

**Public Disclosure:
Finlandia University
Voluntary Resignation of Accreditation
Effective: September 1, 2023**

Finlandia University in Hancock, Michigan, voluntarily resigned its accreditation with the Higher Learning Commission, effective September 1, 2023, due to its announced closure.

Transcripts will temporarily be available from the institution directly. Information is available at: <https://www.finlandia.edu/academics/registrars-office/transcript-request/>

Arrangements are pending to transfer student records, including transcripts, to the state of Michigan after the institution closes.

The institution has established some teach-out agreements. Teach out agreements with other institutions also are pending. Complete information on transfer, teach outs and other information is available at:

<https://www.finlandia.edu/about/teachout/#info>

Students with federal loans may be eligible to pursue a closed-school student loan discharge. Information is available at:

<https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/closed-school>

Additional questions about student loans should be directed to the U.S. Department of Education.

About the Higher Learning Commission

The Higher Learning Commission accredits approximately 1,000 colleges and universities in 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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