Accreditation

Azusa Pacific University (APU) is accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC) (http://www.wscuc.org). APU has numerous professional accreditations, which are listed below:

- The School of Business and Management (https://www.apu.edu/business) is accredited by the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) (http://www.iacbe.org).
- The School of Music (https://www.apu.edu/music) programs are accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music (NASM) (http://nasm.arts-accredit.org).
- The School of Nursing (https://www.apu.edu/nursing) programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) (http://www.ccneaccreditation.org) and the Board of Registered Nursing (BRN) (http://www.rn.ca.gov).
- Azusa Pacific Seminary (https://www.apu.edu/seminary) programs are accredited by the Association of Theological Schools (ATS) (http://www.ats.edu).
- The Art (https://www.apu.edu/vpa/art) and Design (https://www.apu.edu/vpa/design) programs are accredited by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design (NASAD) (http://nasad.arts-accredit.org).
- The Doctor of Physical Therapy program (https://www.apu.edu/dpt) is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) (http://www.capteonline.org/home.aspx).
- The Master of Science in Athletic Training program (https://www.apu.edu/bas/programs/athletic-training-masters) is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE) (http://www.caate.net).
- The Doctor of Psychology program (https://www.apu.edu/psyd) is accredited by the American Psychological Association (APA) (http://www.apa.org).
- The School Psychology program (http://catalog.apu.edu/graduateprofessional/education/school-counseling-psychology) is accredited by the National Association of School Psychologists (NASP) (http://www.nasponline.org).
- The Teacher Education programs (http://catalog.apu.edu/graduateprofessional/education/teacher-education) are accredited by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) (http://www.ctc.ca.gov) and the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), which is transitioning to the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) (http://caepnet.org).

The American Language and Culture Institute (ALCI) (http://catalog.apu.edu/undergraduate/liberal-arts-sciences/american-language-culture-institute) is a member of the American Association of Intensive English Programs (AAIEP) (https://www.englishusa.org).

Azusa Pacific University is approved for the training of veterans under the Veterans’ Bill of Rights. The university is listed with the United States Department of Justice for training of students from foreign countries.

Accreditation documents and information about professional memberships is available in the Office of the Provost and on the provost website (http://www.apu.edu/provost/accreditation).

The transferability of credits earned at Azusa Pacific University is at the discretion of the receiving college, university, or other educational institution. Students considering transferring to any institution should not assume that credits earned in any program of study at Azusa Pacific University will be accepted by the receiving institution. Similarly, the ability of a degree, certificate, diploma, or other academic credential earned at Azusa Pacific University to satisfy an admission requirement of another institution is at the discretion of the receiving institution. Accreditation does not guarantee credentials or credits earned at Azusa Pacific University will be accepted by or transferred to another institution. To minimize the risk of having to repeat coursework, students should contact the receiving institution in advance for evaluation and determination of transferability of credits and/or acceptability of degrees, diplomas, or certificates earned.

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