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Tab 11, Attachment A

Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Descriptions



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Crowder College is a community college located in Neosho, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area of Vernon, Cedar, Barton, Dade, Jasper, Lawrence, Newton, Barry, and McDonald counties.

Crowder College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts & sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. Crowder College also offers programs in career & technical education, leading to the Associate of Applied Science degree and certificates, and provides basic & workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses.

Crowder College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, auditoriums, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Crowder College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: East Central College is a community college located in Union, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its service region. East Central College serves its service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts, the Associate of Science, the Associate of Fine Arts, and the Associate of Arts in Teaching degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. East Central College also offers many programs in career and technical education, leading to the Associate of Applied Science degree and certificates, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. The college's largest program is General Studies. It has particular strengths in nursing, allied health, and education.

East Central College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Consistent with the provisions of 173.030(8) RSMo, East Central College every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Jefferson College is a community college located in Hillsboro, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Jefferson College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts, Associate of Arts in Teaching, Associate of Fine Arts, and Associate of Science degrees, which emphasize MOTR CORE 42 general education and additional liberal arts and sciences, preparing students for transfer to four-year institutions. Jefferson College also offers many programs in career and technical education, leading to the Associate of Applied Science degrees and certificates, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement, as well as workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. The College's largest program is General Studies, and it has particular strengths in nursing, radiologic technology, fine arts, teacher education, business, information technology, HVAC, automotive, welding, and law enforcement. The College also has one of the few veterinary technology programs in Missouri.

Jefferson College maintains NACEP accreditation, offering an expanding number of courses as dual credit across the College's service area.

Jefferson College collaborates with other institutions on programs outside its CBHE-approved mission and is committed to degree completion by offering many 2+2 partnerships.

Jefferson College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Jefferson College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Metropolitan Community College is a community college located in Kansas City, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Metropolitan Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepare students for transfer to four-year institutions. Metropolitan Community College also offers many programs in career and technical education leading to the Associate of Applied Science degree and certificates, and provides basic, workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. MCC has particular strengths in the Health Sciences, Cybersecurity, Public Safety, industrial production technologies, business administration, and manufacturing.

Metropolitan Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering continuing education services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Metropolitan Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Mineral Area College is a community college located in Park Hills, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Mineral Area College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. Mineral Area College also offers many programs in career and technical education, leading to the Associate of Applied Science degree and certificates, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. Mineral Area College has particular strengths in nursing, education, and criminal justice.

Mineral Area College collaborates with other institutions on programs outside its CBHE-approved mission.

Mineral Area College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Mineral Area College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Missouri State University-West Plains is a two-year, open-admission campus of the Missouri State University system. This separately accredited, public institution primarily serves students in the Missouri counties of Douglas, Howell, Oregon, Ozark, Shannon, Texas, and Wright.

Missouri State University-West Plains is a teaching institution, offering certificates, associate degrees and credit and noncredit courses to both traditional and nontraditional students to meet the workforce development and educational needs of the citizens of the area served. Missouri State University-West Plains collaborates with other organizations in Missouri to provide educational opportunities outside its CBHE-approved mission region. Missouri State University-West Plains' largest program is the Associate of Arts in General Studies, and it has particular strengths in nursing and education.

Every five years, Missouri State University-West Plains will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Moberly Area Community College serves its service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts & sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. Moberly Area Community College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. Moberly Area Community College has particular strengths in nursing and other health sciences fields, education, and mechatronics.

Moberly Area Community College collaborates with other institutions on programs outside its CBHE-approved mission.

Moberly Area Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Moberly Area Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: North Central Missouri College is a community college located in Trenton, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

North Central Missouri College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate in Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts & sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. North Central Missouri College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. North Central Missouri College has particular strengths in agriculture, nursing, education, and applied technology.

North Central Missouri College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, North Central Missouri College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.

OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Ozarks Technical Community College is a community college based in Springfield, Missouri. In addition to the Springfield campus, the OTC system includes the OTC Richwood Valley campus in Christian County and the OTC Richwood Valley campus in Taney County.

The system also includes the Waynesville Education Center, the Lebanon Education Center, the Republic Education Center, as well as OTC Online, which provides a robust offering of courses and programs. OTC is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Ozarks Technical Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. Ozarks Technical Community College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree. Additionally, the college offers basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement, as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. In addition, OTC offers a bachelor's degree in Respiratory Therapy. The college has particular strengths in health sciences, technical education, and business and marketing.

Ozarks Technical Community College collaborates with other institutions on programs outside its CBHEapproved mission.

Ozarks Technical Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events. OTC facilities also host a number of community groups and organizations.

Every five years, Ozarks Technical Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: St. Charles Community College is a community college located in Cottleville, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

St. Charles Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. St. Charles Community College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. St. Charles Community College has particular strengths in nursing and other allied health fields, education, and computer science.

St. Charles Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, St. Charles Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: St. Louis Community College is a community college located in St. Louis, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

St. Louis Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate in Arts, the Associate in Science, the Associate of Arts in Teaching, and the Associate in Fine Arts degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. St. Louis Community College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well as workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. St. Louis Community College also offers the Bachelor of Science degree in Respiratory Care. St. Louis Community College has particular strengths in health sciences, visual arts, computer sciences, biotechnology, advanced manufacturing, and culinary arts, and provides dual credit offerings across our course catalog in partnership with area high schools.

St. Louis Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, St. Louis Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: State Fair Community College is a community college located in Sedalia, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

State Fair Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts, the Associate of Fine Arts, the Associate of Arts in Teaching, and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. State Fair Community College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. The college's largest program is the Associate of Arts. It also has particular strengths in nursing and other allied health fields, business administration, and education. State Fair Community College is also home to the internationally renowned Daum Museum of Contemporary American Art, which anchors a strong Fine and Performing Arts focus.

State Fair Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, State Fair Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: State Technical College of Missouri, located in Linn, Missouri, is a special purpose institution with a statewide mission established in statute to make available to students from all areas of Missouri, exceptional educational opportunities through highly specialized and advanced technical education and training.

State Technical College offers programs at the certificate and associate degree level in both emerging and traditional technologies with particular emphasis on technical and vocational programs not commonly offered by community colleges or area vocational technical schools. The college's primary consideration is on the industrial and technological manpower needs of the state.

State Technical College is authorized to assist the state in economic development initiatives and to facilitate the transfer of technology to Missouri business and industry directly through the graduation of technicians in advanced and emerging disciplines and through technical assistance provided to business and industry.

State Technical College is authorized to provide technical assistance to area vocational technical schools and community colleges through supplemental on-site instruction and distance learning as such area vocational technical schools and community colleges deem appropriate.

Every five years, State Technical College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Three Rivers College is a community college located in Poplar Bluff, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Three Rivers College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, and Associate of Arts in Teaching degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions. Three Rivers College also offers programs in career and technical education, leading to certificates and the Associate of Applied Science degree, and provides basic and workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. Three Rivers College has particular strengths in nursing, education, criminal justice, and diesel mechanics.

Three Rivers College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Consistent with the provisions of Section 173.030(8) RSMo, Three Rivers College every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Harris-Stowe State University, located in St. Louis, Missouri, offers baccalaureate degrees to address the higher education needs of the metropolitan St. Louis region. Harris-Stowe State University is designated as an open enrollment institution. Harris-Stowe is designated as one of two Historically Black College and Universities (HBCUs) in Missouri and serves African-Americans and other diverse student populations throughout the state.

Harris-Stowe State University serves its constituents by offering baccalaureate degrees in business, education, arts, humanities, social sciences, and sciences appropriate to a teaching institution with a predominantly urban undergraduate student body.

Harris-Stowe State University has particular strengths in mathematics and other STEM fields, and is one of the state's largest producers of African-American graduates in STEM fields, with biological sciences as one of its top ten highest producing programs.

Harris-Stowe State University also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, attract talent to the region, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Every five years, Harris-Stowe State University will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Lincoln University of Missouri, a historically black, 1890 land-grant, public, comprehensive institution, provides a diverse population access to excellent educational opportunities through teaching, research, and extension services within a nurturing, student-centered environment.

Lincoln University is an 1890 land-grant institution with open enrollment to increase access to higher education in Missouri. Lincoln University also fulfills its land-grant mission by offering teaching, research and extension services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development with three farms, two urban impact centers, three rural outreach centers, a center on health and aging, collaborations with hospitals and demonstration sites around the state of Missouri. It has educators in both Urban Impact Centers in Kansas City and St. Louis, as well as outreach centers in Sikeston, Lilbourn, Caruthersville and Southeast Missouri. Lincoln University Cooperative Research supports high-quality research to address critical, emergent issues in agriculture and develop sustainable solutions to the problems farmers face. With an integration of education, research and Extension services, this nationally recognized program conducts a variety of multidisciplinary, cutting- edge research, through national and international collaborations. These mainly focus on animal science, plant science, food safety, natural resources and big data science or socioeconomics.

Lincoln University fulfills its mission by offering select associate, baccalaureate and master's degrees in agriculture/natural resources, education, STEM, business, social sciences, social work, and health-related professions, appropriate to a comprehensive institution with an undergraduate and graduate student body. Lincoln University has particular strengths in nursing, liberal arts and sciences, business, agriculture and education.

Lincoln University also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission: Missouri Southern State University, located in Joplin, Missouri, is a regional university serving southwest Missouri and the surrounding area. Missouri Southern State University is designated as a moderately-selective enrollment institution.

Missouri Southern State University serves its constituents by offering select certificates, associate, baccalaureate and master's degrees in the liberal arts and sciences, education, health sciences, business, social sciences, protective services, and humanities. MSSU has a statewide designation as an institution of international/global education.

Missouri Southern State University has particular strengths in business, biology, criminal justice/protective and social services, education, and the health professions at the associate and baccalaureate levels.

MSSU offers certificates in arts and sciences, education, law enforcement, business, and the health professions that can be pursued for professional development or can be applied as stackable credentials toward the baccalaureate degree.

Missouri Southern State University fulfills its comprehensive mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, the PK-12 community, small business operations, and workforce readiness, in addition to offering a broad range of cultural enrichment opportunities.

Every five years, Missouri Southern State University will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Missouri University of Science and Technology (Missouri S&T), a campus of the University of Missouri System, is a STEM-focused research university. Missouri S&T provides education and conducts research to fulfill part of the University of Missouri's land-grant mission. Missouri S&T is designated as a highly-selective institution.

Missouri S&T fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering baccalaureate, masters and doctoral degrees in a wide range of engineering, computing and science disciplines. Missouri S&T also offers degrees in business, the liberal arts humanities, information science and technology, and social sciences.

Missouri S&T further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission through engagement with employers statewide, in both the public and private sectors, who are seeking well-educated and innovative employees, technical assistance, applied research solutions, and the discovery, dissemination, application, and preservation of knowledge.

Missouri S&T provides services designed specifically to meet the needs of statewide economic development (small business development, support for entrepreneurs, technical and professional services, and technology transfer), conducts basic and applied research, and collaborates with other universities in Missouri to ensure statewide access to baccalaureate-level programs in engineering.

Missouri S&T also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Missouri Western State University, located in St. Joseph, Missouri, is an open access regional comprehensive university that serves its constituents by delivering high-quality academic programs directly or through collaboration with other institutions. Missouri Western State University is designated as the state's applied learning institution and as an open enrollment institution.

Missouri Western State University serves its constituents by offering a few selective associate degrees, baccalaureate degrees and master's degrees in business and technology; health professions; professional studies; fine and performing arts; and liberal arts and sciences appropriate to a teaching institution with an undergraduate and graduate students population. Missouri Western State University focuses on high learning experiences prior to their graduation. By providing access to higher education for all students, Missouri Western supports the opportunity for social mobility for Missouri citizens. The majority of Missouri Western supports the opportunity for social mobility for Missouri citizens. The majority of STEM fields, or other high demand fields.

Missouri Western State University also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain regional entrepreneurship and economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Every five years, Missouri Western State University will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Northwest Missouri State University offers certificates, baccalaureate degree programs, master's degree programs, and specialist degree programs appropriate to a teaching institution with a predominantly undergraduate student body. It offers baccalaureate degrees in the arts and humanities and the natural and social sciences, as well as in the applied fields of agriculture, communications, computer and information sciences, education and educator preparation, technology, recreation and leisure studies, allied health, nursing, emergency and disaster management, and business. Northwest Missouri State also offers master's degrees, with particular strengths in business management and administration, allied health, computer science, education, nursing, and recreation.

Additionally, Northwest Missouri State University serves the Kansas City area through a multitude of programs and a CBHE approved Innovation Education Partnership.

Northwest Missouri State University also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Every five years, Northwest Missouri State University will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Southeast Missouri State University is a public, master's level, comprehensive regional university located in Cape Girardeau, Missouri with a statewide mission in visual and performing arts, computer science, and cybersecurity. Southeast Missouri State University is designated a moderately-selective institution.

Southeast Missouri State University fulfills its mission by offering baccalaureate degree and master's degree programs in five colleges – the Holland College of Arts and Media; the Harrison College of Business and Computing; the College of Education, Health, and Human Studies; the College of Humanities and Social Sciences; and the College of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Southeast Missouri State University also offers select certificates and associate degrees for use as standalone credentials, or as stackable credentials and certifications toward degree completion. Southeast Missouri State University's undergraduate programs have particular strengths in the visual and performing arts, computer science, cybersecurity, education, business, industrial engineering and technology, and nursing. At the master's level, it has strengths in education, engineering technology, health professions, business, computer science, and cybersecurity.

Southeast Missouri State University also fulfills its mission through its division of economic and workforce development by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and non-credit workforce training (via industry-recognized credentials), in addition to a broad range of academic, athletic, and cultural activities and events.

Consistent with the provisions of 173.030(8) RSMo, Southeast Missouri State University every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: Truman State University, located in Kirksville, Missouri, is designated as a statewide liberal arts and sciences university. It is designated as a highly-selective enrollment institution.

Truman serves the state of Missouri by offering baccalaureate degrees in traditional liberal arts and sciences disciplines as well as select professional fields grounded in the liberal arts and sciences. Truman State University also offers post-baccalaureate programs and master's degrees in a similar array of fields.

Truman State University further fulfills its mission by promoting a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, outreach opportunities for lifelong learners, and support for the development of the local economy and statewide workforce. The University values service learning and engages students, faculty, and staff in various forms of community service.

Every five years, Truman State University will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: The University of Central Missouri is a public, master's level, comprehensive regional university located in Warrensburg, Missouri. The University of Central Missouri is designated as a moderately selective institution. The University of Central Missouri is designated as the state's baccalaureate and master's degree granting institution in professional applied science and technology.

The University of Central Missouri fulfills its mission by offering baccalaureate and master's degrees in the applied sciences appropriate to a teaching institution with a predominantly undergraduate student body. The University of Central Missouri also offers undergraduate and graduate certificates for use as stand-alone credentials in industry, or as stackable credentials toward degree completion. UCM has particular strengths in aviation, safety sciences, engineering technology, fine arts, criminal justice/law enforcement, nursing, education, biological sciences, management and marketing, cybersecurity, computer science, computer information systems, and data analytics. At the master's level, it has strengths in computer science/information technology, education, safety sciences, and business.

The University of Central Missouri also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

The University of Central Missouri further serves the region through the Missouri Innovation Campus Program in collaboration with the Lee's Summit School District, Metropolitan Community College, and 65+ Kansas City area businesses. Students can participate in the high demand, high wage accelerated degree programs such as Design and Drafting, Computer Science and Information Systems, Software Development, Cybersecurity, Software Engineering, Computer Information Systems.

Every five years, University of Central Missouri will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.

University of Missouri

Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: The University of Missouri-Columbia is the state's only public comprehensive research university. The University of Missouri-Columbia shoulders most of the responsibility for the university's 1862 land-grant mission. The University of Missouri is the only Missouri public institution of higher education authorized to offer doctor of philosophy degrees or first professional degrees. The University of Missouri-Columbia is designated as a selective institution.

The University of Missouri-Columbia serves the state of Missouri by offering a broad range of baccalaureate, masters, doctoral, and professional programs that include the humanities, physical and social sciences, agriculture, journalism, information sciences, education, engineering, law, public administration, business, and the full array of health professions, including medicine.

The University of Missouri-Columbia further serves the state through basic and applied research, and other services specifically designed to meet the state's economic development needs, as well as continuing professional education, technical and professional services, support of small businesses and entrepreneurs, and technology transfer.

The University of Missouri-Columbia also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Consistent with the provisions of 173.030(8) RSMo, the University of Missouri-Columbia every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description: The University of Missouri-Kansas City, a campus of the University of Missouri System, serves the state through professional programs offered by its Schools of Dentistry, Law, Pharmacy, and the School of Medicine, which offers the only accelerated six-year dual-degree program in Missouri (BA/MD). The University of Missouri-Kansas City collaborates with other state universities to ensure regional access to selected professional, baccalaureate, masters and doctoral programs. The University of Missouri-Kansas City is designated as a selective institution.

The University of Missouri-Kansas City offers baccalaureate, masters, professional, and doctoral degrees in arts and humanities, the natural sciences, and the social sciences appropriate to a public, urban, high research institution with a diverse undergraduate student body. The University of Missouri-Kansas City has particular strengths in the performing arts (music, dance, theatre), biological and chemical sciences, computing and engineering, economics, education, management (business and non-profit), nursing and health studies, as well as in its professional programs.

The University of Missouri-Kansas City also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Consistent with the provisions of 173.030(8) RSMo, the University of Missouri-Kansas City every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.



Proposed CBHE-Approved Mission Description (approved March 2019): The University of Missouri-St. Louis, a campus of the University of Missouri System, offers high-quality academic programs directly or through collaboration with other institutions. The University of Missouri-St. Louis is designated as a selective institution.

The University of Missouri-St. Louis offers baccalaureate, masters, and doctoral degrees in the arts and humanities, the natural sciences, the social sciences, and the professions appropriate to a high research activity institution with a high undergraduate student body. The state's only School of Optometry is housed at the University of Missouri-St. Louis, and UMSL has particular strengths in business, education, nursing, and sciences.

The University of Missouri-St. Louis further fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

The University of Missouri-St. Louis also fulfills its mission by offering services to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events.

Consistent with the provisions of 173.030(8) RSMo, the University of Missouri-St. Louis every five years will provide to the Coordinating Board evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.