



**PUBLIC DISCLOSURE NOTICE FOR AN INSTITUTION
RESIGNING COMMISSION AFFILIATION**

Northern Seminary
Lombard, IL

The Commission has accredited Northern Seminary since 1947. The Seminary voluntarily resigned from status with the Commission effective July 1, 2013.

Northern Seminary was not under any sanction or show-cause order at the time of its resignation, nor has there been any notification by the Commission to the institution of any intention to withdraw accreditation because of non-compliance with Commission standards.

Information for Students

Northern Seminary will continue to be accredited through the Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools (ATS). Students with questions regarding federal student aid or other matters related to the voluntary resignation of accreditation should direct those questions to the Northern Seminary. For questions related to this change, students may contact:

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Dean of Academic Administration; Director, Brimson Grow Library
Northern Seminary
680 E. Butterfield Road
Lombard, IL 60148
630-620-2115
bwalter@seminary.edu

For questions related to the accreditation status of the Northern Seminary with ATS, students may contact that agency:

The Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada
The Commission on Accrediting
10 Summit Park Drive
Pittsburgh, PA 15275-91110
412-788-6505

About the Higher Learning Commission

The Higher Learning Commission accredits more than 1,000 colleges and universities that have a home base in one of 19 states that stretch from West Virginia to Arizona. The Commission is a private, nonprofit regional accrediting agency. The Commission's mission is to assure and

advance the quality of higher learning. It is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation. The institutions the Commission accredits include public, private not-for-profit, and proprietary institutions at degree levels from the associate's through the doctoral degree level and from small, specialized institutions through large research universities.

Students, parents, and others from the general public with questions regarding the Commission's work should contact John Hausaman at the Higher Learning Commission by email at info@hlcommission.org or by phone at 312-263-0456.

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