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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*):

University of Advancing Technology

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

2625 W. Baseline Road

(Street Address)

Tempe

(City)

AZ

(State)

85283

(ZIP Code)

www.uat.edu

(Website)

3. Contact Person: Jason Pistillo President

(Name)

(Title)

602-383-8228

602-383-8222

(Telephone Number)

(Fax Number)

jpistillo@uat.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 Arizona Agency Arizona State Board for Private Postsecondary Education

Address 1400 W. Washington Street, Room 260

City Phoenix State AZ Zip Code 85007

Contact Phone Number 602-542-5709

Contact Website azppse.state.az.us

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: Higher Learning Commission, North Central Association

230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500

(Street Address)

Chicago IL 60604

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

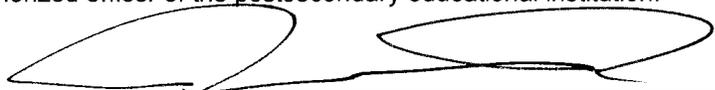
Effective date of most recent grant of accreditation: 2008-2009
Term or expiration date of most recent accreditation: 2014-2015

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 8/8/2013



(Signature of an authorized officer)

Jason Pistillo

(Printed name)

President

(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.

ATTACHMENT A

ADDITIONAL SITES AT WHICH APPLICANT OPERATES EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

(Must be accompanied by an Application for Certificate of Authorization to Provide Postsecondary Education)

1. **Not Applicable**

(Name)

(Street Address)

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

2.

(Name)

(Street Address)

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

3.

(Name)

(Street Address)

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

4.

(Name)

(Street Address)

(City)

(State)

(ZIP Code)

(Make additional copies of this Attachment as may be necessary and submit with Application)

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Recently or Previously Affiliated Institutions - 08/08/2013

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.****

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Tempe, AZ 85283
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Statement of Affiliation Status [Click here for definitions...](#)

Chief Executive Officer: **Mr. Jason Pistillo, President**
HLC Institution ID: **2863**
Current Accreditation Status: **Accredited**
Candidacy Date(s): **2007**
Accreditation Date(s): **(2009- .)**

Summary of Commission Review

Last Reaffirmation of Accreditation: **2008 - 2009**

Next Reaffirmation of Accreditation: **2014 - 2015**

Last Date of Information Change: **02/06/2012**

Control: **Private FP**
Degrees Awarded (details below): **Associate's, Bachelor's, Master's**

Stipulations on Affiliation Status:

None.

Approval of New Degree Locations:

Prior Commission approval required.

Approval of Distance and Correspondence Courses and Programs:

The institution has been approved under Commission policy to offer up to 100% 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:	908	0
Graduate:	47	3
Dual enrollment (high school) programs:		0

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

	Programs Offered	Degrees Awarded in Last Reported Year
Associate Degrees	20	8
Bachelors Degrees	20	153
Masters Degrees	5	12
Specialist Degrees	0	0
Doctoral Degrees	0	0

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

	Programs Offered	Certificates Awarded in Last Reported Year
Certificates	0	0

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

In-State:	Campuses:	None
	Additional Locations:	None
Out-of-State:	Campuses:	None
	Additional Locations:	None
Out-of-U.S.:	Campuses:	None
	Additional Locations:	None

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