

## **MISSION STATEMENTS and PROGRAM ACCREDITATION INFORMATION**

### **CULINARY ARTS DEPARTMENT**

Our mission is to provide a professional culinary and pastry arts education with emphasis in classical techniques for Hawai'i and the global community. This mission is achieved through a progressive curriculum, operational experience, multi-industry alliances, and the promotion of lifelong learning.

American Culinary Federation, Inc. (ACF)  
10 San Bartola Drive  
St. Augustine, FL 32086  
Phone: (800) 624-9458

### **HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

#### **Mission Statement**

- To prepare students for immediate employment in entry level and/or supervisory positions in the travel and tourism industry.
- For success in transferring to four-year baccalaureate programs in Travel Industry Management, Hotel/Restaurant Management or Business Administration.
- To be the first choice for education and training for Hawai'i's visitor industry employees and managers.
- To export the department's expertise in hotel/restaurant operations, travel and tourism, and host culture and language applications to developing tourism countries.

Commission on Accreditation of Hospitality Management Programs (CAHM)  
P.O. Box 400  
Oxford, MD 21654  
Phone: (410) 226-5527

### **LEGAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

#### **Mission Statement**

The Legal Education Department's mission is to provide legal education to all students interested in legal studies. The credit programs prepare graduates to perform a significant role in the delivery of legal services. The department values personal fulfillment and professional development that results from lifelong learning, therefore, credit and non-credit classes, workshops, seminars, and television shows are developed and offered that respond to the needs of prospective, current, and graduate students, as well as to practicing legal professionals, the legal community, and other interested individuals.

### **MEDICAL ASSISTING PROGRAM**

Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) on recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation for Medical Assistant Education (also known as the Curriculum Review Board of the American Association Of Medical Assistants' Endowment)  
20 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 1575  
Chicago, Illinois 60606-2903  
Phone: (312) 899-1500 or 1-800-228-2262

**MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIAN PROGRAM**

National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS)  
8410 West Bryn Mawr, Suite 670  
Chicago, Illinois 60631  
Phone: (773) 714-8880

**NURSING PROGRAM**

National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC)  
61 Broadway - 33rd Floor  
New York, N.Y. 10006

**OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT PROGRAM**

Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE)  
of the American Occupational Therapy Association  
4720 Montgomery Lane, P.O. Box 31220  
Bethesda, MD 20824-1220  
Phone: 1 - 800-729-2682

**PARALEGAL PROGRAM - MISSION STATEMENT**

The Paralegal Program's mission is to provide paralegal education to students interested in careers as paralegals or for positions where communication, analytical, and organizational skills as well as knowledge of law and legal procedures are necessary. The program provides the foundation for students to think critically and act ethically in the workplace and in the community. The program also prepares students to continue educational pursuits and encourages lifelong learning and community service.

**PARALEGAL PROGRAM - ABA APPROVAL**

The Paralegal Program has ABA Approval, which is the national mark of excellence for paralegal programs. The Program has enjoyed continuous ABA Approval since 1978.

American Bar Association Standing Committee on Paralegals  
Legal Services Division--19th Floor  
321 North Clark Street  
Mail Stop 19.1  
Chicago, IL 60610-4714

**PHLEBOTOMY PROGRAM**

Approved by :  
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Chicago, Illinois 60631  
Phone: (773) 714-8880

**PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT PROGRAM**

Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)  
American Physical Therapy Association  
1111 N. Fairfax Street  
Alexandria, Virginia 22314  
Phone: (703) 706-5300

**RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM**

Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)  
20 N. Wacker Drive, suite 900  
Chicago, Illinois 60606-2901  
Phone: (312) 704-5300

**RESPIRATORY CARE PROGRAM**

Committee on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC)  
1248 Harwood Road  
Bedford, Texas 76021-4244  
Phone: (817) 283-2835 or 1-800-874-5615