

## Accrediting Bodies or Entities Accrediting Temple University Programs

Temple University is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, an institutional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). Additionally, Temple has numerous academic programs accredited or recognized by external professional organizations.

**Accreditors recognized by CHEA or USDE<sup>1</sup>:**

***Organizations identified by (●) are recognized; (\*) indicates the accrediting organization was formerly recognized.***

Accreditor	CHEA Recognition Status	USDE Recognition Status	Accredited Program(s)	Academic Year/Term for next visit
Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics Academy of Nutrition and Diabetes (ACEND)	*	●	Master of Public Health (MPH) in Nutrition	2029-2030
Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)	●	●	Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) in Pharmacy	2032-2033
Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA)	●		Master of Medical Science, Physician Assistant Program	Fall 2029
Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications (ACEJMC)	●	*	Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Journalism	Fall 2026
American Occupational Therapy Association, Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE)	●	●	Doctorate of Occupational Therapy	2031-2032
American Physical Therapy Association, Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)	●	●	Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)	Fall 2025
American Podiatric Medical Association, Council on Podiatric Medical Education (CPME)	●	●	School of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)	Fall 2030
American Psychological Association, Commission on Accreditation (APA)	●	●	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Clinical Psychology</li> <li>- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in School Psychology</li> <li>- Tuttleman Counseling Services Internship Program</li> </ul>	Fall 2035 (Clinical Psychology) 2030-2031 (School Psychology)

<sup>1</sup> Recognition status as of May 20, 2026 as reflected on the Council for Higher Education Accreditation website ([CHEA- and USDE-Recognized Accrediting Organizations | Council for Higher Education Accreditation](#))

Association for Behavioral Analysis International Accreditation Board (ABAI) <i>(pursuing accreditation)</i>	●		M.Ed. Applied Behavioral Analysis <i>(pursuing accreditation)</i>	
Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)	●		Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management (BSHIM)  Master of Science in Health Informatics (MSHI)	2032-2033
Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)	●	*	Bachelor of Science in Recreational Therapy (BSRT)	2032-2033
Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE)	●		Master of Science in Athletic Training (MSAT)	2027-2028
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)	*	●	- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) - Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)	Fall 2031 (BSN) Fall 2026 (DNP)
Commission on Dental Accreditation American Dental Association (CODA)		●	Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD) All post-doctoral certificate programs: - Advanced Education in General Dentistry - Dental Public Health - Endodontics - Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery - Orthodontics - Periodontics - Prosthodontics	2025-2026 (DMD) 2025-2026 (Advanced Ed in General Dentistry) 2029-2030 (Dental Public Health) 2025-2026 (Endodontics) 2026-2027 (Oral and Max. Surgery) 2025-2026(Orthodontics) 2025-2026 (Periodontics) 2025-2026 (Prosthodontics)
Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar American Bar Association, (ABA)		●	Beasley School of Law (JD)	2028-29
Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA)	●	●	Master of Arts (M.A.) in Speech, Language and Hearing Science	2032
Council on Education for		●	College of Public Health (not	2029-2030

Public Health (CEPH)			program-specific)	
Council on Social Work Education Commission on Accreditation (CSWE)	●	*	Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) Master of Social Work (MSW)	2031-2032 (BSW) 2031-2032 (MSW)
Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)	●	●	Professional Science Masters (P.S.M.) in Medical Dosimetry ( <i>pursuing accreditation</i> )	
Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board American Society of Landscape Architects (LAAB)	●	*	Bachelor of Science in Landscape Architecture (BSLA) Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA)	2027-2028
Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME)		●	Lewis Katz School of Medicine (not program-specific)	2032-2033
National Architectural Accrediting Board, Inc.	●		Master of Architecture	2031-2032
National Association of School Psychologists (NASP)	●		Educational Specialist (Ed.S.) in School Psychology Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in School Psychology	2030-2031 (Ed.S.) 2023-2033 (Ph.D.)
National Association of Schools of Art and Design Commission on Accreditation (NASAD)	*	●	Tyler School of Art: (Art and Design Programs)	2033-2034
National Association of Schools of Dance, Commission on Accreditation (NASD)	*	●	Boyer College of Music and Dance (Dance Programs)	2025-2026
National Association of Schools of Music, Commission on Accreditation (NASM)	*	●	Boyer College of Music and Dance (Music Programs)	2032-2033
National Association of Schools of Theatre, Commission on Accreditation (NAST)	*	●	School of Theater, Film and Media Arts (Theater Programs)	2028-2029
Planning Accreditation Board (PAB)	●		Master of Science (M.S.) in City and Regional Planning	2025-2026

Psychological Clinical Science Accreditation System (PCSAS)	•		Doctor of Philosophy in Clinical Psychology	
The University Council of Jamaica	• (CHEA International Quality Group)		- Master of Education (M.Ed.) in Educational Leadership - Doctor of Education (Ed.D) in Educational Leadership	

**Additional accreditors previously recognized by CHEA, USDE or both and not currently recognized by either group:**

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The Association to Advance Collegiate School of Business (AACSB)			<p>Fox School of Business (all programs)</p> <p>The following are considered “out of scope” for AACSB:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Graduate certificate programs</li> <li>- PhD Decision Neuroscience</li> <li>- MS Business Analytics</li> <li>- MS Decision Neuroscience</li> <li>- MS Statistics &amp; Data Science</li> <li>- MS Business Research &amp; Management</li> <li>- MS Statistics</li> <li>- MS Taxation</li> <li>- BS Statistical Science &amp; Data Analytics</li> <li>- All undergraduate certificate programs</li> </ul>	2030-31
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Bioengineering</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Construction Engineering Technology</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Engineering</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Facilities Management</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Industrial &amp; Systems Engineering</li> </ul>	2029-2030 (Civil, Bioengineering, Mechanical, Environmental)

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**Additional agencies or accreditors recognizing Temple programs:**

<b>Accreditor</b>	<b>Accredited/Recognized Program(s)</b>
American Chemical Society	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Chemistry</li> <li>- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Chemistry</li> <li>- Master of Science (M.S.) in Chemistry</li> <li>- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Chemistry</li> </ul>
American Music Therapy Association (AMTA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bachelor of Music (B.M.) Music Therapy</li> <li>- Master of Music Therapy (M.M.T.) in Music Therapy</li> <li>- Doctor of Philosophy in Music Therapy</li> </ul>
ArbNet Arboretum Accreditation Program	Ambler Campus Arboretum
Association for Assessment and Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care International (AAALAC)	Temple University (all animal laboratory facilities)
Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH)	College of Public Health
Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards (CFP Board)	Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) in Financial Planning
Committee on Accreditation of Recreational Therapy (CARTE; works with CAAHEP)	Bachelor of Science in Recreational Therapy (BSRT)
Commission on Public Relations Education (CPRE; works with ACEJMC)	Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Public Relations
International Facility Management Association (IFMA; works with ABET)	Bachelor of Science in Facilities Management
National Athletic Trainer's Association (NATA; works with CAATE)	Master of Science in Athletic Training (MSAT)
Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE)	A list of Temple programs leading to PDE teacher certification is available <a href="#">here</a> . The Master of Arts (M.A.) in Speech Language and Hearing also has PDE recognition
National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA)	Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Exercise and Sport Science
Pennsylvania State Board of Nursing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)</li> <li>- Doctor of Nursing Practice (Concentrations in Family-Individual Across the Lifespan or Adult-Gerontology Primary Care)</li> </ul>
Society of Actuaries (SOA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) in Actuarial Science</li> <li>- Master of Science (M.S.) in Actuarial Science</li> </ul>
University/Resident Theater Association (URTA)	School of Theater, Film and Media Arts (not program-specific)