

Report of the Commission on Accreditation

National Association of Schools of Art and Design

October 2014

NEW MEMBERS

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

INSTITUTIONS GRANTED ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Framingham State University

100 State Street, P.O. Box 9101
Framingham, MA 01701

Brian Bishop
Chair, Department of Art and Music

Indiana University – Purdue University, Fort Wayne

2101 East Coliseum Boulevard
Fort Wayne, IN 46805

John O'Connell
Dean, College for Visual and Performing Arts

Los Angeles Academy of Figurative Art

16926 Saticoy Street
Van Nuys, CA 91406

Maryam Storm
President, Los Angeles Academy of Figurative Art

Utah State University

4000 Old Main Hill
Logan, UT 84322-4000

Laura Gelfand
Head, Department of Art and Design

INSTITUTIONS GRANTED MEMBERSHIP

Dominican University of California

50 Acacia Avenue
San Rafael, CA 94901

Lynn Sondag
Chair, Department of Art, Art History, and Design

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Northwest College

231 West Sixth Street
Powell, WY 82435

Elaine DeBuhr
Program of Art

State University of New York, Fredonia

217 Rockefeller Arts Center
Fredonia, NY 14063

Elizabeth Lee
Department of Visual Arts and New Media

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

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF ART AND DESIGN
REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION

William J. Mowder, *Chair*

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

**Framingham State University
Indiana University – Purdue University, Fort Wayne
Los Angeles Academy of Figurative Art
Utah State University**

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

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

**Central Michigan University
Dominican University of California
Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Columbus
Northwest College
Paris College of Art
Southeastern Louisiana University
State University of New York, Fredonia**

Action was deferred on eight (8) institutions applying for Membership.

A progress report was accepted from one (1) institution and acknowledged from two (2) institutions recently granted Membership.

An application was cancelled for one (1) institution applying for Membership.

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

**Anderson University (South Carolina)
Art Academy of Cincinnati
Ball State University
California State University, San Bernardino
Converse College
Drake University**

Francis Marion University
Hartwick College
Herron School of Art and Design
Metropolitan State University of Denver
Montana State University Bozeman
New World School of the Arts
Parsons The New School for Design
Ohio State University
Saint Louis Community College at Florissant Valley
Siena Heights University
University of North Texas
University of Texas at Arlington
West Virginia University
Winthrop University

Action was deferred on seventeen (17) institutions applying for renewal of Membership.

Progress reports were accepted from fourteen (14) institutions recently granted renewal of Membership.

Seven (7) applications were approved for Substantive Change.

Action was deferred on one (1) application for Substantive Change.

One hundred and two (102) programs were granted Plan Approval.

Action was deferred on thirty-seven (37) programs submitted for Plan Approval.

Progress reports were accepted from seven (7) institutions and acknowledged from two (2) institutions concerning programs recently granted Plan Approval.

Sixty-two (62) programs were granted Final Approval for Listing.

Action was deferred on twenty-eight (28) programs submitted for Final Approval for Listing.

A progress report was accepted from one (1) institution concerning a program recently granted Final Approval for Listing.

Action was deferred on two (2) applications for Substantial Equivalency.

Four (4) institutions were granted second-year postponements for re-evaluation.

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

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

Progress reports were accepted from four (4) institutions following postponement for re-evaluation.

Two (2) institutions were notified regarding failure to pay dues.

Sixteen (16) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit annual reports.

Southern University and Texas A&M College and the University of Illinois at Chicago voluntarily withdrew from Membership during the 2013-2014 academic year.

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