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PREFACE

The Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities is the accrediting body established by the Seventh-day Adventist Church to provide coordination, supervision, and quality control to its educational system. The Association is commonly known as the Adventist Accrediting Association and operates under the acronym of “AAA.” The Association serves the thirteen divisions of the world church and is assisted in its work by the divisions’ directors of education and the educational commissions and committees of each division.

Accreditation is a self-regulatory mechanism of the education community and plays a significant role in fostering confidence in the educational enterprise of the church. Accreditation and the self-study process serve to maintain minimum standards, enhance institutional effectiveness, and provide inter-institutional recognition.

Accreditation is concerned principally with the improvement of educational quality in institutions operated by the Seventh-day Adventist Church around the world. Accreditation of an institution by the AAA signifies that the institution has a purpose appropriate to service the educational needs of those in its constituency and has the resources, programs, and services sufficient to accomplish the institution’s goals. The accrediting standards used by the Adventist Accrediting Association make up the Criteria for Accreditation. These criteria are subject to periodic evaluation and provide consistent guidelines for the evaluation of educational institutions.

A key component of the process of accreditation is the self-study. Each institution applying for initial or continuing accreditation is required to conduct a self-study of its philosophy, mission, purpose, programs, and services. At the culmination of the self-study the association conducts an evaluation visit with a team of professional peer evaluators to assess the strengths and weaknesses of the institution and to evaluate the institutions effectiveness in reaching its stated goals and in complying with the criteria. The visiting team will supply the AAA board a written report of their findings and make a recommendation for a term of accreditation to be voted by the Accrediting Association board.

Most institutions included in this directory have full accreditation and the year in which this regular accreditation was first granted is indicated at the bottom of each institutional entry. However, institutions that are presently in candidacy are also included, with a notation indicating that status under the name of the relevant institutions.

When AAA grants candidacy it is recognizing that an institution is in a position to offer accredited programs and that the programs approved are, as far as can be ascertained, likely to be the quality of other similar AAA accredited programs. While receiving institutions always retain the right to decide whether or not they will accept the credits granted by an institution in candidacy, AAA recommends that such credits be accepted for transfer. An institution is normally granted candidacy for a two-year period prior to being considered for regular accreditation.

Prospective students and other interested parties are encouraged to contact directly the institutions listed in this directory for up-to-date information regarding programs, degrees, and costs.

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The following section is an alphabetical descriptive of Seventh-day Adventist colleges and universities that hold current or pending accreditation with the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities. Each listing provides the reader with a brief history, necessary information for direct contact, a listing of certificate, diploma, and degree programs offered, and the professional recognitions of each college or university.
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Website: https://www.atvu.org

Location: Adriatic Union College (AUC) is situated in the northwest of Croatia, about 15 kilometers from the city of Varaždin and about 85 kilometers from Zagreb, the capital of Croatia. The quietness and beauty of the surrounding countryside offers an ideal location for fulfilling the College’s educational philosophy.

History: The Seventh-day Adventist Church in former Yugoslavia established a Union Training School in Belgrade in 1931. The institution was transferred to Zagreb (Croatia) and operated there from 1932 to 1942 when it was closed because of World War II. The Ministerial Training School was re-established at Rakovica, a suburb of the city of Belgrade, in 1955. As urban development increased in the Rakovica area, the school was moved to Maruševec (Croatia) in 1974. Here the Adventist College of Theology together with the Secondary School operated as the Adventist Seminary. In keeping with the academic standards of other educational institutions in the region the Adventist Seminary introduced the full-time, four-year BA in Theology in 1992. Since the formation of the Adriatic Union Conference in 1999, the name of the College was changed to Adriatic Union College. As a part of harmonization with the educational laws of the state, the Croatian name of the college (Adventističko teološko visoko učilište) is currently in the process of being changed to Adventističko teološko učilište.

Educational Program: From the academic year 2007/2008 the College adapted its curriculum to the standards of the European Bologna declaration and now it offers a full-time BA degree in Theology (three years) and a part-time online BA Diploma in Religion formerly taught at an extension site in Zagreb. A BA in Religious Education is not offered currently. During the period 2009-2015 the College received validation from Evangelical Theological Faculty (Osijek) whose state-accredited diploma gave students an opportunity to continue their education at MA level at other educational institutions in the region. The potential renewal of the College’s partnership with ETF is being explored since ETF has recently regained its state accreditation. From 2013 to 2021 Adriatic Union College offered Master of Theological Studies (part-time) in partnership with Friedensau Adventist University (Germany), to meet the needs for continual pastoral education in the Adriatic Union Conference and in the wider region (SEEUC). From this program graduated 19 students.

Student Body Size: 25  
Language of Instruction: Croatian  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:184]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association  
Accredited since 1978
AdventHealth University

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Location: The AdventHealth University is located on a peninsula between Lake Estelle and Lake Winyah behind Florida Hospital Medical Center just north of downtown Orlando.

History: AdventHealth University has a vision with a 96-year heritage. The Florida Hospital School of Nursing operated on the current site from 1913 until 1958, when Southern Missionary College (now Southern Adventist University) sent nursing students from Tennessee to Orlando for clinical experience. In 1983, Southern Missionary College opened an Orlando Center, offering an associate degree in Nursing. Florida Hospital founded a School of Practical Nursing on the campus in 1964, and also offered programs in radiography and sonography.

In 1992, a new school was formed. Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences, which began with the merger of four programs: The Associate of Science degree in Nursing, Radiography, and Sonography, and the Licensed Practical Nursing program. The College became a baccalaureate-granting institution in 1998 when it took over the Southern Adventist University Bachelor of Science Nursing Program. Since then, the College has added associate degree programs in Nuclear Medicine, Occupational Therapy Assistant, and Pre-Professional Studies and six baccalaureate programs have also been added: online-learning degrees in Radiologic Sciences, Diagnostic Medical Sonography and Nursing, and on-campus degrees in Health Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Healthcare Administration, Conductive Education, and Nuclear Medicine. A certificate in Conductive Education has also been developed.

In 2008, the College began its first graduate program a master’s degree in Nurse Anesthesia. The second graduate program, a master’s degree in Occupational Therapy, began in the fall of 2011. In addition, in 2009, the University established a Denver site where associate degrees in Nursing, Radiography, and Sonography are offered via live Polycom transmission of didactic courses from the Orlando campus.

During 2012, the College changed its name to Adventist University of Health Sciences and continued to grow the degree programs offered by the former Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences. A third advanced program, a master’s degree in Healthcare Administration began fall 2013. The fourth such program; a master’s degree in Physician Assistant, began summer 2015. The first terminal degree to be offered by the institution, a doctoral degree in Physical Therapy, began summer 2016. Another terminal degree, a doctoral degree in Nurse Anesthesia Practice, will begin summer 2018.

In 2018, the University’s parent company (Adventist Health System) began a rebranding strategy to change its name to AdventHealth. To align with AdventHealth, the University adopted a new name, AdventHealth University. Building on its rich educational heritage, AdventHealth University continued to grow as an institution with a commitment and passion for healthcare as ministry developing professionals who live the healing values of Christ.

Student Body Size: 1,610
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
Department of Health and Biomedical Sciences
1. Master of Science in Spiritual Care 3-year: Regular Status [AAA23:134]

Department of Healthcare Administration

Department of Nursing
3. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:74]
4. Master of Science in Nursing – Education and Administration/Leadership: Regular Status [AAA21:72]

Department of Nurse Anesthesia
5. Master of Science in Nurse Anesthesia: Regular Status [AAA09:29]

Department of Occupational Therapy
7. Master of Occupational Therapy: Regular Status [AAA19:56]

Department of Physical Therapy
8. Doctor of Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA19:60]

Department of Physician Assistant
9. Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies: Regular Status [AAA19:57]

Department of Surgery
10. Master of Science in Robotic Surgery: Regular Status [AAA22:064]

Denver Campus, Denver, Colorado
1. Associate of Science in Radiography: Regular Status [AAA19:54]
2. Associate of Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography – General Vascular Ultrasound: Regular Status [AAA19:54]
3. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:54]

On-Line Programs:
2. Master of Healthcare Administration/Master of Business Administration Dual Degree: Regular Status 5-years with Stetson University [AAA19:175]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Accredited since 1992.

Other Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE), Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT), National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC)

Licensed by Florida State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities
Adventist College of Nursing and Health Sciences
Mid-Level Training Institution

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Location: Penang, Malaysia

History: Like many hospitals around the world the Penang Adventist Hospital (PAH) experienced a need for well-trained and qualified nurses in the 1980s. The leadership of the hospital endeavored for several years to obtain approval from the Malaysian government to establish a nursing school. Approval was finally granted in October 1992 and the Adventist College of Nursing (ACON), opened its doors to the first batch of nursing students in September 1993 for the three-year diploma in nursing. In September 1994, a 15-month conversion program to train hospital aides to become Assistant Nurses (AN) was added. After three (3) batches of hospital aides were trained as ANs, the program was replaced by the 24-month Assistant Nurse Certificate Course in January 1998. The high quality of the Registered Nurses and Assistant Nurses turned out brought recognition for the College, but due to the changing needs of hospitals, the AN program graduated its last class in November 2018.

The Adventist College of Nursing was first located in a four-story building - the Adventist Court - across the road from the hospital, which is now the dormitory. In November 1998, the College moved to a 7-storied building inside the hospital compound. In June 2010, the College moved to a specially renovated facility across the street from the hospital, on the seventh floor of the Midlands One-Stop Complex. At the same time the name was changed from Adventist College of Nursing (ACON) to Adventist College of Nursing and Health Sciences (ACNHS) in anticipation of establishing additional Health Science programs of study. Being the only tertiary level Adventist educational institution in Malaysia, the College began admitting about 100 students per year.

In February 2019 the College returned to the hospital compound, occupying the 8th floor of a new structure in Penang Adventist Hospital. Teaching facilities include five (5) classrooms, a 10-bed Skills Laboratory with a mock isolation room, and anatomy lab; three (3) conference rooms for small group use, a student lounge, student sitting area, an outdoor terrace, a spacious library, and a computer laboratory, as well as clinical facilities at three (3) affiliate hospitals. The College is able to accommodate the Nursing Board approved yearly intake of 160 students.

Educational Program: Three-year diploma program (RN). The curriculum is prescribed by the Ministry of Health and structured into three strands: Nursing Sciences, Health Sciences, and Behavioral Sciences. Religion is also included.

Student Body Size: 237
Language of Instruction: English and Bahasa Malaysia
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Diploma in Nursing 3-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:136]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2007
Adventist International Institute of Advanced Studies

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Location: The campus of Adventist International Institute of Advanced Studies (AIIAS) is located about 45.5 km south of Manila in the barrio of Lalaan I, Silang, Cavite.

History: From its inception AIIAS has focused on providing quality, affordable graduate programs in business, education, public health, and ministerial and theological preparation infused with biblical principles and truths for the Church. AIIAS was established by Presidential Decree 2021 signed on January 31, 1986 and published on February 24, 1986. It recognizes AIIAS as an international institution of graduate education with special privileges. Further to the decree, the Department of Education, Culture and Sports, in November 1987, issued a document containing the Rules and Regulations to implement this Presidential Decree. It specifies the relationship of AIIAS to the Philippine academic authorities as well as details regarding location, students, programs, functions, employment standards, and reports to local administrative agencies.

In 1991, AIIAS moved to the present campus near Silang, Cavite, and on October 6, 1996, through an action taken by the Annual Council of the Adventist Church, it became an institution of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. Concurrently, its mission expanded to incorporate a more global dimension.

Once AIIAS came into existence, the need for extensions of graduate education in locations within the Asia-Pacific region arose. The academic extensions, or Distance Learning Centers (DLCS) were formally organized in 1987 into a Distance Education Division. As a comparatively new institution, AIIAS continues to develop. Today DLCs are located strategically around the world. In addition, AIIAS Online as an entity was established in 2001, with the objective of placing courses of study on the Internet as online courses. The first online degree program, a master’s in public health, officially launched on October 6, 2003. Online degrees at the master’s level in the fields of religion, business, and education followed soon after. Furthermore, several master’s and doctoral degrees are now available in a work-embedded, cohort type modality.

Both schools have external accreditation of their degree programs. Seminary programs are accredited by the Association of Theological Education in South East Asia (ATESEA), an association networked with accrediting agencies for theological education worldwide such as the Association of Theological Schools (ATS). The Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities (PAASCU), the largest accrediting association in the Philippines, accredits the Graduate School programs. They are accredited mostly at Level III with reaccreditation occurring every five years and plans are underway in applying for Level IV accreditation status. The programs and their accreditation status are fully recognized by the Federation of Accrediting Agencies of the Philippines (FAAP) and CHED and therefore enjoy the privileges that go with such levels of accreditation.

To this day, AIIAS aims at supporting whole-heartedly the mission of the Church and will continue to initiate programs that address the needs of the Church.
Educational Programs: AIIAS programs are offered under two schools: School of Graduate Studies and the Theological Seminary. The School of Graduate Studies offers programs through the Departments of Educational Studies, Business, Public Health, and online courses. The Seminary offers courses that lead to a variety of degrees.

Student Body Size: 714  
Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Business Department**
1. Master of Business Administration Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA10:66]
2. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA10:67]
3. Master of Business Administration – Accounting: Candidacy Status [AAA21:164]
4. Master of Science in Administration Online Modality – Management Studies: Regular Status [AAA10:66]
6. Graduate Certificate in Business Administration Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA10:66]

**Education Department**
7. Master of Arts in Education Online Modality – Curriculum and Instruction, Leadership: Regular Status [AAA10:66]
8. Master of Arts in Education – TESOL: Regular Status [AAA09:55]
9. Master of Arts in Education Online Modality – TESOL: Regular Status [AAA15:87]
10. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status [AAA99:21]
11. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Curriculum and Instruction Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA21:253]
15. Education Specialist in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status (AAA99:21)
17. Education specialist in Education – Religious Education: Regular Status [AAA99:21]
18. Graduate Certificate in Education Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA10:66]

**Public Health Department**
20. Graduate Certificate in Public Health: Regular Status [AAA10:66]

**Theological Seminary**
26. Master of Divinity Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA08:109]
27. Master of Ministry Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA11:67]
29. Doctor of Ministry – Church Leadership and Administration: Regular Status [AAA18:128]
30. Doctor of Missiology/Doctor of Intercultural Studies: Regular Status [AAA16:84]

Affiliation Degrees Offered:

**CHUM**

**ECD**
2. Doctor of Philosophy in Business – Work-Embedded Program to be held on UEAB campus: Regular Status [AAA13:93]

**ESD**
3. Master of Science in Administration for ESD at Ukraine Adventist Center of Higher Education: Regular Status [AAA11:133]
4. Master of Business Administration for ESD at Ukraine Adventist Center of Higher Education: Regular Status [AAA11:133]
5. Master of Public Health for a DLC at Zaoksky Adventist University: Regular Status [AAA15:86]

**MENA**
6. Doctor of Philosophy in Business Cohort/DLC program for Middle East University from 2019-2025: Regular Status [AAA18:228]

**SAD**
7. Master of Arts in Education – Religious Education at Chile Adventist University: Regular Status [AAA11:135]
8. Master of Arts in Teaching in TESOL – 4 years at Chile Adventist University: Regular Status [AAA15:153]

**SSD**
11. Master of Arts in Education Online Program Cohort for Ekamai International School: Regular Status [AAA20:150]
12. Master of Arts in Education – School Administration, In-Campus/Work-Embedded Program for three Philippine unions from the summer of 2018 to 2023: Regular Status [AAA18:131]
13. Master of Arts in Teaching – English for Indonesia to be held on AIIAS campus: Regular Status [AAA13:93]
14. Master of Arts in Teaching – Mathematics for Indonesia to be held on AIIAS campus: Regular Status [AAA13:93]
15. Doctor of Ministry in Indonesia: Regular Status [AAA11:136]
22. Master of Arts in Education – New Distance Learning Center in Qatar: Regular Status [AAA09:118]
23. Master of Business Administration – New Distance Learning Center in Qatar: Regular Status
[AAA09:118]

WAD
30. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – DLC at Valley View University, Ghana: Regular Status [AAA17:12]

Accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1993.

Program Accreditations:
The MMin, MDiv, MA_R, MTh, DMin, PhD in Religion programs are accredited by the Association for Theological Education in South East Asia (ATESEA), since 2014 (MDiv since before 1996)
The MBA, PhD in Business, MA Education, EdS, PhD in Education, MPH programs are accredited by the Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges, and Universities (PAASCU0 since 1998 9PhD in Business since 2017)
Adventist Medical Center College –Iligan  
(Formerly Northern Mindanao Adventist College)

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Location:  The Mindanao Sanitarium and Hospital was founded in 1948 as a small clinic to take care of the post-war health situation on the Mindanao Island. It was located along Tibanga Highway in Iligan City, four kilometers from Cagayan de Oro City.

History: Adventist Medical Center College (AMCC), formerly Mindanao Sanitarium and Hospital-College of Medical Arts Foundation, Inc. (MSH-CMAFI), stands behind the Adventist Medical Center – Iligan City and is situated along the highway of Andres Bonifacio Avenue. The college has three four-story buildings that house the different disciplines of the school, offices, laboratories, college church, and a multi-purpose hall. The ladies’ dormitory is housed on one-half of the ground floor of the recently built building in an adjacent plot and the men’s dormitory is housed on the other half of the ground floor.

It was decided to establish a college when the hospital administration felt the need of Adventist paramedical workers, particularly in physical therapy, radiology, midwifery, and other related fields. The College started with a very humble beginning on June 13, 1994, with the following courses: Midwifery and Physical Therapy and the classes were held in an old, two-story building inside the campus. Without financial appropriation, the hospital lent its laboratory equipment and subsidized its operation for five years.

The College gained the distinction of being the first Seventh-day Adventist College in the Philippines to offer courses leading to a recognized Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Therapy and Radiologic Technology. The college started with an enrollment of 19 midwifery and 88 physical therapy students, and the working force was composed of 5 full-time and 6 part-time faculty members.

The Information Technology was opened in 1996 and was followed by Bachelor of Science in Computer Science in 1998; Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Technology and Bachelor of Science in Nursing in 1999 and Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology in 2000. The Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education and Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education started in 2009. Two courses which were added in 2012 were Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics and Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy. On January 1, 2015, the AMCC Board voted to separate the College from the Hospital.

The distinctive feature of the College is the combination of academic excellence and concern for spiritual values, the concept of Sabbath rest, reminding human beings of God as their creator which is celebrated from sundown Friday to sundown Saturday, and the emphasis on health and wholeness. Therefore, the College requires students, faculty, and staff to follow a lifestyle free from alcohol, tobacco, and drug use, and uphold the Christian standards of sexuality which advocates chastity from all expression of premarital and extramarital relationships.

Educational Program: The College offers Bachelor of Science programs in Medical Laboratory Technology, Nursing, Physical Therapy, and Radiologic Technology.
Student Body: 869
Language of Instruction:
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
School of Allied Health and Medical Sciences
1. Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status
   [AAA22:151]
2. Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology: Regular Status [AAA10:127]
3. Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA10:127]
4. Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Technology: Regular Status [AAA10:127]
School of Nursing
5. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA10:127]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2005.

Program Accreditations: The Bachelor of Science in Nursing is accredited by the Association of Christian Schools, Colleges, and Universities – Philippines
Adventist University Cosendai
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Location: Adventist University Cosendai (AUC) or Universite Adventiste Cosendai (UAC) in French is in Nanga Eboko, a small town in the central region of Cameroon where the first Adventist mission station and school were established in 1926 and 1928, respectively. The University was named in honor of Aime and Madeleine Cosendai, faithful missionaries who committed their lives to the advancement of Christianity and the development of Adventist education in Cameroon. They spent the greater part of their service in Nanga-Eboko until retirement.

History: The institution has been known by various names through the years and its contribution to the church and to the country has been significant. The Cameroon Bible and Teacher Training Course opened its doors in 1936. In 1969 the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists authorized a two-year post-secondary program. Between 1972 and 1984, a ministerial training seminary operated on the campus alongside the secondary school. This seminary was closed in 1984 as the Adventist University of Central Africa in Mudende, Rwanda began offering its programs. Due to the civil war in Rwanda, however, the University of Central Africa was forced to cease operation in April 1994.

Four francophone universities replaced it—one of which was Adventist University Cosendai. It restarted in 1995, with instruction beginning in June 1996. The University came into existence by action taken by the Africa-Indian Ocean Division (AID) on June 6, 1995, at its session in Douala in the Republic of Cameroon. The concept of a multi-campus university designed to serve the francophone constituency of the church was discussed at some length and then whole-heartedly approved, since the doors of the Adventist University of Central Africa were closed. The name given to the new university was Adventist International University. At its meeting in Utrecht, Netherlands on July 5, 1995, however, the International Board of Education (IBE) requested that another name be selected for the new University, and that the four francophone campuses operate as separate institutions. In response to this request, the name Adventist International University was changed to Adventist University Cosendai (Universite Adventiste Cosendai) for the institution in Cameroon on September 18, 1995, by the AID Committee in Abidjan, Ivory Coast.

Educational Program: Post-secondary work restarted at Nanga Eboko, with degrees in Business and Theology being offered in the temporary facilities of the secondary school. In 1996, the University was recognized by the Cameroonian government with an Agreement of Principles. The institution was comprised of schools of Theology, Management, and Computer Science. During this time, the Yedjanga family donated to the University 500 hectares (about 1,200 acres) of land adjacent to its present campus. In 2002, the University received two additional Agreements: to open and to function.

In 2005, the University received its first accreditation from the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA). Also, in 2005, the University obtained a full recognition by the Cameroonian government and also received authorization to open two schools: Health Sciences and Education.
Student Body Size: 655
Language of Instruction: French and English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Department of Business and Administration and Computer**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Money, Bank and Finance: Candidacy Status [AAA11:84]
2. Bachelor of Business Administration – Human Resource Management: Candidacy Status [AAA11:84]
3. Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA11:84]
4. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Candidacy Status [AAA11:84]

**Department of Education**
5. Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education 3-year: Regular Status [AAA12:97]
6. Bachelor of Education in Educational Administration and Planning: Candidacy Status [AAA17:216]
7. Bachelor of Education in Psychopedagogy: Candidacy Status [AAA17:215]

**Department of Health Sciences**
8. Bachelor of Science in Nursing 4-year: Regular Status [AAA14:86]

**Department of Theology**
10. Bachelor of Theology – Specialties: Regular Status [AAA11:85]

Accreditation by Adventist Accrediting Association
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Adventist University of Africa

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Location: The administrative office of the University is located on Advent Hill, Magadi Road, next to Maxwell Academy, Nairobi, Kenya.

History: The Adventist University of Africa (AUA) began in 2003 by the vote of the General Conference Executive Committee. The University was established for the purpose of delivering balanced and dynamic postgraduate education to develop leaders in various areas of Africa. The founding date of AUA is generally recognized as 2006 when the first cohort of students was admitted at Solusi University, Zimbabwe. Then in May 2006 at Babcock University, Nigeria; in July 2006 at University of Eastern Africa Baraton, Kenya, more cohorts had begun. The interim authority was given in 2008 and the charter was granted by the Government of Kenya in 2009.

Initially, the University was designed to have administrative offices in Nairobi, Kenya, but to provide graduate education on three extension instructional locations at: (1) Babcock University in Nigeria, (2) Solusi University in Zimbabwe, and (3) the University of Eastern Africa, Baraton. Currently, the University operates at the following extension sites: for West-Central Africa Division (WAD), Babcock University in Nigeria and Valley View University in Ghana; for Southern Africa-Indian Ocean Division (SID), Solusi University in Zimbabwe, Adventist University of Zurcher in Madagascar, and Helderberg College of Higher Education in South Africa; and for East-Central Africa Division (ECD), the Main Campus. The external instructional locations listed above have remained the main collaborators with AUA with signed MoUs.

Originally, there was no intention to start the University with a residential campus at the administrative site in Kenya. The central campus could have come later in the development of the University since the Africa Graduate Education Taskforce Recommendations voted by the 2003 General Conference Annual Council specified that “The institution shall seek to operate under a government charter permitting multiple delivery modes such as distance learning and conducting programs at various international sites, as well as the option of establishing a central campus.” (150-03G Africa Graduate Education Taskforce Recommendations, 1.d).

During the approval process for startup of the University, the Kenya Commission for Higher Education (now Commission for University Education) made it clear that they expected a university which would not be a “closed club,” but one that would establish a residential campus to serve the population of Kenya. Consequently, through consultation between the leadership of the WAD, the ECD, the SID, and the General Conference, it was decided to expand the administrative campus from the initial stage to include residential housing for professors and students, classroom space, and a library.

Though the main campus offers graduate programs for students in residence, the extension instructional locations of AUA will continue to offer postgraduate education to Adventist Church leaders and the society at large within the constituencies. This will provide church workers in Sub-Saharan Africa with affordable accessibility to Education.
Educational Program: Currently, AUA offers the following programs: Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology, Master of Arts in Missiology, Master of Arts in Biblical and Theological Studies, Master of Chaplaincy, Master of Divinity, Doctor of Ministry, Master of Arts in Leadership, Master of Business Administration, Master of Public Health, Master of Science in Applied Computer Science, and Doctor of Philosophy in Leadership.

Student Body Size: 597
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Theological Seminary**
2. Master of Arts in Chaplaincy: Candidacy Status [AAA15:03]
4. Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology Online Modality: Candidacy Status [AAA20:132]
6. Master of Divinity: Candidacy Status [AAA15:03]
9. Master of Divinity (French) [AAA23:121]

**School of Postgraduate Studies**
10. Master of Arts in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA22:198]
12. Master of Science in Applied Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA17:08]
13. Master of Science in Information Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA12:121]
15. Master of Education – Instructional Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA15:04]
16. Master of Public Health: Regular Status [AAA17:09]
17. Master of Public Health Online Modality: Candidacy Status [AAA20:131]
18. Doctor of Philosophy in Leadership: Regular Status [AAA19:05]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2005.

Other Accreditation: Kenya Commission for University Education (CUE); Fully Chartered by CUE in 2013
Adventist University of Central Africa
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History: Adventist University of Central Africa (AUCA) was first established in 1978 to serve the Francophone constituency of the then Africa-Indian Ocean Division and officially opened its doors on 15 October 1984. The University was charted in 1988. The institution grew and served until 1994 when the Genocide against the Tutsi erupted and many lost their lives in Mudende Campus, and the University was closed. From the destruction of Mudende Campus, the University moved to Kigali in 1996 and developed into a new phase of activities in the basement of LMS of Rwanda Union Mission in Kigali City under the names first “Adventist University Monnier” (AUM) and then shortly after “the Adventist University in Rwanda” (AUR). In January 1999, the University moved to Gishushu still within Kigali City of Rwanda. Considering the development, the Higher Education Council (HEC) of Rwanda granted and restored its educational function under the 1988 charter, regaining the original name “Adventist University of Central Africa.” (AUCA)

Due to the University’s post 1996 expansion at Gishushu, AUCA moved to its current location at Masoro in 2007 and organized itself into four faculties with five departments offering a variety of degree programs. The four faculties are (1) the Faculty of Business Administration with majors in Accounting, Finance, Managements, and Marketing; (2) the Faculty of Information Technology with majors in Information Management, Network Communication Systems and Software Engineering; (3) the Faculty of Education with majors and minors in Educational Psychology, Accountancy and Information Technology, Mathematics and Economics, English Language, Literature and French, and Geography and History; (4) the Faculty of Theology and (5) the Faculty of Health Sciences with School of Nursing and Midwifery introduced at Ngoma Campus in 2015 and School of Medicine (ASOME) introduced in 2019.

Currently the University has students from more than 28 countries including Rwanda. The main facilities are housed in newly completed structures with adequate facilities, a few miles from Kigali International Airport. Because of the government’s decree to move from French to English as the official language of instruction at higher learning institutions, the University has taken the necessary steps to complete the transition. The University constructed a modern campus of Gishushu named “Science and Technology Center” houses the Faculty of Information Technology and the master’s degree programs of Business Administration (MBA), Master’s degree of Education (MEd) (with emphasis in Educational Administration and Curriculum, Supervision and Instruction) and Master’s of Science in Big Data Analytics that is fully accredited and will start in September 2022.

The University is already running the Nursing program at Ngoma Adventist College of Health Sciences, and it started in November 2015. The University is accommodating the Adventist School of Medicine of East Africa (ASOME) funded by ECD in newly completed modern facilities at Masoro main campus since September 2019.
Educational Program: The University has five Faculties offering a variety of degree programs. The five Faculties are (1) the Faculty of Business Administration with majors in Accounting, Finance, Managements, and Marketing; (2) the Faculty of Information Technology with majors in Information Management, Network Communication Systems and Software Engineering; (3) the Faculty of Education with majors and minors in Educational Psychology, Accountancy and Information Technology, Mathematics and Economics, English Language, Literature and French, and Geography and History; (4) the Faculty of Theology and (5) the Faculty of Health Sciences with School of Nursing and Midwifery introduced at Ngoma Campus in 2015 and School of Medicine (ASOME) introduced in 2019.

Student Body Size: 2891
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees

**Faculty of Business Administration**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Finance, Marketing: Regular Status [AAA13:131]
2. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA17:16]

**Faculty of Education**
3. Bachelor of Arts in Education with Religion as a teaching major: Candidacy Status [AAA10:11]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Education with French as a teaching major: Candidacy Status [AAA10:11]
5. Bachelor of Arts in Education with English as a teaching major: Candidacy Status [AAA10:11]
6. Bachelor of Education – Accounting and IT, Economics and Math, Geography and History: Regular Status [AAA16:14]
7. Master of Arts in Education: Regular Status: [AAA17:15]

**Faculty of Information and Technology**

**Faculty of Theology**
11. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:14]

**Faculty of Nursing**
12. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA15:07]

**Adventist School of Medicine of East Central Africa (ASOME)**
13. Bachelor of Medicine 3-year: Candidacy Status [AAA19:152]
14. Bachelor of Surgery 3-year: Candidacy Status [AAA19:152]

**Ngoma Campus, Mugonero, Rwanda**
1. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: 1-year additional Candidacy Status [AAA19:153]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2006.

Other Accreditation: Accreditation by the Government of Rwanda.

Adventist University of Central Africa is also accredited by the Higher Education Council (HEC) of the Ministry of Education of the Republic of Rwanda.
Adventist University of Congo
(Pre-Candidacy Status -2018)

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Location: Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo

History: It had been the desire of the global Adventist church/East Central Africa Division to have a higher learning institution in the Western part of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) since the time it was known as Zaire, but the government did not allow it. For that reason, a handful of trained pastors from the region studied at Lukanga in Northeast Congo, Rwanda, and Nigeria, and only few could afford to travel those long distances and pay for their studies.

With the coming of the opportunity to start its own university in Kinshasa, a new page has been written in the history of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in West Congo Union Mission and the doors were open to many potential ministerial and other students in the region. Initially, this visit was planned to be only an advisory in preparation for the institution to work on a feasibility study and invite an International Board of Education (IBE) team for a site visit soon.

Educational Programs offered - Theology, Environmental Science, Public Health, Economic and Management Sciences, Law, Computer Science, Education and Psychology (Already offering a 3-year “Graduat” – 1st level of Universities Studies). Type of programs offered: “Graduat” – 1st level of Universities Studies/Associate Degrees; “Licence” – 2nd level of University Studies.

Student Body Size: 62
Language of Instruction: French
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

School of Theology
1. Biblical Theology
2. Missiology
3. Pastoral Ministry
4. Systematic Theology

School of Economics Sciences
5. Accounting and Finance
6. Bank and Credit
7. Computing and Technology
8. External Business
9. Management
10. Marketing

School of Environmental Science
11. Ecology
12. Engineering Environment
13. Environment and Durable Development
14. Environment Maintenance
15. Toxicology  
**School of Public Health**  
16. Nursing  
17. Nutrition and Dietetics  
18. Public Health  

**School of Law**  
19. Economics Law  
20. Private Law  
21. Public Law  

**School of Computer Science**  
22. Artificial Intelligence  
23. Computer and Management  
24. Computer and Mathematics  
25. Conception and Information Systems  
26. Maintenance,  
27. Network and Communication  
28. Telly and Communication  

**School of Education and Psychology**  
29. Clinic Psychology  
30. Curriculum and Instruction  
31. Education and Professional Guidance  
32. Educational Psychology  
33. Guidance and Counseling  
34. Industrial Psychology  
35. Pedagogy and Courses Teaching  
36. School Administration  

Accredited by Pre-Candidacy Status by Adventist Accrediting Association (2018)
Adventist University of Goma
(Candidacy Status)

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Location: The Universite Adventiste de Goma” [UAGO] is located in the Democratic Republic of Congo [DRC], in the Province of North-Kivu in the town of Goma.

History: The Universite Adventiste de Goma [UAGO] began in 1999. The University was founded by some lay church members of the Central Kivu Field. On October 06, 2013, the founders decided to give the management of the University to the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

On October 31, 2013, the Education Board of the East-Central Africa Division set up a Survey Commission and its terms of reference by the votes EDU BOARD 14/2013 and EDUBOARD 15/2013. More precisely, the vote 14/2013 reads: “Voted to set up a Survey Commission to visit the university and make recommendations to the ECD Education Board on the status of the university and if NECUM could be able to run it as a church-maintained institution...”

The Survey Commission visited the university on February 09-11, 2014. After the visit, the Survey Commission wrote a report concluding that UAGO has a bright future. Henceforth, the following recommendation was adopted by the team and the vote is recommended to the East Central Africa Division Board of Education for consideration: Voted that the North East Central Union Mission takes over the management of the UAGO as requested by the Administrative Council of the founders of the school. The vote regarding the request of the Administrative Council of the founders of the school was shown to the evaluating team from ECD. Many reasons could be shared with the ECD Board of Education regarding the suggestion of the recommendation.

In 2014, in its mid-year committee, NeCUM took the following actions: (1) NECUM EXECOM 2014-059: “Voted to accept the management of Goma Adventist University and to recommend that the transfer process shall be done in a legal manner,” (2) NECUM EXECOM 2014-061: “Voted that UAGO will be served by Central Kivu and South Kivu Fields...” (3) NECUM EXECOM 2014-058: “Voted to accept...that in order to support universities, each Field will contribute with 3% of their monthly tithes.”

Following the above votes, the “Acte Notarie” i.e., the legal document testifying the transfer of the management of “Universite Adventiste de Goma” from its founders to the NECUM was signed on June 01, 2015. On October 5, 2015, the General Conference International Board of Education took the action IBE15:60 that reads, voted to record pre-candidacy status for the Adventist University of Goma with a condition that all senior university leadership and majority of faculty should be members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in regular standing before the University can be considered for candidacy status.

From January 2016, the North East Congo Union Mission complied with the IBE action by appointing four Adventist administrative officers (Rector, Vice rector for academics, Vice rector for finance, and Director for student affairs) to manage the University (see following votes: UAGOSENAT 2016-003 and UAGO SENAT 2016-010.
Educational Programs to be offered: Science of Economics, Psychology and Science of Education, Community Development, IT Management, and Theology

Student Body Size: 782
Language of Instruction: French
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Department of Economic Sciences and Management**
1. Economics and Management – Bachelor
2. Business and Administration: Project Administration and Management - Masters

**Department of Psychology and Education**
3. Administration and Supervision – Masters
4. Clinical Psychology – Masters
5. Education – Bachelor
6. Psychology – Bachelor

**Department of Development and Humanitarian Action**
7. Development and Humanitarian Action - Bachelor

**Department of IT Management**
9. Software Engineering - Masters
10. IT Management – Bachelor
11. Network and Telecommunication – Masters

**Department of Theology:**
12. Theology – Bachelor

**Department of Health**
13. Bachelor in General Nursing
14. Bachelor in Pediatric Nursing
15. Bachelor in Food Sciences, Nutrition and Dietetics

Accredited: Candidacy Status by Adventist Accrediting Association 2022
Adventist University of Haiti  
(Universite Adventiste d'Haiti)

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Location: The Universite Adventiste d’Haiti (UNAH) is located in Diquini, city of Carrefour, located in the outskirts of Port-au-Prince, Haiti, the capital of the country.

History: The beginnings of this institution began in 1921 when a seminary, whose mission was to train pastors, opened its doors for the first time, under the direction of Herminie Roth with an enrollment of eight students, on the Vaudreuil, eight kilometers from the city of Cap-Haitien.

In 1933, after twelve years of service on the enchanted land of Vaudreuil, the institution was transferred to Port-au-Prince. Two years later, in 1935, the institution had the name of College Vertieres, a primary, secondary, and vocational school, known at the time as one of the best private institutions in the capital.

In 1947, the school found its definitive place in Diquini under the name of the Adventist Seminary College of Haiti, with the motto, “The Path of Service.” The curriculum was partly classical and partly theological. It included a six-year training cycle, oriented towards Theology, Administration, and Education.

In the early 1960s, American philanthropist Roy E. Perrin erected new school buildings and built new homes for teachers and married students. The institution became Franco-Haitian Adventist Seminary because it had to respond not only to the educational needs of the Haitian field, but also to the requirements of the entire territory of the Franco-Haitian Union which included Haiti, Guadeloupe, Martinique and French Guiana. In 1979, besides the Theology section, it was necessary to add the Administrative and Commercial Sciences, the Living Languages, the Normal Primaire School and the Ecole Normale Superieure. It is in the context of this increased of the academic sections that the Administrative Committee of the school abandoned the name Seminary in favor of that of Institut Adventiste Franco-Haitian.

In 1989 the Seventh-day Adventist Missionary Union of Haiti (UMASH), came into existence. It was also the same year, on March 29th, that members of the School Board adopted the current name of the institution: Adventist University of Haiti, with the acronym UNAH.

During the first half of the 1990s, several achievements punctuated the administration of UNAH. The School of Nursing Sciences, now the Faculty of Nursing Sciences, opened with twenty-five students. In the third year of its operation, its progress exceeded all hope. An enrollment of 140-150 students were already attending three years of study. The official recognition, granted to this school by the Ministry of Public Health and Population, communicated more confidence and dynamism to the students for their continuation of their professional training within the school. It should also be remembered that the Administrative Committee of UNAH began the construction of the new library of the institution. In addition, the construction of UNAH-RESTO solicited by students and teachers was completed. A modern computer science laboratory was also put at the disposal of the entire community.
Educational program: The institution currently operates five four-year programs: Theology, Education, Accounting Sciences, Business, and Nursing. In addition to those degree programs, the institution offers four professional programs: Physiotherapy, Living Languages, Accounting, and a Diploma in Education. The Nursing program recently received from the government a lifetime recognition for excellence. The institution is recognized for the quality of its programs.

Student Body Size: 1,067
Language of Instruction: French

Certificated/Diplomas/Degrees:

**School of Business Administration**
1. Master of Business Administration: Offered by Montemorelos University: Regular Status [AAA08:32]

**School of Secondary Education**
2. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Math and Physics, Natural Science, Social Science and Geography: Regular Status [AAA18:31]
3. Master of Arts in Education: Offered by Montemorelos University: Regular Status [AAA08:32]

**School of Theology**
4. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:41]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1985.

Other Accreditation: Ministry of Education of Haitian Government

Affiliated: Montemorelos University, Loma Linda University, and Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary
Adventist University of Lukanga
(Université Adventiste de Lukanga)

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Location: The Adventist University at Lukanga is located on 20 hectares of land in the Northeastern part of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), about 40 kilometers south of Butembo in the green hill Province of North Kivu.

History: After the civil war in Rwanda forced a temporary closure of the Adventist University of Central Africa on April 10, 1994, the Adventist Mission of Congo established a collegiate program in Theology with affiliation arrangements from Griggs University. Two years later (in 1996), the Higher Education Ministry of Congo authorized the establishment of the Adventist University of Lukanga, with permission to offer degree programs in Theology, Business Administration, Education and Letters. About 100 students registered for the programs. Since then, the University is operating a full-fledged tertiary program with a total of 801 students for the current school year 2021-2022 and 87 faculty and staff members. In 2001, the University started a Public Health Department and in October of 2012, Nursing and Agriculture programs.

Educational Program: Owned and operated by the North-East Congo Union Mission (NECUM), the University serves primarily the northeastern part of NECUM, with three of its fields. In addition to a three-year Bachelor’s degree, the University also offers a two-year Master’s degree as required by the DRC Higher Education Ministry.

The University’s facilities include the following: Bloc A that accommodates theology classrooms, Bloc B agriculture classrooms, Bloc C other department’s classrooms and academic services’ offices, Bloc D the University library and administrative offices, and Bloc E the nursing school. There are also 13 residences for faculty, the church building, the polyclinic, the girls’ dormitory, two boys’ dormitories.

Notice: The DRC government has required all universities and institutes of higher education in DRC to shift into the LMD (Licence-Master-Doctorat) system of the Bologna Process starting this academic year 2021-2022. In this new system recommended by the DRC government, the undergraduate degree that was called “graduat” is now called “Licence” (or Bachelor’s degree) and the following degree that was called “Licence” is now called named “Maitrise” (Master’s degree).

Student Body Size: 740
Language of Instruction: French and English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Agriculture
1. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture: Regular Status [AAA16:16]

Faculty of Business Administration
2. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting, Information Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:16]
Faculty of Education
3. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Pedagogy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:16]
4. Master of Arts in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:16]

Faculty of Letters and Humanities
5. Bachelor of Arts in Language and Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:16]

Faculty of Nursing
6. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA16:16]
7. Bachelor in Public Health: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:16]

Faculty of Theology
8. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:17]

Accreditation by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2005.

Other Accreditation: Ministry of Higher Education, Democratic Republic of Congo, and the D.R.C.
Presidential Charter No. 06/0106 of June 12, 2006
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Location: The Adventist University of Mozambique is an institution that belongs to the Mozambican Union of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It is located 14 km from Beira City center and 8 km from Beira International Airport.

History: This institution is the rebirth of the Mozambican Adventist Seminary which was established in 1973 in Beira. The Seminary known as SAMO came about from the transfer of the training school established in 1935 in Munguluni, Zambezia Province due to the 16 years of civil war.

Once the school was accredited by the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities, as a Junior College, but lost it on the way.

In 2006 the institution started a degree program without government recognition but had to close down because of lack of accreditation authorization from the government. As a results, the students were sent to Rusangu University, then Zambia Adventist University to complete their studies at considerable expense.

In 2011 the Mozambican Union leadership, recognizing the great need for qualified personnel in the country and particularly in the church, approached the government with a proposal to establish a university. The government was favorable and by Decree n° 48/2011 of October 10, printed in the government gazette the authorization to the church to create an institution of higher learning with headquarters in Beira (Sofala).

According to the government process of establishing institutions of higher learning, by the decision n°077/GM/MINED/13, of January 11, 2013, the Ministry of Education authorized the operation of the Mozambique Adventist University which then began operating with four programs but without denominational (AAA) accreditation. Several visits took place, with the last one in June 2016 and conditions were made for the denominational accreditation to be granted.

When plans were made for a follow-up visit in 2019, Cyclone Idai struck, and the visit was postponed other than the directors of Education visiting for advice and solidarity. Another visit was planned in 2020 but just a week before the visit the Covid-19 pandemic broke and the visiting team stopped on the way.

Meanwhile, the institution had prepared a BS in Nursing proposal which was presented to the IBE and a site visit was authorized which is combined with the current visit. At the same time a new building to house Nursing, Nutrition and Health Sciences was built (funded by the worldwide 13th Sabbath Offering) and is 95% completed.

Study Body Size: 357  
Language of Instruction: Portuguese
Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition: Regular Status [AAA22:264]
2. Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery: Candidacy Status [AAA22:266]
3. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting and Auditing: Regular Status [AAA22:264]
5. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA22:265]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2022
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Website: http://www.aup.edu.ph

Location: Adventist University of the Philippines is located 50 kilometers south of Manila, in the Barangay of Putting Kahoy, Silang, Cavite.

History: The Adventist University of the Philippines (AUP) began at the corner of Donada and San Juan Streets in Pasay City, as a small school in 1917 with 36 students. In 1925 the Spring Council of the Far Eastern Division voted that the academy could carry 14 grades, taking on the name Philippine Junior College. The school moved to the Baesa Campus in 1932 and in the same year the Far Eastern Division permitted the junior college to become a senior college naming it Philippine Union College (PUC).

The ever-multiplying number of PUC enrollment inspired the administration to purchase yet a bigger property of 165 hectares of land located at Putting Kahoy, Silang, Cavite in 1972. The first group of students began their studies on the new campus in 1979 and in 1981, with the movement of the students from Baesa, the campus transfer was completed. On August 1, 1996, the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) granted the institution the long-awaited University status entailing the change of its name from Philippine Union College to Adventist University of the Philippines (AUP).

On October 27, 2003, AUP was awarded an Autonomous Status for its meritorious achievement in the areas of instruction, research, community extension services, high performance of graduates in licensure examinations and for maintaining a tradition of integrity, excellence and untarnished reputation in the educational service.

The institution is accredited by the Federation of Accrediting Association of the Philippines (FAAP) through the Association of Christian Schools, Colleges and Universities-Accrediting Agency, Inc. (ACSCU-AAI), and the Philippine Association of Colleges and Universities Commission on Accreditation (PACUCOA). It is also recognized and accredited by the International Board of Education (IBE) and the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA), with headquarters at the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, Silver Spring, MD, USA.

AUP has also received an Institutional Accreditation Award from the Federation of Accrediting Agency of the Philippines (FAAP) on April 2010 and was re-affirmed by the same agency on December, 2016 for a period of five years. On April 1, 2016, AUP was recognized by CHED as Center of Excellence (COE) in Teacher Education and a Center of Development (COD) in Business Administration. Furthermore, the implementation of the K–12 programs paved the way for AUP to be recognized by CHED as a Delivering Higher Education Institution (DHEI).

In line with the government’s ASEAN Integration, AUP affiliated itself and became a member of the Passage to Asean (P2A) to be at par with the International Higher Education Institutions particularly in Southeast Asia. In addition, AUP was also accredited on January 2017 by the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) as a Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Provider for Nurses, Accountants, and Professional Teachers to help them earn continuing education units before renewing their licenses.
Educational Program: Currently in addition to offering a bachelor’s degree program in 42 fields, the university offers master’s program in psychology, biology, business administration, education, public health, nursing, and religious education. The university also offers doctoral programs in public health, psychology, and educational administration. In 2005, the IBE authorized the university to begin the College of Dentistry program which currently has 189 students.

Student Body Size: 2,376
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

College of Arts and Humanities
1. Bachelor of Arts in English Language: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
2. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
4. Bachelor of Science in Development Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
5. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
7. Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology – Counseling Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]

College of Business
8. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
9. Bachelor of Science in Accounting Information System: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
11. Bachelor of Science in Office Administration – Computer, Office Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]

College of Education
14. Bachelor of Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
18. Doctor of Educational Administration: Regular Status [AAA10:69]

College of Health
19. Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
20. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
22. Doctor of Public Health – Preventive Health Care: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]

**College of Medicine:** Certificate of Authorization [AAA15:89]
23. Doctor of Medicine: Regular Status [AAA19:108]

**College of Nursing**
24. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
25. Master of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]

**College of Science, and Technology**
26. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
27. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Regular Status [AAA15:155]
28. Bachelor of Science in Electronics Engineering: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
29. Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering; Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:140]
30. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:166]
31. Master of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:140]

**College of Theology:**
32. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:168]

Affiliation:
1. Valley View University – Master of Business Administration in Hospital and Healthcare Administration: Onetime Approval for One Cohort [AAA18:135]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1983.
Adventist University of West Africa

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Location: The Adventist University of West Africa is located in Schiefflin Town, Robertsfield Highway, Monrovia, Liberia.

History: The Adventist University of West Africa (AUWA) was established on August 7, 2003, when it received its Charter from the Liberian Government (Taylor Charles, 2003). The University was incorporated on September 8, 2003, by the authority of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs through an act of the House of Senate and House of Representatives of the Republic of Liberia. The former executive committee of the then Liberian Mission of Seventh-day Adventists voted the action to open the University on October 23, 2009. AUWA started operations on an Associate degree level on 120 Camp Johnson Road, Monrovia, its temporary site in August 2010.

In the executive committee meeting of the then Liberian Mission in October 23, 2009, the action was taken to formerly open the Adventist University of West Africa (AUWA) to the public. One hundred and five (105) students were enrolled, and classes began March 1, 2011. Academic program started in four (4) areas: Theology, Education, Nursing, Accounting, Economics and Public Administration.

The Liberian Government through the National Commission on Higher Education (NCHE) granted the University full degree Charter on March 18, 2013. The Liberian Nursing Board and Midwifery (LNBM) granted the accreditation to the Nursing program in May 2013. The Adventist Accreditation Association (AAA) offered candidacy status on October 9, 2013.

The University relocated to its permanent site in Schiefflin Town, first the dormitory on March 22, 2015, and then the entire University on March 23, 2015. The first graduation exercise was conducted June 13-17, 2015, with fifty (50) graduates in Accounting, Business Administration, Economics, Public Administration, Education Guidance & Counseling, Psychology, Primary and Secondary Education, Nursing and theology.

Educational Program: The University operates eleven (11) programs in four colleges: College of Business & Public Administration, College of Humanities, College of Health & Sciences, and College of Nursing,

Student Body Size: 917 Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**College of Business and Public Administration**
1. Bachelor of Arts in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration– Accounting and Public Administration: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
4. Bachelor of Science in Banking and Finance: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
5. Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
College of Health & Sciences
7. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Regular Status [AAA22:281]
8. Bachelor of Science in Public Health: Regular Status [AAA22:281]

College of Humanities
9. Bachelor of Arts in Pastoral Theology: Regular Status [AAA22:282]
10. Bachelor of Education – General Teacher Education: Regular Status [AAA2:281]

College of Nursing
11. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA22:281]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2013.

Other Accreditation: National Commission on Higher Education, Liberia; The Liberian Board for Nursing and Midwifery

Approved by The Liberian Institute of Certified Public Accountants for the Professional Charted Accountancy Certification

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Location: Université Adventiste Zurcher (UAZ) is in Sambaina, at an altitude of 1400 meters above sea level in central Madagascar, 135 kilometers south of Antananarivo, the capital city.

History: For close to thirty years, a junior college helped guide the training of pastors for the work in the Indian Ocean. When the General Conference developed Griggs University, a distance education program for far off places, the Soamanandrariny School in Antananarivo became independent from the High School. It moved into its own facility at the Union Office, eventually moving to Mauritius, in 1979. In the mid-1980s the school relocated to Rwanda to join the Central Africa Adventist University. When civil war broke out in Rwanda the Church needed to reconsider the educational needs of the Francophone countries. That is when schools were established in Cameroon, Congo (DRC), Rwanda and Madagascar.

In 1995, Université Adventiste Zurcher was born. This would serve the Indian Ocean and other Francophone countries in need of pastoral training or higher education. In the fall of 1996, the University opened its doors to 35 theology students, and temporarily established itself on the Indian Ocean Union Mission compound. The following year, the University moved to Antsirabe, where it rented some facilities from the training center of the Catholic Church, FTMTK. On March 2, 1999, it moved to its current location, a 200-hectare beautiful piece of property, 132 km on the National Highway between Antananarivo and Antsirabe.

Educational Program: In 2009, the University had five Faculties, namely Theology, Business, Computer Science, Education and Nursing, and offers academic programs leading to Bachelor of Theology (BTh), Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), Bachelor of Science in Information Systems (BSIS), and Bachelor of Arts in Education (BA-Ed), and Bachelor of Science in Nursing. In October 2012, the University opened a Language Institute (French and English) which would offer a University Diploma in Literary Studies DUEL (2 years) and one-year Certificates (for French and English). Today the University has seven Faculties, Business, Communication, Education, Computer Science, English Language, Nursing and Theology. All programs have received Government approval except the Education program, which is still in process due to the monopolization of the State University of the recognition of such program for private institutions. In 2023, a satellite campus will be built in the capital city of Antananarivo to increase access to education for more students, while maintaining the quality of education.

Since 2019, the following infrastructure and development projects have taken place: 1) We have expanded our farm production by adding six green houses and by planting in a 30ha cultivable areas; 2) Added a new classroom block (February 2019); 3) A Chalet for students to sit and be together (August 2019); 4) New toilet block (July 2019); 5) New kitchen and extension of the Cafeteria block; 6) Acquisition of new IT equipment for employees in administration offices and for academic activities (flat screens for classrooms, video projectors, computers for the laboratories (2022); 7) Internet by optic fiber installed on campus giving access to all students and personnel (2021); 8) Three wells drilled by ADRA to improve the university’s water supply system pumped by solar-powered pump; 9) Brick-making project by a donation from the Zurcher Foundation-Madagascar.
Student Body Size: 412
Language of Instruction: French & English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business Management**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:139]

**Faculty of Computer Science**
2. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:139]

**Faculty of Education**
3. Bachelor of Science in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:139]

**Faculty of Nursing**
4. Bachelor of Science in Nursing 3-year: Candidacy Status [AAA16:166, AAA19:198, AAA23:069]

**Faculty of Theology**
5. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:123]
6. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:140]

**Faculty of Language**
7. Bachelor of Arts in English – 2-year: Candidacy status [AAA23:070]

**Faculty of Arts and Humanities**
8. Bachelor of Arts in Communication – 2-year: Candidacy status [AAA23:070]

Accreditation by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2004.
Adventus University (Cernica)  
(Formerly Romanian Adventist Theological Institute)

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Location: In Cernica, near Bucharest (12 km), the capital of Romania. The campus is surrounded by an ancient forest and a beautiful lake.

History: The first Biblical Institute of the Romanian Union was established in 1924, successively functioning in Focsani, Dicioisanmartin (Tarnaveni) and especially in Brasov-Stupini. In 1951, the Biblical Institute moved to Bucharest under the name of Adventist Theological Seminary. Between 1957 and 1989, during the communist regime, it continued to prepare pastors for the Romanian Union. Since then, the Institute has operated in several places in Bucharest until moving to Cernica, Ilfov, in 1997.

The institution has been officially authorized by the State Department of Religious Affairs as a Theological Institute of university level for the following three areas of Adventist Theology: Pastoral Theology, Romanian Literature and Social Work. The Romanian National Agency for the Quality’s Guarantee of the Higher Education (ARACIS) granted to the Adventist Theological Institute the authorization for temporal operating of its departments as follows: Romanian Literature (August 24, 2000), Social Work (December 7, 2000), and Pastoral Theology (September 11, 2002).

After obtaining the official accreditation for the Social Work study program (in 2008), the Pastoral Theology study program (in 2009) and the Primary and Pre-School Pedagogy study program (in 2013), RATI applied for the institutional accreditation and was granted “trust”, the maximum available accreditation, for a five-year period by the Romanian Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education, on April 30, 2015. The Law No. 227/28.11.2017 on the establishment of Adventus University in Cernica and the Decree of the President of Romania to promulgate the above-mentioned Law have been published November 29, 2017.

The decision to change the name of the Adventist Theological Institute in Cernica-Ilfov to Adventus University has been made by the Executive Committee of Romanian Union (Decision No. 115/June 14, 2016) together with the decision-making structures of the University (Board of Administration and Senate). The favorable factors that made this important decision for Adventist higher education possible are institutional accreditation by ARACIS, full association of our institution with the national education system, the educational strategy of the Adventist Church in Romania, and the Adventist Accreditation Association (AAA) recommendations.

Under this Law, Adventus University in Cernica becomes a higher education institution, private law and public utility, part of the national education system with all the rights and obligations involved in the Romania and European Union.

Some of the rights conferred by this status are the possibility of enrolling foreign students, of organizing exams to complete studies, of issuing recognized degrees, and of setting up postgraduate programs (master studies programs).
Educational Program: Adventus University Cernica offers programs of studies in the following fields: Education, Romanian and English Language and Literature, Social Work, and Theology.

Student Body Size: 155
Language of Instruction – Romanian-Bachelor programs, English-Master of Arts in Religion

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Bachelor of Arts in Adventist Pastoral Theology: Regular Status [AAA04:84]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Adventist Theology–Social Work: Regular Status [AAA04:84]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Adventist Theology-Literature: Regular Status [AAA04:84]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Education 3-year – Kindergarten and Elementary School Teacher Training: Regular Status [AAA14:17]
5. Bachelor of Science in Education – Pedagogy of Preschool and Primary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:31]
7. Bachelor of Theology – Adventist Pastoral Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:32]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Early Education: Status [AAA23:126]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1997.

Recognized by Romanian Ministry of National Education
Amazonia Adventist College
(Faculdade Adventista da Amazonia)

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Location: The Amazonia Adventist College (FAAMA), is located at the Amazonian city Benevides, Para, Brazil near of Belem, the capital of the state of Peru.

History: In 2003 the Belem Adventist Hospital donated 105 hectares to the North Brazil Union (NBU) to establish a college-level institution. On February 18 of the same year, a request was sent to the South American Division (SAD) to send a survey committee to study the feasibility of opening a college. The site evaluation took place on June 5, 2003, and a vote was taken to recommend the establishment of a senior college.

Construction of the first dormitory began on December 8, 2004, on the 68th anniversary of the founding of the NBU. The ceremony was recorded in the local newspaper and in the Revista Adventista of January 2005. At the same time, roads were marked out and pavement blocks began to be made.

In October 2007, feeling that the project was nearing a point where the General Conference (GC) should become involved, NBU requested a site visit from the GC. In January 2008, a survey committee, with members from the GC, the SAD, and the NBU, came to make a preliminary evaluation of the project.

Educational program: Activities started in 2010 with the first group of theology. In 2012 the AAA visited the Faculty for the first time. AAC is designed to be a senior college (four-year programs), with attached secondary and primary schools. These two programs will be part of the network of schools supported by the NBU.

Student Body Size: 581
Language of Instruction: Portuguese
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Bachelor in Nursing: Candidacy Status-five years [AAA20:65]
2. Bachelor in Theology: Regular Status [AAA08:92] [AAA12:42]
3. Bachelor in Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA08:91]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2008.

Approved by The Educational Offices of Federal Government and State Government (in process). Agreement with: North Brazil Union; Adventist Hospital of Belem; Northwest Brazil Union; Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University Academy; Chile Adventist University; Ecuador Adventist College; Misiones Adventist College; Minas Gerais Adventist College; Northeast Brazil Academy; Parana Adventist Academy; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Andrews University

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Location: Andrews University is located 75 miles northeast of Chicago in Berrien Springs, Michigan.

History: Andrews University was established in 1874 as Battle Creek College in Battle Creek, Michigan. It moved to its current site in 1901 and was renamed Emmanuel Missionary College. In 1959, it was joined by the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary and a school of graduate studies, together known as Potomac University, which was relocated from Washington, DC. Over the next three years, the three entities united under one charter with an integrated board of trustees, administration and faculty, and took on the name Andrews University.

In 1974, the undergraduate division of Andrews was organized into two colleges – the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Technology. The School of Business Administration, which evolved from the Department of Business Administration, was established in 1980. In a similar move, the Department of Education became the School of Education in 1983. The present organizational structure of the School of Graduate Studies was adopted in 1987. In 1993, the Department of Architecture became the Division of Architecture, and in 2012 became a school. It is now the School of Architecture & Interior Design.

In 2011, the School of Distance Education was formed to support distance education and educational programs offered at locations across North America and the world. Because of the many international partnerships, the school has been renamed as the School of Distance Education & International Partnerships. Also in 2012, five departments housed in the College of Arts and Sciences together became the School of Health Professions.

All of the colleges and schools offer both undergraduate and graduate degrees, except for the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary, which maintains graduate and professional programs only. The Seminary offered its first doctorate (in ministry) in 1972. The only Seventh-day Adventist doctoral research university, Andrews University is also a comprehensive institution of higher learning integrating an exemplary liberal arts and sciences core with six prestigious professional schools and a number of excellent graduate programs.

Student Body Size: 3,389
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**College of Arts and Sciences**
1. Associate of Fine Arts – Digital Media: Regular Status [AAA08:19]
2. Associate of Science in Mission and Global Awareness: Regular Status [AAA15:40]
3. Associate of Science in Photography: Regular Status [AAA15:41]
4. Associate of Science in Web Design: Regular Status [AAA15:41]
5. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
6. Bachelor of Arts in French Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
7. Bachelor of Arts in General Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
8. Bachelor of Arts in General Studies Online: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
9. Bachelor of Arts in Global Studies: Regular Status [AAA17:60]
10. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
11. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
12. Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
13. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
14. Bachelor of Arts in Political Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
15. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
17. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
18. Bachelor of Science in Animal Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
20. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
22. Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology: Regular Status [AAA15:42]
23. Bachelor of Science in Biophysics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
24. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
25. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA15:43]
26. Bachelor of Science in Construction Management: Regular Status [AAA12:37]
27. Bachelor of Science in General Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
28. Bachelor of Science in General Studies Online: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
29. Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design: Regular Status [AAA15:42]
30. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
31. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition Science and Dietetics: Regular Status [AAA15:42]
32. Bachelor of Science in Photography: Regular Status [AAA15:42]
33. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
34. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
35. Bachelor of Science in Social Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
36. Bachelor of Fine Arts – Digital Media: Regular Status: [AAA08:19]
37. Bachelor of Fine Arts – Documentary Film: Regular Status [AAA12:37]
38. Bachelor of Interior Design: Regular Status [AAA12:37]
39. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
40. Bachelor of Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
41. Bachelor of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
42. Bachelor of Engineering: Regular Status [AAA03:28]
43. Master of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
44. Master of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
45. Master of Science in Community Development and International Development: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
47. Master of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]

Department of Aviation
School of Architecture
49. Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
50. Master of Architecture: Regular Status [AAA02:23]

School of Business Administration
51. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration – Language and International Business: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
52. Bachelor of Science in Allied Health Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
54. Master of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]

School of Education
1. Master of Arts in Education-Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Psychology, Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
2. Master of Arts in Education-Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA08:19]
5. Master of Arts in TESOL-Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages-Hybrid Program: Regular Status [AAA20:46]
6. Master of Science in Counseling Psychology: Regular Status [AAA15:42]
7. Master of Science in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
8. Master of Science in Education-Special Education/Learning Disabilities: Regular Status [AAA03:05]
9. Specialist - Educational Specialist Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA08:19]
10. Doctor of Education – Curriculum and Instruction; Educational Leadership; Educational Psychology; Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
11. Doctor of Leadership Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA19:61]
12. Doctor of Philosophy in K-12 Educational Administration and Higher Education Administration Online Modality: Regular Status [AAA08:19]

School of Health Professions
1. Bachelor of Health Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
2. Bachelor of Science in Public Health-Environmental Public Health and Behavioral Sciences: Regular Status [AAA17:61]
3. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
4. Bachelor of Science in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
5. Master of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:75]
6. Master of Science in Nursing Online Modality-Nurse Education: Regular Status [AAA08:19]
7. Master of Science in Nutrition and Wellness: [AAA19:62]
11. Doctor of Nursing Practice: 3-year Regular Status [AAA22:065]
12. Doctor of Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA02:23]

**Theological Seminary**
1. Associate of Science in Christian Discipleship: Regular Status [AAA15:40]
2. Associate of Science in Ministry-Spanish Distance Degree: Regular Status [AAA15:40]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA17:62]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Religion and Society: Regular Status [AAA17:62]
5. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:76]
6. Master of Arts in Church-State Studies: Regular Status [AAA02:23]
7. Master of Arts in Music Ministry: Regular Status [AAA02:23]
8. Master of Arts in Pastoral Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:76]
9. Master of Arts in Youth and Young Adult Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:76]
10. Master of Divinity: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:76]

**International Affiliations and Extension campuses/programs include:**

**ECD**

**ESD**
2. Zaoksky Adventist University- Master of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA10:36]
3. Zaoksky Adventist University- Doctor of Ministry (Leadership): Regular Status [AAA10:36]
4. Zaoksky Adventist University- Doctor of Ministry (International Cohort): Regular Status [AAA11:118]

**EUD**
5. Adventus University Cernica- Master of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA10:36]

**MENA**
7. Middle East University-Master of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA10:36]

**SID**

**SUD**
9. Spicer Adventist University- Bachelor of Arts in Economics, English, History, Sociology: Regular Status [AAA13:42]
10. Spicer Adventist University- Bachelor of Science in Biology: Regular Status [AAA13:42]
11. Spicer Adventist University- Master of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA10:36]
Andrews University has been accredited by the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities since 1933.

It was granted university status by the Higher Learning Commission in 1961.

Other accreditations include: American Chemical Society; Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing; Accreditation Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education; the Association of Theological Schools; the Commission on Accrediting; Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET; Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs; Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics; Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology; Council on Education for Public Health; Council on Social Work Education; Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET; Federal Aviation Administration; International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education; International Association of Counseling Services; Michigan Board of Education; Michigan Board of Nursing; National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences; National Architectural Accrediting Board; National Association of School Psychologists; National Association of Schools of Music; National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education.

The institution is approved by the: American Association of University Women; Michigan Board of Nursing.

The institution is a member of the: American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education; American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers; American Mathematical Society; American Schools of Oriental Research; American Theological Library Association; Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture; Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business; Consortium for Outstanding Achievement in Teaching with Technology; Council of Graduate Schools in the United States; Mathematical Association of America; Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters; National Association for Foreign Student Affairs; National Collegiate Honors Council; National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi; Upper Midwest Honors Council.
Antillean Adventist University
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Location: The main campus of Antillean Adventist University is located a few minutes from the city center of Mayaguez, at Km 2.2 of Highway PR 106, within about 284 ropes of mountainous terrain and overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. It has a privileged location, bordered by steep slopes covered with trees. Located on the outskirts of the Western Sultanah, the area’s largest educational and commercial center, it not only creates a serene atmosphere for its students but also professional research opportunities in a warm tropical environment.

History: Antillean Adventist University came from educational institutions in Puerto Rico and Cuba. The Seventh-day Adventist Church opened its first school in Aibonito, Puerto Rico, in 1920. In 1946, the Metropolitan Adventist Academy, a complete high school, was established in Santurce.

In 1957, the Puerto Rican Adventist College was founded in Mayaguez. In May 1961 it received authorization to offer the university-level programs that had been offered at the Antilles College in Santa Clara, Cuba. In September of that year the name of the Adventist College of Puerto Rico was changed; and later, in March of 1962, the name was changed to the name of Antillean College.

On August 18, 1989, the Board of Higher Education authorized the new name of Adventist University of the Antilles (UAA). The UAA is licensed to operate granted by the Puerto Rico Higher Education Council. All the academic programs offered at UAA, which appear in its catalog, with the exception of Religion, have received the authorization of this governmental entity. All programs are approved by the accrediting agency for the Veterans Administration and for the United States Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Educational Program: The University offers a number of programs leading to Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees, and to Master of Arts and Master of Science degrees. It also offers a variety of two-year programs. Loma Linda University offers a Master in in Physical Therapy and IATS (Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary) offers a Master’s degree in Religion at this University. (See entry under IATS)

Student Body Size: 932
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Business

1. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
2. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Accounting, Computer Information Systems, and Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
3. Bachelor of Science in Office Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
Faculty of Religion
4. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
5. Master of Arts in Family Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]

Faculty of Science and Technology
6. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
7. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
8. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]

School of Education, Humanities, and Psychology
11. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
12. Master of Arts in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
16. Post-Baccalaureate Certification in Bilingual Education: Candidacy Status [AAA13:26]
17. Post-Baccalaureate Certification in Special Education: Candidacy Status [AAA13:26]

School of Nursing and Health Sciences
18. Bachelor of Science in Cardiopulmonary Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:43]
20. Master of Science in Nursing-Anesthesia: Candidacy Status [AAA17:47]
21. Master in Medical Surgical Nursing – Critical Care and Gerontology: Regular Status [AAA16:38]
22. Master in Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy: Offered by Loma Linda University Regular Status [AAA99:40]

San Juan Extension Site: Regular Status [AAA10:27]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1978.

Other Accreditation: Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, Puerto Rico Council of Higher Education

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Location: The main campus is located 140 km northeast of Bangkok at 195 Village 3, Muak Lek, Saraburi Province. A smaller campus on the compound of Bangkok Adventist Hospital provides a base for junior and senior nursing students to take their clinical practicum courses.

History: Asia-Pacific International University, as it is today, represents a union of three proud Adventist institutions: Southeast Asia Union College, Singapore (est. 1906), Bangkok Adventist Hospital School of Nursing (est. 1947) and Mission College, Muak Lek Campus (est. 1988).

Southeast Asia Union College, the oldest of the three institutions, was first established as a small secondary school. During the 1950s the school principal introduced tertiary level studies and gained Junior College status in 1956. In the late 1960s the institution became a liberal arts college and offered Bachelors’ degrees in Education and Theology. In 1984, the College began offering fully accredited American degree programs through an affiliation with Walla Walla College, Washington, USA. By the mid-1990s the College’s offerings had grown to include Business Administration, Computer Information Systems, Office Administration, Religion, and the Teaching of English as a second language.

Mission College, School of Nursing, in conjunction with the establishment of Bangkok Adventist Medical Clinic in 1941, the first attempts to initiate a School of Nursing was made. Bangkok Adventist Hospital relocated to a new site in central Bangkok on Pitsanulok Road in 1946. A year later a School of Nursing was opened on the hospital compound and three years later, in 1950, the School celebrated its first graduation, awarding diplomas to 25 nurses. During the 1980s in response to government initiatives and developments in the nursing profession, the School restructured its pre-service nursing program and in 1986 introduced a four-year university level baccalaureate degree in Nursing Science. By 2000, the School had graduated over 1,000 nurses.

Asia-Pacific International University (formerly known as Mission College), the idea of developing a college campus at Muak Lek was developed by church workers in consultation with the Thailand Adventist Mission to meet the needs of higher education among Thai Adventist youth. Opened in 1988 as a branch campus of Mission College in Bangkok, the institution also incorporated the Thailand Adventist Seminary, which for some years had been providing a non-accredited ministerial training program. Four-year degree programs in Accounting, Management, and English language were approved by the Ministry of University Affairs in 1993 and the campus celebrated its first graduation in 1994. With the union of the three legacy institutions, it was decided that the institution had matured enough, and it was time to apply for university status, after expending much time and effort to provide the necessary information required for the application, university status was granted in June 2009 when the Thai Ministry of Education approved Mission College’s proposal to be recognized as a university with the new name Asia-Pacific International University.
Educational Program: Asia-Pacific International University currently offers 14 accredited programs of study. The four Thai programs lead to Bachelor of Arts in English, Bachelor of Accountancy, Bachelor of Business Administration in Modern Business Management and Marketing Management, and Bachelor of Nursing Science. The international English programs were accredited by the Ministry of Higher Education, Science, Research and Innovation (formerly Ministry of University Affairs in 2002 and 2003, and now consist of seven approved undergraduate programs: Bachelor of Arts in English, Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting and Management, Bachelor of Arts in Christian Studies, Bachelor of Arts in Teaching, Bachelor of Science in Bioscience, Bachelor of Nursing Science, and Bachelor of Science in Information Technology. There are two approved graduate programs: Master of Education, and Master of Business Administration.

Student Body Size: 943
Language of Instruction: English, Thai
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Arts and Humanities

International Programs
1. Bachelor of Arts in English – Business Communication, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]

Thai Programs
2. Bachelor of Arts in English – English for Business Communication: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]

Faculty of Business

International Programs
3. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting, Management: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]
4. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]

Thai Programs
6. Master of Business Administration – Accounting and Management: Regular Status [AAA20:103]

Faculty of Nursing

Thai Programs
7. Bachelor of Nursing Science: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]

Faculty of Psychology/Education

International Programs
8. Bachelor of Arts in Teaching: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]

Faculty of Religious Studies

International Programs

Faculty of Science

International Programs
11. Bachelor of Science in Bioscience - Biology, Clinical Lab, and Community Public Health: Regular Status [AAA02:48] Name Change [AAA22:270]
Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and the Ministry of Higher Education, Science, Research and Innovation, Thailand
Accredited since 1995.

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Location: The Lake Macquarie Campus of Avondale University is built on the Avondale Estate, a country property of approximately 325 hectares on the coastal plain about 120 km north of Sydney in New South Wales, Australia.

History: Avondale University is a multi-disciplinary, educational institution, offering undergraduate and postgraduate courses. Avondale began in 1892, when the Australasian Bible School was set up in Melbourne, Victoria, to prepare workers for the fledgling Seventh-day Adventist Church in Australia and New Zealand.

In 1895 Avondale was relocated to its present site in Cooranbong and opened in 1897 as the Avondale School for Christian Workers. Its founders were educational reformers who believed excellence in learning would be incomplete unless integrated with the spiritual, social, and physical aspects of life. They also believed education needed to be practical and effectively equip graduates with skills for work. During this time, Avondale offered courses in missionary training, teaching, business, and Biblical and general studies.

From 1911 to 1963 the institution was known as the Australasian Missionary College. During this period courses were added in ministerial studies, building construction, home economics, art and music. In 1954 Avondale offered for the first-time degree courses in Theology and secondary education through an affiliation arrangement with Pacific Union College.

In 1964 the name Avondale College was adopted. The succeeding years saw growth in enrollment, buildings, teaching staff, academic facilities, and academic standards. In 1994 Avondale applied to the NSW State Government for University status. Positive dialogue ensued but procedures were delayed, largely due to changing government regulations. In 2014, Avondale College of Higher Education submitted an application to the Tertiary Education Quality & Standards Agency (TEQSA) for self-accrediting authority, a step along the journey to University status. In August 2019 the College’s desire to achieve University status made a significant leap forward when TEQSA approved Avondale’s submission for University College status. The destination of University status was realized in 2021 when Avondale was invited by TEQSA to submit an application. On July 1, 2021, TEQSA announced that Avondale had achieved Australian University status.

Avondale has two campuses, both in New South Wales. The Lake Macquarie campus is in a rural setting in the town of Cooranbong. The Sydney campus, home to the School of Nursing and Health, is in the North Shore suburb of Wahroonga, adjacent to the Sydney Adventist Hospital, the largest single-campus private hospital in the state.

Educational Program: Presently, a little less than 1,000 full-time equivalency students are enrolled at Avondale with less than a quarter of the undergraduates being boarding students. Courses at Avondale include undergraduate degrees in arts, business, education, nursing, science and mathematics, and
ministry/theology. Postgraduate master’s degrees by coursework and research are available in arts, philosophy, education, business administration, nursing, lifestyle medicine and Theology. Doctorate degrees are available in three fields of education as categorized by the Australian Government Department of Education: (06) Education; (07) Health; and (09) Society and Culture. Vocational studies include Outdoor Leadership.

Student Body Size: 1,062
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Vocational Courses – generally one year duration**


**Undergraduate Courses/Programs**

*Asterisk indicates honours program available.

2. Bachelor of Arts 3 years – Music: Regular Status [AAA05:50]
3. Bachelor of Arts 3 years – Visual Arts: Regular Status [AAA05:50]
4. Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Teaching: (Birth – 12 years) Regular Status [AAA21:135] Name Change [AAA22:258]
5. Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Teaching: (Primary) Regular Status [AAA21:135] Name Change [AAA22:258]
6. Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Teaching: (Secondary) Regular Status [AAA21:135] Name Change [AAA22:258]
7. Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Teaching: Regular Status [AAA21:135]
8. Bachelor of Business: Regular Status [AAA09:99]
10. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:100]

**Postgraduate courses**

*Asterisk indicates honours program available.

13. Master of Education: Regular Status [AAA05:50]
15. Master of Ministry: Regular Status [AAA09:100]
18. Graduate Certificate in Leadership and Management: Regular Status [AAA09:99]
20. Graduate Diploma in Leadership and Management: Regular Status [AAA09:99]
22. Graduate Diploma in Ministry and Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:100] Name Change [AAA22:259]
23. Graduate Diploma in Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:100]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association; Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA), Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA)
Accredited since 1974.
Registered with: Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS)

Professionally accredited and/or certified by: Australian Children’s Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECOA); Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand; NSW Education Standards Authority; Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia; Psychotherapy and Counseling Federation of Australia

Avondale is a registered higher education provider with TEQSA. All higher education courses are self-accredited under TEQSA’s delegated authority and, where appropriate, with relevant professional bodies. Avondale is a Registered Training Organization (RTO) and delivers VET courses accredited by the Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA). Avondale is registered with the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS) and is therefore approved to give course offers to overseas students who require student visas to study in Australia and to enroll them if visas are granted. Avondale has memoranda of understanding/cooperation with Charles Stuart University (Australia), Hong Kong Adventist College (Hong Kong); and Sahmyook University (South Korea).
Babcock University

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Location: Babcock University is situated in a serene natural environment in Ilishan-Remo, Ogun State, Nigeria.

History: Babcock University (BU) has its roots as the Adventist College of West Africa (ACWA), established on September 17, 1959, with an enrollment of seven ministerial students. As a senior College, the first set of Bachelor of Arts degrees in Theology were awarded under its own name in 1966. In 1975, ACWA entered an affiliation agreement with Andrews University, which enabled it to train students and award bachelor’s degrees, primarily in Biology, Business Administration, Theology, and Religion.

In 1988, ASWA entered an affiliation agreement with the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary of Andrews University, which established an extension program of AU, the M.A. in Pastoral Ministry. The M.A. Religion program was added in 1990. Both programs were upgraded from part-time to resident status in 1992, but later reverted to summer sessions.

A major bridge crossed by the institution in its quest for a charter as Babcock University was the accreditation visit by a team from the National Universities Commission (NUC), representing the government of Nigeria. This was in response to the application of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Nigeria for the establishment of a private tertiary institution with diverse programs ranging from the arts and sciences to technology and medicine. The Certificate of Registration No. 002 was given to the President of the Africa-Indian Ocean Division of Seventh-day Adventists, pioneer Chancellor and former Chairman of the University Council, Pastor Luka T. Daniel, at a May 10, 1999, public ceremony in the Conference Hall of the National Universities Commission in Abuja. The University was formally inaugurated by the Proprietors on June 17, 1999. Babcock University finally opened its gates to welcome the premier intake of 1,006 students on September 13, 1999.

Babcock University’s first Vice Chancellor was Professor Adekunle A. Alalade. He had transitioned from being seminary president at the Adventist Seminary of West Africa). The new university started with three Faculties: Education & Humanities, Science & Technology, and Management & Social Sciences.

In 2006, Professor James A. K. Makinde assumed the position of President/Vice Chancellor and restructured the university administration with two Deputy Vice Chancellors. The second term of Prof. Makinde marked rapid growth in student enrollment and infrastructure. As a result, new programs and the expansion of the old ones took place. The School of Postgraduate Studies, for example, commenced in 2010, and the Law program was approved by the Nigerian government in 2012. Professor C. C. Nwosu was named as the Associate Vice President for Institutional Effectiveness, and a monumental development was the establishment of Benjamin S. Carson Sr. School of Medicine (BCSM) on June 11, 2012, under the College of Health and Medical Sciences (BCSM) with Prof. Iheanyichukwu Okoro, who doubles as the Senior Vice President/Deputy Vice Chancellor, as the Pioneer Provost.
Educational Program: After a study of the programs being offered by the University, the academic structure of the University was restructured from ten to nine schools with the School of Agriculture and Industrial Technology renamed as a department. As directed by the National Universities Commission, the Department of Nutrition and Dietetics was moved to the Benjamin Carson School of Medicine; Social Work was moved to Veronica Adeleke School of Social Sciences, and International Law and Diplomacy was moved to the Department of Political Science and Public Administration. The School of Postgraduate Studies was upgraded to a college. The College of Health and Medical Sciences was renamed as Benjamin Carson College of Health and Medical Sciences.

Student Body Size: 11,051 Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**School of Computing and Engineering Sciences**
1. Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
2. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
3. Bachelor of Science in Computers and Network Technician: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
4. Bachelor of Science in Computer Technology: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
5. Bachelor of Science Software Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA18:162]
6. Master of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
7. Bachelor of Science in Information and Communication Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:162]
9. Doctor of Philosophy-Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA16:104]

**School of Education and Humanities**
11. Bachelor of Arts in English Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
12. Bachelor of Arts in French Studies: Regular Status [AAA08:48]
13. Bachelor of Arts in History and International Relations: Regular Status [AAA03:19] Name change [AAA23:097]
14. Bachelor of Arts in Languages: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
15. Bachelor of Arts in Music Hons.: Regular Status [AAA17:144]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
17. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
18. Bachelor of Education – Business Education, Counseling Psychology, Economics Education, Educational Planning and Administration, English Education: Regular Status [AAA17:145]
20. Master of Arts in History: Regular Status [AAA20:154]
21. Master of Arts in Pastoral Ministry: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
22. Master of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
25. Doctor of Philosophy in History: Candidacy Status [AAA21:196]

**School of Law and Security Studies**
26. Bachelor of Criminal Justice Administration: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
27. Bachelor of Laws: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:195]
28. Bachelor of Security Studies: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
School of Management Sciences
31. Bachelor of Science in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
32. Bachelor of Science in Banking and Finance: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
33. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
34. Bachelor of Science in Catering and Hospitality Management: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
35. Bachelor of Science in Information Resources Management: Regular Status [AAA04:116]
36. Bachelor of Science in Management and Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
37. Bachelor of Science in Marketing: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
38. Bachelor of Science in Public Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
40. Master of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:176]
41. Master of Science in Finance: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
42. Master of Science in Marketing: Regular Status [AAA16:176]
43. Master of Business Administration – Management: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
44. Master in Information Resources Management: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
45. Master in Public Management: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
46. Doctor of Philosophy in Accounting: Candidacy Status [AAA17:148]
47. Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:104]
48. Doctor of Philosophy in Finance: Candidacy Status [AAA20:119]
49. Doctor of Philosophy in Information Resources Management: Regular Status [AAA16:104]
50. Post-Graduate Diploma in Management: Regular Status [AAA16:103]

School of Science, Technology, and Applied Science
51. Bachelor of Agriculture - Agricultural Economics: Regular Status [AAA17:146] Name change [AAA23:097]
52. Bachelor of Agriculture - Agronomy: Regular Status [AAA18:159] Name change [AAA23:097]
53. Bachelor of Agriculture - Animal Science: Regular Status [AAA17:146] Name change [AAA23:097]
54. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Regular Status [AAA18:160]
55. Bachelor of Science in Construction and Woodwork Technology: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
56. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
57. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
58. Bachelor of Science in Microbiology: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
59. Bachelor of Science in Molecular Biology and Biotechnology: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
60. Bachelor of Science in Printing and Graphics Technology: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
61. Master of Science in Agronomy: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
62. Master of Science in Animal Science: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
63. Master of Science in Microbiology: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
64. Master of Philosophy/Doctor of Philosophy-Agricultural Economics: Candidacy Status [AAA11:88]
67. Doctor of Philosophy in Agricultural Economics: Regular Status [AAA17:146]
68. Doctor of Philosophy in Agronomy: Regular Status [AAA17:146]
69. Doctor of Philosophy in Animal Science: Regular Status [AAA17:146]

Veronica Adeleke School of Social Sciences
1. Bachelor of Science in Mass Communication: Regular Status [AAA03:19] Name change [AAA23:097]
2. Bachelor of Science in Political Science: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
3. Bachelor of Science in Economics: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
4. Bachelor of Science in Political Science: – International Law and Diplomacy: Regular Status [AAA16:175]
5. Bachelor of Science in Social Work Hons.: Regular Status [AAA15:163]
7. Master of Science in Economics: Regular Status [AAA18:163]
9. Master of Science in Political Science: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
12. Doctor of Philosophy in Political Science: Regular Status [AAA17:143]

**College of Health and Medical Science**

**Benjamin S. Carson School of Medicine**

13. Bachelor of Science in Anatomy: Candidacy Status [AAA17:147]
14. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
15. Bachelor of Science in Physiology: Regular Status [AAA18:161]
16. Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science Hons: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
17. Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery 6-year: Regular Status [AAA17:150]
18. Master of Science in Biochemistry: Regular Status [AAA13:115]
19. Master of Science in Physiology: Candidacy Status [AAA20:121]

**School of Nursing**

21. Bachelor of Science in Health Science: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA22:166]
22. Bachelor of Nursing Science – Nursing: Regular Status [AAA03:19]
23. Master of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA17:149]
24. Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA20:118]

**School of Public Health and Allied Health**

25. Bachelor of Science in Public Health Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:19]

100. Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health – Health Education and Promotion: Regular Status [AAA12:100]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association and National Universities Commission of Nigeria
Accredited since 1966.
Certification/Registration by: The Nigerian Government
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Location: Bahia Adventist College (FADBA) is situated at 800 m from Interstate BR 101, in the Village of Capoeirucu. It is 4.5 km from Cachoeira, and 130 km from Salvador, capital city of the state of Bahia.

History: The Adventist Teaching Institute of the Northeast (IAENE) was built on a farm known as Capoeirucu, in Cachoeira, approximately 130 kilometers from Salvador, capital city of the state of Bahia, in 1977, by the Eastern Union of Seventh-day Adventists, Brazil.

The school’s management began its educational activities in 1979 when a preparatory course for the Brazilian General Education Development test, equivalent to high school, was started. Elementary and secondary education began in 1980 and 1982, respectively. A course aimed at the Brazilian entrance exam was started in 1985, allowing the beginning of higher education in 1987, when the Faculty of Theology began its activities.

The growing demand, on a national level, for well-trained professionals who could work to fulfill the mission of our church and the successful experience with elementary, secondary, and theological education inspired our leaders to create new higher-level courses: Administration and Business (in 1998), Education, and Physiotherapy (in 1999), each course being called “college.”: FAAD – Adventist College of Administration, FAENE – Adventist College of Education, FAFIS – Adventist College of Physiotherapy. The undergraduate courses in Nursing and Psychology were the next to start, in 2008 and 2009, respectively. The Brazilian Ministry of Education granted full accreditation to these courses, showing that the school met the expectations of education specialists in terms of faculty, physical structure, and methodology.

In 2011, through the integration process, the college added the faculties of Administration, Physiotherapy and Education, with their respective courses, and the institution was renamed Faculdade Adventista da Bahia (FADBA).

Educational Program: The institution maintains the operation of undergraduate courses: Administration, Accounting Sciences, Dentistry, Law, Nursing, Nutrition, Pedagogy, Psychology, Physiotherapy, and Theology (bachelor’s degrees), and Gastronomy, and Technology Management of Information (technologist degrees), in a total of twelve courses, all in the face-to-face modality, distributed in four schools, namely, School of Applied Social Sciences, School of Humanities, School of Health and School of Theology. The lato sensu postgraduate courses, (specialization courses), coordinated by the PostGraduate School, has also been part of FADBA’s educational services since 1998, when they were still incumbent faculties, in the face-to-face modality and on-line options. The courses offered are related to the undergraduate areas. In October 2019, the Secretariat for Regulation and Supervision of Higher Education (SERES) was in favor of the institution’s request to work in the distance education modality, with undergraduate and graduate courses.
Student Body Size: 1,782
Language of Instruction: Portuguese
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

School of Applied Social Sciences
1. Bachelor in Accounting Services: Regular Status [AAA14:137] Name change [AAA23:047]
2. Bachelor in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:102]

School of Health
4. Bachelor in Nutrition: Regular Status [AAA19:73]
6. Bachelor of Arts in Gastronomy: Regular Status [AAA21:121]
7. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:086]
8. Bachelor of Dentistry: Regular Status [AAA23:049]
9. Bachelor of Science in Veterinary Medicine: Candidacy Status [AAA22:239]

School of Humanities

School of Theology
11. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:103]

Postgraduate School
13. Diploma in Auditing Health Services: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
15. Diploma in Health of the Elderly – Multidisciplinary Care: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
16. Diploma in Hospital-Based Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
17. Diploma in Hospital Psychology: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
18. Diploma in Pedagogical Work Management: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
20. Diploma in Personnel Management and Corporate Health: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
22. Diploma in Project Management: Regular Status [AAA15:146]
24. Diploma in Teaching and Research in Higher Education: Regular Status [AAA15:146]

Approved by The Educational Offices of Federal Government and State Government Agreement with Loma Linda University, Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University, Brazil Adventist University, Chile Adventist University, Ecuador Adventist College, Minas Gerais Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College, Parana Adventist Academy, Paraguay Adventist University, Peruvian Union University, River Plate Adventist University
Bangladesh Adventist Seminary and College

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Location: The College is in a rural area about 30 miles northwest of Dhaka on the Dhaka-Tangail Highway.

History: In 1964 several plots of land were purchased in the village of Gowalbathan near Kaliakoir, Gazipur with the plan of starting an educational program. By 1969 the educational need of the young people was given careful consideration and a coeducational boarding junior high school was established. In 1970 thirty students enrolled in the pioneer school. In 1972 the senior high school section of Kellogg Mookerjee Memorial Seminary was brought to this campus. By 1973 the program was upgraded to a full 10-grade high school. A two-year seminary program beyond high school was also introduced to train more workers for the field.

Between 1977 and 1981 more land was purchased, and in 1983 Bangladesh Adventist Seminary was ready to consider offering higher college level classes. In June 1983 the junior college program was begun. Preparations for upgrading the institution to a four-year program began in 1988 and the four-year program in Business, Religion, and Education was inaugurated in August 1990.

In 1997, BASC filed application with University Grant Commission to be recognized as a Private University. Thus, the name of the institution was changed to Adventist University and Seminary of Bangladesh (AUSB) at the September Evaluation in 1998. In 2000 the school changed its name back to BASC and reorganized along traditional SDA fundamentals.

From 2013 to present, several developments have taken place including the establishment of Adventist International Mission School at BASC (AIMS, BASC), new boys’ hostel, first floor renovation of cafeteria, kitchen, BASC Church, and library, and purchase of additional library computers. A lot of service teams came from South Korea and USA for free dental and medical services almost each year and some were sent to remote areas, resulting in a total of 387 baptisms.

About 500 students have been sponsored each year by Adventist Bangladesh Mission (ABM), Bangladesh Children Sponsorship Service (BCSS), Bangla Hope, and Bangladesh Mission Services (BMS) as well as supporting with the salaries of field pastoral workers in the four missions of BAUM who graduated from BASC, majoring in Religion, and many project workers’ salaries.

Most significant is the building of the Nursing College and eventual establishment of Bangladesh Adventist Nursing Institute (BANI) supported by BASC fundraising, SSD and 13th Sabbath Offering of the General Conference including a three-story classroom building, the Hyun Sook Kim Hostel (Nursing College Girls’ Hostel), Young Ja Han Auditorium (2000 seats capacity), and Nursing Faculty houses. In addition, Senior Citizens’ Dwelling Place is being constructed (by BAUM’s fundraising) at BASC campus, the land being given freely by BASC.
Educational Program: The BANI 3-years diploma program was approved by Bangladesh Government on October 4, 2016, and by Southern Asia-Pacific Division of the General Conference by November 2016, and inaugurated on November 12, 2016, by the General Conference President. The academic programs are designed to prepare workers for the Bangladesh Seventh-day Adventist Church and for non-governmental organizations in the country.

Student Body Size: 99
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Diploma in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:142]
   2. Bachelor of Arts in Education: Regular Status [AAA02:45]
   3. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA02:45]
   4. Bachelor of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA02:45]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1993.
Belgrade Theological Seminary
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Location: The Belgrade Theological Seminary is located in the city of Belgrade, in a very pleasant and peaceful part called Banovo Brdo. It is close to public transportation and with park area “Kosutnjak” within walking distance.

History: In 1931, the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the former Yugoslavia, recognizing the need for an educational center, established a Union Training School in Belgrade. The institution was transferred to Zagreb (Croatia) and operated there from 1932 to 1942, when it was closed because of World War II.

In 1955, a training School for ministers was re-established in Rakovica near Belgrade. As urban development in the Rakovica area increased, the school moved to Marusevec in Croatia in 1974. Here the school changed its name to Adventist Seminary consisting of the Secondary School and the Adventist College of Theology. While this institution continues under the name of the Adriatic Union College, political instability in the Balkans eventually led to the development of a separate seminary in 1992 to serve the South-East European Union. Thus the Belgrade Theological Seminary was organized.

After the initial AAA visit in 1995, a full accreditation visit was conducted in 1996, 2002, 2005, 2008, 2011, 2016 and 2019. By the end of the 2021/22 academic year, 236 students had graduated from the Belgrade Theological Seminary. Currently 90% of the pastors working in the SEEUC graduated from this institution. The Union has also lost 37 ministerial workers in the last 10 years (some of them serving the ex-Yugoslav community worldwide).

Educational Program: The Seminary offers a four-year program in Theology for the preparation of Seventh-day Adventist ministers and Bible workers.

Student Body Size: 27
Language of Instruction: Serbian
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:186]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1995.
Bogenhofen Seminary  
(Seminar Schloss Bogenhofen)

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Location: Bogenhofen Seminary is located about 38 miles (60 km) north of Salzburg and about 75 miles (120 km) east of Munich.

History: The Schloss (castle) Bogenhofen, was purchased in 1949 by the Seventh-day Adventist Church to establish a missionary and pastoral training school for Austria and Switzerland. The first class started in November 1949, with 22 students and 2 teachers. In the second school year, this number was doubled and students enrolled either for the so-called mission course (today the Bachelor of Theology program), the pre-nursing course (offered until 1961) or a one-year general education course (offered until 1974).

In 1953 Bogenhofen Seminary became an “Inter-Union School” as the official ministerial training site for the SDA Church in Austrian and the German-speaking part of Switzerland. In 1992, the Theology program was expanded from two to four years to become a senior college, which was officially accredited by the IBE as Bachelor of Theology (BTh) in 1997.

The language school “German as Foreign Language” was established in 1953 and became part of the Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA) Consortium in 1967.

The secondary school (Bogenhofen Academy), was established in 1959 and expanded into a 4-year program in 1968, accredited by the Austrian government in 1984, granting officially recognized matriculation diplomas (A-levels) for university entrance. The secondary school has two emphases that are in harmony with the goals and ideals of Adventist education, music and health. Both are officially recognized by Austria as special emphases of the curriculum.

In the fall of 2017, Bogenhofen opened its doors for the new School of Education, offering a tertiary level study program for elementary school teachers in Austria, Switzerland, and Germany. This program is conducted in cooperation with the SDA Middle East University (MEU) in Beirut, Lebanon. The program is bilingual, offering classes in German and English.

Student Body Size: 54  
Language of Instruction: German (B.Ed.: partly English)

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
1. Diploma in German Language: Regular Status [AAA22:208]  
2. Bachelor in Elementary Education with Teaching Diploma: Regular Status-Offered by Middle East University [AAA22:225]  
3. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:34]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association since 1983. The institution is also authorized by the Ministry of Internal Affairs, Austria, to conduct study programs.
Bolivia Adventist University
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Location: The Bolivian Adventist University (UAB) is located near Vinto, in the Cochabamba Valley. Its elevation above sea level is 2,570 m (about 9,640 ft.). This area is located between La Paz and Santa Cruz, which are the other important cities of this country. It is 18 km from Cochabamba, a city of approximately 856,000 inhabitants. The campus covers 20 hectares.

History: The Bolivian Adventist University is a Higher Education Institution founded by the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The beginnings of the Adventist University date back to the educational project originated in 1928 by the Bolivian Adventist Institute in the rural town of Collana, located in the Department of La Paz.

The Institute, which in 1931 received official recognition from the national educational authorities, was transferred years later to the town of Carcaje in Cochabamba. In 1949, before the imminence that the institution’s land would be flooded to make way for the Angostura Dam, it moved to Vinto, in the lower Valley of the Department of Cochabamba. In this new location the tasks of the institution were enriched. In 1957 the secondary school was added to the Escuela Normal Rural and in 1973 the Escuela Normal Urbana. Both have given a generation of teachers who have energized teaching in Bolivia.

Based on the experience accumulated in more than six decades of educational work, it was decided to enter university education. Thus, the Ministry of Education and Culture, through Ministerial Resolution No. 1047 of July 31, 1991, authorized the opening and operation of the UAB.

On April 11, 2012, the Constitutional President of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Evo Morales Ayma, issued Supreme Decree No. 1190, declaring the Bolivian Adventist University a Hierarchical University, ratifying the authorization to open legal operations. Thus, the UAB is in a position to offer professional training programs or careers at the degree level. Higher Technician, undergraduate (bachelor’s degrees), Postgraduate: Diploma, Specialty, Master’s and Doctorate.

Educational Program: Currently, the UAB is organized into 7 academic areas with their respective undergraduate degree courses, namely Theology, Health (Nursing, Biochemistry, Physotherapy and Kinesiology, Nutrition and Dietetics), Accounting and Administration Sciences, (Public Accounting, International Business and Administration, Commercial Engineering, Financial Engineering), Humanities, and Social Sciences (Psychology, Psychopedagogy and Physical Activity and Sports), Engineering, (Systems Engineering, Environmental Engineering and Network and Telecommunications Engineering), Complementary Programs (Public Accounting, Administration and International Business and Systems Engineering), with the Postgraduate level: Master’s Degree (Education and Administration)

The UAB is currently implementing new careers that will strengthen the comprehensive training of professionals with four new careers: Civil Engineering, Architecture and Urban Planning, Law, Social Communication and Digital Media.
Student Body Size: 1,952
Language of Instruction: Spanish

**School of Accounting and Administration**
4. Bachelor of Arts in Public Accounting: Regular Status [AAA08:93]
6. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA19:78]

**School of Education**
8. Diploma in Scientific Research: Regular Status [AAA15:140]
15. Master of Education: Candidacy Status [AAA19:79]

**School of Engineering**
17. Bachelor in Civil Engineering: Regular Status [AAA22:241]

**School of Nursing**
22. Bachelor in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:105]

**School of Theology**

Approved by Bolivia Ministry of Education
Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1987.

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Brazil Adventist University Academy; Chile Adventist University; Ecuador Adventist College; Misiones Adventist College; Minas Gerais Adventist College; Northeast Brazil Academy; Parana Adventist Academy; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Bongo Adventist Higher Polytechnic Institute  
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(Pre-Candidacy Status)  

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Location: In the city of Huambo, Angola  

History: Adventist University of Angola used to operate at Bongo, a village about 60 Kms from Huambo, the second largest city in Angola, as a seminary before the war in Angola broke out. During the war the entire campus, was destroyed consisting of seminary buildings, a hospital and a secondary school was completely destroyed. When the war ended, realizing the need to train workers, especially ministers for the church, the leadership in Angola, then one union, decided to reopen the institution in Huambo city. Currently, Adventist University of Angola operates on a small campus in the city under an affiliation arrangement (extension campus) with/of Montemorelos University in Mexico since 2011.  

The university currently only operates as a seminary and offers one program – BA in Theology. Unfortunately, as of September 2016 Seminario Adventista do Bongo has not received authorization from the Government of Angola, the initial application was made in 2006. The Adventist University of Angola is operated by the two Angola unions - NEAU and SWAU has its current campus located at Rua Teixeira da Silva, Cidade Alta, in Huambo city.  

Educational Program: BA Theology degree, an extension for Montemorelos University.  

Student Body Size: 128  
Language of Instruction: Portuguese  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered by Montemorelos University: Regular Status [AAA11:25]  

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association/Pre-Candidacy Status: 2013
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(Comprised of Engenheiro Coelho, Hortolandia, and Sao Paulo Campuses)

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History: At the time a property was bought in the region of Capao Redondo, it was a farm with beautiful hills and dedicated pioneers of Adventist education in Brazil. Forming missionaries was the reason for the new school, called the Adventist Seminary. But more than that, the goal was to instruct people interested in living and preaching the message of the advent. Everyone worked for an ideal and with great love and dedication the school grew. In 1923 it became an Adventist College and, ten years later, the Adventist College of Brazil, the late CAB. Changes and arrangements have been felt at various times as the institution improves to offer state-of-the-art teaching.

In addition to being confessional, the Adventist Teaching Institute (IAE), as it was later called, wanted to be recognized for excellence in education, and did nothing less. The first courses, such as Nursing, Theology and Pedagogy, are now traditional and conceptualized by the authorities in the country.

IAE grew and the need for a new campus was urgent. For this purpose, several properties were visited in the interior of Sao Paulo until, in an orange farm, in the municipality of Artur Nogueira (now Engelheiro Coelho), a place was found for the new college, and the construction was soon started.
With the goal of still founding the Adventist University of Brazil, the leaders were enthusiastic about each new course, now on two campuses. Arts, Education, Literature, Administration, Nutrition, Mathematics, Physical Education, Computer Science, Biology, Civil Engineering, Journalism, Advertising and Propaganda, Accounting and Law; One by One the faculties were being implanted and giving body to the project of Adventist University Center, level reached in the end of the decade of 1990.

Over the years UNASP has been strengthened further by joining the Sao Paulo Adventist Institute (IASP) in Hortolandia. Renowned for its excellence in teaching, the third campus helped to transform the university center, making it an even better place.

The most recent strengthening of UNASP was the creation of the Distance Learning Campus- EAD Campus, a campus with online courses, allowing students from all over the world to have the experience of studying and graduating from the institution.

Educational Program: UNASP has grown and now, with four campuses, quadruples its quality of teaching and service. It offers Bachelor, License and Post Graduate degrees and Summer Programs Business and Technologies degrees in the areas of Theology, Educations, Business and Modern Languages: Furthermore, the University offers Distance Learning Programs in several areas.

Student Body Size: 8,512
Language of Instruction: Portuguese
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Campus Sao Paulo**

**Accounting Science**
1. Bachelor in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Agriculture**
2. Agricultural Engineering (Bacharel): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]

**Architecture**
3. Bachelor in Architecture: Candidacy Status [AAA18:76]

**Art**
4. Bachelor of Arts in Music, Face-to-face modality: Regular Status [AAA23:055]

**Biology**
5. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Business**
6. Associate Degree in Information Technology Management: Candidacy Status [AAA19:185]
7. Bachelor in Advertising: Candidacy Status [AAA18:77]
8. Bachelor in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
9. Bachelor in Publicity and Advertising: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
11. Associate in Digital Marketing (Tecnologo): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]

**Education**
12. Diploma in Leadership and Service, Sao Paulo Campus, face-to-face modality, 18-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
13. Bachelor in Artistic Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
14. Bachelor in Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
15. Bachelor in Translation and Interpreting: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
16. Bachelor in Mathematics with Teaching Certification (Licenciado): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]
17. Bachelor in History with Teaching Certification (Licenciado): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]

Engineering
18. Bachelor in Civil Engineering: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Medicine
20. Diploma in Hospital Psychology, Sao Paulo Campus, face-to-face modality, 18-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
21. Bachelor in Veterinary Medicine, Five-year: Candidacy Status [AAA20:66]

Nursing
22. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Nutrition
23. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Physical Education
24. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Physical Therapy
25. Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Psychology
26. Bachelor in Social Communication: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
27. Bachelor in Psychology (Bacharel): Offered Historically Regular Status [23:050]

Technology of Computing
28. Bachelor in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
29. Bachelor in Computer Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA12:145]
31. Associate Degree in Data Bank – Two-year, Face-to-face modality: Candidacy Status [AAA23:052]
32. Bachelor of Arts Degree in Computer Engineering, Face-to-face modality: Regular Status [AAA23:057]
33. Bachelor of Arts Degree in Information Systems, Face-to-face modality: Regular Status [AAA23:058]

Theology
34. Diploma in Adventist Studies (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA18:222]
35. Diploma in Chaplaincy (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA18:222]
36. Diploma in Leadership and Christian Ministry (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA18:222]
37. Bachelor in Theology: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Graduate Degrees
38. Master of Applied Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]
40. Master in Education: Candidacy Status [16:145]
41. Master in Leadership/Andrews University: Regular Status [AAA10:53]
42. Master in Missiology (with SALT: Regular Status [AAA18:221]
43. Master in Public Health: Candidacy Status [AAA11:46]
44. Master in Systematic Theology (with SALT: Regular Status [AAA18:221]
45. Master of Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]
46. Master of Theology – Mission Studies (with SALT): Candidacy Status [AAA15:68]
47. Master in Theological Studies, Biblical Theology and Pastoral Theology (with SALT: Candidacy Status [AAA10:55]
48. Doctor of Applied Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Campo Limpo Extension Campus:**
1. Bachelor in Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA18:83]
2. Bachelor in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:84]

**Liberdade Extension Campus:**
3. Bachelor in Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA18:79]
4. Bachelor in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:80]
5. Bachelor in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA18:78]

**Vila Matilde Extension Campus**
6. Bachelor in Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA18:81]
7. Bachelor in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:82]

**Campus Engenheiro Coelho**
**Business**
1. Bachelor in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
2. Bachelor in Advertising: Candidacy Status [AAA18:77]
3. Bachelor in Architecture: Candidacy Status [AAA18:76]
4. Bachelor in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
5. Bachelor in Publicity and Advertising: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Education**
6. Bachelor in Artistic Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
7. Bachelor in Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
8. Bachelor in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA17:191]
9. Bachelor in Social Communication: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
10. Bachelor in Translation and Interpreting: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Engineering**
11. Bachelor in Civil Engineering: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Nursing**
12. Bachelor in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA22:100]

**Medicine**
13. Bachelor in Pharmacy: Preliminary Accreditation Status [AAA18:86]

**Theology**
14. Bachelor in Theology: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Graduate Degrees**
15. Master in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA16:145]
16. Master of Applied Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]
17. Master of Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]
18. Doctor of Applied Theology (with SALT): Regular Status [AAA02:42]

**Social Science**

**Campus Hortolandia**
**Business**
1. Diploma in Personnel Management, Hortolandia campus, face-to-face modality, 18-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
2. Bachelor in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
3. Bachelor in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Law: Regular Status [AAA18:216]
5. Bachelor in Publicity and Advertising: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Education
7. Bachelor in Architecture: Regular Status [AAA17:191]
8. Bachelor in Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]
9. Bachelor in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA17:191]

Nursing
10. Diploma in Activities and Management of Fitness and Wellness, Hortolandia campus, face-to-face modality, 15-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
11. Diploma in Basis for Prescribing Physical Activity to Patients with Chronic Diseases, Hortolandia campus, face-to-face modality, 12-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
12. Diploma in Institutional and Clinical Psychology, Hortolandia campus, face-to-face modality, 18-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]

Physical Education
14. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education: Regular Status [AAA02:42]

Systems Information
15. Bachelor in Computer Engineering: Regular Status [AAA17:191]
16. Bachelor in Information Systems (Bacharel): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]

Virtual Campus
1. Diploma in Management of Distance Education and Online Instruction, virtual modality, 15-month duration: Regular Status [AAA15:142]
2. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Advertisement Production, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
3. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Advertising Production, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:097]
4. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Agribusiness Management, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
5. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Audiovisual Production, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:095]
6. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Financial Management, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:090]
7. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Gastronomy, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
8. Associate Degree – Two Year, in Graphic Design, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:093]
9. Associate Degree – Two-Year in Human Resources, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
10. Associate Degree - Two-Year, in Institutional Communication, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:092]
11. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Logistics, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
12. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Management Processes, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
13. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Marketing, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:090]
14. Associate Degree - Two-Year, in Multimedia Production, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:096]
15. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Photography. online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:094]
16. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Secretarial Science, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:090]
17. Associate Degree – Two-Year, in Systems Development and Analysis, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
18. Bachelor in Accounting, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
19. Bachelor in Business Administration, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
20. Bachelor in Education, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
22. Bachelor in Journalism – Four-Year, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
23. Bachelor in Law: online modality: Regular Status [AAA20:140]
24. Bachelor in Letters – Three-Year, in English with Teacher Certification, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
25. Bachelor in Physical Education – Three-Year, with Teacher Certification, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
26. Bachelor in Physical Education – Four-Year, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
27. Bachelor in Social Communication - Four-Year, Publicity and Advertisement, online modality: Regular Status [AAA22:091]
28. Licenciatura in Modern Languages – Portuguese, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA14:48]
30. Associate Degree in Digital Games (Tecnologo): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]
31. Teaching Certification for Gratuates: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]
32. Teaching Certification for an Additional Degree: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:050]
33. Associate Degree in Digital Business – Two-year, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA23:051]
34. Associate degree in Commercial Management – Distance modality: Regular Status [AAA23:053]
35. Associate degree in Logistics – Distance modality: Regular Status [AAA23:054]
36. Associate degree in Information Security – Distance modality: Regular Status [AAA23:056]

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Accredited since 1991.
Approved by The Educational Offices of Federal Government and State Government

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Bugema University

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Location: Bugema University is located on a 640-acre piece of land in Luwero District, Bamunanika county, Kalagala sub-county, Kamira Parish 32 km (20 miles) North of Kampala.

History: The Adventist church missionaries arrived in Uganda in 1927 and started the first Adventist educational institution at Nchwanga in West-Central Uganda. The primary function of the institution was to train pastors and workers. In 1948 the institution moved to a newly purchased property of 640 acres at Bugema, 34 kilometers from Kampala. By 1970 a junior college began its operation, training pastors for the field and four years later, the denomination upgraded the institution into a four-year seminary, granting a bachelor’s degree in Theology (BTh).

In 1985 training in business studies was included, and in 1994 the institution obtained a government license to operate as a university. The Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) visited the University in 1995 and recommended the accreditation to Bachelor of Theology, Bachelor of Business Administration (in Management and Accounting), and Bachelor of Arts in Religion.

Subsequent visits of the AAA and International Board of Education (IBE) allowed the University to restructure the programs under two schools: School of Arts and Social Sciences and School of Business. The former had four Departments: Development Studies, Education with emphasis in Primary (elementary) and Secondary Teaching, Social Work, and Theology and Religious Studies. The School of Business comprised three Departments: Accounting and Finance, Management, and Information Technology. Under these Departments, the University offers 12 Degree programs with various degree majors and several vocational certificates and professional licenses.

In 2008, the administration embarked on an extensive promotion for the University in Central, Southern and Eastern Africa. The growth of the University was appreciated by both AAA and the National Council of Higher Education in Uganda, and through the evaluation of the entire BU activities, the President of Uganda awarded the institution a Charter on June 29, 2009. His Excellency, the President of Uganda, signed the Charter on April 26, 2010.

Educational Program: Bugema University started offering graduate studies in 2010. Subsequent visits of the International Board of Education (IBE) and Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) authorized the University to run graduate programs in Business Administration (MBA), Education (MA), Development (MA), and in Counseling Psychology (MSc). In 2012 the Master of Public Health (MPH) was added. In 2015 Bugema University added five science programs in its curriculum, namely: BSc in Agriculture, BSc in Biochemistry, BSc Environmental Science, BSc in Food Science and Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN) and a Masters in Information Technology. The University has initiated additional post-graduate programs, including Masters in Public Administration and Management, Masters in Public Health, Master in Social Work and Social Administration and PhD programs in Environmental Management, Educational Development and Rural Development that have all been accredited by the NCHE.
The University has developed a quality assurance document, which delineates self-regulating and self-maintaining procedures to maintain standards of quality and excellence in the operations of the entire University for the purpose of academic delivery of services to stakeholders.

Student Body: 3,238 
Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**School of Business Administration**
1. Diploma in Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA06:57]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA06:57]

**School of Agriculture and Applied Sciences**
4. Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness Innovation and Management: Candidacy Status [AAA20:16]
5. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture: Candidacy Status [AAA20:20]
6. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science: Candidacy Status [AAA20:19]
7. Bachelor of Science in Food Technology and Human Nutrition: Candidacy Status [AAA20:21]
8. Doctor of Philosophy in Environment Management: Candidacy Status [AAA17:20]

**School of Health and Allied Sciences**
9. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19: 09]
10. Master of Public Health: Regular Status [AAA14:103]

**School of Science and Technology**
14. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Candidacy Status [AAA20:18]
15. Master of Science in Information Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:190]

**School of Education, Humanities, and Social Sciences**
16. Diploma in Education: Regular Status [AAA04:80]
17. Diploma in Secondary Education: Regular Status [AAA06:57]
18. Diploma in Development Studies: Regular Status [AAA06:57]
20. Bachelor of Arts with Education - Secondary Education: Regular Status [AAA06:57]
22. Master of Arts in Education Management: Candidacy Status [AAA10:107]
23. Master of Arts in Development Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA10:107]
24. Master of Science in Counseling Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA10:107]
25. Doctor of Philosophy in Development Education: Candidacy Status [AAA17:18]
26. Doctor of Philosophy in Rural Development: Candidacy Status [AAA17:19]

**School of Theology and Religious Studies**
27. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA04:80]
28. Bachelor of Religion: Regular Status [AAA04:80]

1. Arua Extension Center: Candidacy Status [AAA18:12]
2. Kasese Extension Center: Candidacy Status [AAA18:13]
3. Mbale Extension Center: Candidacy Status [AAA18:11]

Other Accreditation: Bugema University is chartered by the Ministry of Education and Sports of the Republic of Uganda through the National Council for Higher Education, as an institution of higher learning.
Membership: Bugema University subscribes to various institutions and associations
1. Regional Universities Forum for Capacity Building in Agriculture (RUFORUM)
2. The Inter-University Council for East Africa (IUCEA)
3. East African Quality Assurance Network (EAQAN)
4. Uganda Universities Quality Assurance Forum (UUQAF)
5. The Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU)
6. The Association of African Universities (AAU)
7. The Pan-African Association of Adventist Universities and Colleges (PAUC)
8. Uganda Vice Chancellors Forum (UVCF)
9. The Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Association-Africa (AHSRA-Africa)
Location: Burman University is situated in Lacombe, Alberta. Beautiful lakes, nestled among rolling hills, are visible in every direction. Lacombe is about midway between Calgary and Edmonton. Provincial Highway Number 2, connecting these two cities, passes within one kilometer of the campus.

History: Western Canada experienced unprecedented growth during the first decade of the 20th century. Immigrants from Europe, the eastern provinces, and the United States followed the railroads westward. The growing population made it necessary to organize the territory into provinces. Alberta gained its provincial status in 1905 and two years later a group of Seventh-day Adventist laypersons and church leaders established a school for their youth near Leduc, Alberta. Burman University traces its roots to this first Alberta Seventh-day Adventist secondary school.

Overlooking miles of the surrounding countryside and consisting of a campus and over 1,200 acres of farmland, the present location of the university on a hilltop in Lacombe, Alberta, was chosen as the permanent site for the secondary school in 1909. This high school has continued to operate until the present and now has the name Parkview Adventist Academy.

Academic growth of the institution has been continuous for almost a century. In 1919 the Board of Trustees authorized the establishment of a junior college. There followed in 1947 the development of a four-year program in Theology. In 1971 Canadian Union College, as it was known from 1947 to 1997, entered into an affiliation agreement with the University of Alberta. What was initially an agreement covering first year courses only was later extended to include the second year. Between 1979 and 1996 the University College offered several baccalaureate degree programs through a Partner Campus Agreement with Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska. The final year of the Union College Partner Campus Agreement was the 2007/08 academic year. Between 1991 and 1996 the Government of Alberta authorized the University College to offer several three- and four-year degree programs. In 1997, to more correctly reflect the degree-granting status of the institution, the name was changed to Canadian University College.

On July 2, 2014, the Alberta government granted CUC permission to change the institution’s status and name from “University College” to “University.” On December 15, 2014, the CUC Board of Trustees approved changing the institution’s name from Canadian University College to Burman University.

The University is named after Charles A. and Leona Burman, the husband-and-wife team who founded the institution in 1907. Charles A. Burman served as the first and third President (Principal) of the school that would be known as CUC. Leona Burman taught English, Science, Language, Geography, Physiology, and acted as school nurse. Both Charles and Leona devoted their entire lives to service.

“It was because of their selfless dedication and sacrifice that the first school on this hilltop was established,” says former President Mark Haynal. “In every season of their ministry both of these individuals exemplified the mission of our school. They thought with discernment, believed with insight and commitment, and acted with confidence, compassion and competence.”
Educational programs: Three-Year and Four-Year Bachelor’s degree programs in a wide range of disciplines, as well as five certificates and a designation are offered on the campus of the University College. Limited Master’s degrees, extended campus, and articulated programs are also available.

Student Body Size: 363
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Arts**
1. Bachelor of Arts in Adventure Based Counseling: Regular Status [AAA05:45]

**Faculty of Business**
2. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]
3. Bachelor of Arts in International Studies: Regular Status [AAA10:38]
4. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in Outdoor Adventure Business Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:06]
5. Bachelor of Business Administration 4-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]

**Faculty of Education**
6. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]
7. Bachelor of Arts 4-year in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]
8. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in General Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]
9. Bachelor of Education: Regular Status [AAA05:45]
10. Bachelor of Education After-Degree Program: Regular Status [AAA10:38]
11. Bachelor of Education After-Degree Program – Elementary and Secondary Tracks: Regular Status [AAA12:40]
12. Master of Education - Administration and Leadership, Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status [AAA13:46]

**Faculty of Music**
13. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:77]
14. Bachelor of Music – Performance: Regular Status [AAA09:25]

**Faculty of Religious Studies**
15. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in Religious Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:78]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies – Adventure Based Youth Leadership: Regular Status [AAA00:44]
17. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies – Native Ministry Pre-Professional Track: Regular Status [AAA02:24]

**Faculty of Science**
18. Bachelor of Arts 3-year in International Health and Wilderness Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:06]
19. Bachelor of Science 3-year in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA02:24]
20. Bachelor of Science 3-year in Wellness Management: Regular Status [AAA02:24]
21. Bachelor of Science 4-year in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA04:52]
22. Bachelor of Science 4-year in Wellness Managements: Regular Status [AAA17:64]
23. Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience: Regular Status [AAA13:46]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1947.
Other Accreditation: Alberta Ministry of Innovation and Advanced Education: Campus Alberta Quality Council
Central American Adventist University
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Location: Universidad Adventista de Centroamerica (UNADECA) is located approximately 2 kilometers north of the Central Park of the city of Alajuela, and 13 miles from San Jose, the capital of Costa Rica. The institution is located in a beautiful 120 acres of land with modern and functional buildings, and an excellent climate.

History: The origin of the Adventist University of Central America dates back to 1925, when the Seventh-day Adventist Church established an Education Center in the community of Cascadas, Corregimiento de Pedregal, in the capital city of Panama. In 1927, the first year of the school was opened with a matriculation of 16 students, who with joy, vigor and work and with the motivating motto of “Living every day for the Lord Jesus”, undertook the Adventist educational work in Central America. In 1932 the school moved to its own premises, located in Dulce Nombre de Tres Rios, in the province of Carthage. In 1945, the name of the institution of “Academia Hispanoamericana Adventista” was changed to COVAC (Colegio Vocational College of Central America)

In 1949, the Board of Directors decided to move the institution to a farm near Alajuela in a place called La Ceiba, where it operates today. It was agreed to take the name CADES (Adventist Center for Higher Education - Centro Adventista de Estudios Superiors), to identify higher education courses. The CONESUP (National Council of Higher Education Private University), accepted the name CADES.

In 1971 the theological course had been elevated to four university years to complete the baccalaureate in Theology. Likewise confirm the records of records that in 1975 began the course of Commercial Administration of four years. In 1980 the School of Education offered a four-year program with an emphasis on Secondary Education and similarly another one in Primary Education.

In 1985 the name was changed to UNADECA (Adventist University of Central America. In 1986 CONESUP agreed to recognize the higher level of this institution known hitherto as CADES as UNADECA, which would start functioning as such from 1987. In 1989, the CONESUP accepts the considerations of UNADECA and agrees to approve the modification to the curriculum of the Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education and change its name to the Bachelor of Science in Education with an emphasis on: I and II cycles of Basic General Education, Computing, English, Math, Music, Natural Sciences, Preschool, Religious Education, Secretariat (San Jose, CR, August 10, 1989), Social Studies, and Spanish.

Educational Program: The administration and the Board of Directors agreed to create a Nursing course and submitted the application to CONESUP in 1993, which states in agreement No. 156-93 the following: Having analyzed all the documents presented, this Council agrees firmly: To approve as the Adventist University of Central America (UNADECA) the race of Bachillerato and Degree in Nursing according to the proposed curriculum. (San Jose, Costa Rica, April 29, 1993). In 1999, the Bachelors’ and Licenciatura in Systems Engineering was approved (Article 22 of session 376-99), as well as the master’s degree in Business Administration, with emphases in Management and in International Business (Article 24 of
session 375-99. In 2003, the Licenciatura in the Teaching of English was approved (session No 495-2003); and in 2004, the Licenciatura in Psychology (session 503-2004, Article 3). In 2005, approval was given for the MA in Educational Administration (session 526-2005, Article 3), the Licenciatura in Theology (session 529-2005, Article 14), and the Licenciatura in Religion (session 543-2005, Article 9). In 2006, approval was received for the Licenciatura in Public Accounting (session 552-2006, Article 5), and the master’s degree in Theology (session 628-2009).

Student Body Size: 395 Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees

**Faculty of Business Administration**
1. Associate Degree in Secretarial Science: Regular Science [AAA03:04]
2. Bachelor of Science in Bilingual Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
3. Bachelor of Science in Bilingual Professional Secretary: Regular Status [AAA08:73]
4. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
5. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Accounting, Management: Regular Status [AAA08:73]
6. Bachelor of Science in Executive Professional Secretary: Regular Status [AAA08:73]
7. Bachelor of Science in Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
9. Licenciatura in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
10. Licenciatura in Public Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:041]

**Faculty of Computer Information Science**
11. Bachelor of Science in Computing Systems: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
12. Licenciatura in Computer Systems: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
13. Licenciatura in System Engineering: Regular Status [AAA08:73]

**Faculty of Education**
15. Bachelor of Science in Education – Computers, English, General Education, Natural Sciences, Pre-School Education, Secretarial Science, Social Studies, Spanish: Regular Status [AAA08:73]
18. Licenciatura in Teaching of English: Regular Status [AAA05:42]

**Nursing**
20. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
21. Licenciatura in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA03:04]

**Faculty of Psychology**
22. Licenciatura in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA05:42]

**Faculty of Theology**
23. Bachelor of Theology-Theology: Regular Status [AAA03:04]
24. Licenciatura in Religion: Candidacy Status [AAA15:24]
25. Licenciatura in Theology: Candidacy Status [AAA15:24]
Note: A Bachelor’s degree is 8 semesters in duration; a Licenciatura is 2 additional semesters after finishing a bachelor’s degree.

Extension Campus, Nicaguas [AAA19:161]

The Adventist University of Central America (UNADECA) is accredited by the Department of Education of the General Association of the Seventh-day Adventists, and by the National Council of Higher Education (CONESUP) of the Republic of Costa Rica.

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Accredited since 1983.
Central Philippine Adventist College

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Location: Central Philippine Adventist College is Located on a 123-hectare property, 23 kms from Bacolod City in Central Philippines

History: Shortly after Central Philippine Union Mission was organized in 1964, its leaders planned to organize a college for Central Philippines. CPUM searched for land and set its sight on a 71-hectare property in Alegria, Murcia, 23 kilometers from Bacolod City. Subsequently, more farms were purchased to bring the total acreage to 123 at the foot of Mt. Marapara. In 1981, the groundbreaking ceremony for the College took place and actual construction began on October 2, 1981.

On June 14, 1982, it was registered with the Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS) as Central Philippine Adventist School, a vocational college which offered Rural Health Nursing, Building Construction, Agriculture, and Biblical Studies with 100 students and 17 faculty members.

Initially, the school was but a multipurpose building called the Pioneer Hall which housed everybody and everything – the dormitories, faculty homes, administrative offices, cafeteria, library, and the gym which was used for chapel, church, and other gatherings. In September 1984, super-typhoon Nitang struck. But God has a way of turning misfortunes into blessings. Out of the ruins came the funds to rebuild the walls with concrete.

From 1984 onwards, CPAC has seen significant development in staff qualifications, academic programs, and physical structure. On October 11, 1985, the name Central Philippine Adventist School was changed to Central Philippine Adventist College upon approval by the DECS of the four-year Agriculture course. New degrees and their corresponding “home” buildings were added to the growing College: Accounting, Computer Science, Education, and Nursing.

The school year 2001 marked the founding of the Education That Saves Village (ETSV), where working students enjoy low-cost housing. More buildings were constructed which included the Conference Hall, the Engineering building, Function Hall, and the College Church.

Within the next two years, more parks dotted the College’s refreshingly rural landscape: the Wisdom Park, International Friendship Park, the NSTP guesthouses, and the Tilapia Pond. In April 2008, s Worship Hall was built for the cottage’s working students.

For almost three decades, the College has placed priority on educating skilled professionals who will contribute as denominational work force here and abroad. CPAC also shares the Church’s educational philosophy and seeks to function as a resource center which can facilitate the development and spread of the Gospel in the Central Philippines far and beyond.
Educational Program: The College now offers fifteen (15) programs in these seven Faculties: Agriculture, Business, and Accountancy, Education, Engineering, Information Systems, Nursing, and Theology. Two computer laboratories and virtually all offices and faculty homes are wired to the Internet 24/7; all offices are equipped with wireless telephones. The campus also serves as Distance Learning Center (DLC) for the Adventist International Institute for Advanced Studies (AIIAS).

Student Body Size: 2,812
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Agriculture**
1. Associate Degree in Agriculture Technology: Regular Status [AAA98:05]
2. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture Technology: Regular Status [AAA98:05]

**Faculty of Business, and Accountancy**
3. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA98:05]
4. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Business, Computer: Regular Status [AAA98:05]

**Faculty of Education**
5. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA98:05]
7. Bachelor of Secondary Education – Biology, Mathematics, English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:172]
8. Bachelor of Music: Regular Status [AAA12:84]
9. Master of Arts in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA12:84]

**Faculty of Engineering**
10. Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:172]
11. Bachelor of Science in Electronic Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA10:126]

**Faculty of Information System**
12. Associate Degree in Computer Secretarial: Regular Status [AAA98:05]

**Faculty of Nursing**
13. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA98:05]

**Faculty of Theology**
14. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA98:05]
15. Bachelor of Theology 5-year: Regular Status [AAA98:05]

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Location: Chile Adventist University (UnACh) is located 12 kilometers east of Chillán, Chile, in the “Las Mariposas” campus, on 340 hectares of flat land in the central region of the country, halfway from the Andes Mountains and the Pacific Ocean.

History: The Adventist University of Chile (UnACh) is an institution of higher education pertaining to the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It began its activities in the year 1990, and its registration in the Register of Universities was with the Folio C No 42 of the 6 of February of 1990. The UnACh was heiress of a prolific and long educational tradition of almost 110 years of history, which goes back to the educational institutions that preceded it. Its beginnings were in the year 1906 when a higher college was established in Púa, locality of the province of Malleco, with the purpose of granting academic formation to those who would minister, like educators and administrators of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Chile.

In 1922 the institution moved to Chillan and settled in the “Las Mariposas” located 12 kilometers from the city, under the denomination “Adventist College of Chile.” The College provided education at the levels of basic, middle and higher education. In 1923, the first students of the Normal School graduated, joining those who graduated as Ministers from 1913. Later, between the years 1947 and 1969, graduates in the Commercial area would be added.

In 1963, with the objective of guaranteeing the academic excellence of the faculty program, an agreement was signed with the University of Concepcion, so that under its academic supervision the training program for teachers of Basic Education would be given. In 1979 the extension of this agreement allowed the institution to grant degrees in Parochial Education, Pedagogy in Music and Pedagogy in History and Geography.

In 1982, based on the long experience in higher education achieved by the Adventist College of Chile, the Adventist Professional Institute (IPA) was created. This new entity represented an important milestone in the development of Adventist higher education in Chile. The IPA currently coexists with the University and is a relevant institutional antecedent in its history.

Inspired by a motto linking its educational project to a service concept, “Propter Deum et Humanitatem” (Unity of God and Humanity, UnACh began its academic activities in March 1990. The founding courses were Agronomy, Civil Engineering, Agro-industrial and Commercial Engineering. In its first years, the programs taught were supervised by three state universities (University of Talca, University of the Border and University of Concepcion), until the UnACh acquired the Full Autonomy by Exempt Resolution No. 11,285 of the Ministry of Education of September 2002.

Educational Program: In 2003, the Faculty of Education and Social Sciences, incorporated eight careers of Education and the career of Social Work. The year 2005 opened the race of Degree in Nursing, constituting itself in the main program of the recently created Faculty of Sciences of the Health.
Currently the University has four Faculties (Theology, Education and Social Sciences, Health Sciences, and Engineering and Business) and offers twenty undergraduate and five graduate programs. The last two undergraduate programs added to the academic offer of the university were Pedagogy in Physical Education (2007) and Psychology (2010).

Student Body Size: 2,545
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
**School of Business and Engineering**
1. Bachelor in Accounting and Auditing, 4-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:111]
2. Bachelor in Accounting and Auditing, 4-year, online modality: Regular Status [AAA21:109]
3. Licenciatura in Agronomy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:111]
5. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Civil Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA16:146]
7. Master in Auditing with specialization in Comprehensive Integral: Candidacy Status [AAA23:147]

**School of Education**
8. Bachelor in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:111]
10. Licenciatura in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:111]
11. Licenciatura in Special Education – Specific Learning Difficulties: Candidacy Status 5-years from January 1, 2016, to December 31, 2020 [AAA18:218]
15. Master in Education – offered at Instituto Tecnologico Superior Adventista del Ecuador: Regular Status [AAA15:143]
18. Doctor of Education: Candidacy Status [AAA19:80]

**School of Health Sciences**
20. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Regular Status [AAA17:97]
21. Bachelor of Science in Obstetrics and Neonatology: Candidacy Status 5-year [AAA17:98]
22. Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy: Candidacy Status [AAA22:246]
23. Bachelor of Science in Speech Pathology: Candidacy Status [AAA22:247]
24. Bachelor in Occupational Therapy: Candidacy Status 5-year [AAA20:68]
25. Dentistry Program: Candidacy Status [AAA13:143]
26. Licenciatura in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:111]
27. Master in Human Kinetics Science: Candidacy Status [AAA20:67]

**School of Theology**
29. Master of Arts in Mission-Theology and Health: Candidacy Status [AAA17:99]

**Extension Campus-UNACH-IPA, Santiago, Chile**
1. Bachelor in Accountant-Auditor: Regular Status [AAA12:147]
2. Bachelor in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA12:147]
Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1980.
Other Accreditation: National Accreditation Commission, Republic of Chile

Affiliated with Loma Linda University; Montemorelos University; University of Bio-Bio; and University of Concepcion, Chile

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bahia Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University, Ecuador Adventist Technological High Institute; Misiones Adventist College; Minas Gerais Adventist College; Parana Adventist Institute; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Chinese Adventist Seminary

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Location: Chinese Adventist Seminary is located on the same campus as Hong Kong Adventist College. CAS has extension sites in Kunming and Adventist University of the Philippines.

History: Seventh-day Adventists began their educational work in China in the southern part of China Mainland. The church founded its first school, the Bethel Girls’ School, in Guangzhou in 1903. Two years later, the church established the Yick Chi Boys’ School. The two schools were later merged and given the name Sam Yuk Middle School. Other Sam Yuk schools were established throughout China in the coming years.

Chinese Adventist Seminary (CAS), or Chinese Sam Yuk (San Yu in Mandarin) Seminary, founded in 2014 and headquartered in Hong Kong, is a new institution of the Sam Yuk (San Yu) or Adventist educational system in Greater China Region. The institution has continued the work done by the Griggs University Asia (GUA), founded in 2002, with the goal of utilizing distance education to offer programs to students who could not attend campus-based programs.

GUA was housed in the Chinese Union Mission office in Hong Kong. Religion faculty from Hong Kong Adventist College and Taiwan Adventist College were solicited to develop courses in Chinese, based on courses already offered by Griggs University Home Office. These courses were not a direct translation from GU courses but included certain contextual adaptations. The lectures in video and written materials were in Chinese and were accessible on the GUA website. Registered students logged in to the website for video lectures and written materials. Students submitted their homework, took examinations, and checked on student records online. However, students who did not have online access would receive their course materials in VCD/MP3 and printed pages.

With the merger of Griggs University and Andrews University, GUA was notified that the GU home office would no longer be able to support GUA. Consequently, Chinese Adventist Seminary officially took over the operation of Griggs University Asia in January 2015 under the supervision of the Religion Department of the Hong Kong Adventist College. The new tertiary institution was tasked to train church pastors, evangelists, health workers, teachers, church institution workers, and church administrators for the Adventist denomination in the Greater China Region and among the global Chinese diaspora. CAS includes the Distance4 Learning Division (formerly GUA) as well as off-campus extension sites. The full-time BA in Theological Studies program offered in extension sites uses Mandarin Chinese as the medium of instruction and targets younger adults.

In April 19-24, 2015, upon the request of CAS, an on-site visiting team of the IBMTE came and evaluated the readiness of the institution to offer the proposed programs at the teaching centers of Kunming and Chengdu. As a result, CAS received a two-year candidacy status.

Educational Program: In 2016-17, 842 students were enrolled in the one-year Certificate Program; 149 students were enrolled in the second-year Diploma program; and 78 were enrolled in the third-year Advanced Diploma and fourth-year Degree Completion Program.
In accordance with the guidance of AAA, CAS has eliminated the one-year Certificate Program and the third-year Advanced Diploma. The degrees offered are Associate in Pastoral Ministry, Bachelor of Arts in Theological Studies, Bachelor of Arts in Christian Education, Master of Ministry, Master in Religion (Affiliated with Andrews University), Bachelor of Arts in Christian Studies (Affiliated with APIU), Bachelor of Arts in Teaching, Minor in Theological Studies (Affiliated with APIU).

Student Body Size: 513
Language of Instruction: Chinese
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Associate in Pastoral Ministry: Regular Status [AAA15:138]
   2. Bachelor of Arts in Theological Studies: Regular Status [AAA15:138]
   3. Bachelor of Arts in Christian Education: Regular Status [AAA18:210]

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Clifford University

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Location: Clifford University is a Seventh-day Adventist institution of higher learning situated at Isiala Ngwa East Local Government Area of Abia State, Nigeria. It is 40 kilometers from the State headquarters, Umuahia.

History: There were three prominent pioneer missionaries sent to the West, North, and Southeast of Nigeria, viz: David C. Babcock, John J. Hyde, and Jessie Clifford, whose names have been immortalized by having Seventh-day Adventist institutions named after them. Babcock University is named after Elder David Babcock—the pioneer missionary to Western Nigeria in 1914, while Clifford University derived its name from Pastor Jessie Clifford, the pioneer missionary to Eastern Nigeria, who labored in Southeast of Nigeria territory from 1923 to 1931, before he was transferred to Gold Coast, the present day Ghana. In 1930 Elder John J. Hyde led the missionary activities in Northern Nigeria using medical and preaching approaches. This missionary endeavor gave rise to the establishment of Seventh-day Adventist Hospital at Jengre.

The Seventh-day Adventist Church’s focus of reaching the whole world with education, health, and the three Angels Message of Revelation 14:6-12 took a bold turn, when the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Nigeria was granted the mandate to establish a University that will meet the educational needs of the people of Eastern Nigeria by the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventist Church (GC) through the West-Central African Division (WAD) on 17th February 2012. An application was sent to the National Universities Commission (NUC), requesting for a Charter to run a faith-based institution of higher learning.

The choice of a take-off site for the University was unanimously agreed by the Church leaders to be at Owerrinta, in Abia State. However, as discussions were going on about the Site, the Government in Abia State decided to handover schools/institutions owned by private organizations, such as Churches. At this juncture, the Site which hosted the erstwhile Seventh-day Adventist High School, Ihie, which started in 1948 as Nigeria Training Center, and in 1953 when Adventist High School started, was taken over by the Military Government immediately after the Nigeria Civil War (1965-1970), became a necessary asset to surrogate the new Institution, Clifford University. To God be the glory, the same Governor decided to move the Government Science School located at Ihie to another place, paving the way for Clifford University to take-off at this Church’s landed property. Thank God for the Governor’s magnanimity for waiving the accumulated taxes on this said land, which amounting to more than N30 million (which should have been paid before getting a C of O) of the land bequeathal in favor of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

National Universities Commission (NUC) requirements included building and preparing the take-off Site for inspections. Seventh-day Adventists teamed up to renovate their old buildings and structures on ground, built and constructed new ones, in addition to fulfilling other NUC conditions.
Educational Program: When it was clear that the Church had done enough work at the Site, the Special Committee on Private Universities (SCOPU) inspection team visited and evaluated structures on ground on October 27-30, 2013, and a second visit on December 6-9, 2015. They forwarded their recommendations through the NUC to the Federal Ministry of Education. The approval granting the Church to run a University was given by Federal Executive Council of Nigeria. On November 22, 2016 a Charter was issued to Seventh-day Adventist Church to own and run Clifford University in Eastern Nigeria. It was March 5, 2017 that the Clifford University began operation as full-fledged University with three (3) Faculties, ten (10) Departments, and fifteen (15) Programs.

Student Body Size: 778
Language of Instruction:
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

School of Humanities
13. Bachelor of Arts in English and Literary Studies: Regular Status [AAA22:168]

School of Management
14. Bachelor of Science in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA22:168]
15. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA22:168]
16. Bachelor of Science in Economics: Regular Status [AAA22:168]

School of Science and Technology
17. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Regular Status [AAA22:168]
18. Bachelor of Science in Microbiology: Regular Status [AAA22:168]
19. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA22:168]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since: 2022

Recognized by:
Collonges Adventist University  
(Campus Adventiste du Saleve)

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Location: The University is located on a slope at the base of Mount Saleve, near the Franco-Swiss border, overlooking Geneva seven kilometers away and the towering escarpments of the Jura range.

History: The Saleve Adventist Seminary was established in 1921 at the foot of Saléve Mountain. The school started in the wake of several training courses for pastors offered in 1893 – 1894 in different cities in Switzerland and France, and at the Adventist Missionary School of Ligniere, Gland (Switzerland), which operated from 1904 to 1921. The first graduation from the official Seminary was in 1923.

By the 1930s, future pastors were preparing for their baccalaureate degrees with the aid of general courses to specific lessons offered by the Seminary. The school was legally authorized to prepare students for their baccalaureate degree in the 1952-1953 school year. In 1964 and 1965 a baccalaureate degree in science was added to the already existing baccalaureate degree of art. Given the scale of recruitment of European students to the Seminary, a French language course for foreigners very soon became a necessity. At the time of the launch of the American Association of Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA), the French language course became its own department, named the Institute of French Language (ILF). In 1988, the ILF became a Center of Official Examination for the French Alliance, and for legal reasons, in 2006 the ILF became the Institute of French as a Foreign Language (IFLE).

In 2008, the Institute obtained official recognition from the Ministry of Education and was integrated with the official list of institutions of IFLE in France. This recognition enabled IFLE to become an examination centre welcoming off-campus candidates on a monthly basis. Since 2008, IFLE received the “Qualité français langue étrangère” label, jointly delivered by the French Ministry of National Education, Higher Education and Research (Directorate for Higher Education), the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Directorate for International Cooperation and Development), and the Ministry for Culture and Communication (General Delegation for French Language and the Languages of France). This recognition (valid for 4 years) is delivered to the best schools of language in France and has been renewed in 2016 for the third time in a row.

In 1962, the first evangelist diplomas were granted, and in 1980 the first master’s degrees in Theology. In September 1981, the Faculty of Adventist Theology (FAT) was acknowledged by the Ministry of National Education. In 1983, the FAT signed an agreement with the Protestant Faculty of Theology of the University of Strasbourg to enable students to obtain a license and a Masters of State in Theology.

In 2013, the Institute of Human Sciences was established and approved at the General Assembly of the institution on November 6, 2013. The program offers a professional Master’s in Christian Counselling.

Educational program: Four research centers complement the academic system: the Historical Archives of Francophone Adventism; the Jose Figols Center (YWC), which opened in 2001; the Ellen G. White Research Center for Research (CREW) which was inaugurated in 2002, and in February 2017, the campus was proud to announce the opening of an International Centre of Religious Liberty and Public Affairs.
The University provides Theology training at the Master level and offers special formation in Practical Theology and a Master in Christian Counseling. It also offers, as a member of the Adventist Colleges Abroad, a special program of French for foreigners.

Student Body Size: 136
Language of Instruction: French;
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Seminary**
1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:36]
2. Master of Applied Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:36]
3. Master in Christian Counseling: Regular Status [AAA17:35]
4. Master of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:36]

**Institute of Human Sciences**
5. Master in Public Health: Offered by Loma Linda University: Regular Status [AAA10:18]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1977.

Agreement with University of Strasbourg, France
Approved by France Ministry of National Education
Location: Colombia Adventist University Corporation (UNAC) is in La Castellana, a suburb of the “city of eternal spring”, Medellin, Colombia. Functioning on a 60-acre farm known as "El Noral," the institution is readily accessible to transportation. Nestled at the foothills that overlook areas of the city, it enjoys a mild, beautiful climate.

History: The Colombian Adventist University “Corporacion Universitaria Adventista” has its origins in the Industrial Coloveno School, founded in 1937 in Medellin, Antioquia, Colombia, under the leadership of G. W. Chapman. This institution was born with the objective of offering a comprehensive educational process to the youth of the Seventh-day Adventist Church located in the territory of Colombia, Venezuela, Central America, and the Dutch Antilles mainly.

In 1941, it moved to its own headquarters located in what is currently known as the La Castellana sector, a privileged area in the city of Medellin. In 1950 it was renamed the Colombo-Venezuelano Institute and it is still working to prepare professional pastors, administrators, teachers, and musicians. In those years the levels of education that were working were elementary, media, high school and tertiary education levels.

On July 18, 1981, the Adventist University Corporation “Corporacion Universitaria Adventista” was created, with the aim of providing post-secondary education in the university modality, which was entrusted to the Colombo-Venezuelan Institute, UNAC received Legal Status according to resolution No. 8529, on June 6, 1983, issued by the Ministry of National Education.

The social contribution of UNAC through its work in education and in the development of education industries has been recognized by institutions of various kinds, with the following distinctions: Simón Bolívar Order of Democracy, imposed by the House of Representatives, by the Honorable Representative Maria Isabel Urrutia Ocoró. Order of Civic and Business Merit, Marshal Jorge Robledo, Gold Category, awarded by the Assembly of Antioquia, for his 70 years of social work in this Department. Order of the Colombian Congress, decoration awarded by the Senate of the Republic, through resolution 096, issued on November 5, 2009. Porfirio Barba Jacob Medal, Gold category, awarded by the Medellin mayor’s office, July 26, 2012. Don Juan del Corral Order of Merit, Gold Grade. Awarded by the Medellin Council, July 26, 2012. Shield of Antioquia Gold category, awarded by the Government of Antioquia to the Nursing program, May 12, 2016. He has also received three awards from the Ministry of National Education in 2018, 2020, and 2021.

UNAC works by training highly competent professionals with high moral and spiritual qualities. In addition, the missionary component has allowed the preparation of graduates to contribute in the world field, as evidenced in the various international congresses developed “I Will Go Too!”
**Educational Program:** Within its daily work, UNAC participates in different processes that ensure institutional quality. The accreditation granted by the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities (AAA) stands out, which has certified the quality of education provided at UNAC. Similarly, the Ministry of National Education has recognized educational quality by granting High Quality Accreditation for the following programs: Bachelor of Theology (currently Bachelor of Religious Education), Bachelor of Music and Technology in Prehospital Care; in addition, progress is being made in this process of continuous improvement that allows this government recognition for all its programs.

**Student Body Size:** 1,437

**Language of Instruction:** Spanish

**Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:**

**School of Administration**
1. Diploma in Marketing and Sales: Regular Status [AAA08:75]
2. Associate of Science in Marketing and Sales Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:043]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA16:31]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:31]
5. Bachelor of Science in Digital Communication and Marketing: Candidacy Status [AAA21:215]
6. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA08:75]
7. Specialist – Graduate Specialty in Management: Regular Status [AAA22:215]
8. Specialist - Graduate Specialty in Taxation 1-year: Regular Status [AAA18:36]

**School of Education**
9. Bachelor of Arts in Basic Education - Humanities and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA08:75]
10. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Regular Status [AAA16:31]
11. Bachelor of Arts in Pre-School Education: Regular Status [AAA16:31]
12. Bachelor in Spanish and English: Regular Status [AAA08:75]
14. Specialist in Educational Administration: Regular Status [AAA08:75]
15. Specialist in Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA08:75]

**School of Engineering**
16. Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:044]
17. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA16:31]
18. Bachelor in Industrial Engineering (Licenciatura en Ingenieria Industrial): Regular Status [AAA23:022]

**School of Science and Health**
19. Associate in Prehospital Care 3-year: Regular Status [AAA18:36]
20. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA08:75]

**School of Theology**
21. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Education 5-year: Regular Status [AAA18:35]
22. Bachelor of Arts in Theology 4-year: Regular Status [AAA18:35]
23. Specialist in Pastoral Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:48]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1984.

Recognized by Colombia Ministry of Education
Cuba Theological Seminary
(Seminario Adventista de Cuba)

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Location: Havana, Cuba

History: Since 1990 the Cuban Union has prepared its new pastors through an extension of Montemorelos University at its campus, located at Camino Circular #7, Reparto Santa Elena, Santiago de Las Vegas, Havana, Cuba. Progressively less professors from Montemorelos and more local pastors with pastoral/theological studies taught the classes for the Bachelor of Theology degree.

Educational Program: In 2007, the Cuban Adventist Theological Seminary received accreditation of the AAA and is operating independently of Montemorelos University. The SETAC, since 2005, has also been an extension of Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary offering a master’s degree in Pastoral Theology.

Student Body Size: 65
Language of Instruction: Spanish

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA08:76]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2004.

Recognized by International Board of Ministerial and Theological Education and International Board of Education of the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists.
Czecho-Slovakian Union Adventist Theological Institute
(formerly Sazava Theological Seminary)

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Location: Czecho-Slovakian Union Adventist Theological Institute is located approximately 55 km from the capital city of Prague in a small historical town of Sazava. The seminary campus is situated within a beautiful park area near the river Sazava.

History: The Czecho-Slovakian Union Adventist Theological Institute (CSUATI), formerly known as Sazava Theological Seminary, builds on the tradition of the Theological Seminary that was established already in 1920 to train ministers for the Czecho-Slovakian Union, which now comprises the Bohemian, Moravian-Silesian, and Slovak Conferences.

During the communist period, after an enforced closing down of the Seminary in 1973, the Church trained its pastors only in extension courses. In 1990 the Seminary reopened. A new four-year program (equivalent to the BA level) was developed for pastoral training. After operating in leased buildings in Prague and its close vicinity, the Seminary moved to its present campus at Sazava in March 1995.

In 1997, accreditation (candidacy status) for the Bachelor of Theology (BTh) program was granted to Sazava Theological Seminary by the International Board of Education. In 1998 the Department of Education of the Czech Republic granted state recognition to the first 3-year theological program, conferring to the students the title of “Professional Specialist in Theology and Pastoral Ministry” (DiS). In January 2000, the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities (AAA) granted the Sazava Theological Seminary continuing accreditation for a BTh program.

In 2009 the school signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Friedensau Adventist University (FAU), which made provisions for fourth-year students to receive a BA degree in Theology. (This cooperation lasted until 2016.)

Since 2011, in light of the steadily declining interest of applicants in the residential program of Theology, new ways have been sought to strengthen the institution’s enrollment. Continuing trend of decreasing number of full-time residential applicants led toward a serious consideration of the educational future at Sazava by the school board and union leadership. A proposal was therefore put forward to change the mode of delivery and to offer a predominantly non-residential program.

Since 2016, only the non-residential/distant program (BTh) using a blended mode of delivery continues on the campus of Sazava, until a renewed interest in a residential program becomes evident. The interest of potential students in this mode of study appears to be sustained, and every two years a new cohort of around twenty new students is successfully launched.
Educational Programs: The Bachelor of Theology program is being offered at the present time.

Study Body Size: 40
Language of Instruction: Czech
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Bachelor of Theology – blended/distant mode of delivery: Regular Status [AAA17:44]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1997.
Dominican Adventist University  
(Universidad Adventista Dominicana)

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Location: The Dominican Adventist University (UNAD) locates its headquarters in Villa Sonador, Province Monseñor Nouel, in the heart of the Dominican Republic. It belongs to the country’s 43 higher education institutions and to the network of 113 Adventist universities in the world. Since its opening in 1976, UNAD has been dedicated to finding solutions to the great challenges of today and tomorrow, in order to prepare students for leadership in a complex and demanding world.

History: The Dominican Adventist University (UNAD) has its origins in the Dominican Adventist College, founded in 1947, which operated until 1976 in the Herrera Zone, National District. The Adventist Church acquired the property (Bethel) of Dr. Abel Gonzalez, located in Sonador, Piedra blanca, Monsenor Nouel province. This is its current place of operation since 1976.

The growth and development of UNAD has been possible thanks to the vision of the Adventist community, which maintains that education and redemption are aimed at restoring the image of God in man. The University corresponds to this effort, hence it tries to satisfy the requirements of the society it serves, forming professionals capable of contributing to the development of man and his environment.

Educational Program: UNAD has five faculties in which students and teachers of the 17 undergraduate degrees share learning, research and community service experiences in the areas of Administrative Sciences, Engineering and Technology, Health Sciences, Humanities, and Theology.

Student Body Size: 4,830  
Language of Instruction: Spanish  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:52]  

**Faculty of Education**
8. Bachelor of Arts in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:52]  
13. Specialization in Management of Educational Centers: Regular Status [AAA23:027]

**Faculty of Engineering and Technology**

**Faculty of Health Sciences**
15. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA21:51]

**Faculty of Theology**
16. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:53]

**Faculty of Social Science**
17. Master in Family Counseling: Regular Status [AAA23:024]

**Faculty of Psychology**
18. Master of Arts in Family Psychology: Regular Status [AAA23:026]

**Extension Site in Santo Domingo:** [AAA18:40]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1984

Member of Dominican Association of Universities
Recognized by Dominican Republic Higher Education Council
Ecuador Adventist Technological High Institute
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Location: The Ecuador Adventist College is located near the city of Santo Domingo province of Santo Domingo de los Tsachilas in Ecuador.

History: Ecuador Academy has been offering elementary and secondary education since 1968. After more than 40 years of continuous work in favor of Christian education the Church in that country felt the need to offer tertiary level education in favor of Adventist youth.

In 1993, Ecuador Adventist Technological High Institute (ITSAE) began with these undergraduate specialties: systems programming, Farms Administration and Business Administration. These new technological courses added possibilities for Christian Higher Education to Church members.

Educational Program: Technological Diplomas after two and a half years of study.
Student Body: 124
Language of Instruction: Spanish

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Diploma in Health Promotion 3-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:103]
2. Diploma in Superior Technology in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA22:248]
5. Associate in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:193]
6. Associate in Accounting 2-year, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA23:059]
7. Associate degree in Software Development 2-year, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA23:060]
8. Associate degree in Digital Marketing and e-Commerce 2-year, online modality: Candidacy Status [AAA23:061]

Approved by Higher Education Council of Ecuador
Accredited by Council for Quality Assurance of Higher Education of Ecuador
Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 2004.

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University Academy; Chile Adventist University; Misiones Adventist College; Minas Gerais Adventist College; Northeast Brazil Academy; Parana Adventist Academy; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
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Location: Ethiopian Adventist College is located on a 182-hectare property at Kuyera, 235 km south of Addis Ababa on the eastern bank of the Great Rift Valley.

History: Located on a 182-hectare property at Kuyera, some three hours drive from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia Adventist College traces its roots to the start of an elementary school in 1947. By 1955 the school grew into a full secondary institution. The needs of a growing church and the challenge of taking the gospel to vast unentered territory led the church leadership to begin a junior college in 1964, offering a variety of programs that catered to the demands of the church and the community. However, owing to changing political conditions in the country, the College program was discontinued in 1975. In 1990 the College reopened its doors, offering two-year programs in Agriculture, Business, Education, and Religion, and soon obtained affiliation from the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA).

In 1998, the College obtained permission and accreditation from the Ethiopian Ministry of Education to offer diploma courses in Business Administration (Accounting, Management) and Education (English, Biology, Agriculture). In 2001, the College entered into an affiliation arrangement with the University of Eastern Africa, Baraton and began four-year degree programs in Accounting, Management, and Theology. This academic arrangement, approved by the AAA, fulfilled a vital need for the educational aspirations of the constituency of Ethiopia Union Mission, which by then had crossed the 100,000 mark with some 600 churches.

A devastating fire in 1999 completely destroyed the main administrative block, and with it most of the library holdings, crucial records, and the entire facility became unusable. While shifting its activities to temporary buildings on the campus and to the secondary school, the College completed a new facility by 2002. A year later the College petitioned the Ministry of Education of the Government of Ethiopia for permission and accreditation to begin degree granting programs in Business Administration and Community Development and Leadership. The government responded positively.

Meanwhile, the College also sought denominational upgrading into a senior college status, which was granted in January 2005 on a candidacy basis until 2007. Since 2007 the College has faced certain destabilizing influences which made a AAA visit in 2008 impossible. These influences were handled by various measures at the Union Mission and Division levels and at the AAA level which included a show cause notice. These developments resulted in a change on the campus, allowing the normal functioning under the existing denominational structure. This change made the 2009 AAA visit possible.

Educational program: At present, EAC is offering degree programs in Accounting, Management, EDPM, Economics, Theology as well as Religion and Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) Diploma. And recently, EAC has received license to run an MBA.
Student Body Size: 168
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Accounting**
30. Diploma in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]

**Faculty of Business Management**
32. Diploma in Information Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
33. Diploma in Marketing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
34. Diploma in Purchasing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
35. Diploma in Secretarial Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
36. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting and Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:19]
37. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA20:23]

**Faculty of Community Development**
38. Diploma in Community Development and Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
39. Diploma in Teacher Education (J 0+ 3): Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:019]
40. Bachelor of Arts in Community Development and Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:19]
41. Bachelor of Arts in Educational Planning and Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:19]

**Faculty of Theology**
42. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:20]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1993.

Other Accreditation: Ministry of Education, Ethiopia Government
Flaiz Adventist College

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Location: Andhra Pradesh, India

History: Flaiz Adventist College with beginnings as far back as 1921 by Dr. Theodore Flaiz, the first missionary to Andhra Pradesh, and from whom it derives its name has, like many Adventist colleges, grown through stages beginning from an elementary school in Rustumbada, Narsapur to college status in 2001. The greatest desire to establish the college was to overcome the challenges faced by the students in public higher educational institutions to observe the Sabbath. This desire, though partially fulfilled, remains a challenge because of the college’s affiliation to a public university – Andhra University that conducts exams on Sabbath. It is a Southern Asia Division institution operated by a board that is appointed by the division constituency.

Educational Program: The first degree to be approved by Andhra University was the B.Com degree. In consequent years Andhra University gave approval to the College to start the following courses:
1. BSc in MPC (Mathematics, Physics & Chemistry)
2. BSc in MPCS (Mathematics, Physics, & Computer Science)
3. BS. in BZC (Biochemistry, Zoology & Chemistry)

Currently, the College is affiliated to Adi Kavi Nannaya University, Rajahmundry, which is established recently to cater to the needs of the colleges in East and West Godawari districts of Andhra Pradesh.

In the academic year 2012-13, the college introduced a two-year Theology Program, which is affiliated to Spicer Adventist University, Pune. One group has already completed the two-year course. As the demand for higher studies was felt the college proposed upgradation of the two-year diploma to a four-year degree program in Theology (BTh) so that the students can complete their four-year degree in this institution. The two-year program was upgraded to a four-year program with the approval of the Board and the Division committee. In 2016 the college administration presented a proposal to the BMTE for its approval of the four-year degree program and to forward our request to the Education Department for approval by the IBMTE.

In 2016, the need for training elementary education graduates was felt and with the advice of the division, a major in elementary education was offered to lead to a four-year bachelor in elementary education (BEEd). With approval of the Board, the college administration applied to the BE at the division for its approval of the Elementary education program and to forward our request to the Education Department at the GC for the approval by IBE and AAA.

Student Body Size: 233
Language of Instruction:

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
2. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry, Chemistry and Zoology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:151]
3. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:151]
4. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:151]
5. Bachelor of Elementary Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:119]
6. Bachelor of Theology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:120]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2004.

Affiliation: Andhra University, Adi Kavi Nannaya University, Rajahmundry
Friedensau Adventist University
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Location: The University is situated seven-and-a-half miles east of Burg, near Magdeburg. Its buildings stand in an estate of 380 acres of field, pasture, and woodland.

History: In the fall of 1899 the Seventh-day Adventist Church founded its first school in Central Europe. For this purpose, it bought an old mill with the adjoining meadows and fields. School began for the first seven students under very humble conditions on November 19, 1899.

Within the next 10 years a group of large buildings for classrooms and housing was added, giving Friedensau a unique flair still present today. Following holistic principles, a sanatorium, workshops, and a food factory were built, making it possible for students to work and earn money. Friedensau quickly grew to a Mission and Industrial School attended by 250 students every year before World Wars I.

During World War I the Department of War turned the buildings into a military hospital. School could not reopen until 1919. In the next years new programs were offered (Home Economics, Pre-Nursing, Teaching, Business and Child Care programs). In 1923 the name was changed to “Mission Seminary Friedensau.” In 1930 the Home Economics and Business programs were granted government approval.

The Nazi Period brought about many restrictions, including closure of the school during World War II. Once again, the school buildings were used for wounded and ill soldiers, first for the German Armed Forces, then for the Soviet Army.

In 1947, the Soviet military administration gave permission for the school to reopen. Friedensau was the first church-operated educational institution to reopen in the Soviet occupation zone. During German Democratic Republic (GDR) times, the socialist government allowed only church workers to be trained. In addition to pastoral training, a one-year Bible course was offered. The quality of education led to a name change in 1981: “Theological Seminary Friedensau”. Two years later the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists accredited the seminary as a senior college. By this time, it was possible for students from other socialist countries in Eastern Europe and Africa to attend Friedensau.

Educational Program: On September 15, 1990, the ministerial council of the German Democratic Republic granted Friedensau university recognition. Since then, the School of Social Sciences has been added to the Theology program. At present the university offers BA and MA programs in Theology and Christian Social Science. Recent accreditations include the MA in Music Therapy, Counseling, and master’s in theological studies. Now, Friedensau has about 225 students.

Student Body Size: 236
Language of Instruction: German and English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Church Music**
1. Master of Arts in Music Therapy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:36]

**Faculty of Education and Social Work**
2. Bachelor of Arts in Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:40]
3. Master of Arts in Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:36]
4. Master of Arts in International Social Science: Regular Status [AA03:03]

**Faculty of German as Foreign Language**
5. Certificate in German for Foreigners: Regular Status [AAA03:03]

**Faculty of Theology**
6. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:40]
7. Master of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:40]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1984.

Recognized by: Ministry of Science and Research of the State of Sachsen-Anhalt; Republic of Germany (Ministerium fur Wissenschaft und Forschung des Landes Sachsen-Anhalt)
Fulton Adventist University College

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Location: Fulton College is a co-educational boarding institution on the western side of Viti-Levu, the main island of Fiji. It is approximately 10 kilometers from Nadi Airport.

History: The needs for a training school in Fiji for Seventh-day Adventists was recognized at the turn of the century by pioneer missionary John E. Fulton. Property was secured at Buresala on the island of Ovalau and the Buresala Training School was opened in 1905. Other training institutions were later established in Navuso (Wainibuka, Viti Levu), Samabula (Suva) and Vatuvonu (Vanua Levu).

To respond to rising educational standards and to overcome the inconvenience of the Ovalau and Navuso sites, the Church decided to consolidate their educational work in Fiji. A site on King’s Rd., Tailevu, about 50 kilometers from Suva, was secured and the relocation and construction of new premises commenced in 1940. Several buildings form the old school sites (Buresala and Navuso) were dismantled, transported to the new site and reconstructed. The new institution, named in honor of Pastor John E. Fulton, opened in 1941 and quickly drew enrollments from all parts of the South Pacific. In 2014, Fulton relocated to a new property at Sabeto, near to Nadi Airport.

Fulton College has continued to respond to the educational needs of the Pacific Islands and has developed its programs to degree level, gained accreditation from some regional bodies and seen its graduates employed by organizations and governments throughout the region. In order to achieve greater synergy between its educational institutions, the Church has established the Adventist Tertiary Network (South Pacific), of which Fulton College is a member. The purpose of this network is to provide networking and support for all institutions as well as synergies in infrastructure.

Educational Program: Fulton College offers quality academic programs within a multicultural Adventist context in the disciplines of: Business, Education, Theology and Foundation Studies.

Student Body Size: 551
Language of Instruction: English
Degrees/Diplomas/Certificates:

Faculty of Business
3. Diploma in Business – Accounting and Management: Regular Status [AAA13:149]
6. Graduate Diploma in Business – Accounting: Regular Status [AAA16:160]
8. Graduate Diploma in Business – Management: Regular Status [AAA16:160]
Faculty of Education
11. Certificate in Education – Teaching Practice In-service: Regular Status [AAA12:151]
12. Certificate in Foundation Studies: Regular Status [AAA14:141]
13. Diploma in Early Childhood Education: Regular Status [AAA09:102]
14. Diploma in Primary Education: Regular Status [AAA13:149]
15. Bachelor of Education – Primary Education: Regular Status [AAA13:149]
16. Graduate Diploma in Adventist Education: Regular Status [AAA14:141]
17. Graduate Diploma in Education – Secondary Education: Candidacy Status [AAA16:161]
18. Graduate Diploma in Health – Pacific Lifestyle and Nutrition: Candidacy Status [AAA16:161]
19. Postgraduate Diploma in Education: Regular Status [AAA16:159]

Faculty of Theology
21. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA14:140]
22. Graduate Diploma in Adventist Studies: Regular Status [AAA14:140]
23. Graduate Diploma in Theology: Regular Status [AAA14:140]
24. Postgraduate Diploma in Theology: Regular Status [AAA16:159]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1987.

Other Accreditation: Fiji Higher Education Commission since 2012; South Pacific Association of Theological Schools since 1989

Recognized by Fiji Higher Education Commission
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Helderberg College of Higher Education

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Location: The College is located five km from Somerset West, South Africa. The campus is situated on the slopes of Helderberg Mountain, 10 kilometers from the Indian Ocean, and 47 km from Cape Town.

History: Helderberg College of Higher Education (HCHE) has served the Church and the community for over 126 years. It was the first College established outside North America in 1893 as Claremont Union College at Claremont, Cape Town.

In 1919 the College relocated to the KwaZulu-Natal province near the town of Ladysmith, where it was first known as the South African Training School, and later as Spionkop College. The College relocated again in 1928 to Somerset West, where a 150-hectare fruit farm had been purchased. It was originally called the New African Missionary College, but due to the original name being misleading to residents, the institution was renamed Helderberg College.

Over time significant changes and development took place regarding the College’s program offerings. The first major change in the curriculum occurred in 1951 when the College became a senior college and began offering degree courses of the University of South Africa (UNISA). Students could complete the requirements of BA, BSc and BCom degrees within four years. The UNISA connection served the College well for the next 35 years, with only minor adjustments to the curriculum. Offerings also included a recognized three-year primary teaching diploma in the 1980s.

The need for wider recognition and closer control over the curriculum led to the next major change, an affiliation agreement with Andrews University (AU) to offer the BTh (Bachelor of Theology) and BBA (Bachelor of Business Administration) degrees. From this initial agreement, the affiliation was extended to the BA degree. In 1997, Helderberg College entered into an additional affiliation agreement with Southern Adventist University (SAU). The affiliation provided alternative accreditation and academic recognition for the BBA degree, with majors in either Accounting or Management.

In 1998, in terms of the Higher Education Act (no. 101 of 1997), and South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) Act ((No 58 of 1995)) PHEIs were granted the opportunity to become accredited and registered providers of education, offering their own degrees and diplomas. Registration with the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET) meant that the College took its place alongside the public institutions in providing nationally and internationally recognized programs of study.

In 1998, the process of applying for the accreditation of Helderberg College programs began. At that time the College was still affiliated with AU and SAU. The degree programs offered by the College under these affiliations were submitted to SAQA for accreditation at that time and continued in 2000. Due to the institution seeking its own accreditation and registration with the South African national bodies, the College Council made the decision to dissolve the affiliation agreements, and the AU and SAU programs were therefore phased out.

A site visit by the Council on Higher Education (CHE) was conducted in May 2003, and on recommendation of the Higher Education Quality Committee (HEQC) the qualifications accredited by the CHE were reflected on the certificate dated 13 April 2007. The institution is registered by the DHET, and all qualifications offered are accredited by the CHE and listed on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF) by the SAQA. In 2017 the institution was renamed Helderberg College of Higher Education.
Educational Program: The most recently amended registration certificate by the DHET is dated 25 October 2018, with the current accreditation cycle of the following programs continuing until 31 December 2024:

Student Body Size: 297
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees

Faculty of Arts, Education, and Sciences
1. Bachelor of Arts in Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:142]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:142]
3. Bachelor of Education - Foundation Phase Teaching: Regular Status [AAA19:200]

Faculty of Business Studies
4. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:142]
5. Bachelor of Commerce – Accounting: Regular Status [AAA22:263]

Faculty of Theology
7. Diploma in Theology 2-year – Christian Ministries: Regular Status [AAA09:52]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:143]
9. Bachelor of Theology – Evangelical/Pastoral Ministry and Pastoral Care, Theological Studies: Regular Status [AAA09:52]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and Department of Education, Republic of South Africa

Accredited since 1980.
Hong Kong Adventist College

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Location: Sai Kung, New Territories, Hong Kong

History: The first school conducted by Seventh-day Adventists in China was established in 1903, called The Bethel Girls’ School and Ida Thompson acted as the first Principal. Two years later in 1905, the Yick Chi Boys’ School was established. By 1911, the school for boys was closed and later reopened as a middle school in 1916. That was the start of Sam Yuk School.

By 1922, the Bethel Girls’ School was folded into the Sam Yuk School system. By 1935 the South China Union Mission took charge of Sam Yuk School and renamed it Canton Training Institute. In 1937, Canton Training Institute moved temporarily to Sha Tin, Hong Kong during the Sino-Japanese War and became South China Training Institute. Later, the China Training Institute was also moved to the same location. The two schools were integrated to become the “China and South China Training Institute.” Not long afterward, a parcel of land consisting of 40 acres was purchased by the Seventh-day Adventist Church at Clear Water Bay, in the New Territories of Hong Kong. A plan developed for a permanent campus began, and two years later in 1939, China and South China Training Institute moved into this new location.

In 1942, World War II broke out. Hong Kong was occupied under the Imperial Japanese for three and a half years. The school reverted back to its prior name of “South China Training Institute” and returned to China’s mainland near the town of Lao-lung in Guangdong province. At the end of World War II, the school relocated back to its former site in the district of Tung-shan in Guangdong for one year. Not until 1947 was the school able to return to the Clear Water Bay campus in Hong Kong.

The Far Eastern Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church authorized the South China Island Mission to open a college to provide tertiary education in 1958. The middle school was also incorporated into the Clear Water Bay campus. In 1962, the college curriculum was launched and by 1964, the secondary and tertiary education was combined. The combined education entity was named South China Union College.

In 1981, the Hong Kong Department of Education approved the registration of Hong Kong Adventist College (HKAC) to be the name for the college to designate it as a separate entity from Sam Yuk Middle School. In 1989, HKAC’s Board of Directors approved a major redevelopment for the campus. Lands located in the hillside were designated Cheung Kong (Holdings) Limited, to create funds for the campus redevelopment project. In 1997, new campus facilities were launched on the Clear Water Bay campus.

Educational Program: In 2007, HKAC started an affiliation with Andrews University and established four academic programs, Religion, Health, Psychology, and Business Administration. In 2012, Diploma for Pre-University Studies was established to provide one year of study to prepare students for university studies. The College offers three bachelor’s degree programs in affiliation with Andrews University: B.S. in Health and Fitness, B. S. in Psychology, B. A. in Religion. In addition, the College also offers one-year certificate in English proficiency, and two locally accredited programs: Associate in Business and Diploma in Pre-University Studies.
Student Body Size: 104
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Health and Fitness**
1. Diploma in Nursing 2-year: Regular Status [AAA17:88]
2. Higher Diploma in Health and Rehabilitation Services: Regular Status [AAA21:209]
3. Bachelor of Science in Health and Fitness: Regular Status (AAA10:49) Affiliation with Andrews University

**Faculty of Psychology**
4. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status (AAA10:49) Affiliation with Andrews University

**Faculty of Religion and Theology**
5. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status (AAA10:49) Affiliation with Andrews University

**Department of Diploma in Pre-University Studies (DPUS)**
The Diploma in Pre-university Studies is accredited by the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications since 2012, with its current term of accreditation extending through 2018.

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1982.

Note: All degree programs offered are in affiliation with Andrews University and, as such, are accredited by AAA under regular status.

Affiliated with Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan

Other Recognition: Education Bureau of Hong Kong (EDB)
Hungarian Adventist Theological College  
(Adventista Teológiai Főiskola)

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Location: The institution shares its classroom building with the Hungarian Union Headquarters in Pécel, located 20 km. east of Budapest city centre. It is accessible by Budapest public transportation.

History: The Hungarian Adventist Theological College (HATC) was established in 1948, after the Adventist Church, as an approved denomination by the Hungarian government, was given the authority to establish a theological college. After two years, however, the communist government closed it down and the operations of HATC ceased. In 1957 pastoral training started again with full-time and correspondence classes and it operated in that form until 1965. From 1967 to 1989 HATC functioned in a new form, as the Pastors Training Institute of the Council of Free Churches in Hungary.

The Pastors Training Institute of the Council of Free Churches drew up contracts with the Debrecen Presbyterian Theological Academy in 1972 and the Budapest Lutheran Theological Academy in 1974. Based on these contracts, students graduating from the Pastors Training Institute got their theological degree (MA) on the approval of the Debrecen Reformed Theological Academy and the Budapest Lutheran Theological Academy. In 1990, based on authority of the higher education law, (Act LXXX of 1993 version), HATC was given the legal right of operation by the Hungarian government as an institute of higher education. Thus, it became the legal successor to the College established in 1948.

At the 100-year anniversary of the Hungarian Union Conference (HUC) in 1998, the Union provided the school with high quality equipment and a new building. HATC is now registered as an independent institute of higher education among recognized institutes of the Hungarian Republic. The Hungarian Accreditation Committee accredited HATC in 1999, 2002, 2007, the last time for a period of eight years. In 2014 the visiting team of the Hungarian Accrediting Committee accredited the institution for 5 years till the end of 2019. Due to pandemic circumstances HAC accreditation was extended until 2022. The visiting team was at the institution in May 2022, official letter due in Autumn time.

Educational Program: The College offers a 3 and 4-year bachelor’s degree program in Pastoral Ministry. It also operates Extension (correspondence) programs with visiting lecturers for non-residential and part-time students. The College offers continuing education and training programs for pastors and various church officers for the Union.

Student Body Size: 82  
Language of Instruction: Hungarian
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
  1. Diploma in Theology 2-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:159]
  2. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:188]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association; and Hungarian Accreditation Committee (State) Accredited since1995.
Indonesia Adventist University  
(Universitas Advent Indonesia)

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Website: https://www.unai.edu

Location: This University is located 15 kilometers north of Bandung, on a 54-acre campus near the village of Cisarua.

History: Universitas Advent Indonesia (UNAI) is an institution of higher education operated by the Seventh-day Adventist Church of West Indonesia Union Mission, and is recognized by both the Department of Education of the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church and the Department of National Education of the Republic of Indonesia. It is one of the over 113 Seventh-day Adventist colleges and universities operated and recognized by the Church around the world.

Originally, Universitas Adventi Indonesia was started as a training school that was intended to train gospel workers for the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The school was located in Cimindi, Bandung in 1929 with the name Opleiding School der Advent Zending. Due to further progress, the Church relocated the school to Gadobangkong, Cimahi in 1938. In 1942, World War II forced the Church organization to close the school temporarily. After the war the school was reopened in 1948 with a new name, “Indonesia Union Seminary” (IUS), and teacher training was then added. One year later, on August 19, 1949, the school was promoted to a junior college level, a two-year program beyond Senior High School.

In 1962, it was voted to grant a three-year Bachelor of Arts degree in three programs of study: Theology, Education and Business Administration. The following year in 1963, the school was renamed “Perguruan Tinggi Advent” (PTA). From that time the institution began offering a four-year Bachelor of Arts degree program.

The College continued to grow, and as a result in 1971 the school was renamed “Institut Theologia dan Keguruan Advent” (ITKA). The change of its name to the current name - “Universitas Advent Indonesia” (UNAI), took place in 1982 by the official approval of the Minister of Education and Culture Action No. 0338/01/1982, dated November 2, 1982.

Educational Program: The Faculty of Nursing with a three-year diploma program was introduced in 1984, and later in 2001 BSN degree program was added. The University has several programs as listed below with an enrollment just under 2,000 representing a little drop from the previous four years.

Student Body Size 1,602  
Language of Instruction: Indonesian, English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
**College of Arts and Sciences**  
1. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:174]
College of Business
2. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting, Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:174]
3. Master of Management: Regular Status [AAA15:158]

College of Education
4. Bachelor of Arts in English Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:174]
5. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:174]

College of Information Technology

College of Nursing
7. Bachelor of Nursing: Regular Status [AAA06:28]
8. Master of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA11:138]

College of Theology
9. Master in Ministry: Regular Status [AAA09:61]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and Universities and Ministry of Education, Republic of Indonesia

Accredited since 1985.
Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary (IATS)  
(Seminario Teológico Adventista Interamericano)

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E-mail: ihelp@isetai.edu  Website: https://www.setai.edu

Location: Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, on the campus of Antillean Adventist University

History: The Seventh-day Adventist Church is dedicated to make disciples and proclaim the Gospel. During the last century the Adventist message was accepted by thousands in the Caribbean and Latin America. In order to nurture the new members and advance the evangelistic mission, the Seventh-day Adventist Church established the Inter-American Division (IAD) in 1922. The need for advanced theological training grew and programs for preparing missionaries were established throughout the territory. Nevertheless, the demands for more specialized instruction in theology and ministry required the establishment of graduate programs.

The IAD invited the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary (Michigan) to offer a Master of Arts in Religion as extension programs at three sites. However, the extension programs of the SDATS were not enough for the thousands of ministers working in the territory. The Division voted to establish its own institution and created the Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary (IATS) in 1996.

Jaime Castrejon became the first president and by 2004, the IATS/SETAI began to offer a master’s degree in Pastoral Theology (MAPTh) and continued the Doctor in Ministry degree (DMin).

In the years after that, IATS received its accreditation from the Department of Education of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. In 2010, the Association of Theological Seminaries in the US and Canada (ATS) granted accreditation to IATS for the degrees that were being already conferred.

At present, the IATS is a multi-site institution that serves in three languages and ten locations – Jamaica, Trinidad, Haiti, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Mexico, Puerto Rico, and Venezuela.

The degrees that the Seminary grants are in the professional and academic levels. The Master in Pastoral Theology (MAPTh) provides graduates in various areas of ministry. The Doctor in Ministry (DMin) graduates have developed projects on church growth, stewardship, family, leadership, youth ministry, counseling, and missions.

The academic programs (MABTS and Ph) are focused on Old and New Testament Studies, and Systematic Theology. These programs prepare scholars for publication and research in academic areas, with a focus on lifting pillars and proclaiming Hope.

The IATS/SETAI is committed to specializing in theological education of mission leaders in a creative and scholarly environment for the Church, primarily in the Americas. The Seminary serves a learning community of culturally-ethnically diverse leaders in their cultural and national contexts. The IATS graduates lead a life of witness and service. They minister, proclaim the Hope, and disciple worshipping communities based on Scriptural foundations.
Educational Program: The IATS/SEAI is committed to specializing in theological education of missional leaders in a creative and scholarly environment for the Church, primarily in the Americas. The Seminary serves a learning community of culturally-ethnically diverse leaders in their cultural and national contexts. The IATS graduates lead a life of witness and service. They minister, proclaim the Hope, and disciple worshiping communities based on Scriptural foundations.

Student Body Size: 511
Languages of Instruction: Spanish, English, and French
Certificates/diplomas/degrees:
   2. Master of Arts in Pastoral/Theological Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:54]
   3. Master of Arts in Systematic Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:54]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada

Accredited since 2007.
Italian Adventist University Villa Aurora
(Istituto Avventista di Cultura Biblica Villa Aurora)

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Location: The Italian Adventist University Villa Aurora (Istituto Avventista di Cultura Biblica in Italian) is situated on a hill north of the city of Florence. A Renaissance estate mansion continues to serve as the center of campus life. Two ancients, but renovated, buildings are used for dormitories, and down the hill (Vial Ellen Gould White – previous Viuzzo del Pergolino) there are two new buildings for offices, classrooms, the publishing house “Edizioni AdV”, cafeteria, guest house “CasAurora” and various other functions.

History: An initial authorization to open a four-year course of study was issued by the Committee of the Southern European Division in 1939, but due to lack of funds and the uncertainty created by the war, the opening had to be postponed for a year. At that time Italy was not involved in the war.

Despite the difficult times the IAU opened its doors in Via Trieste 23 in the fall of 1940, with a limited number of students.

After the war, in a climate of reconstruction, but also of great scarcity of resources, the Adventists still thought big and on February 6, 1947, they purchased the property “Villa Aurora”, via del Pergolino 12, in the hill north of the city. The property consisted of about 19 hectares of land (about 15 acres).

A new building, finished in the early 1990s, which currently comprise some offices and the classrooms of both the School of Theology and the Department of Language, Culture, and Italian Art.

Thanks to art. 19 of Law 516/1988, the IAU was recognized as an incorporate religious institution and as part of the ecclesiastical structure of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Italy. The operations of IAU take place under ecclesiastical authority solely without interference from the State, and the diplomas in theology and biblical culture awarded at the end of 3 years courses to high school degree students are recognized.

At the beginning of the 21st century, thanks to State funding (Eight per thousand, or 8xmille), some of the older structures have undergone major renovation. A new building was completed in 2014, thanks to the synergistic efforts of the IAU, Unione Italiana delle Chiese Cristiane Avventiste del 7° Giono (UICCA), Inter-European Division (EUD), and Opera Sociale Avventista (8xmille).

The Law 67/2009 upgraded the recognition of IAU’s degrees: B.Th. Degrees (3 years) and M.Th. Degrees (+2 years). The machinery for the recognition of the degrees is contained in the Ministry of University, and Research (MUR) decree of November 4, 2021.

The City of Florence Council, on December 10, 2021, accepting a request from the IAU, renamed viuzzo del Pergolino after Ellen Gould White. One of the reasons for the change was the aim of the City Council to increase the number of the streets dedicated to notable women.
Student Body Size: 137
Language of Instruction: Italian, English

Listing of Degree Programs Accredited by AAA and MIUR

Department of Italian Language, Culture, and Art
  1. Certificate in Italian, 1 year: Regular Status [AAA03:02]

School of Theology
  2. Bachelor of Arts in Theology, 3 years: Regular Status [AAA17:174]
  3. Bachelor of Theology - First three years only, two more years must be taken at Adventist University of France: Regular Status [AAA03:02]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and Ministry of Education, University and Research, Italian Republic (Law: June 8, 2009, n. 67)

Accredited since 1987.
Kanye Adventist School of Nursing  
(Mid-Level Training Institution)

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Location: Kanye, Botswana, Southern Africa

History: Kanye Seventh-day Adventist College is an outstanding institution with a proud and distinct history. In 1922, an American missionary and pioneer of western medicine began work in Kanye in the then Bechuanaland Protectorate now Botswana and established Kanye Seventh-day Adventist Hospital. He had to look for men and women to train on the job to take care of the sick. In 1923 the pioneer was joined by an American nurse, and in 1925 the first young Botswana candidates were admitted into the hospital for work and two years of training.

The School of Nursing was formally established in 1947, and the certified General Nursing program of the Executive Nursing Council began.

In 1964 the Enrolled Nursing program was introduced and was running parallel with the General Nursing program until 1983 when it was effaced due to shortage of staff. The school grew to a college as an integral part of Kanye Seventh-day Adventist Mission Hospital, therefore provided education and trained nurses to function within the philosophy and objectives of the Seventh-day Adventist education worldwide.

The College was affiliated with the University of Botswana in April 1989, and by 2006 the College was registered as a tertiary institution by The Tertiary Education Council (TEC) currently known as Botswana Qualification Authority (BQA). The College is also registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Council of Botswana as a professional regulatory body.

In 2013, the Kanye Seventh-day Adventist Hospital and College of Nursing Board voted separation of the college from the hospital per long overdue recommendation from the appropriate authorizing/governing bodies namely: Ministry of Health, 14th December 1994, Department of Health Ministries of the Eastern African Division and General Conference (GC) of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, 14th November 2002. This separation was to allow the College to get the needed support from the education boards and to move from non-collegiate to full collegiate status so as to offer degree programs and to move towards university status.

The college mission and vision have at their core both the highest ideals of theological understanding of God and humanity. Hence, it strives to maintain its reputation for excellence, intellectual integrity, and ethical standards in all its pursuits. The day-to-day management of the institution is guided by policies, regulations and rules which are applied to all students and staff. The staff, administrators, and students of Kanye Seventh-day Adventist College of Nursing (KSDACON) are proud of the accomplishments of the institution. Throughout all the transformation KSDACON continues to be relevant, fit and to be an Education and Training provider (ETP) in conformity with Botswana Qualifications Authority (BQA), Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) and University of Botswana (UB) criteria and standards for registration and accreditation of tertiary institutions.
Educational Program: The College has two additional programs, namely Advanced Diploma Family Nurse Practice in 2005 and Advanced Diploma Midwifery in 2009. In 2020/2021 academic year the total enrollment of students was 221. Upon completion of these programs, graduates serve in mission hospitals, private agencies, mine hospitals and various institutions of central and local government. The quality of graduates and the services they offer are of a very high standard. They inspire many dynamic prospective students which the college screen for admission every year.

Student Body Size: 215
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
  1. Bachelor of Nursing Science: Candidacy Status [AAA14:60]

Accredited as Mid-Level Training Institution by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 2015.
Kettering College

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Location: Located on a suburban campus near Dayton, Ohio, Kettering College is surrounded by wooded, rolling hills in the beautiful residential section of the city of Kettering, a suburb of Dayton, Ohio. The college is located a few miles from downtown Dayton, which is served by all forms of transportation. It is easily accessible by automobile from Interstates 75 and 70. The main facilities of the college are centered in the educational building, a combination teaching and residence facility containing classrooms, lounges, and learning resources center, as well as other academic services. The Ollie Davis building in Beavercreek serves as a site for the Occupational Therapy Doctorate program. The 450-bed Kettering Health – Main Campus hospital is adjacent to the main educational facilities.

History: The College and its owner, Kettering Health – Main Campus, were founded by Eugene W. Kettering, son of inventor Charles F. Kettering, and his wife Virginia W. Kettering. He donated 35 acres of family property for the medical center and a future college after his personal experience with Adventist healthcare in Illinois.

In 1967, more than 100 students enrolled as the College’s first freshman class. Today Kettering College has more than 800 students who intend to make a better world through the healing of others.

Educational Program: Kettering College is dedicated primarily to the teaching of allied health sciences, offering courses and curricula leading to an Associate of Science degree in radiologic technology or nuclear medicine technology: a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN), LPN-to-BSN, accelerated BSN, and BSN completion tracks; a Bachelor of Science degree with majors in Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Human Biology, and Respiratory Care; as well as a Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences degree with concentration in management, education, sonography, advanced imaging and respiratory care, and majors in Healthcare Management and Healthcare Studies (with concentrations in pre-PA and pre-PT). Along with these undergraduate programs Kettering College also offers graduate programming that includes Master of Physician Assistant Studies and Occupational Therapy Doctorate degrees. Students are provided opportunities for the development of skills in medically related technologies and institutional departmental leadership. The college also offers two years of general education which are transferable credits to most colleges.

Student Body Size: 832  Language of Instruction: English

Faculty of Diagnostic Medical Sonography
1. Bachelor of Science - Major in Diagnostic Medical Sonography: Regular Status [AAA12:42] Name Change [AAA22:227]

Faculty of Health Sciences
2. Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences, Concentrations in Management, Education, Sonography, Advanced Imaging, Respiratory Care, Medical Informatics, Pre-MBA/Pre-MHA: Regular Status [AAA02:25] Name Change [AAA22:227]

Faculty of Human Biology
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
Faculty of Learning Commons
Faculty of Mathematics and Sciences

Faculty of Nursing
4. Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Three-year Track: Regular Status [AAA12:42]
5. Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Completion Program: Regular Status [AAA02:25]
6. Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Online Completion Degree: Regular Status [AAA10:40]

Faculty of Occupational Therapy

Faculty of Physician Assistant Studies
8. Master of Physician Assistant Studies: Regular Status [AAA05:46]

Faculty of Radiological Sciences and Imaging
9. Associate of Science in Radiologic Technology: Regular Status [AAA22:228]
10. Associate of Science in Nuclear Medicine Technology: Regular Status [AAA22:228]

Faculty of Respiratory Care

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1967.

Other Accreditation: Higher Learning Commission (HLC), Ohio Department of Higher Education (ODHE)
Program Accreditation: Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE), Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), Committee on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (COARC), Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT), Joint Review Committee for Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRCDMS), Ohio Board of Nursing (OBN), Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA)
Klabat University
(Universitas Klabat)

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Location: Klabat University (Universitas Klabat - UNKLAB) is located on 54.4 hectares of property at the foot of Mt. Klabat near Manado in North Sulawesi province of Indonesia.

History: Klabat University, founded under the name Mount Klabat College, started in 1965 with an enrollment of 29 students. The administration building, classrooms, and teachers’ homes were initially located in the nearby village of Airmadidi. Subsequently, in 1966, all college activities were moved to the present campus which currently covers an area of approximately 54.5 hectares.

The first programs offered were two-year degrees in Elementary School Education and Pastoral Training. In 1969 a program in Junior High School Education was opened. Also in 1969, the General Conference Department of Education authorized the opening of a four-year degree in Theology. At that time there were 84 students enrolled. Accounting and Office Administration programs were begun in 1970, and an Agriculture Program was added in 1981.

On June 10, 1982, the Indonesian Minister of Education and Culture formally proclaimed a change in school status from an institution of Higher Learning to a University. The Government authorized the opening of the following S-1 (four years degree) programs in 1986 for the following majors: Faculty of Economics, Management and Accounting; Faculty of Theology, Religion; Faculty of Education, English Language Education, Cooperative Economics, and Non-Formal Education; Faculty of Agriculture, Agronomy.

Government permission was obtained in 1988 to open two three-year diploma programs: one program in Financial Management and another program in Banking Management. On March 27, 1988, the Government granted permission for the establishment of a Secretarial Academy offering a three-year diploma. In October 1998, the following programs were granted accredited status by the Government: Accounting, Management, and English Education.

As the University grew, a new faculty opened in 1999, the Faculty of Mathematics and Science. Under this faculty, the four-year degree Computer Program is offered. Later, the Faculty of Mathematics and Science was converted into the Faculty of Computer and Faculty of Technique, with programs in System Information and Technique Informatics. This allowed the great increase in students’ enrollment and in 2002, the number of students reached 1,500.

In August 2006, the Faculty of Nursing was added under which a four-year degree Nursing Program is offered. This also made a significant contribution to the number of enrollments, to reach 2,000 students.

After securing permission from the Ministry of Education, the Faculty of Economics opened a graduate program, the Master of Management, in May 2008. This program was administered in Jl. B. W. Lapian 34, Manado – about 23 kilometers from the main campus.
Educational Program: The University offers 18 programs, including diploma programs, bachelor programs, and a master program under seven faculties.

Student Body Size: 3,162
Language of Instruction: Indonesian
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Agrotechnology**
1. Bachelor of Science in Agronomy: Regular Status [AAA02:47]

**Faculty of Computer Science**

**Faculty of Economics**
2. Diploma in Science 3-year-Accounting: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
3. Diploma in Science 3-year-Business: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
4. Diploma in Science 3-year-Management: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
5. Bachelor of Science in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
6. Bachelor of Science in Management: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
7. Master in Management: Regular Status [AAA15:93]

**Faculty of Education**
8. Diploma in Science 2-year – Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
9. Bachelor of Education – Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
10. Bachelor of Education – English: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
11. Bachelor of Education – Secondary Education: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
13. Bachelor of Education – Social Studies: Regular Status [AAA02:47]

**Faculty of Nursing Sciences**
14. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:176]

**Faculty of Secretarial Science**
15. Diploma in Science 2-year – Secretarial Science: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
16. Diploma in Science 3-year – Secretarial Science: Regular Status [AAA02:47]
17. Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Science: Regular Status [AAA02:47]

**Faculty of Theology**
18. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA02:47]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1985.

La Sierra University

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Location: The University is located on the western side of the city of Riverside, just north of Interstate 91 at the Pierce Street exit.

History: La Sierra University is a Seventh-day Adventist coeducational institution that began as La Sierra Academy in 1922, on acreage that had been part of an 1846 Mexican land grant known as Rancho La Sierra. It is now part of the city of Riverside. In 1923, with the addition of coursework in preparation for teaching, the school became La Sierra Academy and Normal School. As the offerings continued to grow, it became Southern California Junior College in 1927 and La Sierra College in 1939. Accreditation as a four-year liberal arts college was received in 1946.

In 1967, La Sierra College was merged with Loma Linda University as its College of Arts and Sciences. The School of Education was organized in 1968, followed in 1986 by the School of Business and Management and the Division of Continuing Studies, and in 1987 by the School of Religion.

The Loma Linda and La Sierra campuses of Loma Linda University were reorganized into separate institutions in 1990, and four schools (the College of Arts and Sciences, the School of Education, the School of Business and Management, and the School of Religion) and the Division of Continuing Studies became La Sierra University.

Today, the University offers graduate and undergraduate curricula in applied and liberal arts and sciences, business, and religion; graduate curricula in education; and programs for professional education in fulfillment of requirements for teaching credentials.

Intellectual pursuits are facilitated by the University’s library, museums, observatory, arboretum, Brandstater Gallery, Center for Student Academic Success, Archaeology Center, and other campus resources. In an effort to create students who are at their best in every capacity, the University also encourages physical fitness through such activities as intramural sports and physical education courses. In addition, the campus maintains swimming pools, a fitness center, track, tennis, basketball, and volleyball courts, and soccer, softball, and baseball fields.

The University buildings are on a gentle slope looking eastward over the Riverside valley, with its world-famous citrus and walnut groves and its palm-lined boulevards. The many acres owned by the University allow, during the winter months, for the snow-clad peaks of the surrounding ranges to be seen rising above the surrounding neighborhoods. This glimpse of the Inland Empire, as seen from the University campus, offers a view of rare beauty.

Educational Program: The University offers a wide range of pre-professional programs and grants Bachelors, Masters, Educational Specialist, and Doctor of Education degrees. It also supports several extension campuses with sister Seventh-day Adventist institutions.
Student Body Size: 1,614
Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**College of Arts and Sciences**
2. Bachelor of Arts in Archeology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:037]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Art: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
5. Bachelor of Arts in Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
6. Bachelor of Arts in English – Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
7. Bachelor of Arts in English – Writing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
8. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
9. Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
10. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
11. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
12. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
13. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish: Regular Status [AAA99:12]
14. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
15. Bachelor of Science in Biology – Biological Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
16. Bachelor of Science in Biology – Biomedical Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
17. Bachelor of Science in Biomathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
18. Bachelor of Science in Biophysics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
20. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
22. Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
23. Bachelor of Science in Health Science – Bio-Health Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
24. Bachelor of Science in Health Science – Health Administration: Regular Status [AAA17:67]
25. Bachelor of Science in Health Science – Health Promotion and Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
26. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
27. Bachelor of Science in Music Technology: Regular Status [AAA05:53]
28. Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience: [AAA23:038]
29. Bachelor of Science in Physical Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
30. Bachelor of Science in Physics Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:037]
31. Bachelor of Fine Arts – Film and Television: Regular Status [AAA13:47]
32. Bachelor of Music – Music Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
33. Bachelor of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]

**School of Education**
34. Master of Arts in Administration and Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
35. Master of Arts in Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
36. Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
37. Master of Arts in Student Life and Development: Regular Status [AAA15:51]
38. Master of Arts in Teaching – Curriculum and Instruction: Offered Historically Regular Status
40. Specialist in Education – Administration and Leadership, Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Psychology and School Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
41. Doctor of Education – Administration and Leadership, Curriculum and Instruction: Offered Historically Regular Status 21:80

HMS Richards Divinity School
42. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:81]

Zapara School of Business
43. Bachelor of Arts in Business: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
44. Bachelor of Science in Business – Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:80]
45. Master of Science in Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA15:51]

Division of General Education

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Other Accreditation: Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (since 1953), Association of Theological Schools, California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, Council on Social Work Education, National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, Pacific American Association of College Registrars and Admission Officers, National Association of Schools of Music, Southern Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admission Officers.
Latin-American Adventist Theological Seminary  
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Location: The Latin American Adventist Theology Seminary (SALT) is an educational institution with several Regional Offices coordinated by a Rectory located at the headquarters of the Seventh-day Adventist Church (SDA) South American Division (DSA). It offers undergraduate and postgraduate courses in the territory of the Division.

History: The South American Division (SAD) comprises 8 countries that occupy most of the territory of the continent of South America. The training of ministers and missionaries to serve the Seventh-day Adventist Church in this region of the world occurs in nine theological seminaries that offer tertiary education programs, five of them serving seven Spanish speaking countries, and four serving Brazil, the only Portuguese speaking country in the Division. The first of these seminaries was established in 1898 in Argentina, and is today the River Plate Adventist University. Other seminaries followed later: in 1906 in Chile (today Chile Adventist University); in 1915 in Brazil (today Brazil Adventist University and Academy); in 1919 in Peru (today Peruvian Union University); in 1928 in Bolivia (today Bolivia Adventist University); in 1957 a second seminary in Brazil (today Northeast Brazil Adventist College); in 1995 in Ecuador (Ecuador Adventist College and Academy); in 2009 a third seminary in Brazil, in Amazon region (Amazonas Adventist College); and in 2014 the fourth seminary in Brazil, in its southern region (Parana Adventist College).

On the 24th of June of 1979, the South American Division established the Latin American Adventist Theological Seminary (LATS), through the vote SAD 79-235, uniting thereby its different seminaries into a multi branches theological institution, coordinated by a presidency/rectory located at the Division offices, in order to offer graduate level programs in three of its main theological seminaries located in Argentina, Brazil and Peru. The “University Council” of the General Conference of the SDA ratified its establishment and granted its first accreditation in 1987 after a proper process of evaluation.

The first graduate classes started on the 29th of December, 1981 in Brazil, and on the 11th of January 1982, in Argentina and Peru with a Master in Pastoral Theology in these three branches. The main goal was to improve the theological education of SDA pastors that were serving the different fields of the SAD. Doctoral programs were first implemented through a Doctorate in Pastoral Theology being offered in Brazil, and a Doctorate in Theology in Argentina, both programs started in the year of 1986. In the following years, the increasing demand for graduate ministerial and theological education in the SAD, and the growing number of pastors and missionaries in this Division resulted in the establishment of a doctoral program in Peruvian branch of LATS, a master program in LATS branch at the Northeast Brazil Adventist College, and a master degree in Mission: with an emphasis on Theology and Health at the Chile Adventist University.

Educational Program: As it is today, the five branches of LATS offering graduate studies are: LATS-BAUA-EC with a Master in Theology (Biblical, Historical, Systematic and Applied Theology) and a Doctorate in Pastoral Theology; LATS-NeBA with a Master in Pastoral Theology and a Master in Theology (Biblical,
Urban Mission, and Pastoral Counseling); LATS-PUU with a Master and a Doctorate in Biblical, Historical, Systematic and Applied Theology; and LATS-RPAU with a Master and a Doctorate in Biblical, Historical, Systematic and Applied Theology; LATS-CHAU with a Master in Mission, with an emphasis on Theology and Health. Undergraduate (Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Ecuador and Peru); Graduate (Argentina, Brazil, and Peru)

Student Body Size: 1,910
Language of Instruction: Spanish and Portuguese
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**LATS-Argentina, North Brazil, Peru, and South Brazil**

1. Master of Pastoral Theology offered at four SALT sites-Argentina, North Brazil, Peru, and South Brazil: Regular Status [AAA02:17]
2. Master of Theology offered at four SALT sites-Argentina, North Brazil, Peru, and South Brazil: Regular Status [AAA02:17]
3. Doctor of Pastoral Theology offered at four SALT sites-Argentina, North Brazil, Peru, and South Brazil: Regular Status [AAA02:17]
4. Doctor of Theology offered at four SALT sites-Argentina, North Brazil, Peru, and South Brazil: Regular Status [AAA02:17]

**LATS-Bahia Adventist College, East Brazil**

5. Master in Theology at Bahia Adventist College: Candidacy Status [AAA11:48]

**LATS-Brazil Adventist University, Central Brazil**

6. Diploma in Adventist Studies: Regular Status [AAA18:222]
7. Diploma in Chaplaincy: Regular Status [AAA18:222]
8. Diploma in Leadership: Regular Status [AAA18:222]
12. Master in Missiology: Regular Status [AAA18:221]
15. Master in Theological Studies at UNASP: Candidacy Status [AAA10:55]

**LATS-River Plate Adventist University**

17. Master of Arts in Theology at River Plate Adventist University: Regular Status [AAA13:145]
18. Master in Chaplaincy: Candidacy Status 3-year [AAA14:131]
19. Doctor in Theology at River Plate Adventist University: Regular Status [AAA13:145]

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Approved by Argentina Ministry of Education, Bolivia Ministry of Education, Brazil Ministry of Education, Chile Ministry of Education, and Perú Ministry of Education

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University; Chile Adventist University; Ecuador Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College; Minas Gerais Adventist College; Northeast Brazil College; Parana Adventist University; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Linda Vista University  
(Universidad Linda Vista)  

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Location: Linda Vista University (Universidad Linda Vista) is a higher education institution located at Pueblo Nuevo Solistahuacan, in the State of Chiapas in Mexico. It belongs to the Chiapas Mexican Union and serves young people primarily from the South and the Southeast of the country of Mexico.

History: The school was founded as Escuela Agrícola e Industrial del Sureste, in the city of Teapa, Tabasco in 1947. In 1957, the school moved to Finca Santa Cruz, in Pueblo Nuevo, Solistahuacan, Chiapas. As an educational center for secondary education, it signed agreements with Universidad de Montemorelos, and academic programs of that university began to be offered at Pueblo Nuevo as extension programs.

Starting in 2001, the school began to offer university programs of its own. In 2002, the State of Chiapas granted the school official recognition as a university. In May 2006, by request and sponsorship of the South Mexican Union and the guidance of the Inter-American Division, Linda Vista University included as extensions the academic programs of Instituto de Educación Superior, State of Chiapas, and Instituto de Estudios Superiores, State of Merida. In December 2012, however, the Southern Mexican Union requested to the University Board of Trustees that the extension in Merida, Yucatan, be given to the newly reconstituted Southern Mexican Union, a request that became effective since January 2013.

Educational Program: Linda Vista University offers 17 bachelors programs in regular courses, also offers five bachelor’s and three master’s degrees during the summer period at the Main Campus. In the Tuxtla Gutierrez Campus, the University offers seven bachelors. Recently, in 2022, the Linda Vista University is working to incorporate an Online bachelor’s in educational psychology.

Student Body Size: 479  
Language of Instruction: Spanish  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Main Campus:

School of Administration  
1. Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance: Candidacy Status [AAA15:132]  
2. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration and Entrepreneurship: Regular Status [AAA19:165]

School of Education  
3. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Chemistry and Biology: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
4. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Educational Psychology: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
5. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Language and Literature: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
6. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Physics and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
7. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Social Science: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
8. Bachelor of Science in Education – Chemistry and Biology: Regular Status [AAA19:34]  
9. Bachelor of Science in Education – Educational Psychology: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
10. Bachelor of Science in Education – Language and Literature: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
11. Bachelor of Science in Education – Physics and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
12. Bachelor of Science in Education – Social Science: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
13. Bachelor of Science in Psychology and Counseling: Regular Status [AAA21:57]
14. Master of Arts in Education – Educational Innovation: Regular Status [AAA08:78]
15. Master of Arts in Education – Teaching and Administration: Regular Status [AAA08:78]
16. Master of Arts in Education – Special Education: Regular Status [AAA08:78]

School of Engineering
    17. Bachelor of Science in Software Development: Regular Status [AAA19:165]

School of Nursing
    18. Bachelor of Science in Health and Clinical Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA19:33]
    19. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:34]

School of Nutrition
    20. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition: Candidacy Status [AAA14:22]

School of Theology

Merida Campus
    1. Bachelor of Arts in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    2. Bachelor of Arts in Education: Regular Status [AAA08:79]
    3. Bachelor of Arts in Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    4. Bachelor of Science in Education – Physics and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    5. Bachelor of Science in Marketing: Regular Status [AAA08:79]
    6. Bachelor of Science in Middle and Superior Education – Social Sciences: Regular Status [AAA08:79]
    7. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    8. Bachelor of Science in Public Accounting: Regular Status [AAA08:79]
    9. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:34]

Tuxtla Gutierrez Campus:
    29. Bachelor of Arts in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    30. Bachelor of Arts in Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA19:34]
    31. Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA19:33]
    32. Bachelor of Science in Computational Systems: Regular Status [AAA19:166]
    33. Bachelor of Science in Education – Physics and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA08:80]
    34. Bachelor of Science in International Business: Candidacy Status [AAA19:33]
    35. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA08:80]

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Loma Linda University

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Location: Loma Linda University (LLU) is a Seventh-day Adventist educational health sciences institution in southern California, 60 miles east of Los Angeles.

History: From 1905 to 2005, the unwavering dedication of those who promoted healthful living and provided care for the sick has shaped and sustained one of the leading health-sciences educational institutions and hospitals in the nation. Loma Linda University and Loma Linda University Medical Center, as it is known today, proudly celebrates its 100 year anniversary. From humble beginnings, Loma Linda University and Loma Linda University Medical Center have grown to be leaders in patient care and pioneers of life-saving medicine.

It was the kind of place that aroused enthusiasm. When Ellen G. White, Adventist pioneer and spiritual guide, first visited Loma Linda, she was enchanted by its charms, describing it as “the most desirable place I have ever seen for a sanitarium.”

Through divine providence, the property came to the attention of John Burden, one of the founders of Loma Linda. The asking price of $110,000 was prohibitive for the fledgling Seventh-day Adventist Church. The price continued to drop, however, until the owners ordered the property sold for $40,000. With private funds, John Burden and others obtained an option on the property and paid off the note, then discounted to $38,900 before the end of the year.

On August 26, 1995, Loma Linda Sanitarium was incorporated; six weeks later on October 13, the first two patients were admitted. Loma Linda was in business! The present 11-story Loma Linda University Medical Center (LLUMC) opened on July 9, 1967, an outgrowth of the original Sanitarium on the hill. With the completion of Loma Linda University Children’s Hospital in late 1991, nearly 900 beds were now available for patient care, including beds at Loma Linda University Medical Center East Campus and Loma Linda University Behavioral Medicine Center. Loma Linda University Health Care, a management service organization, supports the many programs and services provided by our 400-plus faculty physicians. LLUMC operates some of the largest clinical programs in the United States in areas such as neonatal care and outpatient surgery and is recognized as the international leader in infant heart transplantation and proton treatments for cancer. Each year, the institution admits more than 33,000 inpatients and serves roughly half a million outpatients. As the only tertiary-care hospital in the area, LLUMC is the only Level 1 regional trauma center for Inyo, Mono, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties.

Through providence, Loma Linda has truly grown and prospered beyond the early leaders’ expectations. It has emerged into a health-sciences university and medical center internationally known for advanced technology, service-oriented medical care, and education.

Educational Program: In December 1905, Loma Linda accepted its first nursing students, and on July 10, 1907, the first Loma Linda nurse commencement was held. Today, more than 3,000 students study in seven schools and the Faculty of Religion and Faculty of Graduate Studies. More than 55 programs are
offered by the Schools of Allied Health Professions, Dentistry, Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy, Public Health and Behavioral Health. Curricula offered range from Certificates of Completion and Associate in Science degrees to Doctor of Philosophy and Professional Doctoral degrees.

Student Body Size: 4,325
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**School of Allied Health Professions**

1. Certificate in Cardiac Electrophysiology Technology: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
4. Certificate in Health Information Administration: Regular Status [AAA19:67]
5. Certificate in Health Professions Education: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
6. Certificate in Healthcare Practice: Regular Status [AAA06:41]
7. Certificate in Maternal and Child Health: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
8. Certificate in Medical Dosimetry: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
9. Certificate in Medical Radiation Dosimetry: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
10. Certificate in Radiologist Assistant: Regular Status [AAA03:08]
12. Associate of Science in Cardio Electrophysiology Technology Online: Regular Status [AAA19:67]
13. Associate of Science in Clinical Laboratory Technician: Regular Status [AAA00:45]
14. Associate of Science in Medical Radiography: [AAA09:32]
15. Bachelor of Science in Cytotechnology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
16. Bachelor of Science in Emergency Medical Care: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:069]
17. Bachelor of Science in Environmental and Earth Systems Science: Regular Status [AAA06:84]
18. Bachelor of Science in Health Information Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:08]; Changes [AAA15:53]
19. Bachelor of Science in Healthcare Administration Online: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
20. Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
21. Bachelor of Science in Nuclear Medicine Technology: Regular Status [AAA14:32]
22. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
23. Bachelor of Science in Radiation Sciences Online: Regular Status [AAA09:32]
24. Bachelor of Science in Radiologist Assistant: Regular Status [AAA03:08]
25. Bachelor of Science in Radiologist Assistant Online: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
26. Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care – Post-Professional: Regular Status [AAA17:69] Name Change [AAA19:68]
27. Master of Science in Communication Sciences and Disorders
28. Master of Science in Geology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
29. Master of Science in Geology and Molecular Genetics
30. Master of Science in Genetic Counseling: Regular Status [AAA23:139]
31. Master of Science in Health Informatics: Regular Status [AAA13:49]
32. Master of Science in Health Informatics Online/Doctor of Pharmacy On-Campus, to be taken concurrently: Regular Status [AAA14:34]
33. Master of Science in Health Professions Education: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
34. Master of Science in Natural Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
35. Master of Science in Natural Sciences non-thesis: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
36. Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Regular Status [AAA08:23]
37. Master of Science in Radiation Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
38. Master of Science in Radiologist Assistant Online: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
39. Master of Science in Respiratory Care: Regular Status [AAA12:135]
40. Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology Transitional Program: Regular Status [AAA06:41]
41. Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology: Regular Status [AAA15:52]
43. Master of Occupational Therapy to the entry-level Doctor of Occupational Therapy: Regular Status [AAA20:56]
44. Master in Physician Assistant: Regular Status [AAA00:45]
45. Doctor of Occupational Therapy Online: Regular Status [AAA06:84]
47. Doctor of Philosophy in Basic Sciences: Regular Status [AAA06:84]
48. Doctor of Philosophy in Earth Science: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
50. Doctor of Philosophy in Rehabilitation Science: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
51. Executive Certificate in Health Information Management Online: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
52. Graduate Certificate in Forensic Science: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
53. Graduate Certificate in Program Evaluation and Research: Regular Status [AAA03:08]
55. Post-Secondary Certificate in Special Imaging-Cardiac and Vascular Imaging: Regular Status [AAA14:32]
56. Post-Secondary Certificate in Special Imaging – Computed Tomography and Magnetic Resonance Imaging-on campus (both specialties combined into one Certificate: Regular Status [AAA14:32]
57. Post-Secondary Certificate in Special Imaging – Computed Tomography, on campus and online: Regular Status [AAA14:32]

School of Behavioral Health
59. Certificate in Group Counseling: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
60. Certificate in Lifestyle Intervention: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
61. Certificate in Polysomnography: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
62. Certificate in School Counseling: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
63. Master of Science in Child Life Specialist: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
64. Master of Science in Counseling: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
65. Master of Science in Criminal Justice: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
66. Master of Science in Gerontology: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
67. Master of Science in Marital and Family Therapy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
69. Master of Social Work/ Master of Science in Criminal Justice: Regular Status [AAA06:41]
70. Master of Social Work/ Master of Science in Gerontology: Regular Status [AAA06:41]
71. Doctor of Marital and Family Therapy: Regular Status [AAA00:45]
73. Doctor of Philosophy in Social Policy and Social Research: Regular Status [AAA00:45]
74. Doctor of Philosophy in Social Policy and Master of Arts in Biomedical and Clinical Ethics-
Combined Degree: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
75. Doctor of Philosophy in Social Policy and Social Research and Master of Social Work—Combined Degree: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
76. Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
77. Doctor of Philosophy in Systems, Families and Couples: Regular Status [AAA00:45] Name Change [AAA17:72]
78. Post-Master’s Certificate in Medical Family Therapy: Regular Status [AAA11:34]

School of Dentistry
1. Certificate in Advanced Education Program in Dental Anesthesiology: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
2. Certificate in Endodontics: Regular Status [AAA11:34]
3. Master of Science in Dentistry in Endodontics with experience in Implant Dentistry: Regular Status [AAA11:34]
4. Master of Science in Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics
5. Master of Science in Pediatric Dentistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
7. Doctor of Dental Surgery in Periodontics—Implant Dentistry Combined Program: Regular Status [AAA08:23]
8. Doctor of Dental Surgery in Prosthodontics—Implant Dentistry Combined Program: Regular Status [AAA08:23]

School of Medicine
14. Certificate in Biomedical and Clinical Ethics: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
15. Certificate in Clinical Mediation: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
16. Associate of Science in Surgical Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:068]
17. Master of Arts in Bioethics: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
19. Master of Science in Anatomy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:83]
20. Master of Science in Infection, Immunity, and Inflammation: Regular Status [AAA18:65]
21. Master of Science in Neuroscience: Regular Status [AAA18:65]
22. Master of Science in Systems Biology and Bioengineering: Regular Status [AAA18:65]
23. Master of Health Science—Pathologists’ Assistant: Regular Status [AAA15:52] Name Change [AAA17:182]
24. Master of Medical Science—Biomedical Sciences/Medicine
27. Doctor of Philosophy in Cancer/Master of Science in Developmental and Regenerative Biology: Combined Degree Regular Status [AAA18:65]
29. Doctor of Philosophy in Infection, Immunity, and Inflammation: Regular Status [AAA18:65]
30. Doctor of Philosophy in Integrated Biomedical Graduate Studies
31. Doctor of Philosophy in Medical Scientist
32. Doctor of Philosophy in Neuroscience: Regular Status [AAA18:65]
33. Doctor of Philosophy in Systems Biology and Bioengineering: Regular Status [AAA18:65]

School of Nursing
34. Associate of Science: Advanced Nursing for Nurses with AS Degree: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
35. Certificate in Nursing for BS/BA Students: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
36. Certificate in Nursing - Nurse Educator Option: Regular Status [AAA06:41]
37. Bachelor of Science in Nursing for R.N.’s Online: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
38. Bachelor of Science – Transition of RN to MS – for the Registered Nurse with a BS/BA in another field: Regular Status [AAA08:23]
40. Master of Science in Nursing for Certified Advanced Practice Registered Nurses: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
41. Master of Science in Nursing – Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
42. Master of Science in Nursing – Cardiac Electrophysiology Technology: Regular Status [AAA10:42]
43. Master of Science in Nursing – Nurse educator: obstetrics and pediatrics: Regular Status [AAA23:136]
44. Master of Science in Nursing – Nurse educator: adult and gerontology: Regular Status [AAA23:136]
45. Master of Science in Nursing – Nursing administration: Regular Status [AAA23:136]
46. Doctor of Nursing Practice: Regular Status [AAA09:93]; requires a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree prior to entry: Regular Status [AAA15:52] [AAA23:136]

School of Pharmacy
50. Doctor of Pharmacy On-Campus/Master of Science in Health Informatics Online, to be taken concurrently: Regular Status [AAA14:34]
51. Doctor of Pharmacy /Master of Science in Health Professions Education: Regular Status [AAA20:55]

School of Public Health
1. Certificate in Child Life Specialist: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
2. Certificate in Health Care Administration: Regular Status [AAA17:69]
3. Certificate in Health Geoinformatics: Regular Status [AAA05:47]
4. Certificate in Public Health Practice: Regular Status [AAA03:08]
5. Bachelor of Science in Public Health: Regular Status [AAA99:13]
6. Bachelor of Science in Public Health – Health Care Administration: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
7. Master of Science in Child Life Specialist: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
10. Master of Health Administration, On Campus and Online: Regular Status [AAA20:54]
12. Master of Public Health – Executive Online: Regular Status [AAA04:110]
15. Doctor of Philosophy in Epidemiology: Regular Status [AAA09:93]
17. Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology and Doctor of Public Health-Combined Degree: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:06]
18. Doctor of Public Health in Health Policy and Leadership: Regular Status [AAA09:93]
19. Doctor of Public Health in Preventive Care On-Campus and Online: Regular Status [AAA20:53]
20. Doctor of Public Health in Technology Mediated Online: Regular Status [AAA11:34]

School of Religion
22. Master of Arts in Clinical Ministry – Denominational Studies for Chaplains-Distance Learning Online: Regular Status [AAA11:35]
23. Master of Arts in Religion and Society: Regular Status [AAA14:30]
24. Master of Science in Chaplaincy: Candidacy Status [AAA12:46]

Affiliations:
5. Antillean Adventist University – Master of Occupational Therapy: Regular Status [AAA99:40]
6. Antillean Adventist University – Master of Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA99:40]
7. Asia Pacific Region – Master of Arts in Clinical Ministry: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
8. Fresno City College – Bachelor of Science in Emergency Medical Care: Regular Status [AAA00:45]
11. International Off-Campus Graduate Nursing Program: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
12. Riverside County – Master of Social Work, Hybrid Program: Regular Status [AAA17:69]
13. Russia – Master of Public Health-Public Health Practice: Regular Status [AAA04:54]
14. Sahmyook University – Advanced Practice Nursing Degree: Regular Status [AAA03:08]
15. South America – Master of Public Health-Generalist Major: Regular Status [AAA02:27]
16. University of Eastern Africa Baraton – Master of Public Health: Regular Status [AAA00:45]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1962.

Other Accreditation: Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics; Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE); Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE); Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc., (ARC-PA); American Registry of Radiologic Technology (ARRT); Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM); Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Education (COAMFTE) of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT); Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC); Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAAHEP); Commission on Education in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE); Commission on Accreditation (CoA) of the American Psychological Association (APA); Commission on Accreditation (CoA) of the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE); Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) of the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN); Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) of the American Dental Association (ADA); Committee composed of the American Society of Cytopathology (ASC), College of American Pathologists (CAP); American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP), and American
Society of Cytotechnology (ASCT), in collaboration with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP); Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA); Council on Accreditation (CoA) of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs; Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH); Joint Review Committee on Education I Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRC-DMS), in collaboration with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP); Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT); Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME), sponsored by the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) and the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association (AMA); National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS); National Commission on Orthotic and Prosthetic Education (NCOPE), in collaboration with the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP); WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC)

Approved by: Approval Committee for Certificate Programs (ACCP), a joint committee established by the Association for Healthcare Documentation Integrity (AHDI) and the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA); California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Laboratory Field Services (LFS); California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Radiologic Health Branch (RHB); California Board of Registered Nursing (BRN); Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC)

Member of American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, Association of Academic Health Sciences Libraries (AAHSL), Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH)
Lowry Adventist College

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Location: Lowry Adventist College is located on a 55-acre campus in Doorvani Nagar, an eastern suburb of Bangalore, South India.

History: Lowry Memorial College was established by Elder G. G. Lowry on June 12, 1915, at Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India. Elder G. G. Lowry and his wife Bertha Lowry were missionaries from United States of America to India. They soon became a part of this great movement of Adventist education in India. The school, which started with 21 students, was then known as South India Training School. However, the city of Coimbatore witnessed attacks of plague, and this caused a great deal of anxiety among the school children. The cholera epidemic, which ravaged villages periodically, made many children orphans. Therefore, in 1917, the school was moved to a new location at Krishnarajapuram, Bangaluru, Karnataka. The missionaries then established an orphanage which was later integrated to a boarding school.

As the enrollment kept growing, more buildings were built. The extraordinary characteristic of this school was its co-educational system modeled after denominational schools in the United States. The missionaries believed that such a system would help not only to train mission workers but also to establish Adventist Christian homes. They also shared with the locals the gift of the English language and a model for comfortable living.

The Vocational Training Program was introduced in 1920. Skills such as working with automobiles, motor winding, carpentry, tailoring, metal industries, bee keeping, printing press, dairy, poultry, bakery and food production, and agriculture and farming became part of the curriculum. The work education program taught the students concepts such as the “dignity of labor” and “earning while learning” and made Lowry School different from other institutions. The South India Training School grew steadily and became a missionary college. In 1938, it was renamed as Spicer Missionary College in honor of late Elder W. A. Spicer.

In 1942, the British Army commandeered the college for military purposes during World War II. Due to this action, the college division was moved to Pune in the state of Maharashtra as Spicer Memorial College, now Spicer Adventist University. The high school division was relocated to the town of Kollegal, which is about 150 kilometers from Bangaluru in Karnataka state, where it remained until 1944. From there, the school was again relocated to the town of Chennapatna in 1945, where it remained until 1946. In the same year, the British Army returned the seized property to the school, and the school was moved for the last time to its present location. It was renamed Lowry Memorial High School in honor of the late Elder G. G. Lowry, a noted educationist and social worker of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the Southern Asia Division.

In the years that followed this institution underwent a gradual metamorphosis to become one of the premier educational institutions in Bangaluru by adding a few more courses/degrees for the benefit of the students throughout the continent.
Educational Program: The institution holds accreditation with the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA). It is also affiliated with Bangalore University for the degree programs in commerce, business management, and computer applications. The nursing degree is affiliated with the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.

Student Body Size: 342
Language of Instruction:
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business/Commerce**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:153]
2. Bachelor of Commerce: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:153]
3. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA17:205]

**Faculty of Computer Science**
5. Bachelor of Computer Applications: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:153]
6. Master of Computer Applications: Candidacy Status [AAA17:207]

**Faculty of Nursing**
7. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA09:114]
8. Master of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA16:76]

**Faculty of Education**
9. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:131]
10. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:131]
11. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:131]
12. Bachelor of Science in Botany, Chemistry, and Microbiology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:131]
14. Bachelor of Education: Candidacy Status [AAA17:204]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and National Council for Teacher Education.
Accredited since 2004.

Affiliated with Bangalore University, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences
Malawi Adventist University

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Location: Malawi Adventist University’s central office is located in the Central Region of Malawi, one kilometer off the Blantyre-Lilongwe highway. It is 180 kilometers and 140 kilometers to Blantyre and to Lilongwe, respectively.

History: Malawi Adventist University was established by an action of the Executive Committee of the Malawi Union Mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. As early as 1995, the delegates to the Malawi Union Mission Session, held at Malamulo Mission, made a recommendation to the Malawi Union Mission Executive Committee to upgrade the Lakeview Seminary to a Junior College. It was envisaged to offer the first two years of degree programs of an already existing University. At that time the Solusi University in Zimbabwe was the best candidate to partner with.

In January 2000, the institution opened as Malawi Adventist College. It was initially agreed that the college would implement four-year degree programs of the University of Eastern Africa, Baraton (UEAB) in Business Administration, that is, Accounting, Management, and Marketing; Education and Theology and Religious Studies after arrangements to work with Solusi University failed.

A delegation from UEAB visited the college in March 2006 to assess and evaluate the suitability of the Lakeview College for affiliation with the UEAB. The team was satisfied and authorized the College to start offering UEAB courses. The college name changed from Lakeview College to Malawi Adventist College and was reorganized into three academic departments: Business Studies; Theology and Religious Studies; and Education. On 27th May 2007, an affiliation relationship was officially signed at the UEAB by the President of the Malawi Union Mission, the Vice-chancellor, and Malawi Union Education Director.

Following observations made by an inspection team from the UEAB in 2007, in 2008, the Director of Affiliations and Academic Linkages at UEAB, visited the college and made recommendation to the Malawi Union Mission to restructure and reorganize the institution to the level of a university. On 31st July 2008, the university office relocated from the Malawi Union Mission headquarters in Blantyre to Lakeview College Campus.

In 2016, the campuses of Lakeview and Malamulo officially became the two constituent colleges of the university. However, in 2018 Blantyre campus was established to offer online (ODeL) programs and was registered by National Council for Higher Education in 2020. Thus, currently, the university operates on three campuses, and they are all recognized as such by the Government of Malawi and the National Council for Higher Education (NCHE). Apart from AAA and NCHE, MAU is also accredited by the Nurses and Midwife Council, Medical Council of Malawi, Malawi Accountants Board and Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA).

Educational Program: As a result of the NCHE recognition and operating on three campuses, the university has streamlined its organization to reflect the three campuses with the central university office operating as a stand-alone office with the three campuses are at same level. The university has also updated its organogram into these major committees namely, the operations committee, the
academic committee, and the student services committee, all coordinated by a campus management team.

Student Body Size: 1,788: Blantyre Campus; Lakeview Campus; Malamulo Campus
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
2. Bachelor of Business Administration – Management: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
3. Bachelor of Business Administration – Marketing: Regular Status [AAA19:201]

**Faculty of Science**
5. Diploma in Biomedical Sciences: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
6. Diploma in Clinical Medicine: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
8. Diploma in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
9. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
10. Bachelor of Science in Agri-Business: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
11. Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Sciences: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
12. Bachelor of Public Health: Regular Status [AAA19:201]

**Faculty of Education**
13. Bachelor of Education in English and Literature: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
14. Bachelor of Education in Religion: Regular Status [AAA19:201]

**Faculty of Theology**
15. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Regular Status [AAA19:201]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA19:201]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2016.

Other Accreditation: Apart from Nurses and Midwife Council, Medical Council, other regulatory bodies have accredited MAU programs. These include Malawi Accountants Body (2017), Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) (2021) and because of these accreditations, accounting students have been exempted from some courses in order to become an ACCA. MAU is in the process of also getting another accreditation from Institute of Chartered Accountants in Malawi (ICAM) so that students as soon as they finish their accounting program become members of these bodies.

DHA Program: In collaboration with Loma Linda University a special program in Healthcare Administration has started which target Administrator and Managers working in hospital. This program has three sessions: one per year and each is 6 weeks. The program has students from 11 countries in and outside Africa, Malawi, inclusive.
Maluti Adventist College
(Mid-Level Training Institution)

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Location: Maluti Adventist College is a Seventh-day Adventist owned and run institution of higher learning situated in Berea District and Mapoteng area Lesotho.

History: Maluti Adventist College was established in 1958, first as a School of Nursing offering certificate and later diploma in general nursing programme. In 1971 Diploma in Midwifery was added, first at certificate level but later at diploma level. The school was established for the purpose of providing Maluti Hospital as well as the nation with God-fearing and committed nursing professionals who embrace the Adventist philosophy of healing and lifestyle.

Maluti College offers its programmes under the auspices of Christian Health Association of Lesotho, of which it is a member. It is through this body that it is affiliated to the National University of Lesotho Faculty of Health Sciences. Over the years, development partners such as Nepi Jiphiego, ICAP and LeBoha working through the Ministry of Health and Lesotho Nursing Council have been involved in strengthening nursing education in Lesotho to ensure production of high-quality manpower able to meet the international standards of care.

Maluti Adventist College has been seeking upgrading with a purpose of offering degree programmes to provide highly trained professionals who will be able to take leadership positions in the country to replace the current staff as they go for retirement. Though this has not yet been achieved, the purpose is also to provide professionals who are trained within a Christian atmosphere and embrace Christian values in their approach to care; hence, the philosophy of education of the institution is to provide health care workers who will embrace faith in God and respect dignity of all human beings, strive to continuously develop a character of God, engage in critical thinking and analysis, serve with love and commitment and yet with high quality, help others to reach their potential, and love truth and honesty

Educational Program: The College runs two programmes now namely (a) General Nursing Diploma course, (b) Diploma in Midwifery. Another program that is developing and is soon to be finalized and offered is Midwifery as a Blended E-Learning programme. Preparation are being made to ensure that this program will begin in the current year, 2017. Thirteen students have been accepted into the program. MAC together with the National Health Training Institutes have been nominated to pilot this project, which will be the first of its kind in the country.

Student Body Size: 145
Language of Instruction:
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees
  2. Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery Hons: Conditions to be met [AAA14:61]
  3. Bachelor of Advanced Nursing Science Hons: Conditions to be met [AAA14:61]

Accredited by: Candidacy Status with Adventist Accrediting Association
Manila Adventist College

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Location: Manila Adventist College is a coeducational semi-boarding institution on the baccalaureate level, situated in front of the North Philippine Union Conference Headquarters at 1975 corner Donada and Juan Streets, Pasay City, Philippines

History: Manila Adventist College, part of Manila Adventist Hospital, was first established as a dispensary in July 1927 in Malate, Manila. The dispensary was soon turned into a small hospital, then later into a new 3-story building. This was named Manila Sanitarium and Hospital (MSH), which earned a good reputation throughout the Philippines for its efficient nursing service, pleasant Christian atmosphere, clean surroundings, nutritious vegetarian food, hydrotherapy treatments and patient education on the principles of healthful living.

It was in the 90’s, despite the threatening effects of the country’s economic crises, major improvements were done such as the incorporation of the hospital and the establishment of the college, thus, giving it an official name of Manila Sanitarium & Hospital and School of Medical Arts (SMA).

In 1993-1994, SMA initially offered 5 vocational and allied health courses namely, 3-year Associate in Radiologic Technology; 2-year Midwifery; 2-year Physical Therapy Technician; 1-year courses in Nurse Assistant and Emergency Medical Technician.

The college offered a 5-year course in Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy effective 1995-1996 and a 4-year Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Technology program effective 1996-1997.

In the later part of 2002, Manila Sanitarium & Hospital and School of Medical Arts became Manila Adventist Medical Center and College of Medical Arts. In 2003-2004, the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) issued a Government Permit to offer Bachelor of Science in Nursing. New courses have been offered effective 2009-2010, under the College of Business, namely, Bachelor of Science in Accountancy, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, major in Marketing Management and Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, major in Financial Management.

Through the endorsement of the Department of Health and Commission on Higher Education, the SEC finally approved the amendment on April 16, 2007, thus changing its name to its present official name Manila Adventist College.

In 2018-2019, the Commission on Higher Education granted an official permit to operate three additional baccalaureate courses to the present offerings namely, Bachelor of Science in Accounting Information System, Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science, and Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy. The Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science and Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy are under the new College of Allied Medical Studies.
Educational Program: Manila Adventist College offers baccalaureate degree programs accredited and recognized by the International Board of Education (IBE) and the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA). The College is recognized by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) of the Philippine government and has faculty and staff who are academically qualified with masters and doctoral degrees in their fields of specialization.

Student Body: 694  
Language of Instruction:

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Allied Health

Faculty of Allied Medical Studies
2. Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science: Regular Status [AAA23:084]
3. Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy: Candidacy Status [AAA19:210] [AAA23:085]

College of Business
4. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA13:164]
5. Bachelor of Science in Accounting Information System: Candidacy Status AAA19:210]
7. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Marketing Management: Regular Status [AAA13:164]

General
8. Juris Doctor Degree Program in Law: Regular Status [AAA23:084]

Faculty of Nursing
11. Bachelor of Science in Midwifery: Regular Status [AAA16:169]
12. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA16:169]

Faculty of Physical Therapy
13. Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy: Regular Status [AAA16:169]

Faculty of Radiological Therapy
14. Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Technology: Regular Status [AAA16:169]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association  
Accredited since 2006.

Membership: Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA), Association of Christian Schools, Colleges and Universities (ACSCU), Association of Christian Schools, Colleges and Universities—Accrediting Council Inc. (ACSCU-ACI) Association of Deans of Philippine College of Nursing (ADPCN), Association of Philippine School of Midwifery (APSOM), Federation of Accrediting Associations of the Philippines (FAAP), Integrated Midwives Association of the Philippines (IMAP), Midwives Foundation of the Philippines (MFP), Muntinlupa, Parañaque, and Las Piñas Library Association Inc. (MUNPARLAS LAI), National Capital Region School Registrars Association (NCRSRA), Philippine Association of Academic/Research Librarians (PAARL), Philippine Association of Colleges and Universities Commission on Accreditation (PACUCOA), Philippine Association for Teachers and Educators (PAFTE), Philippine Association of Medical Technologists, Inc. (PAMET) Perinatal Association of the Philippines (PAP), Philippine Association of Radiologic Technology (PART), Philippine Institute of Certified Public Accountants (PICPA). Philippine Nursing Association (PNA), Philippine Pharmacists Association (PPA), Philippine Physical Therapy Association (PPTA), and Registered Marketing Professionals (RMP).
METAS of Seventh-day Adventist College
(Nuzvid, Ranchi, and Surat, Campuses)

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Location: METAS Adventist College is located in Surat, Gujarat, India. Surat is a commercial city, specializing in textile manufacture and diamond cutting, located 120 miles northeast of Bombay. The College also has campuses at Nuzvid, Andhra Pradesh, India, and Ranchi, Jharkhand, India.

History: METAS (Medical Educational Trust Association Surat) is a registered company, established by the Southern Asia Division to found and operate Adventist educational institutions and hospitals. Currently METAS operates three centers of medical and educational institutions in three different locations. Surat Campus, the main operating center of METAS, where it has a hospital, a higher secondary school, a nursing school, and a college offering bachelor and master’s degrees. Nuzvid Campus, where it has a hospital, higher secondary school, and a nursing college. Ranchi Campus, where it has a hospital, a higher secondary school, and a nursing college. While each center operates semi-autonomously, all three institutions come under the umbrella of METAS whose Surat headquarters provides administrative, budgetary, and academic governance and supervision.

METAS Adventist College (Nuzvid Campus)
The Nursing School program at Giffard Memorial Hospital in Nuzvid was started as early as 1927 for the training of auxiliary nurses with its graduates serving different parts of the country and abroad. The hospital was established in 1925 and has grown into a College of Nursing, graduating 50 BSc nurses and 20 general nursing and midwifery graduates.

METAS Adventist College (Ranchi Campus)
METAS Adventist College, Ranchi, is on the same campus as Ranchi Adventist Hospital. The hospital opened in December 1923 and after a 25-acre plot was purchased, a small worker training center was established bringing in trainees from different parts of Bihar, Bengal (including the present Bangladesh), and Orissa. In 1949, the center at Ranchi was expanded into organizing the first Christian mission hospital in the region. In 1974 the much-needed expansion of the hospital building started, but due to limit in funds, its completion was only realized in 1982. In August 1996, a hospital-based nursing school, offering nursing and midwifery courses, was started.

In 2006, the Southern Asia Division, in the interest of efficient operation, management of finances, infusion of cross-Division service and training, initiated the formation of a new administrative system. Under the system, the Nuzvid and Ranchi campuses were invited to merge with METAS of Surat. The merger resulted in the expansion of the programs, the establishment of the nursing college, and the creation of a K-12 school. The College of Nursing has also grown, with its own facilities.
Educational Program: METAS offers a tertiary nursing program, a post-tertiary nursing program, general nursing and auxiliary nursing and the Nursing College courses (BSc, post BSc) have the approval of the Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi, and Jharkhand Nursing Registration Council, Ranchi. Auxiliary Nursing and Midwifery (AMN), and General Nursing and Midwifery (ONM) are affiliated to Mid India Board of the Nurses League of the C.M.A.I. The Basic BSc Nursing, Post Basic BSc Nursing are affiliated to Ranchi College. Infrastructure for running these courses was funded by METAS Surat. Currently, the college offers BBA, BCom, MBA and GNM programs. It has an enrolment of 1,060 students, aspiring to become professionals in Marketing, Finance, and Human Resources, while the nurses are preparing to serve humanity in the most compassionate way and being able to operate with freedom to worship on Sabbath.

Student Body Size: 1,670
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Commerce**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:132]

**Faculty of Management**

**Faculty of Nursing**
7. Bachelor of Biotechnology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:132]

**Nuzvid Campus and Ranchi Campus**
Note: Approve and record extension programs at Ranchi and Nuzvid identical to the ones approved at the main campus/Surat.

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Middle East University

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Location: The University is in an eastern suburb of Beirut in the district of Sabtieh, Sad El-Boushrieh.

History: From the University’s establishment in 1939, Middle East University (MEU) has strived to be a diverse institution accepting people from all cultures and backgrounds. Originally founded as the Adventist College of Beirut and located in Mouseitbeh, the ACB was an answer to the Seventh-day Adventist Church’s need for a center of higher learning to train young people for Christian service.

In 1946, the institution was relocated to its present location in the foothills of Mount Lebanon, surrounded by pine trees on a picturesque site overlooking the Mediterranean Sea. The new location east of Beirut soon became known as “Sabtieh” in Sad El-Bauchrieh. During the same year it was renamed Middle East College.

In 1949, the Lebanese Ministry of Education and Higher Learning granted the institution the accreditation to offer studies in higher education. The College was also authorized by the Department of Education of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, Washington, D. C., to confer the degree of Bachelor of Arts with majors in Religion and History.

On June 28, 2001, the Cabinet of Ministers of the Lebanese Government approved an application to grant the College university status, and the institution became known as Middle East University with three faculties, each including one or more departments. By 2007, it became necessary for the University to have a fourth faculty, the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, to reorganize the distribution of departments under the appropriate faculties.

Beginning summer 2011, MEU launched its MA in Islamic Studies through the Institute for Islamic and Arabic Studies under the Faculty of Philosophy and Theology. In 2012, MEU was approved as a Receiving School in the Adventist Colleges Abroad program (ACA). MEU is uniquely positioned to offer students the opportunity to study Arabic within its cultural context and to expose students to foreign cultures and diverse ways of living. The Arabic language and culture program is organized within the Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in the Faculty of Philosophy and Theology.

In 2016, MEU inaugurated the new Science complex and enrolled students in the Bachelor of Science in Biology. Students can now complete pre-med studies at MEU and be prepared for the MCAT (Medical College Admission Test) to enter medical schools in Lebanon and abroad. In partnership with Andrews University, students completing the BS in Biology are eligible to receive a corresponding diploma from Andrews University.

In 2017, MEU transitioned from Griggs University to Andrews University affiliation. Beginning in the fall of 2017, it facilitated a BA Education program on the campus of Bogenhofen Seminary, Austria, with the first graduates expected in the summer of 2020.
Educational Program: The University is organized into four faculties with full accreditation from the Ministry of Education and Higher Education of Lebanon: Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Education, and Faculty of Philosophy and Theology. All degrees offered by MEU are fully accredited and equalized by the Lebanese Ministry of Education and Higher Education. MEU also has an international partnership with Andrews University located in Michigan, USA. The University is an active and founding member of the Association of Admissions & Orientation Officers in Private Universities in Lebanon, which was founded in 2001. Furthermore, MEU is a member of the Association of Lebanese Universities (UAOLB), which is comprised of 19 member institutions.

Student Body Size: 148 Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Arts and Sciences**
1. Diploma - Freshman Class Program: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
2. Bachelor of Science in Biology – Biomedical, General Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA18:58]
3. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
4. Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design and Digital Media: Regular Status [AAA21:68]
5. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:69]
6. Master of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA21:68]

**Faculty of Business Administration**
7. Associate in Business and Accounting with Griggs University: Regular Status [AAA99:11]
8. Bachelor of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA10:87]

**Faculty of Education**
11. Diploma - Arabic Language Institute 3 levels: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
12. Diploma - English Language Institute 3 levels: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
13. Diploma - General Education Program: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
14. Diploma - Teaching Diploma in Elementary and Secondary Education: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
15. Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education + Teaching Diploma: Regular Status [AAA10:87]
16. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:69]
17. Master of Arts in Education – Curriculum and Instruction, Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:69]
18. Master of Arts in English: Candidacy Status [AAA15:39]

**Faculty of Philosophy and Theology**
20. Associate in Theology offered by MEU on two off-campus sites in Sudan: Regular Status [AAA04:114]
21. Bachelor of Arts in Pastoral Ministry offered by MEU in Sudan: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:70]
22. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA10:88]
23. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA10:88]
24. Master of Arts in Islamic Studies: Regular Status [AAA14:126]

Accredited since 1992.
Minas Gerais Adventist College  
(Faculdade Adventista de Minas Gerais)

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Location: The Minas Gerais Adventist College is located near Lavras, state of Minas Gerais, Brazil.

History: 1980 – The dream of Adventist education in the world received an important boost in 1980. Under the name of IAEMG (Adventist Institute of Education of Minas Gerais) was born, in the city of Lavras, a new institution.  
1985 – Moved by the ideal in education, began to take physical form in 1985 with the first constructions.  
1994 – After some time of preparation and investments, 1994 marked the beginning of classes on Campus I and in 1995 received the first resident students.  
1999 – More innovations came in the late 1990s as the institution prepared for the opening of a new Campus to host its higher courses (Business and Accounting), further exploring opportunities to extend comprehensive education for a new century. Investments were made in new facilities and services in Campus II, such as the new Informatics Laboratory, purchase of books and periodicals for the library of Higher Education, creation of the Scientific Journal Symposium, restructuring of the Model Office and Junior Company and creation of several Nuclei of Support and Research.  
2005 – Following the expansion of its structure, IAEMG, received a new name in 2005, becoming FADMINAS (Adventist Colleges of Minas Gerais) as it is known today.  
2015 – In 2015 the first group of the Pedagogy course was started, with the objective of training professionals in an integral perspective, with reflective capacity, based on scientific methods and theories, aiming at their relation and articulation with pedagogical practices.  
2016 – FADMINAS began the year with great advances and excellence in teaching. In 2016 the first group of the Advertising and Propaganda course began, supplying the training of new professionals in Lavras. The faculty provided the students, already of this first class, a team of qualified professionals and complete infrastructure to carry out the necessary learning practices in the course.

Educational Program: Our education is shaped by the formation of a consistent educational base, preparing young people to hold positions in the best companies, and solid Christian values, forming complete, autonomous, and committed citizens with God.

Student Body: 253  
Language of Instruction: Portuguese  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
Faculty of Accounting  
1. Baccalaureate in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:115]  
3. Bachelor of Arts in Information Technology: Regular Status [AAA12:59]  
Arts and Sciences  
5. Diploma - Audiovisual Production Three-Year: Regular Status [AAA21:114]

Faculty of Business
7. Baccalaureate in Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:115]

Faculty of Pedagogy
8. Bachelor of Arts in Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA12:59]

Faculty of Psychology
10. Bachelor in Psychology - 2-year, Face-to-face modality: Candidacy status [AAA23:062]

Faculty of Law

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2007.

Approved by The Educational Offices of Federal Government and State Government

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University Academy; Chile Adventist University; Ecuador Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College; Northeast Brazil Academy; Parana Adventist Academy; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Misiones Adventist College  
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Location: The Misiones Adventist College is located near Leandro N. Alem, province of Misiones in the North of Argentina.

History: The beginning of Misiones Adventist College (MAC) goes back to 1906, when the first Seventh-day Adventist families of German origin arrived in the Leandro N. Alem area, Province of Misiones, coming from the Brazilian state of Rio Grande do Sul.

As the community grew, in those families also grew the need and longing for the creation of a Christian school which may train their sons and daughters in the principles of the Holy Scriptures. Out of that initial dream, which came true on June 5, 1923, the school developed until it became a fully accredited academy for pre-school, primary, secondary and college education.

For several decades, Misiones Adventist College has trained Christian teachers for the Seventh-day Adventist schools around the country. Since 1999, and due to the need to offer higher studies for students finishing their secondary studies with a concentration in business, the school launched a new tertiary degree program, which was at the time the first business program at the college level in the area.

Student Body Size: 287  
Language of Instruction: Spanish  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
2. Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:117]  
3. Bachelor of Arts in Preschool Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:117]  

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association  
Accredited since 2004.

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University; Brazil Adventist University Academy; Chile Adventist University; Ecuador Adventist College, Minas Gerais Adventist College, Northeast Brazil Academy; Parana Adventist Academy; Paraguay Adventist University; Peruvian Union University; River Plate Adventist University
Montemorelos University  
(Universidad de Montemorelos)

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Website: https://www.um.edu.mx

Location: Universidad de Montemorelos (UM) is located on a 230-acre tract of level, irrigated land in Montemorelos, Nuevo Leon, Mexico. Easily accessible from Monterey to the north by Highway 85, it is part of a complex that houses, along with Montemorelos University, a hospital that serves the community and the students of the medical school. It is located only 200 kilometers from border with the United States.

History: The precursor school, Escuela Agricola Industrial Mexicana, was situated here in 1943, the same year it received government recognition for its primary and secondary schools. In 1948, the School of Nursing was opened. In 1957, the secondary program was adjusted to meet national regulations and the two-year ministerial course inaugurated. The school was renamed Colegio Vocacional y Profesional Montemorelos in 1952. Between that date and 1973, when it received a state charter to function as a university, the school developed teacher-training and four-year degree programs in religion and theology. In 1975, the School of Medicine was opened, and in 1978, an Ellen G. White Research Center was inaugurated. In 1982, the University was granted accreditation by the Board of Regents, General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

Educational Program: The University offers degree programs in Education, Business Administration, Health Sciences, and Theology. Other major programs are in Communication, Arts, Computer Science, Nursing, Nutrition, Music, and Elementary Teacher Training. Postgraduate programs in Education, Health Sciences, Computer Science and Business Administration are offered. The Theology postgraduate degrees are offered through the Inter-American Adventist Theological Seminary (IATS).

Student Body Size: 2,365  
Language of Instruction: Spanish  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business Administration and Legal Sciences**
2. Licenciatura in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:58]
3. Master of Arts in Finance: Regular Status [AAA16:44]
4. Master of Arts in Human Resources: Regular Status [AAA16:44]
5. Master of Arts in Marketing: Regular Status [AAA16:44]

**Faculty of Health Sciences**
8. Bachelor of Science in Clinical Chemist Biologist: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
9. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
10. Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:58]
15. Master of Science in Nutritional Services: Regular Status [AAA19:168]

Faculty of Odontology

16. Associate of Science in Dental Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
17. Specialty in Restorative Dentistry: Regular Status [AAA19:169]

Faculty of Education

20. Bachelor of Arts in Preschool Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
21. Bachelor of Arts in Primary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
22. Bachelor of Arts in Natural Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43] Name change [AAA23:031]
23. Bachelor of Arts in Teaching English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
26. Bachelor of Arts in Teaching Social Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
27. Master of Arts in Teaching – Biological Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:58]

Faculty of Engineering and Technology

34. Bachelor in Engineering – Information Technologies: Regular Status [AAA08:81] Name change [AAA23:031]
35. Bachelor of Architecture: Regular Status [AAA18:45]

Faculty of Arts and Communication

40. Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Media: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
41. Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
42. Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication Design: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
43. Master of Arts in Communication Management: Candidacy Status [AAA13:34]

Faculty of Music
44. Associate of Science – Professional Technician in Musical Education: Regular Status [AAA08:81]
45. Bachelor of Arts in Music – Teaching Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]

Faculty of Theology
46. Licenciatura in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:59]
47. Master of Arts in Biblical Theological Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA18:200] Offered by SETAI

Faculty of Psychology
49. Licenciatura in Clinical Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:58]
50. Bachelor of Science in Educational Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:43]
51. Bachelor of Science in Law: Regular Status [AAA19:170]
52. Master in Family Relations: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:58]

UMVirtual

Affiliations:
1. Bongo Adventist Higher Polytechnic Institute - Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA11:25]
2. Adventist University of Haiti – Master of Arts in Education: Regular Status [AAA08:82]
3. Bolívia Adventist University – Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA08:82]
4. Colombia Adventist University - Doctor of Education-Educational Administration and Curriculum Development: Regular Status [AAA15:133]
5. River Plate Adventist University – Doctor of Education as an extension by UM: Regular Status [AAA99:06]

El Salvador-Extension Site
Martinique Extension Site
1. Master of Arts in Pastoral Counseling: Regular Status [AAA08:18]

Tabasco Extension Site-
1. Licenciatura in Accounting and Finances: Regular Status [AAA08:18]
2. Licenciatura in Family Life: Regular Status [AAA08:18]
3. Licenciatura in Finances: Regular Status [AAA08:18]
4. Licenciatura in Human Resources: Regular Status [AAA08:18]

Accredited by: Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA), Federation of Mexican Private Institutions of Advanced Teaching (FIMPES); National Association of Universities and Institutions of Higher Education (ANUIES); Mexican Council of Nursing Accreditation and Certification (COMACE); Mexican Council for Accreditation of Medical Education (COMAEM); National Quality Council for Education in Nutrition Programs (CONCAPRENE) and recently by Accreditation Council on the Teaching of Accounting and
Administration (CACECA)

Accredited since 1982.

Montemorelos University was created by Official Resolution of the Free and Sovereign State of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, published on May 5, 1973, and is fully recognized and with Official Studies Validity (RVOE) for the careers and educational programs that it offers. It’s registered at the Professions General Direction not only as an Institution but each of its careers, for that reason the professional titles obtained by its graduates receive official registration of that branch office and can obtain the corresponding Professional Certificate in order to be able to practice the profession in the Mexican Republic.

Member of Mexican Association of Faculties and Medicine Schools (AMFEM); of the Pan-American Federation of Faculties and Medicine Schools (FEPAFEM); of the National Federation of Faculties and Nursing Schools (FENAFEE); and of the Mexican Association of Members, Faculties and Nutrition Schools (AMMFEN); of the National Association of Faculties and Accounting and Administration Schools (ANFECA). It also appears in the directory of Faculties and Medicine Schools of the Health World Organization (OMS).
Mountain View College

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Location: Mountain View College is 18 kilometers from Valencia City, on 1,024-hectares of land, and is located on a 2,500-foot plateau which faces Mt. Kalatungan and Mt. Kitanglad.

History: Mountain View College (MVC) is a Seventh-day Adventist institution envisioned to serve the educational needs of the young people in the South Philippines. The College officially opened its educational doors to the young people in 1953. It held its first graduation exercise in 1957. The College sits on 1,024 hectares, which includes farmlands, forests, and ranch lands ideal for industries and, more importantly, for training ground for students’ hands-on experiences. The land has an ample supply of water that makes it possible for MVC to have its own hydroelectric plants providing the campus populace with enough electricity besides abundant water supply for all college facilities.

The farms have provided not only additional revenue for the College but also work for many students. The departments that provide work for the students include the construction, the hydroelectric plants, the farm, the cafeteria, the motor pool, the food factory, the student canteen, the store, the dormitories, the library, and the offices.

The College engages the services of full-time and part-time teaching faculty members and staff members in the industrial and support service departments, MVC has been a boarding college since its beginning and has dormitories which houses the students. The College cafeteria provides more than a thousand students with vegetarian meals each day throughout the school year.

Mountain View College has a history of steady growth. From fifty-five enrollees in its first year of operation, the student population has grown to more than 1,500 students. Thus, to answer the growing population and felt needs of the youth of the new millennium, new facilities were established – a bigger and more modern library, a high school building, a new School of Nursing building, additional dormitories, a Student Center, and other facilities. Also, the SoN Annex for the junior and senior nursing students was put up in Valencia City.

Educational Program: The accreditation efforts for ACSCU-ACI accreditation started in 1988 with the following programs being accredited: Education, Business and Liberal Arts. Today, MVC has maintained level 3 accreditations from ACSCU on these programs and has expanded to other programs offered by the College including the basic educational programs, namely, kindergarten, elementary and high school. MVC is committed to excellence in instruction, research and extension services. To ensure quality Christian education, MVC is accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association of the Education Department of the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists and by the Association of Christian Schools, Colleges and Universities Accrediting Council Incorporated (ACSCU-ACI) which is a member of the Federation of Accrediting Agencies in the Philippines (FAAP).

Student Body Size: 1,373
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
Faculty of Agriculture
1. Certificate in Agricultural Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
2. Associate in Agriculture Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
3. Bachelor of Agriculture – Animal Science, Crop Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Arts and Sciences
4. Bachelor of Arts in English Language: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
5. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
6. Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
7. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Business and Accountancy
8. Associate in Office Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
9. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
10. Bachelor of Science in Accounting Technology: Regular Status [AAA17:127]
11. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Financial Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]
13. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Office Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Computing
14. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA10:79]
15. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA10:79]
16. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Education
17. Bachelor of Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Medical Technology
19. Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA23:087]

Faculty of Nursing
20. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:127]

Faculty of Theology

Vocational School
22. Certificate in Automotive Technology- 2-year program NCI and II: Regular Status [AAA10:79]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1984.
Other Accreditation by Association of Christian Schools and Colleges (ACSC)
Recognized by Philippine Department of Education, Culture and Sports, (DECS), and Commission on Higher Education (CHED)
Myanmar Union Adventist Seminary

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Location: Myanmar Union Adventist Seminary is located on Mosokwin Road, Myaungmya, 137 miles from Yangon, in Ayeyarwady (Delta) region. The school sits on 60-acre property with paddy fields and gardening areas. It is situated along the Yangon-Labutta highway.

History: Myanmar Union Adventist Seminary (MUAS), formerly known as the Union Bible Seminary, started as a small Seventh-day Adventist Mission School in 1938 at Myaung Mya to provide Christian education for young people of Myanmar. In 1960 fifteen denominational workers, mostly under high school graduates, enrolled for a two-year training course. They were the first group of graduates from the school in 1962.

During the 1970’s, the School experienced steady growth as it offered courses for high-school students who came from all parts of Myanmar due to Sabbath problems in government schools. In 1974, the School offered three-year curriculum: Ministerial Training Course (MTC) for high-school graduates and two-year curriculum: Bible Instructor Training Course (BITC) for those who did not pass high school to meet the urgent needs of mission fields. MTC was equivalent to junior college level. The first graduates received their diplomas in 1977.

After the school had adopted the plus-two program of Southern Asia Division Education system in 1982, a three-year curriculum was reduced to junior college level curriculum in 1986.

In 1991, MUAS introduced a four-year curriculum for Bachelor of Arts in Religion with the approval of the Board of Seminary. In addition, the Seminary was authorized to offer two-year program for Certificate in Teaching Ministry in 1991.

In 1996, the Board of MUAS approved additional expansion of Industrial Arts, Business, and Education departments and termination of the plus-two program with the intent to offer pure collegiate major courses. Thus, the School offered courses for Bachelor of Arts in Religion, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Bachelor of Business Administration, and Bachelor of Applied Arts in Industry and minor in Office Administration. In 1998, the School added another minor course of Home Science and English. In 1999 Bachelor of Applied Arts in Industry was reduced to a minor and a Health Education minor was offered.

In 2001 it was felt by the majority members of the MUAS Board that the grade 12 program was essential in our education program to meet the standard of present educational system of our Adventist sister institutions. Therefore, MUAS must provide for grade 12 program and for a four-year-degree program. This means that student receives a bachelor’s degree after a minimum of sixteen (10+2+4) years of schooling. This program commenced with the 2001-2002 school year.

Educational Program: Currently, the college is approved to and offers the following programs: Bachelor of Arts in Religion (BA Religion); Bachelor of Theology (BTh); Bachelor of Arts in Education (BA Ed, General Teaching Education); Bachelor of Elementary Education; Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA).
Study Body Size: 491
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
  1. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:170]
  2. Bachelor of Arts in Education – General Teaching Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:170]
  3. Bachelor of Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:170]
  4. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:170]
  5. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:170]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1998.
Naga View Adventist College

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Location: Naga View Adventist College is located at the foothills of cloud covered Mt. Isarog and overlooking the city of Naga, Philippines.

History: Naga View Adventist College (formerly Naga View Adventist Academy) began its academic program on July 19, 1965, with 62 students and seven faculty and staff. There was only one building that served as the administration, the student’s dormitory, faculty residence and classrooms. The laboratory, library, cafeteria, and chapel were also located in the same building, which also included water tanks situated on both ends of the building to catch and store rainwater for drinking, cooking, and bathing.

The first academy graduation was held in March 1967. In 1971, the academy became an extension campus of Philippine Union College (now Adventist University of the Philippines), but the students were only allowed to take the first two years of their college education at NVAC campus then transfer to Philippine Union College for the third and fourth years. In June of 1971, the students moved from the main building to the newly constructed dormitories. The acute water shortage at the college was solved when a reservoir was opened on September 11, 1971.

In 1987, the Liberal Arts program was granted government recognition. The Bachelor of Elementary Education (BEEd) and the Bachelor of Secondary Education (BSEd) were recognized in 1988 and 1989, respectively. On December 5, 1997, Naga View Adventist College-NVC Campus was granted the independent status through the recommendation of the AUP Board of Trustees. On August 6, 1999, the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities (AAA) granted Naga View Adventist College accreditation status with the name change to Naga View Adventist College (NVAC).

In October and November 2006, super typhoons struck Naga View Adventist College, leaving a horrible damage to the school facilities. Providentially, donations from friends, alumni, and different institutions began pouring in to support most of the repairs of the roofing of school buildings and faculty homes.

In 2012, the Education Department applied for accreditation from the Association of Christian Schools, Colleges, and Universities - Accrediting Council, Inc. (ACSC-ACI) and by 2017, the Department was granted Level II status extending through December 2020.

In August 2015, NVAC had the Golden Anniversary Celebration and Grand Alumni Homecoming. The school has been existing for 51 years. Established initially to answer the educational needs of the youth in the Bicol region, however, serves students from different parts of the country and its graduates are scattered in the different parts of the globe, and many are holding leadership positions.

In 2018, the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) granted an initial permit to operate a Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness (BSAB) with only three enrollees but significantly increased its enrollment in the current semester.
Educational Program: The College offers the following programs: Bachelor of Elementary Education; Bachelor of Secondary Education with majors in English, Filipino, Mathematics, Music, Arts, Physical Education and Health; Bachelor of Arts in History and Philosophy of Religion and Bachelor of Arts in Theology.

Student Body Size: 143
Language of Instruction: English and Filipino
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Bachelor of Arts – General: Regular Status [AAA03:15]
   2. Bachelor of Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA03:15]
   4. Bachelor of Arts in History and Philosophy of Religion: Regular Status [AAA03:15]
   5. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA17:130] (Operating before 2000)

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1999.
Navojoa University
(Universidad de Navojoa, UNAV)

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Location: Navojoa Adventist University is in the outskirts of Navojoa City, in the State of Sonora in Northern Mexico.

History: Navojoa University was established in 1948 under the name “Agricultural Industrial School of the Pacific” thanks to Don Francisco L. Byerly, among others, who donated land with an extension of 50 hectares, buildings, and equipment, also helping to support financially the school in its early years.

The first director of Professor Juan Gil Rodriguez, from 1948-1953, who was followed by the following great leaders in education: Antonio Alarcon from 1953-1955; Lorenzo A. Wheeler from 1955-1957; Juan Gil Rodriguez from 1957-1958; Dan W. Palmer from 1958-1964; and Luis Carlos Ramirez from 1964-1965. There was then a period of two school cycles (1965-1967) in which the institution had to close its doors in order to make administrative and financial adjustments, restarting its educational services in 1967 with new forces, as well as with a new name “Colegio del Pacifico.”


The third stage in the metamorphosis of the institution begins during the course 95-96, with the university level as an extension of the University of Montemorelos, of there the name “University of Montemorelos Campus College of the Pacific,” being its first Rector the Mtro. Saul Perez Baro. However, this responsibility was put by the governing body of the institution, soon after, in the hands of the Mtro. Abimael Escalante Valdez, from May 1996 to June 2002.

Six years after beginning the university level, the Government of the State of Sonora, grants the Recognition of Official Validity of Studies to all the academic programs of level licenciatura the 14 of May of 2001, being Rector the Mtro. Abimael Escalante Valdez. From July 2002 to December 2011, the Rectory was assigned to Dr. Gabriel D. Camacho Bojorquez; the Mtro. Mario Rabago Campoy had the responsibility as Rector from January to July 2011 when the Governing Board of the University entrusts this function to Prof. Orley Sanchez Jimenez for the period 2011-2016, on the occasion of the quinquennial congress of the Union Mexicana del Norte. The International Board of Education (IBE) recognized the institution in 2000 under the name of Navojoa University, now offering the Montemorelos University programs as its own. The State of Sonora has also given official recognition to the University.
Educational Program: Navojoa University offers Bachelor’s (4-year Licenciatura degrees) in: Accounting, Administration, Education, Graphic Design, Nursing, Nutrition, Physical Education, and Theology.

Student Body Size: 404
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
15. Licenciatura in Administration - Accounting and Taxation: Regular Status [AAA14:118]
16. Licenciatura in Administration – Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA08:83]
17. Licenciatura in Administration – Human Resources: Regular Status [AAA08:83]
18. Licenciatura in Administration – Investment and Finances: Regular Status [AAA08:83]
19. Licenciatura in Administration – Marketing: Regular Status [AAA08:83]

**Faculty of Dentistry**
20. Diploma in Dental Laboratory Technology 1-year: Regular Status [AAA08:83]
21. Diploma in Dental Assistant 2-years: Regular Status [AAA08:83]

**Faculty of Education**
22. Bachelor of Arts in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA10:33]
23. Bachelor of Arts in Pedagogy: Candidacy Status [AAA17:53]
24. Licenciatura in Education – English: Regular Status [AAA08:83]
26. Master of Arts in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status [AAA19:41]
27. Master of Arts in Education – University Teaching: Regular Status [AAA19:41]

**Faculty of Fine Arts**
28. Licenciatura in Graphic Design: Regular Status [AAA08:83]

**Faculty of Nursing**
29. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:60]

**Faculty of Nutrition**
30. Bachelor of Science in Food Chemistry: Candidacy Status [AAA10:33]
31. Bachelor of Science in Gastronomy: Regular Status [AAA14:119]
32. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:051]

**Faculty of Physical Education**
33. Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education: Candidacy Status [AAA17:53]
34. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education and Sport Science: Regular Status [AAA08:83]

**Faculty of Theology**
35. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA17:55]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 2004.
Newbold College of Higher Education

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Location: Newbold College of Higher Education is situated 35 miles west of London, in the village of Binfield, on the outskirts of the town of Bracknell.

History: In 1901, the Seventh-day Adventist Church voted to establish a training institution for its ministry. Duncombe Hall, North London, opened in January 1902. Subsequent sites included Holloway Hall (summer 1902), Manor Gardens (1904), Stanborough Park, near Watford (1907), Newbold Revel in Warwickshire (1931), Packwood Haugh, south of Birmingham (1941). Newbold relocated to its present property in Binfield, Berkshire (February 1946). In 1954, Newbold College became the advanced training centre for Northern Europe.

Newbold, as an institution, has been accredited by Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges and Universities [AAA] (1970-); the British Accreditation Council for Independent Further and Higher Education [BAC] (2008-); and the Quality Assurance Agency [QAA] (2012-); using the same Quality Code as for any publicly funded university in the UK, with additional requirements of regarding Financial Sustainability and Governance and Management.

Since 1956, Newbold has offered programmes accredited by a number of Adventist institutions: Columbia Union College, MD (1956-1983); Andrews University, MI (1983-); Washington Adventist University [WAU] – Business Studies (1998-2021); Adventist Colleges Abroad [ACA] (2012-); Theologische Hochschule Friedensau in Germany (2011-16); Adventist Chaplaincy Institute [ACI] (2022-).


Student Body Size: 86 Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts: Regular Status [AAA13:42] Offered by Andrews University
2. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Regular Status [AAA13:40] Offered by Andrews University
3. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA13:40] Offered by Andrews University

Affiliation:
Adventist Chaplaincy Institute: An agreement to offer Clinical Pastoral Education
Adventist Colleges Abroad: An agreed suite of British Heritage studies

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and the British Accreditation Council
Accredited since 1970
Partnered with Andrews University
North East Adventist University

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Location: Northeast Adventist University is located 7 km from Jowai town making it easily accessible by land transport from Shillong, Guwahati, Silchar, Aizawl, Imphal, Dimapur, and Agartala.

History: Northeast Adventist University is a state private university, established on August 7, 2020 under the Northeast Adventist University Act 2015 (Act No. 2019) through a legislation by the Government of the State of Meghalaya. Although the University was established in the year 2020, its roots go back to the establishment of the Assam Training School (ATS) by the American missionary, Pr. O. W. Lange in the year 1941 in Jowai town, about 7 kms from the present location. This school was then moved to the present location in Khliehtyrshi village, Thadlaskein in the year 1942. The foundation stone for a new school building on the current site was laid by the then governor of Assam, Sir Robert Reid in 1941. Later, in the year 1974, it was recognized by the Meghalaya Board of School Education (MBOSE). In 1997 the school was granted permission to commence the higher secondary school program.

Due to the need to provide tertiary education to the youth in the region, the Northeast India Union of Seventh-day Adventists voted in 1998 to upgrade the then existing Higher Secondary School to the level of senior college. The school was then granted permission to establish the Northeast Adventist College (NAC) by the Department of Higher and Technical Education of the State of Meghalaya on October 6, 1998. NAC received affiliation from the North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU), a university of the Central Government of India, in its 61st Academic Council meeting, which was held on June 15 and 16, 1999, with No. CDC/A169/98-99/1786, dated 16-7-1999. Under this affiliation, NAC offered undergraduate programs in Economics, Education, English, History, Political Science and Sociology. With the establishment of the NEAU in 2020, the NAC program affiliated to NEHU is being phased off since 2020.

With a need to establish a university to safeguard the interests of Adventist students in the region, especially in connection with Sabbath observance in secular universities, the church authorities in the region brought the issue to the attention of Southern Asia Division (SUD) officers. In May 26-28, 2014, the Executive Committee of the Division resolved to authorize NAC to apply to the Government of Meghalaya for permission to establish a state private university to serve the Division.

It was also resolved to nominate the Medical Educational Trust Association Surat of SDA (METAS) to be the Sponsoring Body of the university. A proposal for the establishment of the new university was submitted to the Government of Meghalaya by METAS in December 2015. At the same time METAS also sent proposals for certain courses of study to be offered at the university to AAA through the Education Department of SUD in 2019. After processing the proposals and completion of requirements, the AAA granted the Certificate of Accreditation for a two-year candidacy ending on December 31, 2022. The final approval by the Government of Meghalaya to begin the university was granted on August 7, 2020.

Educational Program: The university became operational on February 18, 2021, with courses offered in Education, English, History, Political Science and Sociology. The highest regulatory body for universities in India, the University Grants Commission (UGC) listed NEAU on its directory as an approved state private university in India.
Student Body Size: 341
Language of Instruction: English, Khasi, Garo, and Mizo
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Bachelor in Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA20:91]
2. Bachelor of Commerce: Candidacy Status [AAA20:92]
3. Bachelor of Computer Applications: Candidacy Status [AAA20:93]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Economics: Candidacy Status [AAA20:90]

**Faculty of Education**
5. Bachelor of Education: Candidacy Status [AAA20:94]
6. Bachelor of Arts in English: Candidacy Status [AAA20:90]
7. Bachelor of Arts in History: Candidacy Status [AAA20:90]
8. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Candidacy Status [AAA20:97]

**Faculty of Nursing**
9. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA20:95] [AAA23:174]

**Faculty of Medicine**
10. Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Technology: Candidacy Status [AAA20:148] [AAA23:175]

**Faculty of Social Sciences**
11. Bachelor of Arts in Political Science: Candidacy Status [AAA20:90]
12. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Candidacy Status [AAA20:90]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2005.
Northern Caribbean University

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Location: Northern Caribbean University (NCU) is located approximately three miles south of Mandeville, Jamaica, on a 200-acre plot of land. The University is readily accessible to major modes of transportation and may be reached in an hour and a half from Kingston, the capital of Jamaica.

History: Northern Caribbean University began at Willowdene Estate near Bog Walk, St. Catherine in March 1907 as West Indian Training School. As only a few of the young people enrolled were able to pay cash for their education, a work-study program was introduced under which students could farm the land on which the school was located to finance their education.

When the property at Willowdene was found to be unsuitable for farming, it was sold and another property at Riversdale, St. Catherine was acquired to which the school was relocated in March 1908. However, the institution was closed in 1913, and did not re-open until 1919 when it was transferred to the current site, then known as Coolsworthy, Mandeville, Manchester.

In 1936 West Indian Training School was upgraded to a junior college and became West Indian Training College, and in 1959 the institution was further upgraded to senior college status, and re-named West Indies College.

In 1960 the first baccalaureate degree candidates graduated with the bachelor’s degree in Theology and in 1970 the bachelor’s degree nursing program began, and the first group of students graduated in 1974.

In 1974 Andrews University, Michigan, began offering a master’s degrees in Education and in Theology.

In 1991 the Hiram S. Walters Resource Centre was officially opened to replace the old library. In 1998 the Aston and Novelette Tai Business Skills Centre was officially opened and in 1998 the Brown Westney Science Complex was opened. On June 24, 1999, the institution received a charter from the Government of Jamaica to operate as a university and became Northern Caribbean University.

By 2002 the University inaugurated its own master’s degree in Education and its first doctoral program (PhD in Education) through the College of Graduate Education and Leadership. In 2008 the Hyacinth Chen School of Nursing was opened, and the Agri-Research Laboratories were opened in 2013.

Throughout the years, the institution has been “a beacon of hope” to many for whom quality tertiary education would otherwise have been only an elusive dream. It continued to facilitate the need of many students to work on campus as a means of paying for their education and the work-study program was expanded to include not only farming, but also baking, dairying, sheet metal work and printing. Despite numerous challenges and setbacks, the school flourished over the years due, in no small part, to the contribution of dedicated students and workers guided by the steady hand of God.

The University is owned and operated by the Jamaica Union Conference and the Atlantic Caribbean Union Mission of Seventh-day Adventists.
Educational Program: The University offers postgraduate, graduate, undergraduate, associate, diploma and certificate programs as listed below. It operates in harmony with the beliefs, practices, and educational philosophy of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. As such, it encourages students to relate their academic pursuits to their understanding of the Christian faith. It emphasizes the development of a sound Christian character and seeks to maintain an atmosphere, which fosters in its students a commitment and growth in a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Thus, faith and learning combine to prepare students for practical Christian usefulness.

Student Body Size: 3,839
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**College of Business and Hospitality Management**
1. Associate of Science in Hospitality Management: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
2. Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Tourism – Food and Beverage Operations Management: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
3. Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Tourism – Golf Facilities Management: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
4. Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Tourism – Resort and Spa Management: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
5. Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Tourism – Travel and Tourism Management: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
6. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA15:34]

**College of Education and Leadership**
9. Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Teacher Education: Regular Status [AAA19:43]
10. Bachelor of Arts in Primary Teacher Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
12. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Education: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
13. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Studies: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
14. Bachelor of Arts in Special Education: Candidacy Status [AAA21:63]
15. Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:054]
16. Bachelor of Science in English Education: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
17. Bachelor of Science in Secondary Teacher Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
18. Master of Arts in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:131]
19. Master of Arts in Education – Education Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:131]
21. Master of Arts in Education – Reading and Language Arts: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:131]
22. Master of Arts in Literacy Education: Candidacy Status [AAA19:49]
23. Master of Arts in Teaching: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
24. Master of Science in Education – Biology: Candidacy Status [AAA19:50]
25. Master of Science in Education – Chemistry: Candidacy Status [AAA19:50]
26. Master of Science in Education – Computer Information Sciences: Candidacy Status [AAA19:50]
27. Master of Science in Education – Environmental Sciences: Candidacy Status [AAA19:50]
28. Master of Science in Education – Mathematics: Candidacy Status [AAA19:50]
29. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:131]
30. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Education Administration and Leadership: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:131]
31. Post-Graduate Diploma in Education: Regular Status [AAA08:84]

**College of Humanities, Behavioral and Social Sciences**
32. Certificate in Family Life Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:052]
33. Associate of Arts in Visual Arts: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
34. Associate of Science in Family Life Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:052]
35. Associate of Science in Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:052]
36. Bachelor of Arts in Behavioral Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:054]
37. Bachelor of Arts: English – Literature and Writing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
38. Bachelor of Arts in General Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
39. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
40. Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
41. Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
42. Bachelor of Science in Guidance Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
43. Bachelor of Science in Industrial and Organization Counseling: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
44. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
45. Bachelor of Music – Music Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA08:84]
46. Bachelor of Social Work: Regular Status [AAA19:44]
47. Master of Science in Counseling: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
48. Master of Science in Counseling Psychology – Educational Psychology: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
49. Master of Science in Counseling Psychology – Marriage and Family Therapy: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
50. Doctor of Philosophy in Counseling Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA14:122]
51. Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA19:51]

**College of Natural and Applied Sciences, Allied Health, and Nursing**
52. Diploma in Agriculture: Regular Status [AAA19:45]
53. Associate of Science in Agriculture: Regular Status [AAA19:45]
54. Associate of Science in Dietetics: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
55. Associate of Science in Electrical Engineering: Regular Status [AAA19:45]
56. Bachelor of Science in Agronomy: Candidacy Status [AAA15:136]
57. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
58. Bachelor of Science in Biology Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
59. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
60. Bachelor of Science in Computer System Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA15:136]
61. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
62. Bachelor of Science in Dietetics: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
63. Bachelor of Science in Electric and Electronic Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA15:136]
64. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Geography: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
65. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science: Regular Status [AAA08:84]
66. Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science: Candidacy Status [AAA19:47]
67. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
68. Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA15:136]
69. Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
70. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
71. Master of Science in Agricultural Science: Candidacy Status [AAA19:173]
72. Master of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:62]
73. Master of Science in Environmental Science: Candidacy Status [AAA15:35]
74. Master of Science in Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA19:46]
75. Master of Science in Nurse Educator Concentration: Status [AAA23:130]
76. Master of Public Health – Health Education and Promotion: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
77. Master of Public Health – Nutrition: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
78. Master of Public Health – Medical Epidemiology: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
79. Master of Public Health – Research Epidemiology: Regular Status [AAA14:121]
80. Doctor of Public Health: Candidacy Status [AAA20:39]
81. Doctor of Philosophy in Biology: Candidacy Status [AAA14:122]

School of Religion and Theology
82. Associate of Arts in Personal Evangelism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:053]
83. Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology/Offered by IATS on the NCU campus
84. Master of Arts in Religion/Offered by IATS on the NCU campus
85. Doctor of Ministry/Offered by IATS on the NCU campus

Accreditation by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1978.

Chartered as a University: June 24, 1999
Approved by Ministry of Education, Jamaica

Affiliated with Andrews University, Michigan; Loma Linda University, California; La Sierra University, California; Southern Adventist University, Tennessee, and the College of the Bahamas

Other Accreditation and Memberships:
Northern Caribbean University (NCU) is accredited by the University Council of Jamaica (UCJ). The Joint Board of Teacher Education (JBTE) of Jamaica accredits the Primary and Secondary Education diploma programmes and the Nursing Council of Jamaica certifies the degree programme in Nursing. Additionally, the Medical Technology and Dietetics programmes are approved by the Council of Professions Supplementary to Medicine. NCU is a member of the Joint Committee for Tertiary Education (JCET), and the Association of Caribbean Tertiary Institutions (ACTI).
Northern Luzon Adventist College

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Location: Northern Luzon Adventist College is located at Artacho, Sison, Pangasinan, on 11.5 hectares of land adjacent to the McArthur Highway, about 210 km north from Manila and 40 km south from Baguio City.

History: Northern Luzon Adventist College was established in 1923 from humble beginnings as a church school with 37 pupils enrolled in 5 different grade levels under only one teacher using a lone school building, made of cogon and bamboo with the bare earth as flooring, which was situated on what is today the site of the Artacho Barangay School. Later in 1926 it was moved to its present site and became known as the Ilocos Junior Middle School offering grades 1-7.

In 1931, the school started to offer a secondary program and became known as the Northern Luzon Academy and in 1990 the academy began to offer college-level courses. In March 1992, the Northern Luzon Mission Executive Committee endorsed the proposal to upgrade Northern Luzon Academy to senior college status. The North Philippine Union Mission approved this recommendation in 1992. The College subsequently received its accreditation to operate from the Commission on Higher Education and the International Board of Education of the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventists.


Educational Program: In 1995, the International Board of Education od Seventh-day Adventists, upon the recommendation of the Southern Asia-Pacific Division, approved the starting of a tertiary program on the campus leading to Bachelor of Arts (English, Filipino, General Science, History, Mathematics, and Theology) and Bachelor of Sciences (Accountancy, Elementary Education, Information and Computer, Nursing, Secretarial Administration, and Secondary Education) degrees; programs which it continues to offer until today with the addition of Master of Arts in Education from 2010.

Student Body Size: 734
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Accountancy**
10. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

**Faculty of Business**
11. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration – Accounting, Management, and Marketing: Regular Status [AAA18:146]
12. Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:16]
Faculty of Education
13. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA03:16]
14. Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education: Regular Status [AAA03:16]
15. Bachelor of Secondary Education – Music: Regular Status [AAA10:129]
16. Master of Arts in Education: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of English
17. Bachelor of Arts in English: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of Filipino
18. Bachelor of Arts in Filipino: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of History
19. Bachelor of Arts in History: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of Information Technology Studies
20. Bachelor of Science in Information and Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA03:16]
21. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Regular Status [AAA10:129]

Faculty of Liberal Arts
22. Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication: Regular Status [AAA10:129]

Faculty of Mathematics
23. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of Nursing
24. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of Office Administration
25. Bachelor of Science in Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA10:129]

Faculty of Psychology
26. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA18:146]

Faculty of Science
27. Bachelor of Arts in General Science: Regular Status [AAA03:16]

Faculty of Theology
28. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA03:16]
29. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA10:129]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1995.

Other Accreditation: Association of Christian Schools and Colleges, and Universities - Accrediting Agency, Inc.; Association of Deans of Philippine Colleges of Nursing, Inc.; Association of Non-traditional Education of the Philippines; Association of Private Schools, Colleges, and Universities; Association of Registrars of Educational Institutions; Federation of Accrediting Agencies of the Philippines; Philippine Association for Teacher Education; Philippine Association of Educators in Office Administration; Philippine Association of Graduate Education; Philippine Council of Deans and Educators in Business; Philippine Guidance and Counseling Association, Inc.; Regional Association of Business Education
Oakwood University

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Location: Oakwood University is located five miles northwest of the heart of the city of Huntsville, a cosmopolitan city in the northwest corner of the state of Alabama and nestled in the beautiful Tennessee Valley at the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains.

History: Oakwood University, which began as an industrial school, was founded by the Seventh-day Adventist Church in 1896 to provide a Christian education for African Americans in the South. The school was erected on 380 acres of land purchased during the previous year for $6,700. Additional property purchased in 1918 nearly tripled its land holdings. The present-day campus of Oakwood University has a beautiful natural setting on 1,185 acres of land located in the city of Huntsville, Alabama, a cosmopolitan city of approximately 185,000 people and a major center for the U.S. space and rocket industry.

Oakwood has transitioned through several name and level changes over its 117-year history:
- Oakwood Industrial School, 1896
- Oakwood Manual Training School, 1904
- Oakwood Junior College, 1917
- Oakwood College, 1943
- Oakwood University, 2008

On January 1, 2008, when Oakwood College became Oakwood University, it also began to offer its first master’s degree in pastoral studies. Student enrollment and graduation statistics have grown significantly since Oakwood University’s inception. When the school first opened in 1896, there were 16 students. By 1917, there were more than 100 students. Enrollment peaked at 200 in 1927 and first topped 1,000 during the 1974-75 academic year. In spring 2008, Oakwood enrolled its first 22 graduate students. In 2012, the enrollment topped 2,019, one of its highest enrollments.

The institution’s first graduating class in 1909 numbered five people. Nine years later, in 1918, the first two graduates of Oakwood Junior College received degrees. The first senior college graduating class, spring 1945, consisted of nine students. Twenty-eight years later, in 1973, the first class in the history of the college to exceed 100 members graduated (124). The next milestone was reached in 1982 with the first graduating class to exceed 200 people. In 2008, 295 students made history when they became the first students to graduate under the name Oakwood University. At the most recent convocation ceremony (2018), 350 graduates received 4 associate degrees, 306 baccalaureate degrees, 5 masters’ degrees, and 37 certificates.

Educational Program: Oakwood University offers 51 majors (excludes concentrations) and 28 minors through 16 academic departments in the following undergraduate degrees: Associates of Science, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Business Administration, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Social Work, and Bachelor of Music. The Religion and Theology Department offers a Master of Arts degree in Pastoral Studies. Oakwood has approximately 108 full-time and 104 part-time (includes LEAP) faculty members. Seventh percent of the culturally diverse, full-time faculty holds doctoral degrees from a wide range of national and international universities.

Student Body Size: 1,470
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:


School of Arts and Sciences

6. Associate of Science in Art: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
7. Bachelor of Arts in Communication – Public Relations and Communication Arts: Regular Status [AAA10:43]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Communication Media – Broadcast Journalism, Photo-Journalism, and Print Journalism: Regular Status [AAA10:43]
9. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
10. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
11. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
12. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
13. Bachelor of Music – Composition and Recording Arts: Regular Status [AAA10:43]

School of Business

14. Bachelor of Science in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
15. Bachelor of Science in Organizational Management Online: Regular Status [AAA16:53]
16. Bachelor of Business Administration – Management Online: Regular Status [AAA16:53]
17. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA17:73]

School of Education and Social Sciences

18. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
19. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
20. Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
22. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
23. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
24. Bachelor of Arts in Political Science: Regular Status [AAA10:43]
25. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
26. Bachelor of Arts in Pre-Law – After Clarification: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
27. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
28. Bachelor of Science in Religious Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]
29. Bachelor of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:84]

School of Nursing and Health Professions

30. Associate of Science in Pre-Occupational Therapy: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
31. Associate of Science in Pre-Physician Assistant: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
32. Associate of Science in Pre-Speech – Language Pathology: Regular Status [AAA05:48]
33. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA02:28]

School of Religion

34. Master of Arts in Pastoral Studies: Regular Status [AAA09:38]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
Accredited since 1958.

Other Accreditation: Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, Council on Social Work Education, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education
Approved by Alabama Board of Nursing, Alabama State Department of Education, and American Dietetics Association
Member of: Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, Council on Social Work Education, National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, United Negro College Fund, United States Attorney General (non-immigrant students), (United States Government (for veterans), approved)

Affiliated with: Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, Inc.
Pacific Adventist University

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Location: The University is situated about 20 km from Port Moresby, the capital city of Papua New Guinea.

History: The South Pacific Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church’s dream of a tertiary institution grew out of the dramatic growth of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the South Pacific. In the 1970’s, educated leaders were required to meet the needs of the growing church organization and membership. Further, many young people wanted to pursue tertiary degrees in a Christian environment.

At Honiara, in the Solomon Islands, a meeting of church leaders in 1977 voted to establish a senior college in the region. The South Pacific Division would establish the institution and provide funding. In 1981 the present site of Pacific Adventist University (PAU) was selected. At that time a dairy, and other commercial activities were operating here. The first academic year began in 1984 following the passage of the Pacific Adventist College Act by the Parliament of Papua New Guinea (PNG) in 1983.

From its inception, Pacific Adventist College was successful in attracting highly motivated students and qualified staff members. Graduates were recognized throughout the Pacific region. Diploma recipients in Business were accepted into membership by the PNG Association of Accountants. The Bachelor of Theology program was recognized by the Melanesian Association of Theological Schools, and Education graduates became government-registered teachers.

A significant milestone was reached when the Pacific Adventist University Act of 1997 changed the College into Pacific Adventist University on December 11, 1997. The Act recognized that PAU had its own philosophy and values, catering for all South Pacific countries. A number of nations and international aid agencies sponsor students to attend PAU. Graduates of PAU are employed by the church, PNG government and private industry across the Pacific region.

Since achieving university status, the institution has purchased additional property and expanded from a small college to the now over one thousand enrollment university. Affiliation agreements with Fulton College in Fiji and Sonoma College in PNG have been concluded. In 2001 the Sopas School of Nursing moved its operation to PAU and is now operated as the School of Health Science. The University is in the process of establishing a Master in Education (Christian Educational Leadership) and the Postgraduate Diploma in Education (Christian Educational Leadership). These programs are under review for approval by the International Board of Education of the General Conference.

In order to expand its area of service, since 2015 a Bachelor of Nursing is offered at the Atoifi Hospital, in the Solomon Islands. At present, these major additions are being carried out to enlarge the mission and service of the University to the Church and community at large. Meanwhile, PAU continues to enjoy the confidence of the Church and of the PNG government.
Educational Program: Courses are offered by four schools – School of Humanities, Education and Theology, School of Business, School of Health Science, and School of Science and Technology.

Student Body Size: 1,225
Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees

**School of and Humanities, Education and Theology**

23. Certificate in Leadership: Regular Status [AAA04:113]
24. Diploma in Teaching – Primary: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
25. Diploma in Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:104]
26. Bachelor of Arts in English: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
27. Bachelor of Arts in Geography: Regular Status [AAA14:133]
28. Bachelor of Arts in History: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
29. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:104]
30. Bachelor of Education: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
31. Bachelor of Education – Primary: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
32. Bachelor of Education – Secondary: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
33. Graduate Diploma in Tertiary Teaching: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
34. Graduate Diploma in Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:104]
35. Master of Education in Christian Leadership: Regular Status [AAA20:76]
36. Master of Leadership and Development: Regular Status [AAA18:96]
37. Master of Philosophy: Regular Status [AAA18:96]
38. Master of Theology: Regular Status [AAA18:95]
40. Postgraduate Diploma in Leadership and Development: Regular Status [AAA18:96]
41. Postgraduate Diploma of Ministry: Regular Status [AAA18:95]

**School of Business**

42. Bachelor of Business – Accounting, Management, Computer Applications, Accounting and Computer Applications, Accounting and Management, Computer Applications and Management: Regular Status [AAA05:51]
43. Bachelor of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:103]

**School of Health Science**

44. Bachelor of Midwifery: Candidacy Status [AAA14:133]
45. Bachelor in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA05:51]
46. Specialty in Acute Care Nursing: Regular Status [AAA05:51]
47. Specialty in Maternal and Child Health Nursing: Regular Status [AAA05:51]
48. Specialty in Rural and Community Health: Regular Status [AAA05:51]

**School of Science and Technology**

49. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
50. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
51. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science: Regular Status [AAA14:133]
52. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA14:133]
53. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Regular Status [AAA14:133]
54. Bachelor of Science in Science: Regular Status [AAA05:51]
Affiliations:

6. Extension Campus-PAU Atoifi Campus – Bachelor of Nursing: Regular Status [AAA15:72]
7. Fulton Adventist University College – Diploma of Education – Primary 3-year offered by PAU: Regular Status [AAA09:103]
8. Fulton Adventist University College – Bachelor of Education offered by PAU: Regular Status [AAA00:13]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1987.
Approved by Government of Papua New Guinea
Pacific Union College

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Location: Pacific Union College (PUC) is located above Northern California’s Napa Valley on a campus surrounded by 1,800 acres of forested land with a network of over 30 miles of hiking, biking, and horseback riding trails. The campus is the Napa Valley’s only four-year college. It is located eight miles from St. Helena, Calif., and approximately 60 miles north of San Francisco, where students have access to the concerts, art exhibits, and cultural activities that take place throughout the Bay Area. The Pacific Ocean lies 75 miles to the west. Ellen G. White’s residence, Elmshaven, is located five miles from PUC’s home in Angwin. The Albion Retreat and Learning Center is PUC’s campus on the Pacific coast near the town of Mendocino. This campus, 100 miles from Angwin, welcomes classes and groups throughout the year.

History: In 1909 1,600 acres of land in the hills overlooking the Napa Valley was purchased from Edwin Angwin by the California Conference of Seventh-day Adventists as a new site for Healdsburg College. Established in 1882, Healdsburg was the first Seventh-day Adventist School on the West coast. But deep in debt and unhappy with its “urban” location, the Board sold the school property in 2907 to the city of Healdsburg, where the public schools had been badly damaged by the earthquake of 1906. Ellen White approved the Napa Valley site, and the school was reborn as Pacific Union College (PUC).

As we begin our 137th year of operation, we are a comprehensive four-year residential liberal arts college, offering six baccalaureate degrees (with 58 majors/emphases), one associate degree (with 11 majors/emphases) and three master’s degrees (one of which is completely online). We are proud of our tradition of preparing students for careers in the medical profession with high acceptance rates to medical and dental schools, and of the hundreds of nurses who have been prepared by our largest program. We are equally proud to be the most ethnically diverse National Liberal Arts College according to the 2018 edition of US News & World Report college rankings. In the fall of 2018, PUC enrolled 1,052 undergraduate students, of whom 61% were female and 39% male. Our students self-identified as 6% Black, 7% Asian/Pacific Islander, 27% Hispanic, 18% White, 30% multi-racial, and 12% unknown. PUC has a long tradition pf reflecting the demographics of the Adventist denomination. From the beginning, our student body has included black and Asian students, long before several sister schools in other parts of the country accepted students from minority groups. With no ethnic group being a majority, our students have many opportunities, both in the curriculum and the co-curriculum, to practice living and learning together in harmony.

Besides WSCUC accreditation (beginning in 1951), PUC has programs recognized by six accrediting bodies. Our 95 faculty are dedicated to undergraduate teaching and to quality academic programs, a commitment to quality undergraduate education that was reaffirmed in the 2005-06 school year following a campus-wide debate on the question of whether PUC should give in to the pressure to call ourselves a university like many similar institutions. With near unanimity, the entire community- from the chair of the Board of Trustees to first-year students- soundly declared its determination to remain a college, fully committed to quality undergraduate, residential education.
Educational Program: PUC is a college with a strong liberal arts tradition. The college offers a fully accredited four-year program granting bachelor’s degrees in over 64 fields and concentrations, two master’s degrees in education, associate degrees, professional degrees and pre-professional preparation in many areas.

Student Body Size: 884
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Aviation
1. Associate of Science in Aviation: Regular Status [AAA12:49]
2. Bachelor of Science in Aviation: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Biology
3. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
4. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Regular Status [AAA17:77]
5. Bachelor of Science in Biomathematics: Regular Status [AAA12:49]
6. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
7. Bachelor of Science in Biophysics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Business Administration and Economics
8. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
9. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
10. Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA17:77]

Faculty of Chemistry
12. Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
13. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Communication
14. Bachelor of Science in Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Education
15. Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
16. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education – Teacher Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
17. Master of Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Exercise Science
18. Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of History
20. Bachelor of Arts in Political Studies: Regular Status [AAA13:53]
21. Bachelor of Science in History: Regular Status [AAA13:53]
22. Bachelor of Science in Political Studies: Regular Status [AAA13:53]

Faculty of Library

Faculty of Mathematics, Physics, and Engineering
23. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
24. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Music
25. Bachelor of Science in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
Faculty of Nursing and Health Sciences
26. Associate of Science in Health Sciences: Regular Status [AAA13:52]
27. Bachelor of Science in Emergency Services Management: Regular Status [AAA15:55]
28. Bachelor of Science in Management for Medical Professionals: Regular Status [AAA17:76]
29. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
30. Bachelor of Science in Nursing Online: Regular Status [AAA17:76]

Faculty of Psychology and Social Work
31. Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice: Regular Status [AAA99:14]
32. Bachelor of Arts in Ethics Regular Status [AAA13:53]
33. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
34. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies: Regular Status [AAA09:34]
35. Bachelor of Science in Ethics: Regular Status [AAA13:53]
36. Bachelor of Science in Liberal Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
37. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
38. Bachelor of Science in Social Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]

Faculty of Theology
40. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:86]
41. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:86]

Faculty of Visual Arts
42. Associate of Arts in Film and Theater Studies: Regular Status [AAA12:50]
43. Bachelor of Fine Arts: Regular Status [AAA13:53]

Faculty of World Languages and Culture
44. Bachelor of Arts in English—Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
45. Bachelor of Arts in English – British and American Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
46. Bachelor of Arts in English – Writing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:85]
47. Bachelor of Arts in World Languages and Culture Studies: Regular Status [AAA17:77]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, and Senior College and University Commission
Accredited since 1932.

Programs accredited by: Commission on Teacher Credentialing; Council on Social Work Education (Baccalaureate), International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education; National Association of Schools of Music (Baccalaureate); Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (Baccalaureate and Associate Degree Programs)

Approved by: The Attorney General of the United States for nonimmigrant students; California Board of Registered Nursing; California Commission on Teacher Credentialing
Member of: American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers; American Association of Presidents of Independent Colleges and Universities; Association of American Colleges and Universities; Association of Governing Boards of Universities and Colleges; Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities; California Council on the Education of Teachers; College Placement Council; Council of Independent Colleges; Independent Colleges of Northern California; National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities; National Association for Intercollegiate Athletics; National League for Nursing, North American Association of Summer Sessions; Western Association of Graduate Schools
Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College

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Location: Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College is located about 60 kilometers west of Lahore on the Lahore Sargodha Road at Farooqabad Mandi. Transportation is easily available at Farooqabad for raveling back and forth.

History: Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College developed from a small Seventh-day Adventist Pakistan Union Boys’ School located about 60 kilometers west of Lahore on the Lahore Sargodha Road at Farooqabad Mandi in 1920 under the leadership of O. O. Matison (Principal) (1920). In 1937 it became a co-educational institution with the integration of the Seventh-day Adventist Girls’ School from Chichoki Mallian.

Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College has been a boarding school since its beginning. It has separate dormitories for boys and girls which houses the students. The PASC cafeteria provides more than 300 students with vegetarian meals each day throughout the school year.

Steady growth followed as students came from all parts of the Punjab and Northwest India. However, as the school grew, students from all over Pakistan and India came for study. After the partition of India and Pakistan in 1947, a new period began necessitating the development of a program on the tertiary level. In 1957, Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College was authorized by the Southern Asia Division of Seventh-day Adventists to begin a two-year junior (Intermediate) college program. After several years, authorization came to develop a senior college program. It held its first graduation exercises in 1970.

In 1985 Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College became a part of the territory of the Trans-European Division of Seventh-day Adventists until 2012.

Effective from January 2012 Pakistan Union of Seventh-day Adventists has become a part of the Southern Asia-Pacific Division (SSD) whose main office is in Silang Cavite, Philippines. In 2012 PASC also became part of the SSD.

Educational Programs: The PASC now incorporates the Elementary School (Grades 1-6), High School (Grades 7-10), and Higher Secondary School (years 11-12) and the Degree program (four-year college 13-16). A branch of Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College known as Community Learning Center (CLC) was also established in 2000 for the surrounding Muslim Community. It is composed of classes (Primary to 12).

On August 2015, PASC Board of Management decided to start offering Bachelor of Science courses (years 13-16) in college which required a 12th year certificate as entrance requirement. In 2019 University of Sargodha permits have been secured for the following courses such as: Bachelor of Science in Information Technology, Bachelor of Science in English Bachelor of Science Business Administration major in Accountancy in college. Above mentioned courses are affiliated with University of Sargodha.
Student Body Size: 49
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting and Management: Affiliated with the University of Sargodha
2. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Affiliated with the University of Sargodha

**Faculty of Education**
3. Bachelor of Science in Education: Affiliated with the University of Sargodha
4. Bachelor of Science in English: Affiliated with the University of Sargodha

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1980.

The Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College is a member of the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Universities, Colleges, and Secondary Schools. Graduates of Pakistan Adventist Seminary and College are eligible to take advanced study at Graduate Schools of the Association. It is accredited by the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities.
Paraguay Adventist University
(Universidad Adventista del Paraguay)

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Location: The Paraguay Adventist University is in the city of Asuncion, the capital of Paraguay (PAU).

History: The Seventh-day Adventist Church started its ministry in Paraguay in 1903 and has owned two sanitariums for several decades: Asunción Adventist Sanitarium (fifty years old) and Hohenau Adventist Sanitarium (forty five years of service), besides twelve primary schools and two high schools. It has fifteen thousand members with a growing rate of a thousand members each year. Membership has always been involved in the development of these institutions, supporting as far as possible their management.

The service the Adventist Church has provided in the areas of Health and Education has been fully appreciated and recognized by the entire society and by the authorities through the years and all over the country.

One special situation is that many of the staff members of these institutions come from foreign countries, and their academic degrees are not easy to validate. This validation demands a lot of time and resources.

Another important point of the Adventist Church in Paraguay is that young members who wish to get a higher degree from an Adventist institution must travel outside of the country and choose one of the nearest institutions of the South American Division, such as: River Plate Adventist University, Argentina; Bolivia Adventist University; Chile Adventist University; Sao Paulo Adventist University, Brazil. Besides the elevated costs of studying outside of Paraguay, the degrees that can be achieved are not always validated in our country, or its validation implies a long and discouraging process.

These situations are affecting more and more the normal development of the health and education institutions our Adventist Church owns in Paraguay.

For all the reasons stated above, the Church in Paraguay, in coordination with the SAD, decided to establish the PAU. Consequently, on December 24th, 2009, the President of Paraguay signed the decree to authorize the start of the Adventist University of Paraguay and in 2011, after concluding the denominational procedures, the Paraguay Adventist University started its academic activities with the course of Nursing, aiming to attend the needs of the health institutions in Paraguay.

Educational Program: Nursing, Administration

Student Body Size: 20
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. Diploma in Management of Adult Clinical – Surgical Care: Regular Status [AAA15:147]
2. Bachelor in Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA13:69]
3. Bachelor in Elementary Education: Candidacy Status 4 years [AAA19:194]
4. Bachelor in Public Accounting: Regular Status [AAA17:104]
5. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA14:50]
6. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA16:152]
7. Master in Education – Higher Education: Candidacy Status 4 years [AAA19:195]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 2010.

Approved by Paraguay Education Ministry

Agreement with: Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University, Brazil Adventist University Academy, Chile Adventist University, Ecuador Adventist College, Minas Gerais Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College, Northeast Brazil Academy, Parana Adventist Academy, Peruvian Union University, River Plate Adventist University
Parana Adventist Institute  
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Location: The Institute is in the city of Ivatuba, State of Parana in southern Brazil.

History: The Instituto Adventista Paranaense – IAP is an educational institution of professional character that offers boarding and day care regime, from infant Education to Postgraduate Latu Seno. It is in the northwest of the state of Parana, in the city of Ivatuba, 25 km from Maringa.

For more than seven decades the IAP has provided quality education centered on Biblical-Christian values. The institution has a cultural multiplicity, since it receives interns from around the world, such as the United States, Switzerland, and Africa, as well as national representatives. Residential male and female, sports complex, heated pool, Music school, English school, gym, restaurant, medical clinic, grocery store, Wi-Fi network and libraries are some of the many services that IAP offers and that the student can enjoy besides the educational structure.

Educational Program: Higher education includes courses in Administration, Nursing, Pedagogy and Theology. The proposal for the coming years is psychology and accounting sciences. In the distance module – EAD – Postgraduate courses are offered that attend students throughout Brazil.

Student Body Size: 678  
Language of Instruction: Portuguese  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  

Faculty of Administration  
5. Bachelor in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA17:105]  
6. Bachelor in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:45] To be offered as distance education w/combined modality of on-line, on-campus, and face-to-face off-campus instruction)  
7. Baccalaureate in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:122]

Faculty of Nursing  
8. Baccalaureate in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:122]  

Faculty of Pedagogy  
10. Bachelor in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA14:51]  
11. Bachelor of Education, online modality: Regular Status [AAA21:121]  
12. Bachelor in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA17:105]

Faculty of Theology  
13. Bachelor of Theology: Candidacy Status [AAA13:71]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and the Brazil Ministry of Education  
Accredited since 2004.
Peruvian Union University
(Universidad Peruana Union)
(Lima, Juliaca, and Tarapoto Campuses)

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Location: Peruvian Union University (UPeU) is located on the north bank of the Rimac River, near Lima. The 100-acre site is situated two miles off the Central Highway, 12 miles northeast of Lima, the capital city of Peru.

Historical Review: The Seventh-day Adventist Church has developed a comprehensive education system in all continents that cultivates the cognitive formation of children and young people, within an authentic framework of Christian values. After six decades of development and academic seriousness, which earned them many awards, on December 30, 1983, they became Union Incaica University. And from November 3, 1995, by law No. 26542, they changed its name to Universidad Peruana Union.

The National Assembly of Rectors, after periodically evaluating the academic work of the University and its infrastructure, authorized the operation of the Postgraduate School. In this way the Adventist educational project managed to expand its coverage from initial education to the highest level of university education: the doctorate.

Since 2002, UPeU officially operates in the branch of Juliaca that currently offers eight university degrees, plus a technical career. On July 24, 2006, the campus received ratification of its operation by CONAFU.

In 2005 UPeU obtained the official authorization for the operation in the branch of Tarapoto that currently offers six university degrees, plus a technical career. A major achievement in institutional development is the confidence of the National Assembly of Rectors for the UPeU to revalidate academic degrees, professional degrees and second-degree diplomas obtained abroad.
Educational Program: Universidad Peruana Union exists with the purpose of developing the qualities, talents, and aptitudes of each student, through a modern curricular plan and an inspiring environment, under the leadership of professionals highly prepared in different countries. This institution emphasizes professional training linked to work, the cultivation of a healthy life in the physical and spiritual, in spacious and modern classrooms, with well-implemented laboratories, application centers that complete in the market for the high quality of their products, with good services of student welfare, in the middle of a natural and well-preserved landscape. The University offers bachelor’s degrees and post graduate degrees. Furthermore, UPeU offers Distance Learning Programs in Accounting and Business Administration.

Student Body Size: Lima: 4,486; Juliaca: 5,575; Tarapoto: 2,080
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Peruvian Union University-Lima Campus**

**School of Engineering and Architecture**
1. Bachelor in Architecture: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
2. Bachelor in Civil Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA12:149]
3. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
4. Bachelor of Science in Food Industries: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
5. Bachelor in Graphic Design: Candidacy Status [AAA12:149]
6. Master in Architecture: Candidacy Status [AAA07:43]
7. Master of Environmental Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA16:65]
8. Master of Science in Food Engineering: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
12. Master in System Engineering with Specialization in Information Technology Management: Candidacy Status [AAA23:154]

**School of Health Sciences**
13. Bachelor of Human Medicine: Regular Status [AAA19:87]
14. Bachelor of Science in Health – Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
15. Bachelor of Science in Human Nutrition: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
17. Licenciatura in Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
19. Master in Marriage and Family Therapy, hybrid modality: Candidacy Status [AAA21:240]
21. Master of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA06:87]
24. Master in Nutrition and Dietetics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
25. Master in Organizational Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:223]
27. Master in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
30. Doctor of Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA16:66]

**School of Human Sciences and Education**
32. Bachelor of Science in Communication Sciences: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
33. Bachelor of Science in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
34. Bachelor of Education, hybrid, and online modality: Regular Status [AAA12:148] [AAA21:126]
35. Bachelor in Intercultural Bilingual Education – Childcare and Pre-School Education: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
36. Bachelor in Intercultural Bilingual Education – Primary School Education: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
37. Master of Arts in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
38. Master of Arts in Education with Specialization in Research and Teaching of higher Education: Candidacy Status [AAA23:150]
39. Master of Arts in Education with Specialization in Educational Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA23:151]
40. Master of Arts in Education with Specialization in Educational Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA23:152]
41. Master of Education: face-to-face and hybrid modality: Regular Status [AAA21:129]
42. Doctor of Philosophy in Education: Regular Status [AAA08:96]

**School of Management Sciences**
43. Baccalaureate in Accounting and Finance: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
44. Baccalaureate in Marketing and International Business: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
45. Bachelor of Arts in Accounting – Online: Regular Status [AAA12:148]
46. Bachelor in Business Administration – Online: Regular Status [AAA12:148]
47. Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Finance: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
48. Bachelor in Administration, face-to-face and hybrid modality: Regular Status [AAA21:128]
49. Licenciatura in Economics and Finances: Regular Status [AAA10:115]
50. Master of Arts in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
51. Master in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:130]
52. Master of Administration: face-to-face and hybrid modality: Regular Status [AAA21:129]
53. Master in Auditing: Candidacy Status [AAA14:134]
54. Master of Business Administration in Finance degree: Candidacy Status [AAA23:146]
55. Master of Business Administration in Management: Candidacy Status [AAA23:148]
56. Doctor of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA23:149]
57. Doctor in Administration: Candidacy Status 3-year [AAA13:72]

**School of Theology**
59. Master of Arts in Biblical Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA16:154]
60. Master of Arts in Mission and Ministry: Candidacy Status [AAA16:155]

**Peruvian Union University-Juliaca Campus**
32. Bachelor in Environmental Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA12:149]
33. Bachelor in Human Nutrition – face-to-face modality: Regular Status [AAA22:252]
34. Bachelor in Intercultural Bilingual Education – Childcare and Pre-School Education: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
35. Bachelor in Intercultural Bilingual Education – Primary School Education: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
36. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA08:97]
37. Bachelor in Business Administration – Major in Enterprise Management: Candidacy Status [AAA22:253]
38. Bachelor in Education – Major in Educational Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA22:254]

Peruvian Union University-Tarapoto Campus
37. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA08:29]
38. Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA22:255]
39. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Candidacy Status [AAA22:256]
40. Bachelor in Architecture: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
41. Bachelor in Economics and Finance: Regular Status [AAA14:137]
42. Bachelor in Engineering – Information Systems and Statistics: Regular Status [AAA08:98]

Approved by Peruvian Government

Agreement with Loma Linda University, Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University, Brazil Adventist University Academy, Chile Adventist University, Ecuador Adventist College, Minas Gerais Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College, Northeast Brazil Academy, Paraguay Adventist University, Parana Adventist Academy, River Plate Adventist University
Philip Lemon University
(Pre-Candidacy Status)

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Location: Philip Lemon University is in the center of Lubumbashi city on 5229 street de la Revolution C/Lubumbashi (DRCongo)

History: Considering the vast territory of the Democratic Republic of Congo as well as the SDA Church membership and the encouragement from the East Central Africa Division for each Union within its territory to have its own university, East Congo Union Mission voted to open its own university in Lubumbashi, DRC, carrying the name of a former beloved missionary Philip Lemon, the father of Bob Lemon, former General Conference Treasurer.

Initially this visit was planned to be only an advisory in preparation for the institution to work on a feasibility study and invite an International Board of Education (IBE) team for a site visit in the near future. However, just like in Kinshasa, the visiting team received upon arrival in DRC a feasibility study for Philip Lemon University and a revised version of it upon arrival in Lubumbashi and based on this decided to also consider the PLU for pre-candidacy status.

Educational Programs: offered/to be offered – Psychology & Education, Communication Information, Business and Management, Computer Sciences, Agriculture, Theology - Type of programs offered: "Graduat” – 1st level of Universities Studies/Associate Degrees

Student Body Size: 143
Language of Instruction: French
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
1. School of Theology
2. School of Business and Management Sciences – Accounting and Finance, Management, Business Administration, Human Resources
3. School of Agriculture Sciences
4. School of Communication and Information Sciences – Communication, Journalism, Multimedia
5. School of Computer Science – Computer Management, Network Administration
6. School of Psychology and Education Sciences – Art Education, Psychology, School Management

Pre-Candidacy Status by Adventist Accrediting Association

Pre-Candidacy Status since 2018.
Polish College Of Theology And Humanities
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Location: The Polish College of Theology and Humanities is situated 25 km away from Warsaw in the rural community of Podkowa Leśna. It also operates a few branches around the country and abroad.

History: The Polish College of Theology and Humanities started in 1926 as the Polish Spiritual Seminary. After several moves and closures, due to a variety of political situations, the Seminary moved to Podkowa Lesna in 1959 as a four-year undergraduate seminary. In 1971, the institution was named after Michal Belina-Czechowski, an Adventist pioneer in Europe. Fifteen years later, in 1986, a new building was constructed, which became the administration and didactical centre. In 1995, the government granted it the right to award degrees to the equivalent of BA level, on condition it was linked to Adventist Theology. In 2003, the name of the Seminary was changed to the Polish College of Theology and Humanities.

At the same time a number of new courses appeared. In 2000 the Institute of Tourism to Biblical Lands was established, joining the Institutes of Pastoral Theology and Religious Education. Subsequent years have seen the addition of the Institute of Health Promotion (2004), the Institute of Journalism (2009), the Institute of Foreign Languages (2018), and the Institute of Management (2020). The College has opened a number of branches to offer education locally to Adventists and non-Adventists.

In 2007, after a few years break, the College regained accreditation for BA level degrees in Pastoral Theology, Religious Education and Tourism to Biblical Lands and Health Promotion. In 2016 the Institute of Journalism received accreditation status and in 2018 the Institute of Foreign Languages, BA in English, gained candidacy status similarly the Institute of Management (2020). In the meantime, a first Polish Adventist preschool (2016), primary school (2019) and nursery (2021) were opened by the College, with a high degree of innovative methods of teaching (Forest Education). The last year has been dominated by a major aid program for Ukrainian refugees.

Current educational programs according to location:

**Poland**

**Podkowa Lesna** - Pastoral Theology, Non-Pastoral Theology, Religious Education and Pedagogy, Health Promotion, Management
**Warszawa – Auxillium** – Journalism, Sound Engineering
**Warszawa – Warszawska Szkoła Reklamy** – Media and Social Sciences (Visual Journalism)
**Nysa** – Health Promotion, Management
**Tychy** – Health Promotion
**Lublin** – Tourism
**Krakow** – Health Promotion


Ukraine

Kiev – Management, English Studies, Health Promotion
Zakarpatie – Management, English Studies
Odessa – Management, English Studies

Student Body Size: 986
Language of Instruction: Polish, Ukrainian, Russian
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty Offer

INSTITUTE OF THEOLOGY

Faculty of Pastoral Theology
1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology – Pastoral and Non-pastoral: Offered Historically Regular Status
2. Bachelor of Arts in Pedagogy/Religious Education: Offered Historically Regular Status
   [AAA21:191]

INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES

Faculty of Foreign Languages
1. Bachelor of Arts in English: Regular Status [AAA23:095]

Faculty of Health Promotion
2. Bachelor of Arts in Theology of Health Promotion: Offered Historically Regular Status
   [AAA22:163]

Faculty of Media and Social Sciences
3. Bachelor of Arts in Media and Social Science: Regular Status [AAA15:103]
4. Bachelor of Arts in Management: Regular Status [AAA23:096]

Faculty of Tourism
5. Bachelor of Arts in Tourism of Biblical Countries: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:190]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 2005.
River Plate Adventist University  
(Universidad Adventista del Plata)

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Location: The River Plate Adventist University (UAP) is situated on 225 hectares of gently rolling land along Highway 131, in Libertador San Martín, Entre Ríos, Argentina. It is located approximately eight miles from the port city of Diamante and 275 miles northwest of Buenos Aires, the capital of Argentina. There are several companies that offer daily bus service from Buenos Aires to Libertador San Martín.

History: This School was founded on September 26, 1898, when a group of men and women lacking financial resources but full of vision and faith established River Plate Adventist High School. In 1990, the School was authorized to offer degree programs at university level divided in four different schools. In May 2002, the School was given full and permanent authorization by the Ministry of Education of Argentina, becoming fully autonomous in both its administrative and academic performance.

In 2013 the School is celebrating 115 years of existence. Throughout the years, the School has provided the Church with many leaders who have served and are currently serving the Church around the world. Offering 31 degree programs at undergraduate and graduate levels and having students from more than 50 different countries, this higher education institution graduates hundreds of students every year under its motto “Excellence and Service in Christ”. So far, more than 6,000 students have graduated from the School as Christian professionals.

Educational Program: Presently, RPAU is organized in 6 academic units (5 at undergraduate and 1 at graduate levels), namely Theology; Health Sciences; Business Administration; Humanities, Education, and Social Sciences; Tertiary Education and Graduate School. These units offer 31 degree programs, 28 at undergraduate and 3 at graduate levels.

Student Body Size: 2,546  
Language of Instruction: Spanish  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:  
School of Business Administration  
1. Associate in Executive Administrative Assistant, face-to-face and online: Regular Status [AAA21:248]  
2. Bachelor of Science in Business Analyst: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
3. Bachelor of Science in Chartered Public Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
4. Bachelor of Science in Computer Program Analyst: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
5. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Analyst: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
6. Bachelor of Science in Executive Assistant: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
7. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems Engineering: Candidacy Status [AAA16:157]  
8. Bachelor of Business, Honors: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]  
10. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA18:91]

School of Education
13. Bachelor of Arts in English Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
15. Bachelor of Communication, Honors: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
16. Bachelor of Education - Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
17. Bachelor of Music Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
18. Bachelor of Physical Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
20. Doctorate in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA14:53]

School of Health Sciences
21. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Regular Status [AAA12:64]
22. Bachelor of Science in Medicine: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
23. Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Honors: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
24. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition, Honors: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
25. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition Technologist: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
26. Bachelor of Science in Registered Nurse: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:132]
27. Bachelor of Dentistry: Regular Status [AAA22:257] [AAA23:132]
29. Master of Arts in Counseling – Mental Health Intervention: Regular Status [AAA08:30]
30. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Cardiology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]
31. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Gynecology and Obstetrics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]
32. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Internal Medicine: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]
33. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Pathology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]
34. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Psychiatry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]
35. Specialist - Medical Doctor Specialist in Radiology and Imaging: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:114]

School of Theology
37. Bachelor of Theology, Honors: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:133]
38. Master of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:133] Offered by Latin-American Adventist Theological Seminary

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Approved by Argentine Ministry of Education
Other Accreditation: Asociación de Seminarios e Institutos Teológicos (ASIT)

Member of: Association of Faculties of Medicine of Argentina (AFACIMERA); Association of Colleges of Nursing of Argentina; Association of Evaluation and Accrediting of University (FAPEYAU); Association of Seminaries and Theological Institutions of Southern Cone (ASIT); National Research Council of Science and Technology (CONICET); Argentina Association Behavioral Sciences; Agency for Science, Technology and Innovation of Entre Reios (ACTIER); Professional Council of Economic Sciences; South American Division Seminary of Theology (SALT)

Agreement with Amazon Adventist College, Bolivia Adventist University, Brazil Adventist University Academy, Chile Adventist University, Ecuador Adventist College, Minas Gerais Adventist College, Misiones Adventist College, Northeast Brazil Academy, Paraguay Adventist University, Parana Adventist Academy, Peruvian Union University
Roorkee Adventist College

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Location: Near the magnificent Shivalik range of the Himalayas in northern India is a small town named Roorkee, located just across the borders of Uttarakhand. The College is located adjacent to National Highway 45 in the suburbs just outside the town of Roorkee. The town provides direct railway services to the cities of Delhi, Lucknow, Mumbai, and Kolkata and other cities/towns in the neighboring states.

History: Roorkee Adventist College began in 1927 when Elder A. H. Williams, then President of the Northern India Union of Seventh-day Adventists, purchased property midway between the towns of Roorkee and Manglour on the Haridwar Meerut Road. The location later became known as “The Retreat” among the missionaries. Twenty-two students were enrolled in the first year of operation.

The Adventist training school opened its doors for a two-year program of instruction in Adventist doctrines and the Bible, which would prepare the graduates to evangelize in the neighboring states of Uttar Pradesh and Punjab. Two years later the training school was converted into a high school.

The school went through several development stages and in 1937 was recognized by the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists as a co-educational school under the supervision of the Southern Asia Division and by 1947, a two-year Teacher Evangelist Diploma course was introduced. The Inter State Board of Anglo-Indian Education recognized the school in 1966 which enabled the students of various disciplines to sit for the Senior Cambridge Examinations.

In 1975, the institution began the 10 + 2 system of education with the Indian Certificate of Secondary Education (ICSE) and Indian School Certificate (ISC) examinations. The following year the two-year Bible training program was reinstated because members of the Northern India Union Committee felt the need for evangelism training.

In August 2001, the intermediate college was extended into a community college, offering associate degrees in Nursing Assistantship, Elementary Education, and Secretarial Science. At this important phase of the institution’s development as a post intermediate institution, the name was changed to Roorkee Adventist Community College.

In continuation of the master plan to develop the college as an elite institution of higher learning, in 2003 the college began offering regular bachelor’s degrees in Business Administration, Computer Applications, and Physical and Biological Sciences in association with the Allahabad Agricultural Institute, a deemed University in Allahabad. The name of the college was also changed to Roorkee Adventist College.

In 2005, the College felt the need to affiliate to a local university to enhance local students’ employment opportunities. Thus, with the sanction of the Northern India Union Committee, the College applied to the Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University (HNB Garhwal University), situated in Srinagar in Uttarakhand. The first group of Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA), and Bachelor of Science (BSc) students graduated in 2009.
Educational Program: Roorkee Adventist College continues to offer the following degrees: Diploma in Nursing Assistant; Bachelor of Business Administration; Bachelor of Computer Applications; Master of Business Administration; Master of Commerce; and Master of Computer Applications.

Student Body Size: 153
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
   1. Diploma - Nursing Assistant Program 2-year: Regular Status [AAA03:12]

School of Business and Management
   2. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:158]
   3. Master of Business Administration: Candidacy Status [AAA15:84]

School of Commerce

School of Computer Science
   5. Bachelor of Computer Applications: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:158]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited Since 2004.

Affiliated to Hemwati Nandan Bahuguna Garhwal University (HNBG) since 2007.
Rusangu University

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Location: Rusangu University main campus is located in the Southern Province of Zambia at the historic site of Rusangu Mission, a total of 16 kms south of the town of Monze, (12 kms from Monze on the Lusaka-Livingstone Road and 4 kms off the main road).

History: Rusangu University traces its historical roots in the missionary endeavors of an American Missionary named William Harry Anderson who, until 1903, was the Principal of Solusi Mission in Zimbabwe. He crossed over in the company of several African Adventist workers namely: Jacob Detcha, Philip Malomo, Jack Mahlatini Mpofu and Andrew Nyakana and established Rusangu Mission in 1905. Initially, Rusangu University opened in 1975 as Rusangu Ministerial School. It later had its name changed to Zambia Adventist Seminary to broaden the scope of the theological training that was being offered. From 1993 to 1997, Rusangu Ministerial School was closed in order to re-organize it into a more vibrant entity. In 1997, the institution’s name was changed to Zambia Adventist College due to its extended intended mission of incorporating other academic and professional disciplines in addition to Theology. In the year 2000, the College re-opened and began to run In-Service Theological Programs at Riverside Farm Institute in Kafue in collaboration with Solusi University.

A historical landmark in May 2003 was made when Zambia Adventist College became Zambia Adventist University (ZAU). The University was subsequently registered as a private University under the University Act No. 11 of 1999. Eight years later, Zambia Adventist University was changed to its current name, Rusangu University.

With over 600,000 Seventh-day Adventist members at the time, the need for a Seventh-day Adventist Institution of Higher Learning in Zambia was long overdue. Therefore, Rusangu University, with its Christian philosophy of a wholistic and balanced education, came in to meet this need.

Rusangu University has expanded its presence and is currently operating two more campuses in addition to the Monze main campus as follows:

Copperbelt Campus
The Copperbelt Campus commenced operations in April 2016 and is located at David Mwila House, Independence Avenue in the Copperbelt city of Kitwe.

Lusaka Campus
Rusangu’s first satellite campus is located in the Chudleigh area at Plot No. 9704 Central Street in Lusaka.

Educational Program: The goal of Rusangu University is to offer wholistic education that combines the practical application of academics with God inspired wisdom and intelligence.
Student Body Size: 3,040
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**

**Faculty of Education**
2. Bachelor of Arts in Education – English Language and Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Education – History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
5. Bachelor of Education – Primary Education: Candidacy Status [AAA13:153]
6. Bachelor of Science in Education – Geography: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
7. Bachelor of Science in Education – Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
9. Master of Science in Agriculture with Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:114]
10. Master of Science in Biology with Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:110]
11. Master of Science in Food and Nutrition and Family Studies with Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:115]
12. Master of Science in Geography and Environment with Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:113]
14. Master of Science in Psychology with Education: Candidacy Status [AAA19:97]
15. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Curriculum and Instruction and Educational Leadership and Management: Candidacy Status [AAA21:147]

**Faculty of Health Sciences**
16. Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Sciences Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA18:105]
17. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
18. Bachelor of Science in Medical Biochemistry Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA18:106]
19. Bachelor of Science in Medical Physics Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA18:107]
20. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA17:201]

**Faculty of Humanities, and Social Sciences**
22. Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Journalism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
23. Bachelor of Arts in English Language and Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
24. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
25. Bachelor of Arts in Peace and Conflict Resolution: Candidacy Status [AAA13:153]
26. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA13:154]
27. Bachelor of Arts in Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]

**Faculty of Science and Technology**
28. Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
29. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA13:154]
30. Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:145]
31. Bachelor of Science in General Biology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:106]
32. Bachelor of Science in General Chemistry: Candidacy Status [AAA18:109]
33. Bachelor of Science in General Physics: Candidacy Status [AAA18:107]

Faculty of Theology and Religious Studies
34. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:146]
35. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:146]

Copperbelt Campus: Regular Status [AAA19:96]

Lusaka Campus: Regular Status [AAA19:96]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited Since 2007.

Other Accreditation by Higher Education Authority since January 2016
Program Accreditations: The Nursing program is accredited by the General Nursing Council of Zambia since 2015. The Environmental Health program is accredited by the Health Professions Council of Zambia since 2011.
Sagunto Adventist College
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Location: Sagunto Adventist College is nestled on a hillside among pine trees and orange groves, with a view of the Mediterranean Sea.

History: Sagunto Adventist College is the Higher Education area of the Campus Adventista de Sagunto, and, at present, is formed by two entities: Facultad Adventista de Teologia or the Theology department; and Escuela Superior de Español de Sagunto (ESDES) or the Spanish language School.

Facultad Adventista de Teologia
What is now known as the Facultad Adventista de Teologia (FAT) or SAC Theology department had its beginnings in 1942, just after the Spanish Civil War, and has lasted until today with the clear mission of training men and women in the pastoral ministry of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Throughout its 80 years of existence, the FAT had its headquarters in the cities of Madrid (1947 – 1967), Valencia (1967 – 1974), and Sagunto (from 1974 to the present).
In April 2004, the FAT was recognized by the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) of the General Conference as a senior college able to offer the Bachelor of Theology (BTh) degree. In February 2009, the AAA accredited the SAE as a Third Level institution with the capacity to offer postgraduate courses leading to a master’s degree and higher.
In 2019 the Inter-European Division (EUD) Board of Ministerial and Theological Education (BMTE) and the International Board of Ministerial and Theological Education (IBMTE) approved the SAC Theology department proposal of a master’s degree program in Faith and Science. It started in the summer of 2019. On November 11, 2011, the Ministry of Education of the Government of Spain officially recognized the BTh and MTh degrees, equating these FAT programs with those of other university level degree programs in Spain. This recognition was renewed in 2018.

Escuela Superior de Español
What is now called the Escuela Superior de Español (ESDES) began in Valencia with the name of Departamento de Espanol para Extranjeros in the 1968-69 academic year. In 1970, the North American Division, under the sponsorship of La Sierra University (USA), formed a consortium of Adventist universities to send students abroad for foreign language study. That consortium is now known as Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA). Since that time ACA has sent American students to Spain. Presently, all NAD-based Adventist universities and academies are able to send students to Spain for this program. In the 1992-93 academic year, this department began preparing ACA students to obtain the Diploma de Español como Lengua Extranjera (DELE) at the Universidad de Valencia.
In 2004, ESDES was accredited by the state University of Alcala de Henares (Madrid) and was a founding member of SDA Languages Europe, a consortium of the six Adventist schools in Europe that teach foreign languages to college students.
In 2016 ESDES became a test center for the SIELE exam, the International Service for the Evaluation of the Spanish Language (www.siele.org). And in January 2021, ESDES received the distinction as an Accredited Center from the Cervantes Institute. The most prestigious accreditation in centers teaching Spanish as a foreign language.

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Educational Program: The College provides the four years of ministerial training and one year of Master of Theology. It’s Department of Spanish Language and Culture receives about 40 foreign students each school year, most of them through the Adventist Colleges Abroad Program, and another 50-60 in its Summer Language Program.

Student Body Size: 72
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**School of Theology – Facultad Adventista de Teologia**
1. Bachelor in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA19:22]
2. Master in Faith and Science - Online: Regular Status [AAA21:212]
3. Master in Theology: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA19:22]
4. Master in Theology - Online: Candidacy Status [AAA21:211]
5. Doctor of Ministry: Offered by Andrews University Theological Seminary, Regular Status [AAA11:118]

**Superior Language School of Spanish (ACA) – Escuela Superior de Espanol (ESDES)**
6. Bachelor in Spanish as a Foreign Language: Regular Status [AAA00:30]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1983.

The School of Theology is also accredited by ANECA Spanish official agency of accreditation for colleges/universities since 2017.

Superior Language School of Spanish (ACA) – Escuela Superior de Espanol (ESDES) is accredited by the state University of Alcalá de Henares (Madrid), and the Instituto Cervantes.
Sahmyook Health University

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Location: The University is situated within the area of Sahmyook Medical Center located at the northeast part of Seoul.

History: The history of Sahmyook Health University traces its origin back to 1936 when Dr. Jey-Han Ryu founded a training school for nurses attached to Kyung-Seong Sanitarium Hospital. In 1947 as Nursing High School, it was attached to Seoul Adventist Hospital. In 1958, the Nursing High School attached to Seoul Adventist Hospital was officially approved by the Ministry of Education. The Nursing High School was accredited as Seoul Adventist Hospital Nursing High School in 1962.

The school was approved in 1973 as a Professional Nursing School, uplifted. In November 1977, the name of Nursing School was changed to Sahmyook Nursing Professional School. In 1978, Sahmyook Nursing Professional School was upgraded to Sahmyook Nursing Junior College which turned into Sahmyook Nursing College in 1997 and Sahmyook Nursing and Health College in 1998.

In September 2001, the Department of Medical Information System with 40 students was accredited to launch and the Department of Natural Health and Family Welfare was changed to the Department of Health and Social Welfare. The number of students was increased in the Department of Health and Social Welfare up to 90 from 80 and the Department of Cosmetology up to 110 from 100 and the Department of Medical Information System up to 90 from 40 in September 2003.

In 2007, the school’s name changed from Sahmyook Nursing and Health College to Sahmyook Health College. In 2012, it was changed from Sahmyook Health College to Sahmyook Health University College.

Having been certified by the Ministry of Education in July 2013 by satisfying all the requirements of “evaluation for designation as a program in Nursing that requires four years for its completion”, the Department of Nursing started as a four-year baccalaureate course starting in 2015. As of March 2013, the Department of Cosmetology and Beauty with 140 students was divided into the Department of Skin Health Care with 60 students and the Department of Hair Art with 80 students, while the Department of Health and Social Welfare was changed to the Department of Social Welfare. In 2016, the current name ‘Sahmyook Health University’ was approved, and all the remodeling of the facility projects was finished for S.H.U.A. buildings. In 2022, simulation center for Nursing Department was finished.

Student Body Size: 1,261
Language of Instruction: Korean
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Department of Nursing**
1. Associate of Science in Nursing 3-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:077]
2. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:97]

**Department of Dental Hygiene**
3. Associate of Science in Dental Hygiene 3-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:077]
4. Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:97]
Department of Beauty Convergence
5. Associate of Science in Cosmetology 2-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:077]

Department of Senior Welfare
6. Associate of Science in Social Welfare 2-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:077]

Department of Child Care and Education

Department of Medical Information

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and Korean Ministry of Education

Accredited since 1999.
Sahmyook University
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Location: The University is situated on a 200-acre campus ten miles northeast of Seoul.

History: Sahmyook University was established 116 years ago as part of the mission of the worldwide educational work of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. As the Adventist missionaries spread the gospel at the beginning of the 20th century, the first educational institution was founded in Sunan, Pyeongannam-do when the first Adventist missionary William Smith, established a pastor-training institution at Sunan on October 10, 1906. This institution later developed into a secondary education institution, Sunan Uimyeong. In 1917, a Theological department was established within the Sunan Uimyeong School to train pastors. In 1931, the pastor-training institution was relocated to Seoul, and in 1948, the Sahmyook Seminary was finally settled in the present location. This seminary later developed into Sahmyook University.

Sahmyook University is one of the oldest higher-education institutions in Korea. From the beginning of its mission, Sahmyook University not only focused on academic education, but also on developing the students’ character, and thereby has become a pioneer in whole-person education that prepares students mentally, spiritually, and physically. Sahmyook University also led the Korea education system by dormitory education and “One Student, One Skill” education. Sahmyook University was also recognized as a leading institution regarding agricultural enterprise due to clean farm management and excellent milk production. Above all, the University has prioritized the religious education according to the ideal of the Adventist educational philosophy, and assigned Bible classes as required general courses for all. Spiritual education has been strengthened by regular weekday chapels and Sabbath worship services.

Sahmyook University has emphasized the Character Education Specialization to fulfill the whole-person education philosophy. To nurture and promote leaders with noble character, various Character Education programs have been arranged. The University was able to cultivate the whole person with different plans and strategies, including but not limited to chapels, general Bible courses, and other humanity-related courses. Furthermore, the University fostered creative intellectuals by promoting the integration of faith and learning. It strengthened community service to establish service-learning, thus permitting students to serve the world. For these, the University has devoted to the unique Sahmyook education for the past 116 years.

At the 100th anniversary in 2006, Sahmyook University proposed a new vision. With the slogan “The Education to Change People; the University to Change the World,” the University presented the vision and the purpose of education. The vision of education is to cultivate a wholistic person who strives for harmony between intellectual, spiritual, and physical development. The University also introduced the purpose of education, namely “to nurture global and local leaders with Mission, Vision, and Passion (MVP).” Such Sahmyook MVP education has contributed in establishing a higher education that can lead the Korean society. In 2016, Sahmyook University is planning another “leap” with specialization, professionalization, and internationalization.
Educational Program: Currently, the University operates as 9 Colleges (College of Culture and Arts, College of Future Convergence, College of Health and Welfare, College of Humanities and Social Science, College of Nursing, College of Pharmacy, College of Science and Technology, College of Theology, Smith College of Liberal Arts) and 4 graduate schools (Graduate School of Business Administration, Graduate School of Nursing, School of Graduate Studies, and Graduate School of Theology).

Student Body Size: 5,332 Language of Instruction: Korean

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

College of Culture and Arts
1. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]

College of Future Convergence

College of Health and Welfare
2. Bachelor of Arts in Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:98]
4. Bachelor of Science in Food and Nutrition: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
5. Bachelor of Science in Leisure and Sports: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
6. Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy: Offered Historically Regular Status - Name Change [AAA17:93]
7. Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]

College of Humanities and Social Science
10. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
11. Bachelor of Arts in English Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
12. Bachelor of Arts in English Language and Literature: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:98]
13. Bachelor of Arts in Management Information Systems: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
14. Master of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]

College of Nursing
15. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:91]
16. Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN): Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:91]
17. Master of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:98]
18. Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA14:44]

College of Pharmacy
19. Master of Science in Pharmacy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:91]
20. Doctor of Pharmacy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:91]

College of Science and Technology
21. Bachelor of Science in Animal Biotechnology Resources: Offered Historically Regular Status - Name Change [AAA17:94]
22. Bachelor of Science in Applied Computing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
23. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
24. Bachelor of Science in Computer Software: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
25. Bachelor of Science in Computer Systems: Offered Historically Regular Status – Name Change [AAA17:94]
26. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Design and Horticulture: Offered Historically Regular Status – Name Change [AAA17:94]
27. Bachelor of Science in Life Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:92]
28. Bachelor of Architecture Professional Degree: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA23:045]

College of Theology
29. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:95]
30. Master of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status – Name Change [AAA17:96]
31. Master of Divinity: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA17:95]
32. Doctor of Philosophy in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:99]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, Korea Ministry of Education, and Korea Association of Theological Schools

Accredited since 1979.
Saniku Gakuin College

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Location: The College is situated in Otaki-Machi, in Chiba Prefecture. This beautiful rural area of lush green, forested hills is located some 80 miles southeast of Tokyo.

History: Saniku Gakuin College is operated by the Japan Union Conference to educate its young people in Adventist education, training students in the areas of Theology, Christian Education, Nursing, and Community Nursing. The College had its roots in 1898 when the founding fathers of the Church established the first training institution in Shiba, Tokyo.

In 1947, the institution was relocated under the name of Nihon Saniku Gakuin Theological School. Six years later the school attained a college status, with training in Theology, Evangelism, Education and Secretarial Science. In 1971, the school obtained government recognition as a junior college. Three years later, the nursing program offered recognized diplomas with the cooperation of the Tokyo Adventist Sanitarium and Hospital.

In 1978 the College was relocated to the present campus of 31.2 hectares of land and offered B.Th. (five years) and B.A. in Christian Studies, a three-year diploma in Nursing and Community Nursing, a two-year diploma in English Communication, and two-year and one-year diplomas in Education. The College also offered a B.S. degree in Nursing in affiliation with Loma Linda University.

In 2008, the Ministry of Education approved the four-year Nursing program. This program covers the three-year nursing program, the Community Nursing Course, and the Loma Linda University RN-BS Course. These three courses were closed respectively in 2009, 2010, and 2011.

In 2015, the Christian Education department was merged into the Theology department as one-year diploma program. In March 2016, the two-year English communication department was closed, and the work of the Junior College started in 1971 was ended after 45 years of education sending out 2,441 graduates.

In September 2018, the College celebrated the 90th anniversary of Adventist Nursing education and opening the second school building of the Nursing Department on the campus of Tokyo Adventist Hospital. In November 2019, a nursing graduate program was accredited by the Ministry of Education.

Educational Program: The College holds accreditation from the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities (AAA). Under this accreditation, the College offers B.S. in Nursing, B.Th., B.A. and A.A. degrees in Theology. The College is a member of the Theological Association of Southeast Asia and Japan Theological Association. The Ministry of Education of the Japanese Government recognizes the Nursing Department as four-year college and two-year graduate studies in Master of Science.
Student Body Size: 195
Language of Instruction: Japanese

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Nursing**
1. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA20:61]

**Faculty of Theology**
2. Bachelor of Arts in Christian Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:101]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status Offered historically [AAA20:62]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1980.

Approved by Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Japan
Location: The University is located in the Matabeleland South region of Zimbabwe on 8,816 acres, 52 kilometers west of Bulawayo, at an elevation of some 4,350 feet above sea level.

History: Solusi University is a co-educational institution which was founded in 1894 as one of the first Seventh-day Adventist mission stations. It was named after Chief Soluswe, near whose home the Mission was founded. During the first decade of its existence, Solusi Mission shared in the suffering brought to the region by war and a resulting famine. Despite these hardships, the development of the Mission continued, and a training program was established for the development of church workers.

With a growing demand for church workers, Solusi Mission continued to expand, and by 1929 a government-approved teacher-training program had begun. To meet the need for higher academic training, secondary school training was begun in 1948, and in 1952, the teacher-training program was moved to Lower Gwelo (Gweru) Mission to make room at Solusi for the expanding academic program.

On October 31, 1956, the Board of Regents of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists authorized the upgrading of Solusi to senior college status. By 1958, Solusi College was offering post-secondary courses leading to bachelor’s degrees so that church workers throughout Southern and Central Africa would be more fully qualified to meet the leadership challenges of an increasingly sophisticated and more highly educated church membership. To enhance the quality of the program and to facilitate acceptance for post-graduate studies at international universities, negotiations were begun to achieve affiliation with an accredited Seventh-day Adventist university in the United States.

By October 1984 approval for an affiliation with Andrews University in Michigan had been granted by the Solusi College Board of Trustees, the Andrews University Board of Trustees, the Board of Regents of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, the Board of Higher Education of Seventh-day Adventists and the regional accrediting body in the USA, the North Central Association of Schools and Colleges (NCASC).

Solusi College developed rapidly under the 10 years of affiliation with Andrews University. New programs were added, and enrollment increased by nearly 500 percent. In 1987, 1993 and again in 1998 Solusi University, as a part of the worldwide Seventh-day Adventist educational system, received denominational re-accreditation as an institution of higher learning following thorough inspections by teams of regional and international educators representing the Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities.

In 1991 Solusi College submitted an application for establishment as a fully accredited private university. In March 1992, an on-site inspection by members of the National Council, and continuing dialogue of church and college administrators with the National Council and the Ministry of Higher Education led to the government approval of a charter establishing Solusi University in 1994.
Educational Program: The University offers a selection of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, and Bachelor of Business Administration programs. The University also offers Master of Arts degrees in Religion and Pastoral Theology. In 1994, Solusi University introduced new degree programs in Computer Science and a Master of Science in Home Economics (Family and Consumer Sciences). Additional graduate programs are Master of Education in Educational Management and Literature in English and Master of Business Administration. Currently, the constituency of Solusi University is Zimbabwe Union Conference. However, students come from other countries such as Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia, and Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC).

Student Body Size: 1,123 Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Agriculture
1. Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]
2. Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]
3. Bachelor of Science in Animal Science Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]
4. Bachelor of Science in Crop Science Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]

Faculty of Education – Primary and Secondary
5. Bachelor of Education in Early Childhood: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]
7. Bachelor of Education in Geography: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]

Faculty of Environmental and Biological Sciences
11. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]
12. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]

Faculty of Finance
13. Master of Arts in Home Economics – One complete program cycle: Regular Status [BR94:33]

Faculty of History – Peace and Conflict
14. Bachelor of Arts in History Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]
15. Bachelor of Arts in Peace and Conflict Studies Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]

Faculty of Language and Communication
16. Bachelor of Arts in Media and Communication Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]
17. Bachelor of Arts in Public Relations and Communication Studies: Candidacy Status [AAA16:168]

Faculty of Mathematics – Physics and Chemistry
18. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA13:157]
20. Bachelor of Science in Physics - Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA13:157]

Faculty of Nursing

Faculty of Nutrition
22. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Food Service Management Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]

Faculty of Textiles, and Family Studies
23. Bachelor of Arts in Development Studies Honors: Candidacy Status [AAA13:157]
24. Bachelor of Science in Apparel Design, Production and Management Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]
25. Bachelor of Science in Human Development and Family Studies Honors: Regular Status [AAA12:153]

Faculty of Theology and Religious Studies
27. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:149]
28. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:149]
29. Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:126]
30. Master of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:149]

Faculty of Business Administration
34. Master of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:148]

Bulawayo Extension Campus: Candidacy Status [AAA14:62]
Harare Extension Campus: Candidacy Status [AAA14:62]
Victoria Falls Extension Campus: Candidacy Status [AAA14:62]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and Zimbabwe Council for Higher Education (ZIMCHE)

Accredited since 1987.

Chartered by Zimbabwean Government through the National Council for Higher Education
Sonoma Adventist College

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Location: Sonoma Adventist College is located on the Gazelle Peninsula of the Island of New Britain in Papua New Guinea (PNG).

History: The beginning of Sonoma Adventist College (SAC) was the result of a decision made in the middle of the 1960’s to amalgamate Kabiufa Adventist College near Goroka and Jones Missionary College in East New Britain to a single site as recommended by the government.

The Sonoma site was providential since a small but important incident was reported which brought a need for a change to a new prominence. The MV Day Dawn, a 28 ft. launch was ferrying a load of primary school students from Kambubu to Rabaul on Friday afternoon when it developed engine trouble off the coast near Cape Gazelle, well known for the rough seas and high waves. One of the students was drying a piece of material beside the engine when it was sucked into the intake and wrapped itself around the engine valves stopping them from seating and stopping the engine. The dingy was launched, towing the boat to the shore. The anchor was dropped to keep the boat from the reef. The safety of the primary school students was a major concern. Late in the afternoon, the wind changed direction, causing the boat to drag its anchor and drift into the St. Georges channel. The boat was rescued and towed into Rabaul Harbor late in the evening. However, safety reasons to justify the need of a primary school around Rabaul/Kokopo area was already demonstrated. Both the teacher and ministerial training programs were to go with it since teacher training needs a primary school for teaching practices.

A search for a suitable location for the school was made for several months. A piece of land with freehold title near Napapar Village was found in September 1966 and perceived to be suitable. A Real Estate company was engaged using a divine rod to locate water. The company doubted if there would be adequate water for the needs of the college and suggested an alternative 100-hectare property at Sonoma Plantation which had not only adequate water supply but also land for expansion as decided upon. The Bismarck Solomon Mission voted at its annual council in late 1966 to purchase the plantation. Construction of the necessary facilities was initiated with a group six (6) Building Construction course boys with their teacher. In 1968, nine (9) ministerial students came to Sonoma from Kambubu and Kabiufa. They lived and studied in the plantation quarters rented from Vunaling plantation. These were pioneer building construction and ministerial students who later became teachers at PAU and occupied other church leadership positions. They, together with their teacher, lived in one of the houses on the site. At the end of 1968, the fly-and-build team from Australia came, supported by many volunteers from churches in and around Rabaul and students from Jones Missionary College (Kambubu), built the main classroom block. Volunteers from churches around the township of Rabaul and Kokopo cleared land from cocoa and coconut trees.

Since inception in 1968, its mission has been to train employees who may serve the Seventh-day Adventist Church, and other private entities, the government, and into self-employment in Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands, and more recently, the countries of Vanuatu and Kiribati. Its major aim and vision is to create an environment conducive to mold graduates who can become life-long committed Christians to serve as disciples of Jesus Christ.
Educational Program: The College has steadily expanded its range of courses. The Commerce Department was established in 1974, and the Agriculture Department was set up in 1976. Following in quick succession were the Mechanics Course in 1978, the two-year Secretarial Course in 1979 and the Building Construction course, transferred from Kambubu in 1981. In 1991 the college began offering a three-year Diploma in Teaching. However, to follow the national practice, the course was compressed to a two-year trimester arrangement in 2003.

Student Body Size: 652
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Agriculture**
1. Diploma in Tropical Agriculture 3-years: Regular Status [AAA 08:105]

**Faculty of Building**
2. Diploma in Building and Architectural Drafting 3-years: Regular Status [AAA 08:105]

**Faculty of Business**
3. Diploma in Business Studies 3-years: Regular Status [AAA08:105]

**Faculty of Education**
4. Certificate in Elementary Education 75 hours: Regular Status [AAA 08:105]
5. Bachelor of Education: Offered by Pacific Adventist University Regular Status [AAA08:103]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1992.

Approved by Association of Teacher Education PNG (for Diploma in Teaching [Primary])

Member of Melanesian Association of Theological Schools
South Philippine Adventist College

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Location: South Philippine Adventist College is located 68 kilometers south of Davao City at Barangay Camanchiles, Matanao, Davao del Sur. The College fronts the national highway that connects the progressive cities of Davao and Cotabato.

History: South Philippine Adventist College (SPAC) began its operation in Digos, Davao del Sur in 1950 as an elementary school. The school became a junior academy in 1952 with 236 students enrolled. The overcrowded condition necessitated a larger area. About 20 hectares of land at Barrio Camanchiles, Matanao, Davao del Sur was purchased at a cost of seven thousand pesos. The Far Eastern Division (now Southern Asia-Pacific Division) allocated P40,000.00 and the South Philippine Union Mission (now SPUC) gave P20,000.00 for the construction of the school building.

The academy transferred to its present site in school-year 958-59 bearing the name Southern Mindanao Academy. The complete high school course (1st year to 4th year levels) was recognized by the then Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports (now Department of Education) in 1959.

In 1975 the school received accreditation from the Association of Christian Schools and Colleges-Accrediting Agency (now ACSCU-AAI) with five-year accreditation status.

A large portion of the land was used as sugarcane plantation. Mango trees and tar-apple trees thrived on the campus. Gardening and banana plantation along the creek and property boundaries were part of the income-generating activities of the school. Later, the sugarcane plantation was replaced with mango trees which are found fitted for its soil.

In the summer of 1993 during the Secondary Teacher’s Convention at Mountain View College, plans were discussed of the possibility of converting Southern Mindanao Academy into a college. God used these leaders to realize the plan to have another Adventist college in Mindanao.

After adequate preparations and surveys the plan was approved by the General Conference and at the same time, SPAC received the CHED permit to operate as a college.

With the approval of the General Conference, the CHED permit, and the granting of the SEC certificate, SPAC opened in 1994. The inauguration was an awesome occasion attended by the C, SSD, CHED, SPUC, DM leaders, the college populace, alumni, local government leaders, and other members of the constituency. Witnessing God’s remarkable leading for this dear academic institution was a faith-affirming experience for those present.

Currently the college continues to witness God’s leading in different ways such as in the current year the enrollment has grown up to its highest (474) in the last 6 years and the government has just approved that the college qualifies to receive the recently introduced Tertiary Education Subsidy (TES) which is expected to include all students receiving subsidy from the government covering all fees.
Educational Program: South Philippine Adventist College offers eight (8) courses of study that lead to bachelor’s degrees. These programs are accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association, and except for Theology and Office Administration, are also accredited by a national accrediting agency, the Association of Christian Schools, Colleges and Universities (ACSCU).

Student Body Size: 797
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Accountancy**
1. Bachelor of Science in Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA16:171]
2. Bachelor of Science in Accounting Technology: Regular Status [AAA16:171]

**Faculty of Business Administration**
3. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:17]

**Faculty of Computer Science**
4. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA98:07]

**Faculty of Education**
5. Bachelor of Elementary Education – English and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA03:17]
6. Bachelor of Secondary Education – English and Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA03:17]

**Faculty of Office Administration**
7. Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Administration: Regular Status [AAA98:07]
8. Bachelor of Science in Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:17]

**Faculty of Theology**
9. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA98:07]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1995.

Southern Adventist University

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Location: Southern Adventist University is located at Collegedale, Tennessee, 17 miles east of Chattanooga in the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains. The forested slopes of White Oak Mountain and Bauxite Ridge provide a scenic backdrop for the carefully landscaped grounds. Southern Adventist University is approximately 100 miles north of Atlanta, 100 miles southwest of Knoxville, 130 miles southeast of Nashville, and 145 miles northeast of Birmingham.

History: Southern Adventist University is a coeducational liberal arts institution. “Passing the Mantle” from one generation to the next as “a conversation between the older and younger generations on what is important” is one of the overarching themes of the University.

Founded in 1892, Southern Adventist University began as Graysville Academy, a small private school with 23 students in Graysville, Tennessee. In 1916 the school moved near Chattanooga and changed its name to Southern Junior College. In 1919 the school received its charter from the State of Tennessee. The Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) granted accreditation to the College in 1930. It earned junior-college accreditation in 1936, became a senior college in 1944, and was accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools as a liberal arts college in 1950. In 1996, the institution began offering graduate degrees and changed its name for the eighth time to Southern Adventist University.

Educational Program: A strong career orientation in liberal arts, sciences, and pre-professional courses marks the curriculum. Degrees include Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Business Administration, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Music Education, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Bachelor of Social Work, Bachelor of Technology, Associate of Technology, Associate of Science, and Associate of Arts. Master’s degrees are available in applied computer science, business, computer science, counseling, education, ministry, nursing, religion, social work, and teaching. A Doctor in Nursing Practice is offered. Pre-professional programs also are offered in health fields and in engineering and law. One-year certificate programs are offered for auto service technician and Bible worker. The Modern Languages Department offers an international studies program with three emphases, which require a year abroad. Semesters begin in late August and early January, with graduation programs in mid-December and early May. The summer academic schedule includes one session.

Student Body Size: 2,924
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Department of Allied Health
  1. Associate of Science in Pre-Respiratory Therapy: Regular Status [AAA00:29]

Department of Biology
  2. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
  3. Bachelor of Science in Biology – Biomedical: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
Department of Chemistry
4. Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
5. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
6. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

Department of History and Political Studies
7. Bachelor of Arts in Archaeology – Classical Studies: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Archaeology – Near Eastern Studies: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
9. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

Department of Interdisciplinary Studies
10. Bachelor of Arts – Interdisciplinary Major: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
11. Bachelor of Science – Interdisciplinary Major: Regular Status [AAA00:46]

Department of Mathematics
12. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
13. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

Department of Modern Languages
14. Bachelor of Arts in French: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
15. Bachelor of Arts in French – Teaching: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
17. Bachelor of Arts in Spanish – Teaching: Regular Status [AAA02:29]

Department of Physics and Engineering
18. Bachelor of Arts in Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
19. Bachelor of Science in Biophysics: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
20. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

Department of Technology
22. Bachelor of Technology – Construction Technology Management: Regular Status [AAA17:79]
23. Bachelor of Technology – Auto Service Management: Regular Status [AAA17:79]

School of Business and Management
24. Associate of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
25. Associate of Science in Personal Selling: Regular Status [AAA13:56]
26. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
27. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/Associate of Technology in Auto Service-Dual Degree: Regular Status [AAA03:09]
29. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/Bachelor of Science Public Relations-Dual Degree: Regular Status [AAA03:09]
30. Bachelor of Business Administration – Computer Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
31. Bachelor of Business Administration – Entrepreneurship: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
32. Bachelor of Business Administration – Financial Management: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
33. Bachelor of Business Administration – Human Resource Management: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
34. Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
35. Master of Science in Administration: Regular Status [AAA99:15]
36. Master of Accountancy: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
37. Master of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
38. Master of Financial Management: Regular Status [AAA10:45]

School of Computing
39. Associate of Science in Computer Systems Administration: Regular Status [AAA99:15]
40. Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
41. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
42. Bachelor of Science in Computer Systems Administration: Regular Status [AAA99:15]
43. Master of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA13:57]
44. Master of Software Engineering: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
45. Master of Software Engineering – Computer Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA00:46]

School of Education and Psychology
46. Bachelor of Arts in Art Education K-12: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
47. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
48. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
49. Bachelor of Science in Art Education K-12: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
50. Bachelor of Science in Family Systems: Regular Status [AAA17:79]
51. Bachelor of Science in Outdoor Education – Leading to Licensure K5-8: Regular Status [AAA03:09]
52. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA17:79]
53. Bachelor of Science in Psychology – Family Systems: Regular Status [AAA17:79]
54. Bachelor of Science in Psychology – Industrial/Organizational Psychology: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
55. Bachelor of Science in Psychology – Psychobiology: Regular Status [AAA04:55]
56. Master of Science in Clinical Medical Health: Regular Status [AAA10:45]
57. Master of Science in Counseling – Community Counseling and Marriage and Family Therapy: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
58. Master of Science in Counseling – School Counseling: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
59. Master of Science in Education – Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status [AAA99:15]
60. Master of Science in Education – Literacy Education: Regular Status [AAA05:49]
61. Master of Science in Education – Outdoor Teacher Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

School of Health and Kinesiology
62. Associate of Science in Outdoor Leadership: Regular Status [AAA17:81]
63. Bachelor of Science in Corporate Community Wellness: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
64. Bachelor of Science in Health and Wellness: Regular Status Offered Historically [AAA21:87] Name Change [AAA22:230]
65. Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology: Regular Status [AAA09:35] Name Change [AAA22:230]
66. Bachelor of Science in Outdoor Leadership – Adventure Therapy, Business, Certified Recreational Therapist, Outdoor Ministry, General: Regular Status [AAA09:35] [AAA10:45] Name Change [AAA22:230]
67. Bachelor of Science in Sports Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
68. Bachelor of Science in Sports Studies Recreation: Regular Status [AAA09:35]

School of Journalism and Communication
69. Associate of Science in Media Technology – New Media: Regular Status [AAA00:46] Renamed [AAA09:35]
70. Bachelor of Arts in Broadcast Journalism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
71. Bachelor of Arts in Global Policy and Service Studies: Regular Status [AAA13:57]
72. Bachelor of Arts in Intercultural Communication: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
73. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism: Regular Status [AAA10:45]
74. Bachelor of Science in Mass Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
75. Bachelor of Science in Mass Communication – Media Production: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
76. Bachelor of Science in Web Publishing: Regular Status [AAA00:46]

School of Music
77. Bachelor of Science in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
78. Bachelor of Music – Music Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

School of Nursing
79. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
80. Master of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA00:46]
81. Master of Science in Nursing Acute Care Nurse Practitioner: Regular Status [AAA10:45]
82. Master of Science in Nursing – Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner: Regular Status [AAA17:78]
83. Master of Science in Nursing/Master in Business Administration - Dual Degree: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
84. Doctor of Nursing Practice: Candidacy Status [AAA12:52]

School of Physical Education, Health and Wellness
85. Associate of Science in Pre-Health Information Administration: Regular Status [AAA03:09]
86. Associate of Science in Vegetarian Culinary Arts: Regular Status [AAA15:57]
87. Bachelor of Science in Health – Physical Education, Recreation: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
88. Bachelor of Science in Health Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
89. Bachelor of Science in Outdoor Emergency Services: Regular Status [AAA10:45]

School of Religion
90. Associate of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA99:15]
91. Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies: Regular Status [AAA10:44]
92. Bachelor of Arts in Missions: Regular Status [AAA10:44]
93. Bachelor of Arts in Pastoral Care: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:88]
94. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:88]
95. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:88]
96. Master of Arts in Church Ministry and Homiletics: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
97. Master of Arts in Evangelism and World Mission: Regular Status [AAA09:35]

School of Social Work
100. Bachelor of Arts in Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]

School of Visual Art and Design
101. Bachelor of Arts in Art – Art Therapy: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
102. Bachelor of Arts in Technical Animation – Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
103. Bachelor of Science in Animation – Effects Animation: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
104. Bachelor of Science in Film Production: Regular Status [AAA02:29]
105. Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design: Regular Status [AAA17:79]
106. Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design – Print Design and Interactive Media: Regular Status [AAA05:49]
107. Bachelor of Science in Interactive Media: Regular Status [AAA09:35]
108. Bachelor of Fine Arts: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:87]
University-wide Accreditations:
Accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association and Commission on Colleges
Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges, and Schools Commission on Colleges
Accredited since 1930

Academic Program Accreditations:
Association Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)
Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN)
Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP)
Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)
Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Program (CACREP)
Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education (IACBE)
National Association of Long-Term Care Administrator Boards (NAB)
National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)
National Wellness Institute (NWI)

State Approval
Tennessee State Board of Education
Tennessee Board of Nursing

Memberships:
American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education
American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers
American Council on Education
Association of Adventist Colleges and Universities (AACU)
Association of American Colleges
Council for Advancement and Support of Education
Council for Christian Colleges and Universities (CCCU)
Council of Independent Colleges (CIC)
Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU)
National Association of Colleges and University Business Officers (NACUBO)
Tennessee Independent College and Universities Association (TICUA)
Southwestern Adventist University

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Location: Southwestern Adventist University is located in Keene, Texas, about 25 miles south of Fort Worth and 45 miles southwest of Dallas just east of Cleburne.

History: Southwestern Adventist University (SWAU) was founded in 1893 as Keene Industrial Academy. Junior college level work was first offered in 1916 and the name was changed to Southwestern Junior College. In anticipation of offering baccalaureate work, the name was changed to Southwestern Union College in 1963. The first bachelor level classes were offered in 1967.

In 1977, the University was renamed Southwestern Adventist College, reflecting its denominational affiliation. Graduate level work was begun in 1987; nine years later the institution changed its name to Southwestern Adventist University. The University has been accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools since 1958; first as a Level I institution (associate degrees), then in 1970 as a Level II institution (baccalaureate degrees) and since 1989 as a Level III institution (graduate degrees).

Educational Program: Southwestern Adventist University is a four-year, coeducational, liberal-arts institution with a number of bachelor’s degrees, professional and pre-professional programs, alternative education programs, and masters’ degree programs in business (MBA), Education (Med), Counseling (MA). Although established by the Seventh-day Adventist Church primarily to serve the needs of its constituents in the five states of Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, it “welcomes students from all religions and geographical areas, as well as from diverse ethnic, social, and cultural backgrounds,” who desire a “quality higher education in a Christ-centered environment” (Southwestern Adventist University Bulletin 2013-2014, p. 3-4).

Student Body Size: 877  Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

Faculty of Biology
1. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]
2. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Business Administration
3. Bachelor of Science in Business Studies: Regular Status [AAA09:36]
4. Bachelor of Business Administration – Finance: Regular Status [AAA09:36]

Faculty of Communication
5. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Computer Science
6. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Education and Psychology
7. Associate of Science in General Studies: Regular Status [AAA04:56]
8. Bachelor of Science in General Studies: Regular Status [AAA04:56]
9. Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies: Regular Status [AAA04:56]
10. Bachelor of Science in Psychology – School Guidance: Regular Status [AAA10:46]
11. Master of Arts in Counseling – Clinical Psychology: Regular Status [AAA17:83]
Faculty of English
12. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of History, and Social Science
13. Bachelor of Arts in Public History and Management: Regular Status [AAA04:56]
14. Bachelor of Arts in Social Science – International Affairs: Regular Status [AAA10:46]
15. Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice: Regular Status [AAA99:16]

Faculty of Kinesiology
17. Bachelor of Science in Administration and Kinesiology: Regular Status [AAA09:36]
18. Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology and Business: Regular Status [AAA10:46]

Faculty of Mathematics and Physical Sciences
20. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]
21. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]
22. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]
23. Bachelor of Science in Mathematical Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]
24. Bachelor of Science in Physical Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Music
25. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Nursing
26. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:89]

Faculty of Religion
27. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:90]
28. Bachelor of Science in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:90]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1937.

Other Accreditation: Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, Texas Board of Nursing, Texas Education Agency

Approved by United States Attorney General (for nonimmigrant students), United States Government (for veterans)

Member of Council for Higher Education Accreditation, Council of Independent Colleges, Hispanic Association Colleges and Universities, Independent College and Universities of Texas, Inc., National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities

Affiliated with Andrews University and Tarleton State University, Training Division
Spicer Adventist University

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Location: Spicer Adventist University is a co-educational boarding institution on the senior-college and graduate level located on a 70-acre estate near the city of Poona, Maharashtra State, in Western India, about 80 miles southeast of Bombay.

History: Spicer Adventist University was established by the State Government of Maharashtra (vide Maharashtra Act No. XIV of 2014) on June 14, 2014 and was inaugurated on August 28, 2014. Though the history of Spicer Adventist University may seem brief, it is indeed the culmination of a kaleidoscopic stage nearly a century old. Its roots can be traced to two schools that were started in Coimbatore in the south and Lucknow in the north in 1915. The South India Training School at Coimbatore was started in July 1915 with Gentry G. Lowry as the principal with 15 students. In 2017, due to the threat of plague, the school was moved from Coimbatore to Bangalore, near Bamboo Bazaar. The Lucknow school was closed in 1920 and the students joined the South India Training School in Bangalore.

After relocating to Krishnarajapuram in 1922, the school attracted students from all parts of undivided India which included the present-day Pakistan and Bangladesh, Myanmar (Burma), and Sri Lanka (Ceylon).

In 1942, the school was relocated to Pune, a famous educational and cultural hub also known as the Oxford of the East. In 1945, the college was upgraded to a Senior College, offering four-year liberal arts degree courses in Business, Education, English, History, and Theology. Its name was changed to Spicer Memorial College in 1955.

In 1980, the College Board approved the introduction of Post Graduate Studies in Business Administration, Education, and Religious Philosophy. Studies were made and it was felt by the College Board that the three-year college program did not meet the needs of a liberal arts education, nor did it equip the student sufficiently to meet the needs and demands of present daily life. Therefore, beyond the Plus Two program, a four-year college program was authorized and initiated. This meant that a student received a bachelor’s degree after a minimum of sixteen (10+2+4) years of study.

In 1996, the College and the Board of Trustees felt the need to offer a doctoral degree in ministry, and a four-year Doctor of Ministry (D Min) cohort from Andrews University was introduced. About 24 students enrolled in the program and earned their degree in 2000 or soon after. In 2006 with the introduction of the B Ed program, Spicer Memorial College of Education came into existence on the campus.

In 2009, a one-year M.Ed. program affiliated to Andrews University was introduced. Simultaneously, the College was negotiating with Andrews University to start several undergraduate programs due to the termination of the affiliation with Pune University. Andrews University-affiliated bachelor’s programs, (BA) in Economics, English, History and Sociology and (BS) in Botany were started during the academic year 2013-2014. Apart from running various programs affiliated with other universities, Spicer continued to excel in its four autonomous 4-year degree programs: Elementary Education (BEED), Office Administration (BAA), Theology (BTh) and Western Music (BMus).
Educational Program: The Board of Trustees of the College, in response to the invitation of Maharashtra State Government, applied for a Self-Financed Private University Charter in July 2013. After submitting various reports and documents, the Charter for Spicer Adventist University, Pune, was issued by the Order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra (vide Maharashtra Act No XIV of 2014) in June 2014. By April 2016, Spicer Adventist University was granted Minority status and after the official notification, the University became operational. The Charter of Spicer Adventist University allows it to offer almost all programs except medicine under its banner. Currently, Spicer Adventist University offers the following programs with degree–granting authority.

Student Body Size: 305  
Language of Instruction: English  
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

### Faculty of Business
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting and Management: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
2. Bachelor of Business Administration – General and Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:80]  
3. Master of Business Administration – Business: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

### Faculty of Commerce
5. Certificate in Industrial Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
6. Diploma in Agriculture: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
7. Diploma in Industrial Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
8. Bachelor of Applied Science in Industrial Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  

### Faculty of Computer Science
10. Certificate in Graphic Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
11. Diploma in Graphic Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
12. Bachelor of Applied Science – Graphic Arts: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
13. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

### Faculty of Economics
15. Diploma in Home Economics: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
16. Bachelor of Arts in Economics: Regular Status [AAA16:80]  
17. Bachelor of Applied Science – Home Economics: Regular Status [AAA03:13]

### Faculty of Education
18. Bachelor of Arts in Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:160]  
19. Bachelor of Liberal Arts in Hindi: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
20. Master of Arts in Education: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

### Faculty of Elementary Education
22. Diploma in Elementary Teacher Training: Regular Status [AAA03:13]  
23. Bachelor of Arts in Education – Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

### Faculty of English
24. Bachelor of Arts in English: Regular Status [AAA16:80]  
25. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – English Literature: Regular Status [AAA03:13]

### Faculty of Geography
26. Bachelor of Arts in Geography: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
Faculty of History
27. Bachelor of Arts in History: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
28. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – Indian History: Regular Status [AAA03:13]

Faculty of Office Administration
30. Diploma in Stenography: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
31. Bachelor of Applied Science – Secretarial Science: Regular Status [AAA03:13]

Faculty of Performing Arts
32. Bachelor of Fine Arts – Music: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
33. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – Occidental Applied Music: Regular Status [AAA03:13]

Faculty of Psychology
34. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

Faculty of Sociology
35. Bachelor of Arts in Political Science: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
36. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Regular Status [AAA16:80]

Faculty of Science
37. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – Biology: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
38. Bachelor of Science in Botany: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
39. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
40. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
41. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
42. Bachelor of Science in Microbiology: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
43. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
44. Bachelor of Science in Zoology: Regular Status [AAA16:80]
45. Master of Science in Biotechnology: Candidacy Status [AAA20:101]
46. Master of Science in Botany: Candidacy Status [AAA20:100]

Faculty of Theology
47. Certificate in Bible Instructor: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
48. Diploma in Bible Instructor: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
49. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – Religious History: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
50. Bachelor of Liberal Arts – Religious Philosophy: Regular Status [AAA03:13]
51. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status: [AAA17:69]
52. Master of Arts in Religious Studies – General, Missions, Theology: Regular Status: [AAA17:69]

Affiliations:
1. Newbold College of Higher Education – Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts
2. Spicer College MSA International Studies, Sudan, ECD (Extension Site) – Bachelor of Arts-Biology, Economics, English, History, and Sociology

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1978.
Surya Nusantara Adventist College  
(Sekolah Lanjutan Advent)

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Location: The College is located on 25 hectares of land close to Pematang Siantar City, 128 kilometers from Medan, capital city of North Sumatra Province.

History: Surya Nusantara Adventist College (SNAC) (Perguruan Tinggi Advent Surya Nusantara (PTASN)) began as an extension campus of the then Indonesia Union College (now Universitas Advent Indonesia). It is operated by the Seventh-day Adventist Church under the control and supervision of West Indonesia Union Mission (WIUM).

The college program started at the campus of North Sumatra Academy in 1977 with an enrollment of 60 students. The programs were developed to meet the needs of the missions and the Union in the training of workers. The constituency also felt the need for higher learning since some of the academy graduates from North Sumatra find it difficult to continue their studies in other colleges found in other parts of the country due to long distances and financial problems.

After ten years of the extension program, the government enacted a regulation prohibiting extension status for all colleges and universities in Indonesia. The college, then sought a new license to run the program by requesting regional private college accrediting body through KOPERTIS I (Private College Coordinator) and obtained approval to offer business administration diploma, majoring in Accounting and Management. These two majors were approved by the Ministry of Education and Culture of the Republic of Indonesia on June 5, 1992, No. 234/DIKTI/Kep/1992 as a three-year program. After five years, the two majors were approved to be offered on Senior College level by the Ministry of Education of the Republic of Indonesia, No.:80/D/0/1997 and the same body approved the Theology program, for four-year program (S1) No. 91/D/0/2000, on June 9, 2000, and the Nursing program on August 15, 2002 in No. 173/D/O/2002.

Education Program: Currently the College operates three Faculties: Faculty of Business, Faculty of Nursing, and Faculty of Theology.

Student Body: 358
Language of Instruction: Indonesian and English (Bilingual)
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Diploma in Business Administration 3-years: Regular Status [AAA97:17]
2. Diploma in Secretarial Science 2-years: Regular Status [AAA97:17]
3. Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration – Accounting and Management: Regular Status [AAA02:50]

**Faculty of Nursing**
Faculty of Theology

5. Diploma in Theology 3-years: Regular Status [AAA97:17]
6. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA02:50]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1997.
Taiwan Adventist College

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Location: Taiwan Adventist College is in the scenic foothills of Central Taiwan. The 50-hectare (124-acre) campus is less than a 10-minute drive from Sun Moon Lake, one of the island's popular resort areas.

History: Soon after the Seventh-day Adventist Church was established in Taiwan, the church leaders recognized the need of an education center to train Adventist youth. The Taiwan Mission (now known as Taiwan Conference) appealed to the General Conference through the South China Island Union Mission (now known as Chinese Union Mission) for special appropriations to start a school. Taiwan Theological Institute, located in Qizhang, Xindian of suburban Taipei, was thus founded in 1952. It was a co-educational boarding school with academy and a junior college division.

Subsequently, much had been done to improve the school facilities and curriculum. In 1954, the School Board voted to change the school name to Taiwan Training Institute. In 1964 the school was elevated to a senior college and approval was granted to offer baccalaureate level programs.

In 1967, the school was renamed Taiwan Mission College. The College moved to its present site at Yu-Chih in 1974. The name, Taiwan Adventist College, has been adopted since August 1981. The academy division of the institution, Taiwan Adventist Academy, received government accreditation in 2006. Taiwan Adventist International School was established in 2007.

Taiwan Adventist College responded to the Macedonian call from within the UT to help train pastoral workers to meet the ever-increasing membership, estimated at 400,000 in the beginning of the new millennium. Beginning 2008, the institution has established extension schools at different parts in UT, offering systemic and yearlong pastoral and health worker training programs at baccalaureate and graduate levels. With the easing of tension across the Taiwan Strait, Taiwan government has given permission to enroll students from UT. Beginning 2012, TAC received its first group of UT students studying on campus.

Student Body Size: 348
Language of Instruction: Mandarin
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business Administration**

1. Bachelor in Business Administration - Bilingual Business: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]

**Education Department**

2. Associate of Arts in Education 2-years: Regular Status [AAA18:74]

**Faculty of Health Promotion**

3. Bachelor of Arts in Health Promotion and Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]
Music Department
4. Associate of Arts in Music 2-years: Regular Status [AAA18:74]
5. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Regular Status [AAA19:72]

Faculty of Theology
6. Bachelor of Arts in Church Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]
7. Bachelor of Arts in Health Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]
9. Bachelor of Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA16:142]
10. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA13:65]

Extension Sites:
Lingxi/Wenzhou, China
Shenyang, China
Xiamen, China

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association

Accredited since 1984.

Other Accreditation by ATESEA (Association for Theological Education in South East Asia) for its theology programs since 2012, with its current term of accreditation extending through November 2020. The Master of Ministry program is accredited by ATESEA since 2017, with its current term of accreditation extending through November 2020.

Recognized by Taiwan Ministry of Interior
The University of Arusha

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Location: The University of Arusha is located 30 km from Arusha-Moshi Road. It is 24 km from Arusha to the Usa-River trading center. From Usa-River the institution can be reached by taking Momela National Park Road 6 km from the main road. It is located on a hill overlooking Mount Meru on the Northwest side. On the Northeast lies Mount Kilimanjaro with its snow covered peak.

History: When the Tanzania Union Mission was organized in 1961, the Mission found it necessary to establish its own training institution, which it did in 1970, at Ikizu Secondary School in Musoma, near Lake Victoria. Prior to this, Seventh-day Adventist students from Tanzania sought their education in Kenya and Uganda. In 1974, the Union moved the training center to the present site of 202 acres and renamed it Arusha Seminary and College. In 1976 the college was again renamed Tanzania Adventist College, offering two-year programs in affiliation with Griggs University in the United States. Later the affiliation shifted to University of Eastern Africa, Baraton, offering a bachelor’s degree in Theology and Education. In addition, the College also offered two-year courses in Business Administration and Secretarial Science. In 2002 AAA confirmed the two-year status for the College, and a senior college status was granted by the AAA in 2005.

The University of Arusha is an institution of higher learning operated under the Seventh-day Adventist philosophy and policy to meet its mission locally and internationally. Its Adventist philosophy determines the University curriculum, activities, measurement criteria, and vision in this global village of dynamic societies, cultures, beliefs, economy, and technology.

Education Program: In 2003, the college obtained from the government an interim recognition and is currently a fully accredited university under the Tanzanian Commission for Universities. In January 2011 the University of Arusha (UoA) charter was vetted and was finally signed by the President of the United Republic of Tanzania in 2013. The University offers degrees, diplomas and certificates in business, theology, and education.

The University of Arusha graduate programs in education and business were started on November 1, 2010, at Tanga General building on Hindu Street in Arusha City. In 2015, the University rented a modern and more spacious facility in Mega Complex along Livingstone Street in the City and relocated the programs from Tanga General. The current offerings include MA in Education with concentrations in (1) Management and Leadership and (2) Educational Curriculum and Supervision. Business also has three areas of concentration: MBA in (1) Finance and Strategic Management, and (2) Marketing and Entrepreneurship (3) Logistics and Supply Chain Management. These graduate programs are being taught in a modern rented facility in the town of Arusha during the afternoons and evenings because the majority of the students are employees of various companies, schools and colleges. They work during the day and come to class thereafter.
Student Body Size: 341
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Business**
1. Certificate in Business Administration 2-year: Regular Status [AAA02:13]
2. Certificate in Secretarial Science 2-year: Regular Status [AAA02:13]
3. Bachelor of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA06:81]
4. Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting and Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:22]
5. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA15:15]

**Faculty of Education**
7. Diploma in Education 2-year: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:021]
8. Bachelor of Education: Regular Status [AAA06:81]
9. Bachelor of Education with Mathematics: Candidacy Status [AAA16:121]
10. Bachelor of Education Science – Agriculture, Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, ICT: Candidacy Status [AAA16:122]

**Faculty of Nursing**
12. Diploma in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA06:81]

**Faculty of Theology**
13. Bachelor of Arts in Theology-in affiliation with UEAB: Regular Status [AAA02:13]
14. Bachelor of Theology 3rd and 4th year by Griggs University: Regular Status [AAA97:10]
15. Bachelor of Theology with Accounting: Candidacy Status [AAA16:120]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1992.

Other Accreditation: The Tanzania Commission for Universities (TCU) (Degree Programs) and National Council for Technical Education (NACTE) (Non-degree programs).

University Partnerships/Linkages: In addition to being a part of the worldwide comprehensive system of the Seventh-day Adventist institutions under the support of the Seventh-day Adventist World Church (General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists in Maryland, USA), the University of Arusha also has a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the following International Universities for academic collaboration and students and faculty exchange with and at UOA:
1. University of North Carolina (UNC), United States of America
2. Arcadia University (AU), United States of America
3. The Imperial Medical College of London, United Kingdom
4. The University of Southern California (USC), USA
5. Bugema University, Uganda
7. Sahmyook University, South Korea
Ukrainian Adventist Center of Higher Education  
(Ukrayinskyi Adventystskyi Tsentr Vyschoyi Osvity)

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Location: The Ukrainian Adventist Center of Higher Education (UACHE) is in Bucha, Kyiv region, Ukraine.

History: The history of the Advent Movement in Ukraine covers a period of almost 120 years. Since that time various attempts were made to establish an educational institution where the children from Adventist families, as well as those desiring to receive a Christian education, could be given an opportunity to do so. For years, our brothers and sisters dreamed and prayed about establishing an educational institution which could become a Youth Center and a missionary project in Ukraine.

Years passed and from 1990 to 1994 membership of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Ukraine grew to 45,000 members, and this fact became crucial in opening an educational institution within the Ukrainian Union Conference (UUC). On September 17, 1995, after years of praying and planning, the UUC was granted permission to establish an educational institution in the town of Bucha, in the Kyiv region, and Anatoliy S. Zhalovaga was appointed the Rector.

The serious work of reconstructing the educational complex and preparing the necessary documentation for certification began in 1996. On February 25, 1999, the Ukrainian Institute of Arts and Sciences (UIAS) was registered as the first Christian institution of higher learning in Ukraine. In 1999 the Adventist Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities (AAA) approved the establishment of the Ukrainian Institute of Arts and Sciences.

Three programs started in October 1999: “Finance,” “Management,” and “Philology (English and German).”

In 2003, the first theological program began in partnership with Zaoksky Theological Seminary. Students studied two years in Bucha and then completed their degree at Zaoksky. A new women’s dormitory was completed and dedicated in January 2006. The basement rooms of this new construction were equipped as classrooms.

In the spring of 2011, the multi-functional building which now serves as a gym and an assembly hall with 2000 seats was completed. In 2011 the Theological Seminary of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Ukraine (now Ukrainian Adventist Theological Institute) received approval from the Euro-Asia Division and General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church and became a separate institution.

Educational Program: Today the Ukrainian Institute of Arts and Sciences is registered in Ukraine as a private institution of higher education (license number 100-7-XXIII of February 25, 1999). The Institute has the approval to teach students in the following programs: “Finance” (since October 1999); “Management” (since October 1999); “Philology (English and German)” (since October 1999); Philosophy (Religious Studies)” (since September 2005); “Journalism” (since September 2012), “IT in Business” (since September 2013); “Physical Education” (since September 2013); “Design” (since September 2018); “Psychology” (since September 2018); The Ukrainian Adventist Theological Institute
(license number #489037, series A00, of February 25, 1999) offers its own Bachelor in Practical Theology program and a Master in Missiology in affiliation with Andrews University.

Student Body Size: 697
Language of Instruction: Ukrainian and Russian
Certificates/Diplomas/ Degrees:

**Ukrainian Institute of Arts and Sciences**

**Department of Business**
1. Bachelor of Arts in Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA20:134]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Information Systems in Economics: Regular Status [AAA17:29]
3. Master of Business Administration/Master of Science in Administration – for ESD at UACHE by AIAS: Regular Status [AAA11:133]
4. Specialist in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:023]
5. Specialist in Management: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:023]

**Department of Languages**
7. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA20:134]
8. Bachelor of Arts in Philology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:25]

**Department of Journalism**

**Department of Pedagogy and Psychology**
12. Bachelor of Arts in Primary Education: Candidacy Status [AAA14:108]
13. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:192]

**Department of Theory and Methodology of Physical Education**
14. Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education: Regular Status [AAA17:30]

**Other Programs**
15. Associate of Science in Music Art: Regular Status [AAA13:14]
16. Bachelor of Arts in Design: Candidacy Status [AAA18:191]

**Ukrainian Adventist Theological Institute**

**Department of Theology**
17. Bachelor of Theology – Practical Theology: Regular Status [AAA14:11]
18. Bachelor of Philosophy in Religion Studies: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:26]
19. Master of Arts in Pastoral Theology – Children and Adolescent: Regular Status [AAA17:31]

Union College

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Location: The campus of Union College (UC) is in a quiet neighborhood of Lincoln, Nebraska.

History: Founded in 1891, Union College is a four-year co-educational college offering programs leading to baccalaureate and associate degrees in arts, sciences, and professional fields as well as a Master of Physician Assistant Studies. Select programs are also available in cooperation with local universities and colleges. Owned and operated by the Mid-America Union Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, Union College is in Lincoln, Nebraska, the state capital.

Education at Union College has focused on the whole life of the student. The result is an active learning academic style where students connect the classroom to their world, including small courses taught by professors who care for and respect the individual, emphasizing experiential learning, mentorship, and active student leadership in spiritual and social activities. This emphasis draws hundreds of students each year from more than 40 states and nearly 20 countries. The College welcomes students from all ethnic, cultural, and faith backgrounds to come to their campus and find their God-designed potential for leadership, scholarship, and service.

Union’s faculty and staff believe that God is the Creator, Sustainer, and Savior of humankind, that human beings are the crowning act of His creation, and that each person is imbued with intelligence and assets which should be dedicated to serving and glorifying God. The ultimate aim is to help students find and fulfill their God-given calling in both personal and professional life, making a positive impact on their family, community, and the world. With a focus on undergraduate studies, Union College’s nurturing environment offers a traditional liberal arts education combined with practical experiences such as internships, academic and career counseling, study abroad, and volunteer opportunities.

Educational Program: Union College is an accredited, comprehensive institution of higher education enrolling students from over 40 states and 20 countries. Union College offers Bachelor’s degrees in more than 50 majors, a Master of Physician Assistants Studies, and a professional excellence program that challenges high academic achievers. The College is known for high medical school acceptance rates for pre-med graduates, high passing rates on nursing board exams, a unique one-room school teaching lab for education majors, and a Student Success Center offering life coaches to students, career services, and tutoring, internship assistance, and disability services. Union College is also known for its strong student leadership with students planning, implementing, and participating in a majority of the spiritual, social, and community service programs.

Student Body Size: 701
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/ Degrees:

Faculty of Business and Computer Science
1. Associate of Science in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
2. Associate of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
3. Associate of Science in Information Technology: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
5. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91] Name Change [AAA22:233]

Faculty of Emergency Management, and International Rescue and Relief
6. Associate of Science in Rescue and Relief/Emergency Medical Services: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
7. Associate of Science in Rescue and Relief/Allied Health with emphases in Pre-Cardiac Electrophysiology, Pre-Clinical Laboratory Science, Pre-Communication Sciences and Disorders, Pre-Cytotechnology, Pre-Health Informatics and Information Management, Pre-Nutrition and Dietetics, Pre-Orthotics and Prosthetics, Pre-Respiratory Care: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
8. Bachelor of Science in International Rescue and Relief – Firefighter, Global Community Development, Health Care Leadership, Paramedic, Pre-Dental, Pre-Medical, Pre-PA, Pre-Physical Therapy, Public Safety: Regular Status [AAA06:42] Name Change [AAA22:233]

Faculty of Fine Arts
9. Associate of Science in Art: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
10. Associate of Science in Graphic Design: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
11. Associate of Science in Music Pedagogy: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
12. Associate of Science in Photo and Video Imaging: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
14. Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]

Faculty of Health and Human Performance
17. Associate of Science in Occupational Therapy: Regular Status [22:232]
18. Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]

Faculty of Human Development (Education, Psychology, and Social Work)
20. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
21. Bachelor of Science in English Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
22. Bachelor of Science in History Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
23. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
24. Bachelor of Science in Religious Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
25. Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
26. Bachelor of Science in Social Science Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
27. Bachelor of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]

Faculty of Humanities (Communication, English, History, and Modern Languages)
29. Bachelor of Arts in English – Literature, Writing and Speaking: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
30. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
Faculty of Nursing
31. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]

Faculty of Physician Assistant
32. Master of Physician Assistant Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:11] Conversion of the BS in Physician Assistant Studies

Faculty of Religion
33. Bachelor of Arts in Religion – Chaplaincy, Pastoral Care, and Social Media Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:92] Name Change [AAA22:234]
34. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:92]

Faculty of Science and Math
35. Associate of Science in Chemistry Lab Technician: Regular Status [AAA22:232]
36. Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
37. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA02:30]
38. Bachelor of Science in Biology Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
39. Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Science – Advanced Pre-Physician Assistant, Biological Research, Pre-Chiropractic Medicine, Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Genetic Counseling, Pre-Medicine, Pre-Pharmacy, Pre-Physical Therapy, Pre-Physician Assistant, Pre-Public Health, Pre-Veterinary Medicine: Regular Status [AAA13:59] Name Change [AAA22:233]
40. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry – Biochemistry and Physical Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
41. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
42. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Regular Status [AAA02:30]
43. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]
44. Bachelor of Science in Science Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:91]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association and The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association
Accredited since 1937.

Other accreditations: Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc., Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, Council on Social Work Education, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services State Board of Nursing

Approved by Nebraska State Department of Education

Member of: American Alliance For Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, American Association of Colleges of Nursing, American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, American College of Sports Medicine, Adventist Library Cooperative, American Red Cross, Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Nebraska, Council of Independent Colleges, National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, National Collegiate Honors Council, Nebraska Academy of Sciences, Nebraska Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, Nebraska Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, Nebraska Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Nebraska Council on Teacher Education, Nebraska Independent College Foundation, Physician Assistant Education Association, United States Gymnastics Federation, Upper Midwest Honors Council
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Location: The University is in the fertile valley of Nandi District, approximately 320 km (200 miles) northwest of Nairobi, the modern capital of Kenya, and around 48 km (30 miles) southwest of Eldoret.

History: The beginning of the Seventh-day Adventist education in East Africa dates back to the establishment of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the region. The earliest church was established in Tanzania in 1903, followed by more missionary work around Lake Victoria in Kenya in 1906. In 1927 missionary work started in Uganda and in 1928 what is now known as Kamagambo Adventist College was established near Kisii town. In addition, the church established several training institutions but none of them had offered degree programs. For this reason, students desiring to pursue university education in an Adventist institution, before 1980, had to go outside Eastern Africa. During the 1970s the Middle East College, in Beirut, Lebanon, served many such students. Thus there was a great need for a full-fledged university in Eastern Africa.

The University of Eastern Africa, Baraton (UEAB) was established and managed by the Afro-Mideast Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in a committee action of 21st December 1978. The Afro-Mideast Division was thereafter reorganized into the Eastern Africa Division in 1981 and East-Central Africa Division in 2003 respectively. Beginning 1st January 2015, the University started being managed by the Union Conferences in Kenya with the President of East-Central Africa Division as the Chancellor.

The University was established on a government allocated piece of land comprising three hundred and thirty-nine (339) acres known as the Baraton Animal Husbandry Research Station with a herd of high grade Fresian Dairy Cattle on it, in the then Nandi district of the Rift Valley Province of Kenya (current Nandi Central District of the Nandi Country) The dairy has remained a major auxiliary enterprise for the University to date.

The University enrolled its first class of twenty (20) students in September 1979 with a limited number of bachelor’s programmes including agriculture, nursing, Theology, religion, home economics, languages, and business studies. It began offering master’s degrees in 1998 and a doctoral degree in education in 2011. It started operating as University College under an affiliation agreement with Andrews University in Berrien Springs, Michigan, USA until March, 1991. The University became the first private institution in Kenya to be granted a university charter by the government of the Republic of Kenya on March 28, 1991.

The University has maintained its seat at Baraton, in Kapsabet Municipality of Nandi County. It used to operate two active extension campuses, namely Nairobi and Eldoret Campuses. It also envisioned to establish three other campuses in Kisumu, Nyanchwa, and Kamagambo. The University Administrative Board closed these campuses in 2017 because of low enrollment and high expenses involved in the over-head operations and rent that resulted into heavy losses. Currently, the University is made up of the main campus only, situated in Kapsabet Municipality in Nandi County, just fifty kilometers east of Eldoret town.
Educational Program: The University is organized into five schools and one directorate, namely: (1) Business; (2) Education, Humanities, and Social Sciences; (3) Health Sciences; (4) Nursing; (5) Science and Technology, and the Directorate of Graduate Studies – which supervises and monitors the quality of operation of graduate programs offered in various Schools of the University.

Student Body Size: 6,074
Language of Instruction: English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Faculty of Accounting and Finance**
1. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting, Finance: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}

**Faculty of Agriculture**
2. Bachelor of Science in Agri-business: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
3. Bachelor of Science in Agriculture: Offered Historically Regular Status {AAA21:23}
4. Bachelor of Science in Animal Science: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
5. Bachelor of Science in Conservation: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
6. Bachelor of Science in Crop and Soil Sciences: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
7. Bachelor of Science in Horticulture: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
8. Bachelor of Science in Technology in Agriculture Chemistry: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}

**Faculty of Educational Administration, Curriculum and Teaching**
9. Bachelor of Arts in English Language: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
10. Bachelor of Arts in English Literature: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
11. Bachelor of Arts in Geography: Offered Historically Regular Status {AAA21:23}
12. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status {AAA21:23}
13. Bachelor of Arts in Kiswahili: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
14. Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
15. Bachelor of Education: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
16. Bachelor of Education – Arts: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
17. Bachelor of Education – Guidance and Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status {AAA21:23}
18. Bachelor of Education – Science: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
19. Bachelor of Primary Education: Offered historically Regular Status {AAA17:26}
20. Master of Arts in Education – Curriculum and Teaching: Regular Status {AAA06:59}
21. Master of Arts in Education – Development Education: Regular Status {AAA06:59}
22. Master of Arts in Education – Guidance and Counseling: Regular Status {AAA06:59}
23. Master of Arts in Education – Psychology: Regular Status {AAA06:59}
24. Doctor of Education – Educational Administration, Curriculum and Teaching: Regular Status {AAA10:16}
25. Doctor of Philosophy in Education – Educational Administration, Curriculum and Teaching: Regular Status {AAA10:16}

**Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Dietetics**
26. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Offered Historically Regular Status {AAA21:23}
27. Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Candidacy Status {AAA14:105}

**Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences**
28. Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication: Candidacy Status {AAA14:105}
Faculty of Information Systems and Computing
29. Bachelor in Business Information Technology: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
30. Bachelor of Science in Networks and Communication Systems: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
31. Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]

Faculty of Management
32. Bachelor of Business Administration – Marketing and Office Administration: Regular Status [AAA06:59]
33. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA06:59]
34. Doctor of Philosophy in Business/offered by AIIAS: Regular Status [AAA13:93]

Faculty of Medical Laboratory Sciences
35. Bachelor of Science in Biomedical: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
36. Bachelor of Science in General Biology: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
37. Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
38. Bachelor of Science in Morphology: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]

Faculty of Nursing
39. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:23]
40. Master of Science in Global Health Care: Candidacy Status [AAA14:105]
41. Master of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:23]

Faculty of Physics, Mathematics, and Chemistry
42. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
43. Bachelor of Science in General Chemistry: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
44. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
45. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry and Management: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
46. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
47. Bachelor of Science in Physics and Mathematics: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]

Faculty of Public Health
48. Bachelor of Science in Public Health: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:23]
49. Master of Public Health: Candidacy Status [AAA13:133]

Faculty of Religion and Theology
50. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:27]
51. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:27]

Faculty of Technology
52. Bachelor of Science in Technology – Electronics: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
53. Bachelor of Technology – Automotive: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]
54. Bachelor of Technology – Electronics: Offered historically Regular Status [AAA17:26]

Extension Centers:
1. Eldoret Extension Center: Regular Status [AAA16:20]
2. Nairobi Extension Center: Regular Status [AAA16:20]

Affiliation:
1. Adventist University of Central Africa – Master of Business Administration offered by UEAB: Regular Status [AAA08:70]
2. Adventist University of Central Africa – Master of Education offered by UEAB: Regular Status [AAA08:70]
Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1987.

Other Accreditation: The University is currently accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) of the Seventh-day Adventist Church and the Commission for University Education (CUE) of the Republic of Kenya, and has since then, been recognized and accepted into the membership of several academic bodies including the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU), Association of Africa Universities (AAU), Kenya Association of Private Universities (KAPU), and the Inter-University Council for East Africa (IUCEA). On 22nd April, 2014, the University received membership into Kenya Universities and Colleges Central Placement Service (KUCCPS). The University is also accredited by the Nursing Council of Kenya (NCK) and the National Commission for Science, Technology and Innovation (NACOSTI).
University of the Southern Caribbean

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Location: The University of the Southern Caribbean is in the Maracas Valley of the twin island Republic of Trinidad and Tobago in the West Indies.

History: The University of the Southern Caribbean is a private, coeducational institution operated by the Caribbean Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. The University is situated on 384 acres of land in the beautiful Maracas Valley, approximately ten miles northeast of Port-of-Spain, the capital of Trinidad and Tobago. The university estate, which borders the Maracas River, is covered with beautiful and varied tropical verdure. The mild, invigorating climate, with moderately cool nights, is not only conducive to study, but also provides an environment for healthful living.

The institution was founded in 1927 as East Caribbean Training School for educating the youth of the Caribbean Union Conference. Two years later, the name was changed to Caribbean Training College. In 1945, a well-defined college preparatory instructional program was developed; and in 1947, Caribbean Training College was officially declared a Junior College, offering two-year post-secondary certificates in Theology, Teacher Training, Business, and Secretarial Science. In 1956, Caribbean Training College assumed a new name, Caribbean Union College. In September 1970, the two-year Junior College program in Theology was extended to a four-year program, leading to a Bachelor of Theology degree. Subsequent changes since 1985 included the conferring of the Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Business Administration, and Associate degrees in a wide range of disciplines in affiliation with Andrews University.

A notable change in status was received in February 2006 with the official conferral of the title “University.” The certificate of Institutional Title was presented to the Administration by the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago (ACTT), making USC the third University in the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago. Additionally, USC is one of the first of the tertiary institutions in Trinidad and Tobago to be registered with ACTT. In May 2012, the University was awarded full institutional accreditation by ACTT. USC then became the first private, faith-based, and the third accredited University of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago.

Educational Program: A significant factor which has contributed to the rapid increase of enrollment over the past few years has been the provision of the Government Assistance for Tuition Expense (GATE) by the Government of Trinidad and Tobago. GATE enables all students who are citizens of Trinidad and Tobago to be fully funded for the coverage of their tuition at USC.

Student Body Size: 3,410
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:
School of Business, Entrepreneurship, Continuing, and Professional Studies
6. Associate of Science in General Business: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
7. Associate of Science in Office Technology: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
8. Bachelor of Science in Accounting: Regular Status [AAA09:23]
9. Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:23]
10. Bachelor of Science in Business Education: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
11. Bachelor of Science in Economics: Regular Status [AAA09:23]
13. Master of Science in Business Administration – Accounting, Economics, Finance and Accounting, Health Care Administration, Human Resource Management: Regular Status [AAA09:23]
14. Master of Science in Business and Security Management: Regular Status [AAA09:23]
15. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA12:33]

School of Education and Human Sciences
16. Associate Degree in Early Childhood Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:058]
17. Associate of Arts in Music: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
18. Bachelor of Arts in English: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
19. Bachelor of Arts in History: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
20. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Regular Status [AAA19:53]
21. Bachelor of Arts in Reading: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:059]
22. Bachelor of Arts in Secondary School Teacher Preparation: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
23. Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:52]
24. Bachelor of Science in Educational Services: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
25. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
26. Bachelor of Science in Music: Candidacy Status [AAA18:52]
27. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:059]
29. Bachelor of Science in Social Studies: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
30. Bachelor of Science in Special Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:65]
31. Bachelor of Education – Primary Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:52]
32. Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:65]
33. Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction: Candidacy Status [AAA18:55]
34. Master of Arts in Educational Administration and Leadership: Candidacy Status [AAA18:55]
35. Master of Arts in Educational Psychology: Candidacy Status [AAA18:55]
36. Master of Arts in Educational Psychology – Counseling - Offered by Andrews University: Regular Status [AAA95:34]
37. Master of Arts in Reading Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:65]
38. Graduate Diploma in Education: Candidacy Status [AAA18:55]

School of Science and Technology
39. Associate of Science in Computer Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
40. Associate of Science in Premedical Studies: Regular Status [AAA18:50]
41. Bachelor of Science in Biology – Biomedical: Regular Status [AAA12:33] New emphasis [AAA18:51]
42. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry
43. Bachelor of Science in Computing: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
44. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA18:54]
45. Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics: Candidacy Status [AAA18:53]
46. Master of Science in Occupational Therapy: Candidacy Status [AAA20:41]
School of Social Sciences
47. Certificate in Criminology: Regular Status [AAA18:50]
49. Certificate in Paralegal Studies: Regular Status [AAA18:50]
50. Bachelor of Science in Behavioral Sciences: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
51. Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
52. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
53. Bachelor of Science in Sociology: Regular Status [AAA12:33]
54. Master of Arts in Human Communication: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:65]

School of Theology and Religion
55. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Regular Status [AAA12:35]
56. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA12:35]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago; Accredited since 1982.

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing is accredited by the Nursing Council of Trinidad and Tobago.

The World Federation of Occupational Therapy approved the USC MSOT program in March 2016 for 5 years until March 2021. “Approval” of curricula is the only and highest recognition the WFOT currently gives. The 5-year approval for master-level programs is the standard.
Valley View University

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Location: Valley View University is located on a site near Oyibi, which is 19 miles north of Accra, on 285 acres of fertile farmland.

History: Valley View University was established in 1979 by the West African Union Mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. In 1997 it was absorbed into the Adventist University system operated by the West Central-Africa Division (WAD) with headquarters in Abidjan, Cote d’Ivoire.

The University was initially called the Adventist Missionary College (AMC) and was located at Bekwai-Ashanti. It was transferred to Adentan near Accra in 1983 where it operated in rented facilities until it was relocated to its present site near Oyibi (kilometer 31 on the Accra-Dodowa Road) in 1989. It was renamed Valley View College.

The Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) has, since 1983, been evaluating and reviewing the accreditation status of the institution. In 1995, the University was affiliated to Griggs University in Silver Spring, Maryland, USA. This allowed the University to offer bachelor’s degrees in Theology and Religious Studies. In 1997, the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission (formerly, National Accreditation Board of the Ministry of Education in Ghana) granted Valley View College national accreditation, thus permitting the institution to award its own degrees. In 2006 Valley View University became the first private university in Ghana to be granted Presidential Charter, thus becoming an autonomous private tertiary institution.

The University serves students from all over the world. There are two extension campuses, they are Techiman and Kumasi campuses, and two learning centers located in Tamale in the Northern Region and Takoradi in the Western Region.

Techiman Campus: The VVU, Techiman Campus was initially a campus of Adventist Secondary Technical School (ASTS) which had been under the sponsorship of the Seventh-day Adventist Church headquartered at the Ghana Union Conference in Accra until early 2005, when the school’s ownership was transferred to the Mid-West Ghana Conference, headquartered in Sunyani. The last owner of the school in the year 2007 considered relinquishing ownership of the school to the Ghana Education Service. This situation led to Valley View University quickly stepping in to incorporate ASTS as its satellite campus and thereby ensuring the successful phasing out the second-cycle students over a three-year period. The final class of the ASTS students graduated in June 2009 and on September 1, 2009, the Techiman satellite campus of Valley View University became operational. This site was accredited by the AAA in 2015 as an Extension Campus of Valley View University.

Kumasi Campus: The VVU Kumasi Campus started as a Distance Education Learning Center in 2004. It was upgraded to a Campus status in 2011. The campus is now permanently located at Oduom off Kumasi-Accra highway since 2019.
Academic Programs: The University presently offers four-year degree programs in Theology, Education, Computer Science, Information Technology, Development Studies, Mathematics, Nursing, Midwifery, Mental Health, Biomedical Engineering, Music, Agribusiness, and Business Administration. Moreover, the following new programs have been added to the existing postgraduate programs: PhD Business Administration, PhD Computer Science, MPhil/MSc Computer Science, MPhil Curriculum and Instruction/Educational Administration and Leadership. The University programs are accredited by the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission (GTEC) formerly National Accreditation Board (Ghana).

Student Body Size: 6,663 (all campuses)
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees: Certificate, Diploma, BBA, BA, BSc, Bed, MBA, Med, MPhil, PhD

School of Graduate Studies
1. Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA15:107]
2. Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction: Regular Status [AAA18:233]
4. Postgraduate Diploma in Education: Regular Status [AAA15:166]

Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences
5. Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:20]
6. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Regular Status [AAA03:20]
7. Bachelor of Science in Development Studies: Regular Status [AAA18:168]

School of Business
8. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting: Regular Status [AAA03:20]

School of Education

Faculty of Science
12. Certificate in Biomedical Equipment Technology: Regular Status [AAA15:166]
13. Diploma in Biomedical Equipment Technology: Regular Status [AAA15:166]
14. Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness: Regular Status [AAA18:167]
15. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Regular Status [AAA03:20]
16. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology: Regular Status [AAA18:167]
17. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics with Economics: Regular Status [AAA18:167]
18. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics with Statistics: Regular Status [AAA18:167]

School of Nursing and Midwifery
19. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Regular Status [AAA15:166]

Center for Adult and Distance Education: Business Administration programs

Extension Campuses:
2. Techiman Campus - Accredited since 2015.

Vellore Adventist College of Education

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Location: Vellore Adventist College of Education is located 130 Km Southwest of Chennai on the Chennai-Bangalore highway. Vellore is in a serene atmosphere just beside a lake surrounded by mountains on both sides, away from the rush of the city life.

History: Seventh-day Adventist College of Education, Vellore, is in a city well known in the world of healing and medical education and for its famous Christian Medical College (CMC). Although an Adventist presence in the city can be traced back to approximately 55 years ago, the educational work of the church is relatively recent.

Situated in the northern part of Tamil Nadu, India, the college opened in 1992 as a one-room, one-teacher Seventh-day Adventist school attached to the church. The school was largely a work of faith with only 12 students and the monetary support of a Vellore English Church member, Dr. Glory Wilson. With much prayer and hard work, the school grew and has become one of the finest institutions in the city. The dedication of the Adventist church in Vellore, particularly the commitment of successive school administrations and Adventist medical personnel, made it possible for the school to become a full-fledged higher secondary school.

Facilities expanded as enrollment grew. What began as a one-room, one-teacher endeavor has developed into an institution with 152 faculty and staff and 47 auxiliary workers. The current facilities include classrooms, laboratories, 4 multi-purpose halls with one being fully air-conditioned, computer lab, and a multi-facilitated library. Most of these facilities are in a three-story structure on six and a half acres of land in a serene and picturesque location.

While the school prospered and became one of the largest higher secondary schools in south India, union and division educational leadership in India observed that there was a desperate need for Adventist teachers holding a Bachelor of Education degree (BEd), in addition to a content area degree. While most of the teachers had content area degrees, very few had the professional degree because that was not offered at any of the church institutions. This situation forced most of our teachers to find professional training in non-Adventist institutions, a difficult and expensive proposition, or be absorbed without professional permanence.

Recognizing this need for trained teachers, under the direction of the union and the Southern Asia Division, the Vellore school sought guidance from denominational and governmental agencies to begin a college of education on its expansive campus and with its financial and strategic advantages. In the year 2007 applications were filed to the Tamil Nadu State College of Education for approval to begin the program, and governmental/university approvals were obtained in 2008. In the same year, the International Board of Education (IBE) visited the campus, surveyed the proposed program, and gave its approval to launch the program. Subsequently, the AAA gave its accreditation to the Seventh-day Adventist College of Education, Vellore program.
Educational Program: The College of Education at present has 7 classrooms and a seminar hall with enough space to seat 200 individuals at a time. It has an equipped psychology lab, science labs, computer labs, 2 LCD projectors and other audio-visual aids. The college plans to expand in an area of around 13 acres in Vasanthanadai, near Anaicut, Vellore. At this location the College of Education will extend its foray into Arts and Science courses. It aims to propagate Christian education at its best to the minorities in and around Vellore, standing true to its mission.

Student Body Size: 131
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

1. Bachelor of Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:162]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 2008.

Program Accreditation: The Bachelor of Education degree is offered in affiliation with Tamil Nadu Teacher’s University (TNTE), Chennai, and accredited by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), New Delhi.
Venezuela Adventist University Institute  
(Instituto Universitario Adventista de Venezuela)

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Location: The entrance to the Venezuela Adventist University Institute (IUNAV) is found at the 103-kilometer marker of the Valencia-Chivacoa road and is located on the Nirgua-Salom road. The University can be reached from the cities of Valencia and Barquisimeto. In both cases, the traveler can readily get a bus from the terminal in any of these cities that will take them to the bus terminal in Nirgua. Once there, there are taxis and also passenger cars going to Salom. The passenger should request to be dropped at the entrance of the University.

History: With an enrollment of 62 students and 6 teachers on October 1, 1962, the Adventist Secondary School of Venezuela (COLSEVEN), Limon, Aragua state, is started. Under the direction of the lawyer Antonio Ceballos, begins what would later be known as the Vocational Institute of Venezuela (INSTIVOC).

In 1964, with the pastor Carlos Schmidt, the construction of the INSTIVOC facilities began, in the hamlet of Municipio Nirgua lagoons, with a registration number of 166 students. Since then and to date, INSTIVOC has been providing a comprehensive education to young people from different parts of the country.

With the financial support of the “Maranatha Volunteer” group in 1998, the new INSTIVOC headquarters was built, and the facilities that make up the institution with IUNAV are integrated into a single campus, thus offering a better service to the community with the Education unit that goes from Preschool, Primary and Diversified Education giving continuity of studies to a higher level.

The approval of our University home by government entities became a historic event for the Adventist Church of Venezuela on July 23, 1999, when President Hugo Chavez Frias signed Decree 227, published in the Extraordinary Official Gazette No. 36,750, where the creation and operation of the first University Institution of the Adventist Church of Venezuela was authorized.

View: “Train committed professionals at the service of God and society in integrity, love and excellence, making optimum use of available resources.”
Values: “Love, Service, Integrity and Excellence”
Mission: “To be recognized as an institution of high educational level, integrating Biblical beliefs with the harmonious development of all the faculties of the student committed to the redemption of the human being as the noblest ideal.”

Educational Program: The University offers a bachelor’s degree in Theology and various programs at the Associate level.
Student Body Size: 375
Language of Instruction: Spanish
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

**Venezuelan Theological Adventist Seminary**
10. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:061]
11. Bachelor of Arts in Theology Offered by Griggs University, Berrien Springs, MI: Regular Status [AAA16:34]

**School of Business Administration and Human Resources**
12. Associate of Arts in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:35]
13. Associate of Arts in Personnel Administration: Regular Status [AAA16:35]

**School of Computer Science**
14. Associate of Arts in Information Science: Regular Status [AAA16:35]

**School of Education**
15. Associate of Arts in Preschool Education: Regular Status [AAA16:35]

Walla Walla University

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Location:  Walla Walla University is located on a 55-acre main campus in the city of College Place, in the Walla Walla Valley of southeastern Washington.

History:  Walla Walla University began in 1892 with one building, five teachers and 101 students of all grades, and the old Administration Building contained classrooms, offices, dormitories and cafeteria. By 1909, the institution was granting a full four-year degree. The next decade saw the founding of the Associated Students of Walla Walla College, and the Alumni Association. Also, the number of academic programs expanded.

After the conclusion of World War II, Walla Walla College began a twenty-year period of expansion both academically and physically. For example, programs such as engineering started and the biology department developed the Rosario Beach Marine Station. A large scale building program culminated in the 1960s with the addition of several modern buildings, including the new University Church, Kretschmar Hall, the Fine Arts Center, and the Life Sciences Complex. In the 1970s, Walla Walla College completed the Health Science Complex and added a new campus for the School of Nursing in Portland, Oregon. Formal affiliations existed with Southeast Asia Union College and Hong Kong Adventist College, the latter of which is in teach-out mode. Walla Walla University offers two graduate social work programs in Missoula and Billings, Montana.

The name Walla Walla University was adopted in 2007.

Educational Program: Walla Walla University offers a comprehensive curriculum of arts and sciences, professional, and technical programs in the context of a liberal arts education. Walla Walla University is fully accredited with the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges (NASC). The University has been accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association since 1933.

Student Body Size:  1,376
Language of Instruction:  English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees:

School of Business
1.  Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
2.  Bachelor of Science in Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:38]
3.  Bachelor of Science in Information Systems: Regular Status [AAA09:38]
4.  Bachelor of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
5.  Master of Business Administration: Regular Status [AAA00:47]

School of Education and Psychology
6.  Bachelor of Arts in Art: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
7.  Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
8.  Bachelor of Arts in French: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
9.  Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
12. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
14. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
15. Bachelor of Science in Forensic Psychology: Regular Status [AAA09:38]
16. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
17. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
18. Bachelor of Science in Physics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
19. Bachelor of Science in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA09:38]

School of Engineering
20. Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
21. Bachelor of Science in Automotive Management: Regular Status [AAA09:38]
22. Bachelor of Science in Aviation Management: Regular Status [AAA09:38]
23. Bachelor of Science in Bioengineering Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
24. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]

School of Nursing
26. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
27. Bachelor of Science in Biophysics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
28. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
29. Bachelor of Science in Health Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
30. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
31. Master of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]

School of Sociology and Social Work
32. Bachelor of Arts in Humanities: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
33. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]
34. Bachelor of Social Work: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:93]

School of Theology
35. Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Languages: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:94]
36. Bachelor of Arts in Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:94]
37. Bachelor of Arts in Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:94]

Affiliation Provided: Hong Kong Adventist College (China)

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association, and The Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges. Accredited since 1933.


Approved by: Office of Degree Authorization for Oregon (Nursing), The Attorney General of the United States for nonimmigrant students, The Washington State Higher Education Coordinating Board’s State Approving Agency (HECB/SAA) for enrollment of persons eligible to receive educational benefits under Title 38 and Title 10 USC, Washington State for training in Vocational Rehabilitation
Washington Adventist University

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Location: Washington Adventist University occupies 19 acres in Takoma Park, Maryland, near the nation’s capital. Its world-class metropolitan setting affords unrivaled opportunity for learning, work, recreation, service and worship.

History: Washington Adventist University was established in 1904 by the Seventh-day Adventist Church, and was the first institution of higher education to be accredited by the church. Institutional oversight is maintained through a Board of Trustees that represents its constituency. Over time, both its mission and name have evolved. In 1942, the institution received accreditation through the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools as a four-year, degree-granting institution named Washington Missionary College. From 1961 until 2009, the institution was known as Columbia Union College. After restructuring and adding graduate programs, the name was changed to Washington Adventist University (WAU) to reflect university status.

WAU’s current mission is to be “…a learning community committed to the Seventh-day Adventist Christian vision of excellence and service. This cosmopolitan institution challenges students to seize the opportunity for learning in the nation’s capital in order to become moral leaders in communities throughout the world.”

WAU is Carnegie-classified as a Masters-level institution and offers both liberal arts and professional graduate and undergraduate program. These degrees are provided by two schools: the School of Arts and Social Sciences (SASS) and the School of Health Professionals, Science and Wellness (SHPSW). WAU’s third school, the School of Graduate and Professional Studies (SGPS), has its roots in a part-time program for working professionals and offers masters-level and undergraduate programs.

Educational program: The School of Arts and Social Sciences offers a curriculum focused on fostering the development of the skills essential to be successful in the global service economy of the 21st Century: writing, critical thinking, debate, analysis, and an understanding and appreciation for cultural diversity. The School of Health Professions, Science and Wellness employs a philosophy that balances practical training and theory in approaching education for future health sciences professionals. We bridge the gap between concept and practice.

School of Graduate and Professional Studies – For more than 30 years, WAU has been a leader in providing career building undergraduate degree programs for working professionals. WAU has continued to expand those offerings by adding graduate programs. This provides undergraduate students the opportunity to transition into graduate programs and continue to enhance their skills and competitive marketability.

Student Body Size: 588
Language of Instruction: English
Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees
School of Arts and Sciences
Faculty of Business
54. Master of Arts in Public Administration: Regular Status [AAA09:27]
55. Master of Business Administration: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
Faculty of Communication and Journalism
56. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism: Regular Status [AAA03:07]
Faculty of Education
57. Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies – Elementary Education/Special Education Dual Certification Program: Regular Status [AAA06:40]
58. Master of Education – School Counseling: Regular Status [AAA17:85]
Faculty of English
59. Bachelor of Arts in English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
60. Bachelor of Arts in English Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
Faculty of History and Political Studies
61. Bachelor of Arts in History: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
62. Bachelor of Arts in Political Studies: Regular Status [AAA03:07]
Faculty of Music
63. Bachelor of Arts in Music: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
64. Bachelor of Music – Music Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
65. Bachelor of Music – Music Performance Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
Faculty of Psychology
66. Bachelor of Science in Psychology – Counseling: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
67. Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology: Regular Status [AAA09:27]
68. Master of Arts in Professional Counseling: Regular Status [AAA09:27]
69. Master of Arts in Psychology: Regular Status [AAA09:27]
Faculty of Religion
70. Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy and Religion: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:96]
71. Bachelor of Arts in Religion – Metropolitan Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:96]
72. Bachelor of Arts in Theology – Metropolitan Ministry, Pastoral Ministry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:96]
73. Bachelor of Arts in Religion – Pre-Law: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:96]

School of Health Professions, Science and Wellness
Faculty of Biology and Chemistry
74. Bachelor of Arts in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
75. Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
76. Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
77. Bachelor of Science in Biology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
78. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
Faculty of Computer Science
79. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
Faculty of Health, Wellness, and Physical Education
81. Bachelor of Science in Physical Education; Regular Status [AAA99:08]
Faculty of Mathematics
82. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
83. Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics Education: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
84. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
85. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics Education Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]

Faculty of Medical Imaging
86. Bachelor of Science in Medical Imaging: Regular Status [AAA17:84]

Faculty of Nursing
87. Bachelor of Science in Nursing: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
88. Master of Science in Nursing and Business Leadership – Unified Degree Program: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:95]
89. Master of Science in Nursing – Registered Nurse: Regular Status [AAA17:84]

Faculty of Respiratory Care
90. Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care: Regular Status [AAA17:84]

Accredited by Adventist Accrediting Association
Accredited since 1933.

Accreditations and Approvals:
1. Maryland Higher Education Commission, 839 Bestgate Road, Suite 400, Annapolis, MD 21401-3013, 410-260-4500
2. The Middle States Commission on Higher Education, 3264 Market St, Philadelphia, PA 19104, 267-284-5000. The Middle States Commission on Higher Education is an institutional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education and the Commission on Recognition of Post-Secondary Accreditation.
3. The Accrediting Association of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges, and Universities, 12501 Old Columbia Pike, Silver Spring, MD 20904, 301-680-6000.
4. The Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing, 3343 Peachtree Rd, NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, GA, 30326, 904-975-5000
5. The programs in education for teacher certification are approved by the Maryland State Department of Education, 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21202, 410-767-0100; and the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists Education Ministry, 12501 Old Columbia Pike, Silver Spring, MD 20904, 301-680-6000.
6. The Respiratory Care Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC), 1248 Harwood Road, Bedford, TX 76021, 817-283-2835.
7. The Music programs (the Bachelor of Arts in Music, the Bachelor of Music in Music Education, and the Bachelor of Music in Performance) are accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music.

Authorizations: Washington Adventist University is authorized under Federal law to: (1) Train veterans, and (2) Enroll non-immigrant alien students.

Member of: American Association for Higher Education, American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, American Association of Collegiate Schools of Business Assembly, Alpha Chi Honor Society, Lambda Beta Respiratory Care Honor Society, Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society, Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society, Phi Eta Sigma Freshman Honor Society, Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society, Sigma Tau Delta English Honor Society, Algernon Sydney Sullivan Network, National Association of Student Personnel
Administration (NASPA), National Association Schools of Music, and Southern Association for College Student Affairs (SACSA)

Affiliated with Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, Inc.

Community Partnerships include: National Academy of Future Physicians and Medical Scientist Partnership; Blue Mountain Academy, Hamburg, Pennsylvania; Paradise Adventist Academy, Paradise, California; Prince Georges Hospital, Lanham, Maryland; Dimensions Health System, Maryland; Montgomery County Public Schools, Maryland; Adventist Health Care Rockville, Maryland; City of Takoma Park, Maryland; General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, Silver Spring, Maryland; Prince Georges Public Schools, Maryland; Washington Adventist Hospital, Takoma Park, Maryland; Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan; Atlanta Adventist Academy, Duluth, Georgia; Highland View Academy, Hagerstown, Maryland; Mount Vernon Academy, Mount Vernon, Ohio; Shenandoah Valley Academy, New Market, Virginia; Takoma Academy, Takoma Park, Maryland; Walla Walla University, College Place, Washington; Yeshiva of Greater Washington, Silver Spring, Maryland; Prince Georges Hospital Center, Cheverly, Maryland

International Affiliations and Extension campuses/programs include: Wiillowdene Group of Schools of Jamaica; Bible Translation Institute, Zaoksky Adventist University, Tula Oblast, Russia; Doctor’s Community Hospital, Lanham-Seabrook, Maryland; Laurel Regional Hospital, Laurel, Maryland; Southern Maryland Higher Education Center, California, Maryland; Howard County Public Schools, Howard County, Maryland; Spicer College, Aundh Pune, India; and Newbold College, Bracknell, United Kingdom
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(Zaokskiy Adventistskiy Universitet)

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Location: Zaoksky Adventist University (ZAU) is in Zaoksky, Tula region, Russia (100 km south of Moscow) on 34 acres of rich farming land which makes it possible to have gardening and farming operations.

History: Zaoksky Adventist University (ZAU) is an institution of higher education owned and operated by the Seventh-day Adventist church in the village of Zaoksky in Tula region, Russia. It is the first Protestant institution of higher education in the territory of the former Soviet Union. The University was established based on Zaoksky Theological Seminary, which was opened in 1988. Together with the Seminary the Church later established the Zaoksky Christian elementary and secondary school, which over time has received extensive development and has grown to a full and independent structural part of the educational institution and by now has all levels of education up to high school.

To expand the list of educational programs offered according to the Federal state educational standards (FSES) in 2003 based on the Seminary, the Church also established Zaoksky Christian Institute of Humanities and Economics (ZCIOHE). In the beginning, the Institute offered higher education in Business, but later programs of study in Linguistics, Theology, and Education have been licensed and accredited. In addition, ZAU has the Ellen G. White Research Center, Bible Translation Institute, which has implemented the Bible translation in Modern Russian Language, and Department of Agriculture with all its production units. ZAU is a complex organizational structure both in terms of educational services as well as of infrastructure and property.

After the new Federal Law on Education was voted in 2013, which allowed religious educational institutions to offer non-religious programs of study according to the FSES, the work began to transfer all the programs from ZCIOHE to Zaoksky University (formerly Zaoksky Theological Seminary). As the first step of the process, in 2014 and 2015 ZAU obtained government (re)accreditation of its programs run under the umbrella of Zaoksky Christian Institute of Humanities and Economics. In 2017 the same programs except for the BA in Business were licensed in Zaoksky University. In 2019 these programs received government accreditation for a maximum of six years until 2025.

ZAU continues playing a vital role in carrying out the mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the vast territory of the Euro-Asia Division. Adventist education offered at ZAU is a bridge connecting the world church and workers/ministers scattered in the vast territory of ESD, thus making possible free flow of ideas, channeling human resources, creating common vision and spiritual ideals. ZAU is vigorous in generating knowledge, spiritual values, and vision for currently employed and future pastors, administrators, and professionals. As part of its mission, ZAU takes extraordinary efforts to support Zaoksky Christian Elementary and High School, thus making significant impact on children and youth, hoping to welcome them soon as ZAU students.
Educational Program: The programs offered at ZAU are bachelor programs in Theology, Linguistics, Management and Economics, Music, and Music Pedagogy; MA programs in Religion in collaboration with Andrews University (AU), Practical Theology with emphases in Missiology, Music Ministry and Music Pedagogy, and several Certificate programs. Doctoral level programs are currently offered exclusively as an extension program of Andrews University. All bachelor level programs have both state and denominational accreditation. Graduate and postgraduate education programs have only denominational accreditation.

Student Body Size: 311 Language of Instruction: Russian and English

Certificates/Diplomas/Degrees
Zaoksky University of the Seventh-day Adventist Church
Faculty of Theology
1. Bachelor of Arts in Religion – Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:026]
2. Bachelor of Arts in Religion – English: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:026]
4. Bachelor of Theology: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA21:28]
7. Master of Arts in Practical Theology: Regular Status [AAA09:21]

Zaoksky Christian Institute of Economics and Humanities
Faculty of Accounting and Economics
13. Associate Degree in Accounting: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:027]
14. Associate of Science in Office Management: Regular Status [AAA04:109]
15. Associate of Science in Jurisprudence: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:027]
16. Bachelor of Business Administration – Accounting: Regular Status [AAA04:109]
17. Bachelor of Science in Business Informatics: Offered Historically Regular Status [AAA22:027]

Faculty of Education
18. Bachelor of Arts in Education – English as a Foreign Language: Candidacy Status [AAA19:159]

Khabarovsk Extension Site:
1. Master of Arts in Practical Theology – Missiology: Regular Status [AAA17:33]

Tokmok Extension Site
1. Bachelor of Theology: Regular Status [AAA19:15]

Affiliation with Andrews University, Michigan, USA