



## Consumer Information Disclosure Form

**Name of Institution:** American Business & Technology University

**Address:** 1018 W. St. Maartens Drive, St. Joseph, MO 64506

**Year Founded:** 2001

**First Accredited:** 2006

**Accreditation Expires:** June, 2020

**President/CEO:** Ramsey Atieh, President; Lute Atieh, CEO

### Accreditation agency contact information:

American Business & Technology University is accredited by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission.

Distance Education Accrediting Commission  
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Washington, D.C. 20036  
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## Mission Statement

American Business & Technology University is committed to providing quality, affordable, relevant, and interactive distance learning opportunities. The University's programs focus on the knowledge and skills necessary to help our students enhance their professional development, advancement, or personal lives.

## University Goals

1. Utilize a technology-rich environment and effective, interactive, student-focused teaching methods.
2. Present relevant, career-focused educational programs based on current research and industry practices.
3. Collaborate with industry representatives and practitioners, employers, and associations in the design and evaluation of effective programs.
4. Exercise cost-effective strategies to provide affordable educational opportunities.
5. Provide excellent and timely student support services.

## University goals for Graduates

Upon Graduation, ABTU graduates will demonstrate:

1. Effective written and oral communication skills.
2. Quantitative reasoning and critical problem-solving skills.
3. Knowledge and application of technology.
4. Knowledge and skills in their chosen field of study.

## Description of Institution

American Business & Technology University is a DEAC accredited provider of live-online, interactive, educational programs, at the Vocational, Certificate, Associate, Bachelor, and Master levels.

### Areas of Focus

Business Administration  
Information Technology  
Healthcare (Administration & Technology)

### Program Offerings

3 Vocational Certificate Programs  
3 Certificate Programs  
3 Technical Certificate Programs  
3 Associate Degree Programs  
2 Bachelor's Degree Programs  
1 MBA

**Cost per credit hour:** \$249.00

**Total course cost:** \$872.00

## Graduation Rates

**ABTU's institutional graduation rate for 2017 is 55 %.**

Name of Program	Date of Sample	Graduation Rate (%)
Information Technology Certificate	01/01/2016 - 12/31/2016	69%
Information Technology Specialist Certificate	<i>1<sup>st</sup> reporting graduate cohort scheduled for 2019</i>	N/A
Healthcare Specialist Certificate	01/01/2016 - 12/31/2016 (2 students)	100%
Business Specialist Certificate	01/01/2016 - 12/31/2016 (2 students)	100%
TD - Business Administration & Information Technology	01/01/2016 - 01/31/2016 (4 students in cohort)	0%
TD-Computer Programming and Systems Design	01/01/2016 - 01/31/2016	40%
TD-Health Information Technology	01/01/2016 - 01/31/2016	50%
TD-Network Administration and Information Security	01/01/2016 - 01/31/2016 (6 students in cohort)	20%
AAS-Business Administration & Information Technology	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	47%
AAS-Computer Programming and Systems Design	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	27%
AAS-Health Information Technology	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	45%
AAS-Network Administration and Information Security	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	58%
BAS-Business Management in the Global Economy	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	100%
BAS-Business Management in the Global Economy – Marketing Emphasis	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	N/A
Information Systems Engineering- Networking and Security	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	50%

MBA - Master of Business Administration	<i>0 students enrolled for this cohort period</i>	N/A
MBA - Master of Business Administration - Project & Operations Management	01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013	57%

### Student Satisfaction Surveys – 2017

#### Survey Question

#### Percent Responding “Yes”

**Question 1:** Did you achieve, or will you have achieved upon completing your studies, the goals you had when you started this course or program?

96.5%

**Question 2:** Would you recommend these studies to a friend?

97.2%

**Question 3:** All things considered, were you satisfied with your studies with us?

97.4%

End of Report