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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION TO PROVIDE POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

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1. Name of Applicant (*the institutional name under which postsecondary educational programs are provided*):

Michigan State University

2. Applicant's Main Address (*Additional sites listed on Attachment A*):

426 Auditorium Road, Room 430

(Street Address)

East Lansing

MI

48824

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

www.msu.edu

(Website)

3. Contact Person:

Sandra Snyder-Townsend

(Name)

State Authorization Coord.

(Title)

517-353-4550

(Telephone Number)

517-353-9601

(Fax Number)

townse45@msu.edu

(Email Address)

4. Does the Applicant operate at other sites than the address stated above? YES NO

If "YES", please be advised that Attachment A to this Application must be completed, which shall comprise part of this Application, and any subsequent changes to the information provided in Attachment A must be submitted with a revised Application to the Secretary of State Office, within thirty (30) days of such change.

5. Does the Applicant have a parent organization (non-profit, corporate, or otherwise)? YES NO

If "YES", please indicate the following:

(Parent Organization Name)

(Street Address)

(City) (State) (ZIP Code)

6. Is the Applicant an instrumentality of the State under the jurisdiction of the South Dakota Board of Regents?

YES NO

If "NO", please indicate whether the Applicant is either (check one of the following):

An instrumentality of another state (please list the state agency which has jurisdiction over Applicant)

State Michigan Agency State of Michigan (constitution)

Address 426 Auditorium Road, Room 450

City East Lansing State MI Zip Code 48824

Contact Phone Number MSU Board of Trustees: 517-353-4647

Contact Website trustees.msu.edu

Legally established to operate in South Dakota as a private business entity

South Dakota Corporate ID _____

South Dakota Corporate Name _____

Legally established to operate in South Dakota as a not-for-profit corporation.

South Dakota Corporate ID _____

South Dakota Corporate Name _____

7. Is the Applicant accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education?

YES

Accrediting Agency: HLC of North Central Association of Colleges & Schools

230 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500

(Street Address)

Chicago IL 60604

(City) (State) (ZIP Code)

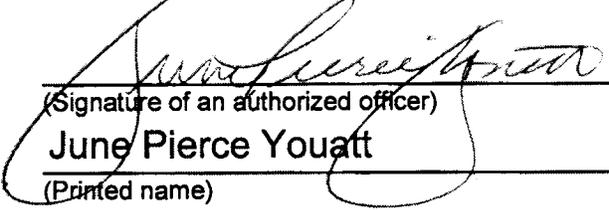
Effective date of most recent grant of accreditation: July 12, 2006
Term or expiration date of most recent accreditation: 9 years

NO Application submission must include documentation of an affiliation agreement whose terms make another postsecondary institution, which is accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education, responsible for awarding academic credit and educational credentials to its students and maintaining transcripts for such students:

The undersigned acknowledges that Applicant is required to notify the Secretary of State Office within thirty (30) days of a change in information set forth in this Application, including any changes in information set forth in any Attachments or other accompanying information. The undersigned has executed the foregoing document and, under penalties of perjury, certifies that the information provided herein, and in support thereof, is true and correct.

The application must be signed by an authorized officer of the postsecondary educational institution:

Dated August 5, 2013



(Signature of an authorized officer)
June Pierce Youatt

(Printed name)
Acting Provost

(Title)

Submit Application to:
South Dakota Secretary of State
Corporations Division
500 East Capitol, Suite 204
Pierre, SD 57501

Or email us at:
SOS.EDU@state.sd.us

Exemptions

- If the institution falls under one or more of the following categories, the institution is exempt from registering.
- Established by the government of the United States;
 - Established by the government of an Indian tribe whose tribal lands are located, in whole or in part, in South Dakota;
 - Established, owned, controlled, operated, and maintained by a religious organization lawfully operating as a nonprofit religious corporation and awarding only religious degrees or certificates for the purpose of conferring clerical status or authority within that religion; or
 - Subject to the jurisdiction and regulations to the South Dakota Cosmetology Commission.

MSU Board of Trustees

Governing Board

The Board of Trustees of Michigan State University ("Board") is a constitutional body corporate, created by and existing under article VII, Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan. The State Constitution provides that the Board has "general supervision" of the University. Information may be found at Michigan Legislature Article VIII, Section 5.

STATE CONSTITUTION (EXCERPT) CONSTITUTION OF MICHIGAN OF 1963

§ 5 University of Michigan, Michigan State University, Wayne State University; controlling boards.

Sec. 5.

The regents of the University of Michigan and their successors in office shall constitute a body corporate known as the Regents of the University of Michigan; the trustees of Michigan State University and their successors in office shall constitute a body corporate known as the Board of Trustees of Michigan State University; the governors of Wayne State University and their successors in office shall constitute a body corporate known as the Board of Governors of Wayne State University. Each board shall have general supervision of its institution and the control and direction of all expenditures from the institution's funds. Each board shall, as often as necessary, elect a president of the institution under its supervision. He shall be the principal executive officer of the institution, be ex-officio a member of the board without the right to vote and preside at meetings of the board. The board of each institution shall consist of eight members who shall hold office for terms of eight years and who shall be elected as provided by law. The governor shall fill board vacancies by appointment. Each appointee shall hold office until a successor has been nominated and elected as provided by law.

History: Const. 1963, Art. VIII, § 5, Eff. Jan. 1, 1964

Former Constitution: See Const. 1908, Art. XI, §§ 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 16.

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The directory of institutions provides information on institutions accredited by the Commission, those holding candidate for accreditation status, and those that previously held status, but have since closed, merged, or had their status withdrawn. It includes the Statement of Affiliation Status and Organizational Profile for each currently accredited and candidate institution, any Public Disclosure Notices that have been issued, and the most recent action letters from reaffirmations of accreditation occurring after June 2013.

Information provided on the Statement of Affiliation Status reflects the most recent actions of the Commission. The Commission has a multi-level decision process. Any institutional changes that are currently under review are not made public until final action has been taken.

During the transition to the new Pathways model for reaffirmation of accreditation, some scheduled events are not displayed on this version of the Statement of Affiliation Status. Institutions can refer to the transition maps in the Open and Standard Pathways booklets for the timing of reviews. Institutions that have questions about other scheduled events should contact their HLC staff liaison.

Michigan State University

Hannah Administration Building
426 Auditorium Rd
East Lansing, MI 48824
(Main Phone)

<http://www.msu.edu>

Statement of Affiliation Status [Click here for definitions...](#)

Chief Executive Officer: Dr. Lou Anna K. Simon, President

Name change notes: Michigan Agricultural College to Michigan State Agricultural College (1927) to Michigan State College (1950) to Michigan State University of Agriculture and Applied Sciences (1955) to Michigan State University (1958)

HLC Institution ID: 1346
Current Accreditation Status: Accredited
Accreditation Date(s): (1915-22; 1923- .)

Summary of Commission Review

Last Reaffirmation of Accreditation: 2005 - 2006

Next Reaffirmation of Accreditation: 2015 - 2016

Last Date of Information Change: 07/12/2006

Control: Public
Degrees Awarded (details below): Bachelor's, Master's, Doctoral

Stipulations on Affiliation Status:

None.

Approval of New Degree Locations:

The Commission is applying changes to stipulations for notification of location approval to align with the Institutional Change Policy. Some institutions are currently under review to ensure conformity with the policies. This entry will be updated in the coming months following completion of that review.

Approval of Distance and Correspondence Courses and Programs:

The institution has been approved under Commission policy to offer up to 5% of its total degree programs through distance education. The processes for expanding distance education are defined in other Commission documents.

Organizational Profile [Click here for definitions...](#)

Enrollment Headcount (last updated: 05/07/2013)

	Full-Time	Part-Time
Undergraduate:	34296	3158
Graduate:	8380	3072
Dual enrollment (high school) programs:	55	

Degree Programs (last updated: 05/07/2013)

	Programs Offered	Degrees Awarded in Last Reported Year
Associate Degrees	0	0
Bachelors Degrees	157	8287
Masters Degrees	137	2045
Specialist Degrees	0	0
Doctoral Degrees	118	962

Certificate Programs (last updated: 05/07/2013)

	Programs Offered	Certificates Awarded in Last Reported Year
Certificates	15	110

Off-Campus Activities (last updated: 05/07/2013)

In-State: Campuses: None

Additional Locations: Clinton Township (MSU College of Osteopathic Medicine at Macomb University Center) ; Detroit (Michigan State University Detroit Center) ; Detroit (MSU College of Osteopathic Medicine at Detroit Medical Center) ; Grand Rapids (MSU Central) ; Grand Rapids (MSU College of Human Medicine at Secchia Center) ; Hickory Corners (MSU Southwest) ; Marquette (MSU Upper Peninsula) ; Novi (MSU Southeast) ; Traverse City (MSU North)

Out-of-State: Campuses: None

Additional Locations: None

Out-of-U.S.: Campuses: None

Additional Locations: Beijing, China (China Turfgrass Management) ; Dubai, United Arab Emirates (MSU Dubai) ; Plymouth, United Kingdom (University of Plymouth)

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