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Statement of Accreditation Status
Simpson University

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Current Accreditation Status: Accredited
Most Recent Commission Action: February 14, 2025
First Accredited: 1969

Undergraduate FTE: 812
Graduate FTE: 125
Financial Structure Type: Non-Profit
Sponsorship: Religious Control
Academic Calendar: Semester
Distributes Federal Finanicial Aid: Yes

Commission Actions

*Commission Action Letter, Reaffirmation, February 2025 action
*Commission Action Letter, Special Visit, June 2021 action
*Commission action letter, special visit, February 2019 action
*Commission action letter, accreditation visit, February 2017 action
*Team Report, Reaffirmation, February 2025 action
*Team Report, Special Visit, June 2021 action
*Team report, special visit, February 2019 action
*Team report, accreditation visit, February 2017 action

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Locations

OPEID	Location Name	City	Location Type	Status
00129100	Simpson University	Redding	Main Campus	active
00129104	Woodland	Woodland	Additional	active

Degrees

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Applied Artificial Intelligence Certificate	Non-degree	2025	Distance Education
Associate of Arts (Bible & Theology)	Associate	2024	Distance Education
Associate of Science in Engineering degree	Associate	2021	On-Site
Associate of Science in Health Science	Associate	2025	On-Site
B.A. in Human Services (Social Welfare)	Bachelors	2021	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration	Bachelors	2021	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Engineering	Bachelors	2022	On-Site
Bachelor of Social Work	Bachelors	2025	On-Site
Bible and Theology	Associate	1989	On-Site
Biblical Studies	Bachelors	1947	On-Site
Biology	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Business Administration	Bachelors	1981	On-Site
Certificate in Bible and Theology	Non-degree	2001	On-Site
Certificate in Wilderness Leadership	Non-degree	2013	On-Site
Communication	Bachelors	1971	On-Site
Counseling Psychology	Masters	2010	On-Site
Criminal Justice	Bachelors	2024	Distance Education
Divinity	Masters	2007	Distance Education
Divinity	Masters	2007	On-Site

Degree	Degree Level	Year Implemented	Modality
Education	Masters	1977	On-Site
General Studies	Associate	2019	Distance Education
General Studies	Associate	1995	On-Site
Global Studies	Bachelors	2026	Distance Education
Global Studies	Bachelors	2026	On-Site
Graduate Certificate in Biblical Languages	Non-degree	2016	On-Site
Graduate Certificate in Biblical Studies	Non-degree	2016	On-Site
Graduate Certificate in Christian Ministry	Non-degree	2011	On-Site
History	Bachelors	1966	On-Site
Kinesiology	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	1975	On-Site
Liberal Studies	Bachelors	2026	Distance Education
Master of Arts in Community Counseling (Human Services)	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Arts in Education (online)	Masters	2021	Distance Education
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Mathematics for Teachers	Bachelors	1999	On-Site
Ministry Leadership	Masters	2009	On-Site
Ministry Leadership	Masters	2009	Distance Education
Music - Liberal Arts Emph.	Bachelors	2001	On-Site
Music (Applied)	Bachelors	1947	On-Site
Nursing	Bachelors	2011	On-Site
Nursing (RN to BSN)	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Nursing (RN to BSN)	Bachelors	2026	Distance Education
Organizational Leadership	Bachelors	1999	On-Site
Organizational Leadership	Masters	2013	Distance Education
Organizational Leadership	Bachelors	2011	Distance Education
Outdoor Adventure Recreation	Bachelors	2007	On-Site
Political Science	Bachelors	2016	On-Site

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Preliminary Administrative Service Credential	Non-degree	2019	Distance Education
Preliminary Administrative Services Credient	Non-degree	1993	On-Site
Psychology	Bachelors	2013	Distance Education
Psychology	Bachelors	1971	On-Site
Social Science	Bachelors	1963	On-Site
Teaching Credential	Non-degree	1979	On-Site
Teaching Credential	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education

Upcoming Reviews

Season	Year Level	Review Type
Fall	2027	Special Visit
Spring	2032	Offsite Review
Fall	2032	Accreditation Visit