NASP-Approved
Graduate Programs in School Psychology

As part of its efforts to promote high-quality school psychology training and services, the National Association of School Psychologists (NASP) reviews specialist and doctoral programs in school psychology at colleges and universities. For those programs that submit documentation for a NASP review by trained national reviewers, the NASP Program Approval Board awards “NASP-approved” status for those programs that provide evidence of consistency with the *NASP Standards for Training and Field Placement Programs in School Psychology*.

Two types of NASP approval are awarded to school psychology graduate programs. “Full approval” indicates the NASP review process found that a school psychology program demonstrated consistency with NASP standards. Programs typically are awarded full approval for a 5-7 year period and, at the end of the period, must again submit documentation for NASP review and possible continued approval. “Conditional approval” indicates the NASP review process found that a school psychology program demonstrated general consistency with key NASP standards, but must submit additional documentation, usually within 18 months, to be evaluated for possible continuation of NASP approval.

NASP is a constituent member of the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) and conducts program reviews as a part of the NCATE unit or institutional accreditation process. In order to provide all programs with access to the NASP review process and potentially to national approval, NASP also conducts reviews
independent of NCATE. NCATE accredits units (e.g., Schools of Education), not programs, but does provide “national recognition” status to NASP-approved programs located in units accredited by NCATE.

For more information regarding NASP program approval and the submission process to be used by graduate programs, please see the NASP website (http://www.nasponline.org/standards/approvedtraining/training_program.aspx) or contact Dr. Patti Harrison, Chair of the NASP Program Approval Board, phone: 205-348-7583, e-mail: nasppab@bamaed.ua.edu.

A graduate of a NASP-approved program automatically is eligible to apply to become a nationally certified school psychologist (NCSP), pending documentation of an internship consistent with NASP standards and attainment of a passing score on the national school psychology (PRAXIS II) examination administered by Educational Testing Service. (Note: Graduates of school psychology programs that do not hold NASP-approved status also are eligible to apply for the NCSP, but must submit documentation that their graduate education is consistent with NCSP requirements). More information about the NCSP is located at http://www.nasponline.org/certification/index.aspx. For information regarding NCSP applications for individuals, please contact Dr. Joan Bohmann, Director, NASP Professional Standards and Continuing Professional Development, phone: 301-657-0270, e-mail: jbohmann@naspweb.org.

The following school psychology programs had been approved by the National Association of School Psychologists as of January 1, 2008. The approved programs are listed alphabetically by state, then alphabetically by program within states. The following key should be used in examining this list.

**Key:** Program Level, SL=Specialist Level and DL=Doctoral Level
The approval status (full or conditional) of the program as of the effective date of this list and the year in which the program’s initial NASP approval became or will become effective also are indicated after program level.

**Alabama**
- University of Alabama
  - SL-Full, 1989; DL-Full, 1989

**Arizona**
- Arizona State University
  - DL-Full, 1991

- Northern Arizona University

- University of Arizona
  - DL-Full, 1991

**Arkansas**
- University of Central Arkansas
  - SL-Full, 1994

**California**
- California State University-Chico
  - SL-Full, 1998

- California State University-Fresno
  - SL-Full, 1994

- California State University-Hayward
  - SL-Full, 1994

- California State University-Long Beach
  - SL-Full, 2005

- California State University-Los Angeles
  - SL, Conditional, 2007

- California State University-Northridge
  - SL-Full, 2005

- California State University-Sacramento
  - SL-Full, 2001
Chapman University (Orange, CA campus only)
  SL-Full, 2005

Humboldt State University
  SL-Full, 1996

Loyola Marymount University
  SL-Conditional, 2007

San Diego State University
  SL-Full, 1989

University of California-Riverside
  DL-Full, 2004

University of California-Santa Barbara
  SL-Full, 1998; DL-Full, 2007

Colorado
  University of Colorado-Denver
    SL-Full, 1993
  
  University of Denver
    SL-Conditional, 2007
  
  University of Northern Colorado

Connecticut
  Southern Connecticut State University
    SL-Conditional, 1997
  
  University of Connecticut
    SL-Full, 1991
  
  University of Hartford
    SL-Conditional, 1999

Delaware
  University of Delaware
    SL-Full, 1994; DL-Full, 2007

District of Columbia
  Gallaudet University
    SL-Full, 1991
Florida

Barry University
SL-Conditional, 2001

Florida State University
SL-Full, 2005

University of Central Florida
SL-Full, 1989

University of Florida
SL-Full, 2006; DL-Full, 1989

University of South Florida
SL-Full, 1988; DL-Full, 1988

Georgia

Georgia State University
DL-Full, 1988

University of Georgia
DL-Full, 1988

Valdosta State University
SL-Full, 1988

Idaho

University of Idaho
SL-Full, 1999

Illinois

Eastern Illinois University
SL-Full, 1994

Illinois State University

Loyola University-Chicago
SL-Full, 2000; DL-Full, 2003

National-Louis University
SL-Full, 1995

Northern Illinois University
SL-Full, 1992
Southern Illinois University
   SL-Full, 1999

Western Illinois University
   SL-Conditional, 2008

**Indiana**

Ball State University

Indiana State University
   SL-Conditional, 1996; DL-Full, 1991

Indiana University
   SL-Conditional, 1993; DL-Full, 1994

**Iowa**

University of Iowa
   DL-Full, 1992

University of Northern Iowa
   SL-Full, 1995

**Kansas**

Emporia State University
   SL-Full, 2002

University of Kansas
   SL-Full, 1994; DL-Full, 1999

Wichita State University
   SL-Full, 1996

**Kentucky**

Eastern Kentucky University
   SL-Conditional, 1994

University of Kentucky
   SL-Full, 1989; DL-Full, 1989

Western Kentucky University
   SL-Full, 1993

**Louisiana**

Louisiana State University
   DL-Full, 2003
Louisiana State University-Shreveport
SL-Conditional, 1994

Nicholls State University
SL-Full, 1988

Maine
University of Southern Maine
SL-Full, 1994

Maryland
Towson University
SL-Full, 2001

University of Maryland-College Park
SL-Full, 1988; DL-Full, 1988

Massachusetts
Northeastern University
SL-Full, 1995

Tufts University
SL-Full, 1994

University of Massachusetts-Amherst
DL-Full, 1988

University of Massachusetts-Boston
SL-Full, 1991

Michigan
Andrews University
SL-Full, 2003

Central Michigan University
SL-Full, 1990; DL-Full, 1996

Michigan State University
SL-Full, 2007; DL-Full, 1992

Wayne State University
SL-Full, 2006

Minnesota
Minnesota State University-Moorhead
SL-Full, 1988

University of Minnesota
SL-Conditional, 1992; DL-Full, 1992
Mississippi
Mississippi State University
SL-Full, 1992; DL-Full, 1992

University of Southern Mississippi
DL-Full, 1989

Montana
University of Montana
SL-Full, 1994

Nebraska
University of Nebraska-Kearney
SL-Full, 1994

University of Nebraska-Lincoln
SL-Full, 1990; DL-Full, 1990

University of Nebraska-Omaha
SL-Full, 1995

Nevada
University of Nevada-Las Vegas
SL-Conditional, 1998

New Jersey
Kean University
SL-Conditional, 1999

New Jersey City University
SL-Full, 2006

Rider University
SL-Full, 2007

Rowan University
SL-Full, 1994

New Mexico
New Mexico State University
SL-Full, 2006

New York
Alfred University
SL-Full, 1994
Brooklyn College
SL-Full, 2006

Columbia University
SL-Full, 2005; DL-Full, 2002

Fordham University-Lincoln Center
SL-Full, 1988; DL-Full, 1989

Hofstra University (Ph.D. only)
DL-Full, 1989

Iona College
SL-Conditional, 2008

New York University
DL-Full, 1992

Pace University
DL-Full, 1999

Queens College-CUNY
SL-Full, 1995

Rochester Institute of Technology
SL-Conditional, 1994

State University of New York-Albany
SL-Full, 2007

State University of New York-Buffalo
SL-Full, 1994

State University of New York-Oswego
SL-Full, 1999

State University of New York-Plattsburgh
SL-Conditional, 2008

Yeshiva University
DL-Full, 1995

**North Carolina**
Appalachian State University
SL-Full, 1991

East Carolina University
SL-Full, 1996
North Carolina State University
DL-Full, 1989

University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill
SL-Conditional, 1988; DL-Full, 1988

Western Carolina University
SL-Full, 2001

North Dakota
Minot State University
SL-Conditional, 1998

Ohio
Bowling Green State University
SL-Conditional, 1993

Cleveland State University
SL-Full, 1994

John Carroll University
SL-Full, 1994

Kent State University
SL-Full, 1991; DL-Full, 1990

Miami University
SL-Full, 1990

Ohio State University
SL-Full, 1991

University of Cincinnati

University of Dayton
SL-Full, 1992

University of Toledo
SL-Full, 2006

Oklahoma
Oklahoma State University
SL-Full, 1999; DL-Full, 1999

University of Central Oklahoma
SL-Full, 2007
Oregon
Lewis & Clark College
SL-Full, 2001

University of Oregon
DL-Full, 1992

Pennsylvania
California University of Pennsylvania
SL-Full, 2006

Duquesne University
SL-Full, 2001

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania
SL-Full, 2006

Indiana University of Pennsylvania
SL-Full, 1991; DL-Full, 1995

Lehigh University
SL-Full, 1988; DL-Full, 1991

Millersville University of Pennsylvania
SL-Full, 1990

Pennsylvania State University
DL-Full, 1991

Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine
DL-Conditional, 2007

Temple University
SL-Conditional, 2000; DL-Full, 1987

Rhode Island
Rhode Island College
SL-Conditional, 2003

University of Rhode Island

South Carolina
The Citadel
SL-Full, 2000

Francis Marion University
SL-Full, 2001
University of South Carolina
DL-Full, 1990

Winthrop University
SL-Full, 1988

South Dakota
University of South Dakota
SL-Full, 2000; DL-Full, 2000

Tennessee
Middle Tennessee State University
SL-Full, 1989

University of Memphis
SL-Conditional, 1988

University of Tennessee-Chattanooga
SL-Conditional, 2008

University of Tennessee-Knoxville
SL-Conditional, 1988; DL-Full, 1988

Texas
Abilene Christian University
SL-Full, 2003

Baylor University
SL-Conditional, 2008

Sam Houston State University
SL-Full, 2001

Stephen F. Austin State University
SL-Full, 2006

Texas A&M University
DL-Full, 1991

Texas A&M University-Commerce
SL-Conditional, 2008

Texas State University- San Marcos
SL-Full, 1995

Texas Woman’s University
Trinity University
   SL-Full, 1996

University of Houston-Clear Lake
   SL-Full, 1989

University of Texas-Austin
   DL-Full, 1993

Utah
   University of Utah
      DL-Full, 1993

   Utah State University
      SL-Full, 1995

Virginia
   College of William and Mary
      SL-Full, 1991

   George Mason University
      SL-Conditional, 1987

   James Madison University
      SL-Full, 1991

   Radford University
      SL-Full, 1989

   University of Virginia
      DL (Ph.D. only)-Conditional, 1989

Washington
   Central Washington University
      SL-Full, 1989

   Eastern Washington University
      SL-Conditional, 2001

   Seattle University
      SL-Conditional, 1998

   University of Washington
      SL-Full, 1998; DL-Full, 1995

West Virginia
Marshall University
SL-Full, 2006

**Wisconsin**
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
SL-Conditional, 1993

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
SL-Full, 1994

University of Wisconsin-Madison
DL-Full, 1992

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
SL-Full, 2005; DL-Full, 2000

University of Wisconsin-Stout
SL-Conditional, 1994

University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
SL-Full, 1995