NEW MEMBERS

Subsequent to action by the Commission on Accreditation at its meetings in August 2020, NAST is pleased to welcome the following new member institutions:

Institutions Granted Associate Membership

Northern Arizona University
Flagstaff, AZ

Kathleen M. McGeever
Chair, Department of Theatre

Tom Todoroff Studio
New York, NY

Emily Moulton
Executive Director

University of Montevallo
Montevallo, AL

Mary Beth Armstrong
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

National Association of Schools of Theatre

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION

Deanna Toten Beard, Chair

August 2020

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted Associate Membership:

Northern Arizona University  
Tom Todoroff Studio  
University of Montevallo

Progress Reports were accepted from one (1) institution recently granted Associate Membership.

Action was deferred on two (2) institutions applying for Membership.

Progress Reports were accepted from six (6) institutions recently granted Membership.

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted renewal of Membership:

Brigham Young University  
California State University, Long Beach  
Coastal Carolina University  
Kennesaw State University  
Metropolitan State University of Denver  
Murray State University  
Northwestern State University of Louisiana  
University of Montana  
University of Northern Iowa

Action was deferred on sixteen (16) institutions applying for renewal of Membership.

Progress Reports were accepted from fourteen (14) institutions and was acknowledge from one (1) institution recently granted renewal of Membership.

Thirty (30) programs were granted Plan Approval.

Action was deferred on twenty-four (24) programs submitted for Plan Approval.

Three (3) institutions were granted second-year postponements for re-evaluation.

Two (2) institutions were granted third-year postponements for re-evaluation.

One (1) institution was granted a fourth-year postponement for re-evaluation.

One (1) institution was granted a fifth-year postponement for re-evaluation.
Four (4) institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the 2019-2020 HEADS Data Survey.

Two (2) institution was notified regarding failure to submit the 2018-2019 HEADS Data Survey.

Twelve (12) institutions were notified regarding successful submission of the Supplemental Annual Report 2017-2018.

Four (4) institutions (Missouri Western State University, Saint Cloud State University, Upright Citizens Brigade Improv and Sketch Comedy Training Center, Wayne State University) withdrew from Membership during the 2019-2020 academic year.