



UNPAM HOMOLOGATION EDUCATIONAL EVALUATION REPORT

UNPAM University <http://universidadunpam.org/> Homologation Institution.

Foreign Degree Validation

Equivalency Summary:

Type of Evaluation: Document by Document

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION – INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC
EVALUATION – EDUCATION RULE:**

International Affairs Office. U.S. Department of Education:

**[https://sites.ed.gov/international/recognition-of-foreign-
qualifications/](https://sites.ed.gov/international/recognition-of-foreign-qualifications/)**

Recognition of Foreign Qualifications:

In the United States, the competent authorities for recognizing previous education and qualifications include entities such as the following:

- Education Institutions (for those planning to study)
 - Employers (for those seeking employment)
- State-Level Licensing Agencies (for those seeking professional licensure)
- Federal Immigration Authorities (for those seeking to obtain/change visa status)

In some instances, the entities mentioned above will evaluate foreign credentials themselves. However, in most instances, they will request that you obtain a **credential evaluation** to determine how your non-U.S. credentials compare with U.S. credentials. Such evaluations are carried out by private, non-governmental entities for a fee.

Note: The U.S. Department of Education does not evaluate foreign qualifications or degrees. Please do not submit evaluation requests or related documentation to the Department.

To Study:

When seeking admission to an educational institution, the competent authority for recognizing previous education and qualifications is the school or higher education institution in which you seek to enroll. Contact the admissions office for instructions. Many institutions and schools evaluate credentials themselves, while some will refer you to a credential evaluation service.

To Work:

When seeking employment, the competent authority for recognizing previous education and qualifications is the employer. For instructions regarding the evaluation of foreign credentials, contact the human resources office of the prospective employer. Most employers will refer you to a credential evaluation service, and some will recommend or require that you use a specific credential evaluation service. If no specific credential evaluation service is recommended, then you can select a credential evaluation service yourself. (The U.S. Department of Education does not recommend any individual credential service.)

To Practice a Licensed Profession:

Regulated professions in the United States are generally licensed at the state level, and the competent authority for recognizing previous education and qualifications is the appropriate state licensing authority in the jurisdiction where you intend to work. In some states, licensing boards have specific procedures for evaluating and recognizing foreign qualifications.

Depending on the state licensing board and the profession, the evaluation of foreign credentials will be done by the board, by a general credential evaluation service or by a specialized credential evaluation service that focuses on a specific profession. The authoritative source of information regarding the evaluation of foreign credentials is the relevant state-level licensing board.

For additional information about licensed professions, including links to state licensing boards and professional associations, see [Professional Licensure](#).

Important Notes Regarding Credential Evaluation:

There is no federal or state regulation of credential evaluation services. The U.S. Department of Education does not endorse or recommend any individual credential evaluation service.

Credential evaluations are not free. The cost will vary according to the complexity of the case and the amount of documentation you can provide.

Obtain English translations of any non-English documents, preferably notarized, prior to submitting any documents to a credential evaluation service. For details regarding requirements, consult with the entity that will evaluate your credentials.

Credential evaluations are done on an individual, case-by-case basis and take into consideration various factors. You can expect that different institutions and credential evaluation services might evaluate your credentials differently, according to their criteria.

Credential evaluation services provide procedures to appeal their recommendations. If necessary, make use of the procedure provided by the credential evaluation service and the institution to which you are seeking admission. (The U.S. federal government has no role in credential evaluation appeals.)

EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIAL EVALUATION:

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The documents submitted were originals and certified copies- and this Evaluator sees no reason to doubt about their authenticity and its translation to the English language. The qualifications of the translators were listed as one- NAFA Translation Service, others as certified foreign translator, and also a professor in the Spanish department at this university, so this Evaluator can attest to the accuracy of the translations. Only authorities in the profession may determine whether an individual qualifies to be registered as **an: ---- Degrees.**

The materials used in this evaluation were the World Books Education Series publication titled **Special Education, NAFSA/AACRAO Joint Committee on Workshops report titles: The Admission and Placements of Students from Selected Countries of Latin America, the International Handbook of Universities and the American Counsel on Education publication titled Accredited Institutions of Postsecondary Education, and also College/University catalogs in the United States.**

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The Director General.

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The Evaluator

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Have a Degree in Political and Social Sciences, University of Texas. An equivalent to a Bachelor in Law in Florida, an equivalent to a Jurist Doctor in Texas, a Master of Comparative Law in Florida and has complemented studies at the WS College for a Degree in Paralegal Studies. He also complemented studies for a Master's Degree in Comparative Law at the University of Miami School of Law and at the Pacific University of Hawaii for a PhD. ATLA affiliate, member of ABA, IBA, the International Bar

Association, Director of N.A.F.A., has been also certified as Professor in Political Science and Educational Leadership by Florida Department of Education.

For F.L.I.F.

By: 

Evaluator

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USDLA was created in 1987 to facilitate the growth of distance learning and to serve as the institutional voice of the distance learning industry. "The acquisition of Educating Everyone enhances USDLA's mission of promoting the growth of distance learning," said USDLA Executive Director John G. Flores. "USDLA looks forward to increasing the visibility of Educating Everyone by incorporating their accomplishments into the greater scope of services that a larger organization like USDLA offers."

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Acknowledgment in a representative capacity – 1999 - 2022:

The foregoing original instrument was acknowledged before me this 18th day of April, 1999 and reaffirmed on April 18, 2022 by the Board of Directors Officers. This date of April 18, 1999 represents the acknowledgment's date made in a representative capacity of Christopher Martin Waine, that he is an authorized evaluator- and Humphrey H. Pachecker that he is the Director General of NAFA - UNPAM University C.O.E. Florida Chapter 246.216.

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March 10, 2021

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Dear Mr. Pachecker,

We are pleased to inform you that your application has been approved to become a Post-Secondary Independent Private School vendor effective March 10, 2021. This approval allows you to provide the following services:

- Educational services

No other steps are required for renewal as this registration is linked to your Florida Commission for Independent Education license.

We are pleased to have this opportunity to enter into this partnership. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact VR Vendor Registration at 1-866-580-7438.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Nazworth

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