

# EVALUATION OF INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMAS AND TRANSCRIPTS

## If you have a high school diploma or certificate from your home country...

Colleges will accept high school diplomas or certificates from foreign countries if they are equivalent to US high school diplomas. A college admissions office can determine if the diploma is acceptable or not.

Employers or training programs may not be familiar with foreign high school diplomas, so it is recommended that foreign diplomas be evaluated by an official evaluation service (see below).

## If you have an international college transcript...

Most colleges require that foreign college transcripts be evaluated by one of the agencies below. Please contact the admissions office of the college you are applying to for more information.

The evaluation service will charge anywhere from \$85 to \$125 to evaluate a foreign diploma. But once it has been done, the translated and evaluated transcript or diploma should be acceptable at other institutions or colleges in the United States.

If you are applying to Westchester Community College, call the Transfer Credit Evaluator at 914-606-6756, or the international student's counselor, Anne Marie Verini at 914-606-8567.

## Foreign Credential Evaluation Service

### **\*Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.**

P.O. Box 514070  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
53203-3470  
Phone: 414-289-3400  
[www.ece.org](http://www.ece.org)

### **\*Globe Language Services**

319 Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
New York, NY 10007  
Phone: 212-227-1994  
[www.globelanguage.com](http://www.globelanguage.com)

### **\*International Education Research Foundation, Inc.**

Credentials Evaluation Service  
P.O. Box 3665  
Culver City, California  
90231-3665  
Phone: 310-258-9451 / Fax:  
310-342-7086 [www.ierf.org](http://www.ierf.org)

### **\*World Education Services, Inc.**

Bowling Green Station  
P.O. Box 5087  
New York, New York  
10274-5087  
Phone: 212-966-6311 / Fax:  
212-739-6100 [www.wes.org](http://www.wes.org)

### **\*Evaluation Service, Inc.**

P.O. BOX 85  
Hopewell Junction, New York  
12533  
Phone: 845-223-6455 / Fax:  
845-223-6454  
[www.evaluationsservice.net](http://www.evaluationsservice.net)

### **\*Josef Silny & Associates, Inc.**

International Education  
Consultants  
7101 SW 102 Avenue  
Miami, Florida 33173  
Phone: 305-273-1616 / Fax:  
305-273-1338 [www.jsilny.com](http://www.jsilny.com)

### **\*Institute of Foreign Credential Services**

12 Cedar Street  
Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522  
Phone: (914) 693-2840  
Fax: (914) 231-7782  
<http://www.ifcsevals.com>

### **NYS Acceptable Credential Evaluation Services Organizations**

See list at:  
<http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/evalforeigncred-approved.html>

\* Agencies recommended by Westchester Community College.

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