INFORMATION CONCERNING CREDENTIAL EVALUATION
FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH FOREIGN TRANSCRIPTS

The Maryland State Department of Education does not have the resources to determine degree and course credit equivalencies from institutions outside the United States or to translate foreign credentials.

Credits from institutions in other countries shall be evaluated for comparability of degree and course work by an independent agency authorized to analyze foreign credentials. A course-by-course evaluation using original documents is required.

In addition to this list, agencies that hold membership with the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services, Inc. are recognized by MSDE. For a current list of members, please visit www.naces.org

Below is a list of agencies designated by the Maryland State Department of Education to provide this service.
The following private agencies provide foreign credential evaluation services for varying fees:

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<td>FACS, Inc.</td>
<td>P.O Box 400, Glen Carbon, IL 62034</td>
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<td>Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.</td>
<td>P.O. Box 541070, Milwaukee, WI 53203-3470</td>
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<td>Scholaro, Inc. (formally Foreign Credits, Inc.)</td>
<td>29 E. Madison St. Suite 1005, Chicago, IL 60602</td>
<td>224-521-0170</td>
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<td>Education Evaluators International, Inc.</td>
<td>11 S Angell St #348, Providence, RI 02906</td>
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<td>Evaluation Service, Inc.</td>
<td>333 W. North Ave. #284, Chicago, IL 60610</td>
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