

**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI
PROGRAMS ACCREDITED BY DISCIPLINARY AGENCIES**

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The Commission on Colleges reaffirmed the accreditation of the University of Southern Mississippi on December 11, 2006.

Department/School	Program	Degree	Accrediting Organization	Accreditation Status	Year of Last Visit	Next Self-Study
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS						
Department of Art and Design	Art and Design, all	B,M	National Association of Schools of Art and Design	Full	2001	2011
Department of Art and Design	Interior Design	B	Foundation for Interior Design Education Research	Full	2004	2007
Department of Political Science, International Development, and International Affairs	Paralegal Studies	B	American Bar Association	Full	2001	pending
School of Mass Communication and Journalism	Communication Program	B,M,P	Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication	Full	2005	2008
School of Mass Communication and Journalism	Advertising Program	B	Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication	Full	2005	2008
School of Mass Communication and Journalism	Journalism Program	B	Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication	Full	2005	2008
School of Mass Communication and Journalism	Public Relations Program	M	Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication	Full	2005	2008
School of Mass Communication and Journalism	Radio, Television, and Film	B	Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication	Full	2005	2008
School of Music	Music	B, M, D	National Association of Schools of Music	Full	2004	2014
School of Music	Music Education	B,M,P,D	National Association of Schools of Music/NCATE	Full	2004	2014
School of Theatre and Dance	Dance	B	National Association of Schools of Dance	Full	2002	2012
School of Theatre and Dance	Theatre	B,M	National Association of Schools of Theatre	Full	2000	2009
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS						
College of Business	All	B,M	Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business -- International	Full	1996	2007
College of Business Administration	All	B,M	Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business -- International	Full	1996	2007
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY						
College of Education and Psychology	All professional educational programs	B, M, SP, D	NCATE	Full	2006	2010
Department of Child and Family Studies	Center for Child Development		National Association for the Education of Young Children	Full	2003	2007

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Department of Child and Family Studies	Marriage and Family Therapy	M	American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy	Full	2004	2010
Department of Child and Family Studies	Undergraduate and Graduate	B, M	American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences	Full	2004	2012
Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Education	Elementary Education K-8	B	Association for Childhood Education International	Full	1997-98	pending
Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Education	Special Education K-12	B	Council for Exceptional Children	Full	1997-98	2008
Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Education	Curriculum and Instruction Elementary Education	M,S,P,E	Association for Childhood Education International	Full	1997-98	2007
Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Education	Special Education	M,S,P,E	Council for Exceptional Children	Full	1997-98	2008
Department of Educational Leadership and Research	Educational Leadership	M, SP, D	Educational Leadership Consortium	Full	2005-06	2010
Department of Psychology	Clinical	D	American Psychological Association	Full	2001	2008
Department of Psychology	Counseling	D	American Psychological Association	Full	2006	2013
Department of Psychology	School	D	American Psychological Association	Full	2003	2010
Department of Psychology	Counseling	M	Council for Accreditation of Counseling & Related Educational Programs	Full	1999	2007
School of Library and Information Science	Library and Information Science	MLS	American Library Association (we are in a continuous accreditation system)	Full	2005	2012
School of Library and Information Science	Library and Information Science	MLS	NCATE	Full	2006	2010
COLLEGE OF HEALTH						
Department of Community Health Sciences	Public Health	MPH	Council on Education for Public Health	Full	2002	pending
Department of Medical Technology	Medical Technology	B	National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences	Full	2004	2010/2011
Department of Nutrition and Food Systems	Nutrition & Dietetics	B	Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Education/American Dietetic Association	Full	2001	2011
Department of Nutrition and Food Systems	Dietetic Internship	M	Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Education/American Dietetic Association	Full	2001	2011
Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences	Education of the Deaf Program	B	Council on Education of the Deaf	Full	2001	2005
Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences	Speech and Hearing Sciences	M	Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	Full	0	2007
Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences	Audiology	D	Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language-Hearing Association	2-year	2005	2007
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Human Performance: PE-Teaching	B	National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education	Full	2004	2008
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Human Performance	M,P,E	Advanced National Association for Sport & PE/NCATE	Full	2001	2007

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School of Human Performance & Recreation	Coaching Education	B,M	National Council for Accreditation of Coaching Education	Initial Review	n/a	pending
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Sports Management	B,M,P	National Association of Sport and Physical Education/North America Society of Sport Management	Initial Review	n/a	pending
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Recreation: Leisure Services Mgt & Therapeutic Rec.	B	Council on Accreditation of National Recreation & Park Assoc/American Alliance for Health, PE, Rec., & Dance	Full	2001	pending
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Human Performance: Kinesiotherapy	B	Council on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs	Full	2000	pending
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Athletic Training	B	Council on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs	Full	2000	2007
School of Human Performance & Recreation	Exercise Science	B,M	Initial Review	Initial Review	n/a	2009
School of Nursing	Nursing	B, M	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education	Full	2003	2013
School of Social Work	Social Work	B, M	Council on Social Work Education	Full	1998	2007
COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY						
Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry	Chemistry	B,M,P	American Chemical Society	Certified	2000	2010
School of Computing	Computer Science	B,M	Computing Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2004	2008
School of Construction	Architectural Engineering Technology	B	Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2005-2006	2009
School of Construction	Construction Engineering Technology	B	Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2004	2009
School of Construction	Construction Engineering Technology	B	American Council for Construction Education	Full	2004	2009
School of Construction	Industrial Engineering Technology	B	Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2004	2009
School of Computing	Computer Engineering Technology	B	Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2003	2009
School of Computing	Electronics Engineering Technology	B	Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology	Full	2003	2009