

National Association of Schools of Art and Design  
**REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION**

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

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institution was granted Membership:

**Arkansas Tech University**

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

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

**Alfred University, New York State College of Ceramics  
Arizona State University (SPPA)  
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo  
Laguna College of Art and Design  
Lesley University College of Art and Design  
Marywood University  
Midwestern State University  
Minneapolis College of Art and Design  
Murray State University  
Old Dominion University  
Paris College of Art  
Pennsylvania College of Art and Design  
University of Alaska Anchorage  
University of Denver  
University of North Alabama  
University of Southern Indiana  
University of Texas at San Antonio  
University of Texas of the Permian Basin  
University of Toledo  
University of Wisconsin – Madison**

Action was deferred on twenty-eight (28) institutions applying for renewal of Membership.

Progress Reports were accepted from nine (9) institutions recently granted renewal of Membership.

One (1) Progress Report was acknowledged from an institution recently granted Renewal of Membership.

Four (4) applications were approved for Substantive Change.

Seventy-two (72) programs were granted Plan Approval.

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Action was deferred on forty-three (43) programs submitted for Plan Approval.

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Reports were accepted from five (5) institutions concerning programs recently granted Plan Approval.

Sixty-four (64) programs were granted Final Approval for Listing.

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

Progress Reports were accepted from two (2) institutions concerning programs recently granted Final Approval for Listing.

Two (2) institutions were granted second-year postponements for re-evaluation.

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

Two (2) Progress Reports were accepted from institutions recently granted postponement for re-evaluation.

Two (2) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2017-18 Accreditation Audit.

Two (2) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2017-18 Affirmation Statement.

Two (2) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2017-18 HEADS Data Survey.

Plymouth State University and Mount Ida College withdrew from Membership during the 2017-2018 academic year.