

# ACCREDITATION

Wayne State University as a whole is accredited as a doctoral degree-granting institution by the regional accrediting agency:

The Higher Learning Commission  
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Chicago, Illinois 60604-1411  
telephone: 800-621-7440.

In addition, many specific programs and curricula are accredited individually by specialized or professional accrediting agencies. A report is produced annually for the Board of Governors which designates the accrediting agencies of the University's programs; the report is available from the Office of the Provost (<https://provost.wayne.edu/apr/accreditations>). The principal accreditation agencies are as follows:

## Mike Ilitch School of Business

BS and BA, MBA, MS in Taxation, MS in Accounting, and PhD:  
*Accreditation Council of AACSB International – The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB)*

## Education

Art Therapy Program: *American Art Therapy Association*

Counseling (graduate only): *Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP)*

School Psychology, MA and Graduate Certificate: *National Association of School Psychologists*

Rehabilitation Counseling and Community Inclusion (graduate only): *Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP)*

Teacher Education Programs: *Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP)*

## Engineering

Division of Engineering (undergraduate): B.S. degrees in Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Industrial Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering: *Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology, Inc. (ABET, Inc.) Engineering Accreditation Commission*

Division of Engineering Technology (undergraduate): B.S. degrees in Electrical/Electronic Engineering Technology and Mechanical Engineering Technology: *Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology, Inc. (ABET, Inc.) Technology Accreditation Commission*

Computer Science (undergraduate): B.S. degree in Computer Science: *Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology, Inc. (ABET, Inc.) Computing Accreditation Commission*

## Fine, Performing And Communication Arts

Communication (B.A. in Public Relations): *The Public Relations Society of America, Inc. (PRSA)*

Dance: *National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD)*

Music: *National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)*

Theatre: *National Association of Schools of Theatre (NAST)*

## Information Sciences

MLIS: *American Library Association (ALA)*

## Law

*American Bar Association (ABA) and Association of American Law Schools (AALS) (Joint Committee)*

## Liberal Arts and Sciences

B.S. in Chemistry: *American Chemical Society (ACS)*

B.S. in Biochemistry and Chemical Biology: *American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology*

Communication Sciences and Disorders (Doctor of Audiology and M.A. in Speech Language Pathology): *American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology*

Nutrition and Food Science (Coordinated Program in Dietetics): *Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics*

Political Science (Master of Public Administration): *Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs and Administration (NASPAA)*

Psychology (Clinical Training Program): *American Psychological Association (APA)*

Urban Planning (Master of Urban Planning): *Planning Accreditation Board (PAB)*

## Medicine

Continuing Medical Education: *Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME)*

Doctor of Medicine Degree Program (M.D.): *Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME), representing the American Medical Association and the Association of American Medical Colleges*

Genetic Counseling (Master of Science in Genetic Counseling): *Accreditation Council of Genetic Counseling*

Graduate Medical Education Programs, Affiliated Hospitals' Resident Physician Programs: *Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)*

Master of Public Health: *Council on Education for Public Health*

Medical Physics/Radiation Oncology: *Commission on Accreditation of Medical Physics Educational Programs, Inc.*

## Nursing

Nursing (Baccalaureate programs, M.S.N., and D.N.P.): *Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)*

Nurse-Midwifery Program: *Accreditation Commission for Midwifery Education (ACME) and Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)*

## Eugene Applebaum College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Clinical Laboratory Science: *National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)*

Mortuary Science: *American Board of Funeral Service Education, Inc. (ABFSE)*

Nurse Anesthesia: *Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA)*

Occupational Therapy: *American Council on Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE)*

Pathologists' Assistant Program: *National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)*

Pharmacy (Doctor of Pharmacy): *American Council on Pharmaceutical Education (ACPE)*

Physical Therapy: *Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE), American Physical Therapy Association*

Physician Assistant Program: *Accreditation Review Committee on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc. (ARC-PA)*

Radiation Therapy Technology (undergraduate): *Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)*

Radiologic Technology (undergraduate): *Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)*

## **Social Work**

Bachelor of Social Work and Master of Social Work: *Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)*