

# Report of the Commission on Accreditation

National Association of Schools of Music

July 2014

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## NEW MEMBERS

Subsequent to action by the Commission on Accreditation in June 2014, NASM is pleased to welcome the following institutions as new members:

## INSTITUTIONS GRANTED ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

### **Florida Gulf Coast University**

10501 FGCU Boulevard South  
Fort Myers, FL 33965

Cathy Albergo  
Director, School of Music

### **Indiana University, South Bend**

1700 Mishawaka Avenue  
South Bend, IN 46634

Jeffrey Wright  
Coordinator, Program of Music

### **University of North Carolina at Charlotte**

9201 University City Boulevard  
Charlotte, NC 28223

James Grymes  
Interim Chair, Department of Music

### **University of Texas of the Permian Basin**

4901 East University Boulevard  
Odessa, TX 79762

Dan Keast  
Coordinator, Program of Music

## INSTITUTIONS GRANTED MEMBERSHIP

### **Lynchburg College**

1501 Lakeside Drive  
Lynchburg, VA 24501

Oeida Hatcher  
Chair, Department of Music

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**Utah Valley University**  
800 West University Parkway  
Orem, UT 84058

Donna Fairbanks  
Chair, Department of Music

**Formal Commission Report.** The official report of actions taken by the NASM Commission on Accreditation at its meetings of June 2014 begins on the following page.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF MUSIC  
**REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION**

**Dan Dressen, Chair**

**Michael D. Wilder, Associate Chair**

**June 2014**

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted Associate Membership:

**Florida Gulf Coast University**  
**Indiana University, South Bend**  
**University of North Carolina at Charlotte**  
**University of Texas of the Permian Basin**

Progress Reports were accepted from three (3) institutions recently granted Associate Membership.

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted Membership:

**Clafin University**  
**Lynchburg College**  
**Morehouse College**  
**University of Arkansas at Fort Smith**  
**Utah Valley University**

Action was deferred on four (4) institutions applying for Membership.

Progress Reports were accepted from five (5) institutions and acknowledged from one (1) institution recently granted Membership.

One (1) application was cancelled.

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After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were continued in good standing:

**American University**  
**Baylor University**  
**Bluffton University**  
**Brevard College**  
**California State University, San Bernardino**  
**Central Washington University**  
**College of Saint Benedict/Saint John's University**  
**Delta State University**  
**East Central University**  
**Eastman School of Music**  
**Florida Atlantic University**  
**Fort Hays State University**  
**Grambling State University**  
**Hiram College**  
**Illinois State University**  
**Kansas State University**  
**Keene State College**  
**Lander University**  
**Lebanon Valley College**  
**Lincoln University**  
**Meredith College**  
**Metropolitan State University of Denver**  
**Midwestern State University**  
**Millersville University of Pennsylvania**  
**Missouri Baptist University**  
**Murray State University**  
**New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary**  
**New World School of the Arts**  
**Oakland University**  
**Pacific Lutheran University**  
**Pittsburg State University**  
**Seton Hill University**  
**Slippery Rock University**

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**Southeastern Oklahoma State University**  
**Southwest Baptist University**  
**Temple University**  
**University of Alaska Fairbanks**  
**University of Arkansas at Little Rock**  
**University of Kansas**  
**University of Michigan**  
**University of Michigan, Flint**  
**University of Nebraska at Kearney**  
**University of New Hampshire**  
**University of North Dakota**  
**University of Oklahoma**  
**University of Wisconsin - Green Bay**  
**University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point**  
**University of Wisconsin - Whitewater**  
**Vanderbilt University**  
**Wayland Baptist University**  
**Webster University**  
**Westminster College**  
**Young Harris University**

Action was deferred on thirty-seven (37) institutions applying for renewal of Membership.

Progress Reports were accepted from seventy (70) institutions and acknowledged from four (4) institutions recently continued in good standing.

One (1) application was deferred for Substantive Change.

A Progress Report was accepted from one (1) institution recently approved for Substantive Change.

Ninety-three (93) programs were granted Plan Approval.

Action was deferred on twenty-nine (29) programs submitted for Plan Approval.

Progress Reports were accepted from six (6) institutions concerning programs recently granted Plan Approval.

Fifteen (15) programs were granted Final Approval for Listing.

Action was deferred on five (5) programs submitted for Final Approval for Listing.

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Progress Reports were accepted from three (3) institutions concerning programs recently granted Final Approval for Listing.

Five (5) institutions were granted second-year postponements for re-evaluation.

One (1) institution was granted a third-year postponement for re-evaluation.

Three (3) institutions were notified regarding failure to pay outstanding invoices.

Fifty-one (51) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2013 Accreditation Audit.

Seventy-nine (79) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2013 Affirmation Statement.

Four (4) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2012-13 HEADS Data Survey.

Twelve (12) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2013-14 HEADS Data Survey.

Twelve (12) institutions were notified regarding successful review of the Supplemental Annual Report.

Two (2) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the Supplemental Annual Report.