

# Statement of Accreditation Status

## Virscend University

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**Student Achievement URL:** <https://virscend.edu/student-achievement-data/>

**Current Accreditation Status:** Accredited

**Most Recent Commission Action:** November 20, 2025

**First Accredited:** 2023

**Undergraduate FTE:** 0

**Graduate FTE:** 41

**Financial Structure Type:** For-Profit

**Sponsorship:** No Related Entity

**Academic Calendar:** Varies by Program

**Distributes Federal Financial Aid:** No

## Commission Actions

- \*Commission Action Letter, Special Visit, February 2025 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Defer BSBA online and MBA online, August 2024 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Seeking Accreditation Visit 3, February 2024 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Seeking Accreditation Visit 2, February 2023 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, SAV1, February 2021 action
- \*Team Report, Special Visit, February 2025 action
- \*Team Report, Seeking Accreditation Visit 3, February 2024 action
- \*Team Report, Seeking Accreditation Visit 2, February 2023 action
- \*Team Report, SAV1, February 2021 action

## Personnel

Role	Name	Title	Email
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## Locations

<b>OPEID</b>	<b>Location Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Location Type</b>	<b>Status</b>
	Virscend University	Irvine	Main Campus	active

## Degrees

<b>Degree</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>	<b>Year Implemented</b>	<b>Modality</b>
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration	Bachelors		On-Site
Master of Business Administration	Masters		On-Site
Master of Business Administration (Online)	Masters	2025	Distance Education

## Upcoming Reviews

<b>Season</b>	<b>Year Level</b>	<b>Review Type</b>
Fall	2026	Interim Report
Spring	2027	Interim Report
Spring	2029	Offsite Review
Fall	2029	Accreditation Visit