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Statement of Accreditation Status
Chapman University

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Current Accreditation Status: Accredited
Most Recent Commission Action: June 30, 2023
First Accredited: 1956

Undergraduate FTE: 7,325
Graduate FTE: 1,819
Financial Structure Type: Non-Profit
Sponsorship: No Related Entity
Academic Calendar: Semester
Distributes Federal Finanicial Aid: Yes

Commission Actions

*Commission Action Letter, TPR, June 2023 action
*Commission action letter for AV, February 2014 action
*Team Report, TPR, June 2023 action
*Team report for AV, February 2014 action

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Locations

OPEID	Location Name	City	Location Type	Status
00116400	Chapman University	Orange	Main Campus	active
00116485	Harry and Diane Rinker Health Science Campus	Irvine	Additional	active

Degrees

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Advocacy and Dispute Resolution	Non-degree	2000	On-Site
Applied Statistical Analysis	Non-degree	2017	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Art History	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Community Educational Studies	Bachelors	2009	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Creative and Cultural Industries	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Dance	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Economics	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in English	Bachelors	1978	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Film and Media Studies	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in French	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Global Communication and World Languages	Bachelors	2018	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in History	Bachelors	1978	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies	Bachelors	2024	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Music	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Peace and Justice Studies	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Public Relations, Advertising, & Entertainment Marketing	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology	Bachelors	1970	On-Site

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Bachelor of Arts in Spanish	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Strategic & Corporate Communication	Bachelors	2013	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Theatre	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation and Visual Effects	Bachelors	2006	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art	Bachelors	2010	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Producing	Bachelors	2009	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance Performance	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Documentary, Sports Media, and Journalism	Bachelors	2014	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Film and Television Production	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Screen Acting	Bachelors	2008	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Performance	Bachelors	2002	On-Site
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Writing for Film and Television	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Bachelor of Music (Pre-Certification Music Education)	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Music in Composition	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Music in Performance	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Accounting	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Bachelors	1988	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Business Analytics & Artifici	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Finance	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Marketing	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Real Estate	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Chemistry	Bachelors	1970	On-Site

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering	Bachelors	2020	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Data Science	Bachelors	2016	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering	Bachelors	2021	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science and Policy	Bachelors	2009	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Mathematics	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering	Bachelors	1970	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Physics	Bachelors	2009	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Psychology	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering	Bachelors	2013	On-Site
Business Law	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Criminal Law	Non-degree	2016	On-Site
Doctor of Pharmacy	Professional Doctorate	2015	On-Site
Doctor of Physical Therapy	Professional Doctorate	2000	On-Site
Doctor of Science in Mathematics, Philosophy and Physics	Research Doctorate	2023	On-Site
Ed Specialist (Special Education) - Moderate/Severe 2010 Credential	Non-degree	2010	On-Site
Ed Specialist (Special Education) -Mild/Moderate and Moderate/Severe 2010 Creden	Non-degree	2010	On-Site
Ed Specialist (Special Education)- Mild/Moderate 2010 Credential	Non-degree	2010	On-Site
Educational Specialist in School Psychology	Masters	1970	On-Site
Elementary Teacher Preparation Academic Certificate	Non-degree	2024	On-Site
English and Fine Arts in Creative Writing	Masters	2003	On-Site
Entertainment Law	Non-degree	2007	On-Site
Environmental, Land Use and Real Estate	Non-degree	2000	On-Site
Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	Masters	1970	On-Site
International Law	Non-degree	2007	On-Site

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Juris Doctor	Professional Doctorate	1994	On-Site
Juris Doctor/Master of Fine Arts in Film and Television Producing	Masters	2006	On-Site
Licensed Professional Clinical Counseling emphasis-School Counseling Program	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
Licensed Professional Clinical Counseling emphasis-School Psychology Program	Non-degree	2012	On-Site
MBA/MFA Film and Television Producing	Masters	2007	On-Site
Master of Arts in Counseling (with credential)	Masters	1970	On-Site
Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction	Masters	2021	On-Site
Master of Arts in English	Masters	2002	On-Site
Master of Arts in Film and Media Studies	Masters	1997	On-Site
Master of Arts in International Studies	Masters	2008	On-Site
Master of Arts in Leadership Development	Masters	2004	On-Site
Master of Arts in Marriage and Family Therapy	Masters	2008	On-Site
Master of Arts in Special Education	Masters	1970	On-Site
Master of Arts in Teaching: Elementary Education (Multiple Subject Credential)	Masters	1970	On-Site
Master of Arts in Teaching: Secondary Education (Single Subject Credential)	Masters	1970	On-Site
Master of Arts in War, Diplomacy, and Society	Masters	2015	On-Site
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Masters	1970	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing	Masters	1960	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Film Production	Masters	2004	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Film and Television Producing	Masters	2002	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Production Design	Masters	2006	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Screenwriting	Masters	2002	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts in Sound Design for Film and Media	Masters	2025	On-Site
Master of Fine Arts, The Showrunner Program	Masters	2018	On-Site
Master of Medical Science in Physician Assistant Studies	Masters	2016	On-Site
Master of Music Keyboard Collaborative Arts	Masters	2016	On-Site

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Master of Science in Accounting	Masters	2016	On-Site
Master of Science in Behavioral and Computational Economics	Masters	2009	On-Site
Master of Science in Business Analytics	Masters	2024	On-Site
Master of Science in Communication Sciences and Disorders	Masters	2008	On-Site
Master of Science in Computational and Data Sciences	Masters	2010	On-Site
Master of Science in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (MSEECS)	Masters	2023	On-Site
Master of Science in Finance	Masters	2025	On-Site
Master of Science in Food Science	Masters	2006	On-Site
Master of Science in Food Science/Master of Business Administration	Masters	2009	On-Site
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences	Masters	2014	On-Site
Master of Science in Real Estate	Masters	2020	On-Site
Master of Science in Regulatory Affairs	Masters	2021	On-Site
Master of Science in Strategic Communication	Masters	2009	On-Site
Multiple Subject 2042 (CI) Credential - MACI program	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Ph.D. in Communication Studies	Research Doctorate	2019	On-Site
Ph.D. in Computational and Data Sciences	Research Doctorate	2012	On-Site
Ph.D. in Education	Research Doctorate	2006	On-Site
PhD in Pharmaceutical Sciences	Research Doctorate	2016	On-Site
Prelim Multiple Subject 2042 Credential	Non-degree	2003	On-Site
Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) School Psychology Credential	Non-degree	2000	On-Site
Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) School Counseling Credential	Non-degree	2000	On-Site
Single Subject 2042 (CI) Credential - MACI program	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
Single Subject 2042 Credential	Non-degree	2010	On-Site
Special Education Teacher Preparation Academic Certificate	Non-degree	2024	On-Site
Speech Language Pathology Credential	Non-degree	2009	On-Site
Tax Law	Non-degree	2000	On-Site

Upcoming Reviews

Season	Year Level	Review Type
Fall	2026	Interim Report
Fall	2032	Offsite Review
Spring	2033	Accreditation Visit