

## DISTANCE EDUCATION ACCREDITING COMMISSION

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DISCLOSURE FOR THE PUBLIC

DEAC accredited institutions offer a broad array of instructional programs and student support services to meet varied educational and professional goals of a highly diverse student population. Institutions determine appropriate performance criteria to measure the success of their students in achieving their goals in the context of the institution's specific mission and scope. You will find below (1) a summary of how this institution measures student achievement in the context of the institution's mission and educational programs, and (2) student achievement metrics which the institution believes best reflect student and program performance. For more information about DEAC standards and requirements, please visit www.deac.org.

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## **Summary of Institution Mission and Student Achievement**

The mission of Laurus College is to serve as a quality institution of higher education dedicated to creating a quality experience for all of its students by combining career focused programs and the necessary fundamentals of interactive and online learning to supply the tools needed to succeed in the 21st century. The Laurus College experience enables our students to start their careers and to lay the foundation for further education that will augment their careers.

Laurus College is a private, postsecondary career school that provides both Associate and Bachelor's degrees in the fields of Audio & Video Production, Business Systems, Digital Arts & Computer Animation, IT & Network Systems, and Web Design & Development. The College also offers an Occupational Associate degree in the field of Medical Billing and Coding.

Laurus College evaluates student achievement by monitoring a variety of performance measures including graduation rates, retention rates, job employment rates, employer satisfaction, and student satisfaction.

## **Aggregated Institutional Data on Student Achievement**

INSTITUTIONAL GRADUATION RATE - 35%

INSTITUTIONAL PLACEMENT RATE - 47%

METHODOLOGY

- 1. Institutional graduation rate is based on the cohort of Occupational Associate (OA) degree students who completed their programs in the reported calendar year (2022) within 150% of the published program length, including on-time graduates. Both the Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science programs are new and were therefore not included in the institutional graduation rate. The Bachelor of Science degree programs began on 7/1/2018 and the Associate of Science degree programs began on 2/8/2021.
- 2. Institutional placement rate is based on the cohort of Occupational Associate Degree students who completed their programs in the reported calendar year (2022) within 150% of the published program length, including on-time graduates, and are 1) gainfully employed 2) whose employment has been reported 3) and for whom the institution has documented verification of employment. Both the Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science programs are new and were therefore not included in the institutional graduation rate. The Bachelor of Science degree programs began on 7/1/2018 and the Associate of Science degree programs began on 2/8/2021.

For all student achievement data reported by the College, please visit:

https://lauruscollege.edu/about-us/student-consumer-information/