

Abstracted Summary of Final Actions: December 2025

Pursuant to §602.26 of Title 34 of U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, this report abstracts from all final actions taken recently by The Commission on Accrediting of The Association of Theological Schools (COAATS) concerning substantive changes only for schools in the US (Canadian schools are not included in this report). The membership of COAATS has adopted new [Standards of Accreditation](#) and [Policies and Procedures](#), effective July 1, 2020. Information on individual schools can be found by accessing our [member school list](#). Past abstracts can be found [here](#).

SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE RELATED TO PERIOD OF ACCREDITATION

Earlham School of Religion – Richmond, IN

To approve a one semester *delay* of the school’s comprehensive evaluation visit (*from* spring 2026 *to* fall 2026) and to adjust the school’s period of accreditation accordingly [i.e., to expire March 31, 2027].
[Commission staff action 12/8/2025 on behalf of the Board of Commissioners]

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