indianapolis, IN) (vocational/title IV)
14. Brightwood College (1518), Vista, CA (branch in Palm Springs, CA) (vocational/title IV)
15. Brightwood College (1517), San Pedro, TX (branches in Corpus Christi, TX; McAllen, TX; and Fort Worth, TX) (vocational/title IV)
16. Brightwood College (527), El Paso, TX (branch in Brownsville, TX) (vocational/title IV)
17. Brightwood College (1526), Houston, TX (branch in Friendswood, TX) (vocational/title IV)
18. Brightwood College (1524), Ingram, TX (branches in Beaumont, TX and Laredo, TX) (vocational/title IV)
19. Brightwood College (1538), Sacramento, CA (branch in Bakersfield, CA) (vocational/title IV)
20. Brightwood College (1535), San Diego, CA (branch in Chula Vista, CA) (vocational/title IV)
21. Brightwood College (1537), Modesto, CA (branch in Fresno, CA) (vocational/title IV)
22. Brightwood College (1525), Dallas, TX (branch in Arlington, TX) (vocational/title IV)
23. Brightwood College (1533), Nashville, TN (branch in Charlotte, NC) (vocational/title IV)
24. Colegio Tecnológico y Comercial de Puerto Rico (1515), Aguado, PR (vocational/title IV)
25. Consolidated School of Business (1512), York, PA (vocational/title IV)
26. Golden State College of Court Reporting (1505), Pleasanton, CA (vocational/title IV)
27. Harris School of Business (1508), Cherry Hill, NJ (branches in Melbourne, FL; Linwood, NJ; Danbury, CT; Upper Darby, PA) (vocational/title IV)
28. IATA Training and Development Institute (1492), Montreal, CA (branch in Miami, FL) (vocational/non-title IV)
29. Institute of Business and Technology (1541) (branches in San Antonio, TX and Citrus Heights, CA) (vocational/title IV)
30. Ivy E & E (1496), Wheeling, IL (vocational/non-title IV)
31. Metro Business College (1513) Cape Girardeau, MO (branches in Jefferson City, MO and Rolla, MO) (vocational/title IV)
32. National Industrial Training Institute, Al-Hasa, Saudi Arabia (vocational/non-title IV)
33. Professional Golfers Career College (1509), Temecula, CA (branch in Bluffton, SC) (vocational/title IV)
34. Ridley-Lowell Business & Technical Institute (1519), New London, CT (branches in Danbury, CT; Poughkeepsie, NY; and W. Warwick, CT) (vocational/title IV)
35. SAE Institute of Technology (1540), New York, NY (vocational/title IV)
36. SAE Institute of Technology (1521), Miami, FL (vocational/title IV)
37. Saudi Electrical Services Polytechnic (1504), Qatif, Saudi Arabia (branches in Riyadh and Baish-Jazan, Saudi Arabia) (vocational/non-title IV)
38. Southern California Health Institute (1514) (vocational/title IV)
39. The Salter College (1541), West Boylston, MA (branches in Orlando, FL; Malden, MA and Manchester, NH) (vocational/title IV)
40. Virginia College (1539) Birmingham, AL (branches in Lubbock, TX; Knoxville, TN; Montgomery, AL; Biloxi, MS; Jackson, MS; Savannah, GA; Greensboro, NC; Columbus, GA; Augusta, GA; Greenville, SC; Pensacola, FL; Jacksonville, FL; Ft. Pierce, FL; Macon,

GA; Baton Rouge, LA; Mobile, AL; Shreveport, LA; Spartanburg, SC; Chattanooga, TN; Huntsville, AL; Charleston, SC; Birmingham, AL; Richmond, VA; Austin, TX; Tulsa, OK; Columbia, SC; Florence, SC (vocational/title IV)

- Virginia College (1539) - EchoTech, Aurora, CO (vocational/title IV)
- Virginia College (1539) - Golf Academy of America (branches in Myrtle Beach, SC; Phoenix, AZ; San Diego, CA; Orlando, FL; Dallas, TX) (vocational/title IV)

**The institutions below will be considered for a grant of reaccreditation at the December 2017 Commission meeting:**

1. Airstreams Renewables, Inc. (1331), Tehachapi, CA (branches in Fort Blix, TX; Fort Riley, KS; Fort Irwin, CA; Joint Base Lewis-McChord, WA) (vocational/non-title IV)
2. American Fitness and Nutrition Academy (1452), Pasadena, CA (vocational/non-title IV)
3. AOI College of Languages (1454), Irvine, CA (avocational/non-title IV)
4. California College of Communications (1425), Santa Clara, CA (avocational/non-title IV)
5. CCI Training Center (1169), Arlington, TX (branch in Dallas, TX) (vocational/title IV)
6. Dehart Technical School (1440), Modesto, CA (vocational/title IV)
7. GEOS New York Corp dba GEOS Language Plus (990), New York, NY (branches in Boston, MA; Torrance, CA; and Costa Mesa, CA) (avocational/non-title IV)
8. Milan Institute (863), Palm Desert, CA (branch in Amarillo, TX) (vocational/title IV)
9. Phoenix East Aviation (880), Daytona Beach, FL (vocational/non-title IV)
10. RWM Fiber Optics, Inc. (1256), Carson, CA (vocational/title IV)
11. Seacoast Career Schools (982), Sanford, ME (branch in Manchester, NJ) (vocational/title IV)
12. The New English School of English (1338) (Cambridge, MA) (avocational/non-title IV)
13. Zoni Language Centers (1009), Miami Beach, FL (avocational/non-title IV)

**The institutions below will be considered for a grant of initial accreditation at the April 2018 Commission meeting:**

1. Bayyinah, LLC (1500), Houston, TX (avocational/non-title IV)
2. Branford Hall (1507), Branford, CT (branches in Southington, CT; Amityville, NY; Bohemia, NY) (vocational/title IV)
3. Brightwood College (1518) Vista, CA (branch in Palm Springs, CA) (vocational/title IV)
4. Brightwood College (1517), San Pedro, TX (branches in Corpus Christi, TX; McAllen, TX; and Fort Worth, TX) (vocational/title IV)
5. Brightwood College (527), El Paso, TX (branch in Brownsville, TX) (vocational/title IV)
6. Brightwood College (1526), Houston, TX (branch in Friendswood, TX) (vocational/title IV)
7. Brightwood College (1524), Ingram, TX (branches in Beaumont, TX and Laredo, TX) (vocational/title IV)
8. Brightwood College (1536), North Hollywood, CA (branch in Riverside, CA) (vocational/title IV)
9. Brightwood College (1520), Hammond, IN (branch in Indianapolis, IN) (vocational/title IV)
10. Brightwood Career Institute (1529), Harrisburg, PA (branch in Philadelphia, PA) (vocational/title IV)
11. Brightwood College (1538), Sacramento, CA (branch in Bakersfield, CA) (vocational/title IV)

12. Brightwood College (1535), San Diego, CA (branch in Chula Vista, CA) (vocational/title IV)
13. Brightwood College (1537), Modesto, CA (branch in Fresno, CA) (vocational/title IV)
14. Brightwood College (1525), Dallas, TX (branch in Arlington, TX) (vocational/title IV)
15. Brightwood College (1533), Nashville, TN (branch in Charlotte, NC) (vocational/title IV)
16. Gradalis Waldorf Consulting & Services, LLC, Holliday, UT (vocational/non-title IV)
17. Harris School of Business (1508), Cherry Hill, NJ (branches in Melbourne, FL; Linwood, NJ; Danbury, CT; Upper Darby, PA) (vocational/title IV)
18. Institute of Clinical Pastoral Training dba The Association of Certified Christian Chaplains (1510), North Miami Beach, FL (vocational/non-title IV)
19. Metro Business College (1513) Cape Girardeau, MO (branches in Jefferson City, MO and Rolla, MO) (vocational/title IV)
20. Ridley-Lowell Business & Technical Institute (1519), New London, CT (branches in Danbury, CT; Poughkeepsie, NY; and W. Warwick, CT) (vocational/title IV)
21. Saudi Electrical Services Polytechnic (1504), Qatif, Saudi Arabia (branches in Riyadh and Baish-Jazan, Saudi Arabia) (vocational/non-title IV)
22. The Salter College (1541), West Boylston, MA (branches in Orlando, FL; Malden, MA and Manchester, NH) (vocational/title IV)
23. Virginia College (1539) Birmingham, AL (branches in Lubbock, TX; Knoxville, TN; Montgomery, AL; Biloxi, MS; Jackson, MS; Savannah, GA; Greensboro, NC; Columbus, GA; Augusta, GA; Greenville, SC; Pensacola, FL; Jacksonville, FL; Ft. Pierce, FL; Macon, GA; Baton Rouge, LA; Mobile, AL; Shreveport, LA; Spartanburg, SC; Chattanooga, TN; Huntsville, AL; Charleston, SC; Birmingham, AL; Richmond, VA; Austin, TX; Tulsa, OK; Columbia, SC; Florence, SC (vocational/title IV)
  - Virginia College (1539) - Golf Academy of America (branches in Myrtle Beach, SC; Phoenix, AZ; San Diego, CA; Orlando, FL; Dallas, TX) (vocational/title IV)

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1. Advance English Academy (1449), San Francisco, CA (vocational/non-title IV)
2. Arclabs (1325), Piedmont, SC (branches in Hanahan, SC; Columbia, SC; Houston, TX) (vocational/title IV)
3. Boston School of Modern Languages (1067), Boston, MA (vocational/non-title IV)
4. The Center for Asia-Pacific Exchange (955), Honolulu, HI (vocational/non-title IV)
5. Crescent City School of Gaming & Bartending (727), New Orleans, LA (branches in Gulfport, MS; Robinsonville, MS; and Las Vegas, NV) (vocational/title IV)
6. Diversified Vocational College (228), Los Angeles, CA (branch in Los Angeles, CA) (vocational/title IV)
7. English Language Center (1254), Los Angeles, CA (branch in Santa Barbara, CA) (vocational/non-title IV)
8. Greater Michigan Construction Academy (1456), Midland, MI (branch in Lansing, MI) (vocational/non-title IV)
9. Indiana College of Sports & Medical Massage (1459), Indianapolis, IN (vocational/title IV)
10. InterCoast Colleges (334), Anaheim, CA (branches in West Covina, CA; Riverside, CA; Carson, CA; Rancho Cordova, CA; Fairfield, CA) (vocational/title IV)
11. Prism Career Institute (331), Philadelphia, PA (branches in West Atlantic City, NJ and

- Cherry Hill, NJ) (vocational/title IV)
12. The College of Chicago (1393), Chicago, IL (avocational/non-title IV)
  13. California Career Institute (1316), Garden Grove, CA (vocational/non-title IV)