
Notification of Application for Participation in Washington State Financial Aid Programs

Date posted: March 16, 2016
Institution: City University of Seattle
Location: 521 Wall St, Seattle, WA 98121
Nature of request: Institution seeking participation in state financial aid programs
Affected programs: State Need Grant (SNG), College Bound Scholarship (CBS), Passport to College, State Work Study (SWS)

Background:

Founded in 1973, City University of Seattle trains students for careers in business, education, project management, health and human services, information technology, professional leadership, and many other undergraduate and graduate degree programs.

City University of Seattle is regionally accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) and is certified for participation in federal Title IV programs, including the Pell Grant and Direct Loan programs.

Nature of the review:

The Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC) evaluates the applicant's accreditation status; participation status in federal Title IV programs; financial aid staff qualifications; fiscal operations and systems; facilities; compliance audits and federal program reviews; financial aid policies and procedures; and historical financial strength, enrollment, cohort default rate performance, and student completion and placement outcomes.

The initial review of City University of Seattle's application materials indicates the institution meets the requirements for provisional participation in state financial aid programs. The next step in the process is an institutional site visit and evaluation, anticipated to be in May 2016.

Timeline:

The WSAC will accept comments on this application until April 29, 2016.

Any individuals with knowledge that may indicate the institution and/or the programs being offered do not meet the institutional eligibility requirements of [RCW 28B.92](#) or [WAC 250-20](#) are requested to submit comments to WSAC's [Student Financial Assistance](#) division.