

Division of Higher Education

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LETTER OF EXEMPTION FROM CERTIFICATION (Church-Related Training)

Evangel University, Springfield, Missouri, is offering two church-related training programs to Arkansas students by distance technology and in North Little Rock.

The two programs listed below are exempt from certification under the rules and regulations implemented under Arkansas Code Annotated §6-61-301. This Letter of Exemption is limited to the following programs:

Bachelor of Science in Church MinistriesMaster of Leadership and Ministry

The predominant purpose of the two programs offered by Evangel University is toprepare students to assume leadership positions in a church or religious organization. These programs are not required to be certified by the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

Evangel University is required to notify the Director of the Arkansas Division of Higher Education of any changes in institutional operation and educational offerings, including course content, course titles, degree titles, and institutional name and mission.

This exemption will be in effect until December 31, 2024.

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