

Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools

Accreditation Commission Meeting
April 4-6, 2005

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Greensboro, North Carolina

1. *The following institution was granted initial accreditation by the Accreditation Commission after completing a self-study and hosting an on-site evaluation team:*
 - **Mid America Reformed Seminary, Dyer, Indiana, a Category III** institution (masters degree granting) accredited for a period of five years, with a self- study, on-site team evaluation and review by the Accreditation Commission within five years.

2. *The following institutions were granted candidacy (pre-accredited) by the Accreditation Commission after completing a self- study and hosting an on-site team evaluation:*
 - **Bob Jones University, Greenville, South Carolina, a Category IV** institution (bachelors, masters and doctoral degree granting) for the initial five-year period, with a self-study, on-site team evaluation and review by the Accreditation Commission within five years.
 - **Visible School of Music and Worship Arts, Lakeland, Tennessee, a Category II** institution (bachelors degree granting) for the initial five-year period, with a self-study, on-site team evaluation and review by the Accreditation Commission within five years.

3. *The following institutions were granted approval by the Accreditation Commission for substantive changes:*
 - **Southern California Bible College and Seminary, El Cajon, California, a Category IV** institution, received final approval for the establishing of a branch campus in Sevilla, Spain, after receiving appropriate international approval, completing a self-study and hosting an on-site focus team visit.
 - **Southern California Bible College and Seminary, El Cajon, California, a Category IV** institution, was approved to change its name from Southern

California Bible College and Seminary to **Southern California Seminary** after state authorization for the change in name.

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Substantive Changes - Continued

- **Beacon University, Columbus, Georgia, a Category IV** institution, was approved to open an extension site at Metairie, Louisiana after receiving Louisiana state approval.
- **Faith Evangelical Lutheran Seminary, Tacoma, Washington, a Category IV** institution, was approved to offer a four-year Bachelor of Theology on-line degree program.
- **Mars Hill Graduate School, Bothell, Washington, a Category IV** institution, was approved to offer a pilot course in Guatemala.
- **Midwest Theological Seminary, Wentzville, Missouri, a Category IV** institution, was approved to offer the Bachelor of Arts degree completion program in Biblical Studies.
- **Northwest Graduate School of the Ministry, Seattle, Washington, a Category IV** institution, was approved to change its name to **Bakke Graduate University** after receiving state authorization.
- **Trinity Baptist College, Jacksonville, Florida, a Category II** institution, received final approval of the Master of Ministry and Master of Education degrees at a higher level or Category after an on-site focus visit. **Moved to Category III.**

4. *The following institution is removed from probation:*

- **California Christian College, Fresno, California, a Category II** institution was removed from cash monitoring status by USDE for Title IV funds.

