

**Public Disclosure:
Ohio Valley University
Voluntary Resignation of Accreditation
Updated November 29, 2022**

Ohio Valley University in Vienna, West Virginia, voluntarily resigned its accreditation with the Higher Learning Commission effective June 30, 2022, following the institution's closure.

The institution's status as an HLC accredited institution ceased on the effective date above. Credits and degrees earned from the institution through this date remain earned from an accredited institution.

HLC is aware that the institution's website is inoperable and that arrangements regarding the location and availability of student records and transcripts have been pending. It is also HLC's understanding that Ohio Valley University has filed for bankruptcy and that Ohio Valley University Windup Trust has been granted authority by the court to handle student transcripts.

Students in need of transcripts may contact the office below to receive details on how to make a request:

Ohio Valley University Windup Trust
c/o Martin P. Sheehan, Esq.
Sheehan & Associates, PLLC
1 Community St., Suite 200
Wheeling, WV 26003
Sheehanbankruptcy@wvdsi.net 304-232-1064

Additional information on transcripts or other student records may also be available by email from the Ohio Valley University's receiver P. Michael Kain at mkain@abtv.com.

Former students with questions about their legal rights may contact the West Virginia State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at <https://wvbar.org/publicinformation/get-legal-help/> or the West Virginia Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division at <https://ago.wv.gov/consumerprotection>

For additional questions or assistance, including a letter regarding the institution's closure for students to use, the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission also can be reached at www.wvhepc.edu, jelayne.crosier@wvhepc.edu, or 304-558-2101.

HLC will continue to post pertinent information if and when it becomes available. However, as noted above, the institution is no longer accredited by HLC and HLC does not otherwise have access to or control of student records and transcripts at institutions.

About the Higher Learning Commission

The Higher Learning Commission accredits approximately 1,000 colleges and universities throughout the United States. HLC is a private, nonprofit accrediting agency. It is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation. Questions? Contact info@hlcommission.org or call 312.263.0456.

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