

PROFILES and PROGRAMS



PROPRIETARY SCHOOLS

Proprietary Schools

CAREER SCHOOLS LICENSED BY THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS (LARA)

In addition to the degree-granting colleges and universities, which are authorized to operate in the State of Michigan, a wide range of private career schools are also available to Michigan students. Pursuant to Act 148, Public Acts of 1943, as amended, no person(s), firm, corporation, or private organization may conduct a private trade school, business school, or institute in Michigan without first obtaining a license from LARA. Private trade schools, often called proprietary schools, offer programs which train a person for a trade, occupation, or vocation.

It is not the policy of LARA to recommend or endorse any private trade school, business school or institute. The issuance of a license to a Michigan school simply indicates that the school has met the requirements of the law at the time the license was issued. Out-of-state schools can receive a certificate of compliance, which entitles them to employ solicitors who enroll Michigan residents. A complete listing of Michigan schools with active licenses and out-of-state schools with authorization to solicit students in Michigan is found on the LARA's Web site at www.michiganps.net.

If you have questions about any of these schools, you may contact:

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