



**NEOHUMANIST  
COLLEGE OF ASHEVILLE**

# NEOHUMANIST COLLEGE OF ASHEVILLE PARTNER PROSPECTUS 2026–2027

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Dear Potential Partner,

The Neohumanist College Asheville (NHCA) is proud to provide you with information to provide you with an in-depth understanding of our operation. We believe that society is eager for our Neohumanist vision and mission given the growing awareness of the need for change. More and more people understand the need for a more collaborative and cooperative approach to working together on the issues facing the planet, and a more sustainable approach to the economy. There will be neo-humanitarian, if not spiritual solutions, to life for all beings, human, plants, and animals.

### VISION, MISSION, CORE VALUES

<p>Our vision</p> 	<p>The Neohumanist College of Asheville serves the population that seeks to expand the horizons of their hearts and minds, while working toward a future of just and sustainable planetary cooperation for the welfare of all. We embrace a Neohumanist philosophy that recognizes the interconnectedness of all beings and elements of existence, dedicating ourselves to the lifelong education of individuals, teachers, and leaders.</p>
<p>Our mission</p>	<p>Our Neohumanist mission is to provide knowledge and inspiration for personal and professional development.</p>
<p>Our core values</p>	<p>Planetary Stewardship, Serving the Greater Good, Growth, Critical Thinking, Morality.</p>





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## OUR STORY

NHCA was incorporated in 2015, 10 years ago. It began when the teacher preparation faculty of Ananda Marga Gurukula and the Global Association of Neohumanist Educators (GANE) proposed the creation of a college to prepare their teachers. We expanded from there. For more information about our history and our programs, check the website under ABOUT and click here for a full history of this process with AMGK.

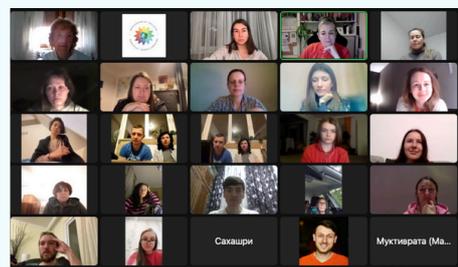
2015	Incorporation
2016-2020	Teacher Preparation Program
2021-2023	Course Expansion
2024-2025	Accreditation & Growth
2025-2026	Strategic Partnerships



Friends Gathering



Wellness Program at Campus



Online Class



## NEOHUMANIST COLLEGE OF ASHEVILLE

### COURSES & REACH

The College currently offers courses in five academic disciplines — Neohumanist Education, Yoga and Intuition Sciences, Liberating Humanities and Arts, Transformative Social Sciences, and Wellness and Psychology. In FY 24-25 we offered 15 courses with a student enrollment of 187. We have expanded our course offerings to 25 in FY 25-26. A list of our courses can be found on the [website](#).



NHCA welcomed more than 60 students from 15 countries to participate in the 2025-27 cohort of the Teacher Preparation Program. We are offering translation services to accommodate this increase in non-native English speakers.



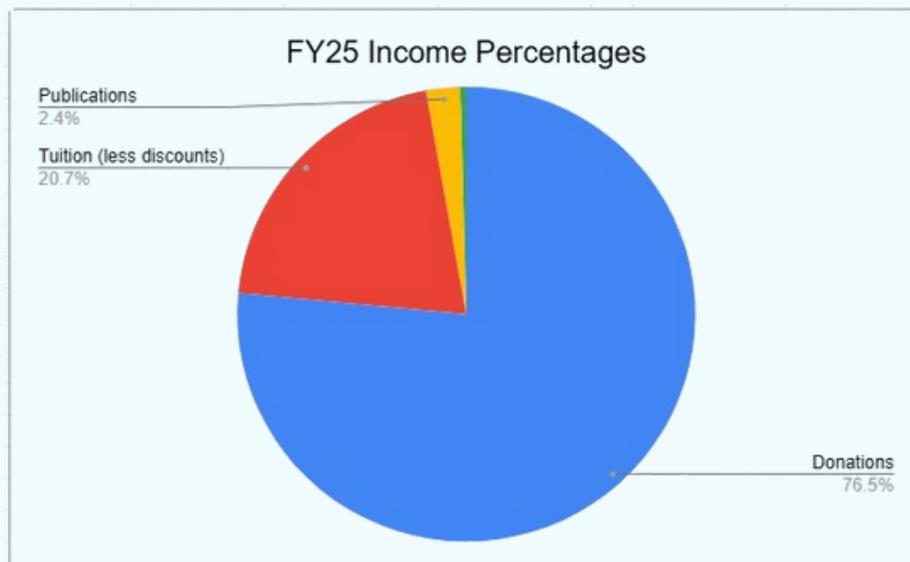
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### FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

The annual budget of the College is approximately \$150,000 which does not account for the many volunteers that support the operation including faculty and key staff. Of the eight-member core Team, four are volunteers. 60% of the faculty volunteer their time.

Despite the treasure trove of dedicated, capable volunteers, our tuition does not cover College expenses. Many of our students come from developing countries so we waive a portion of their tuition. We depend on contributions of talent and cash. A mentorship program began in September 2025 to increase the amount of tuition and decrease tuition waivers. This provided prospective students with assistance in raising funds from family and friends to cover a greater portion of their tuition.

In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, the College posted a profit of \$27,000, \$25,000 of which was a one-time donation to be applied for the next fiscal year.



To increase cash contributions, the Board approved a Fundraising Committee who volunteer their time to ensure the future success of our organization. A Fundraising Plan that includes an Annual Giving Campaign, Planned Giving and an approach to high networth individuals went to the Board.



# ACCREDITATION JOURNEY

To address the quality of our program, we are pursuing accreditation from the Accrediting Council for Continuing Education (ACCET), so that we can be assured that we can stand shoulder to shoulder with other institutions of higher learning and thus be considered for federal and state funding. At this time, we completed the self-evaluation and submitted it to ACCET in August 2025. We are proud of the many improvements in our systems and processes that have been implemented to conform to best practices in the education industry.

# ACCREDITATION TIMELINE



This is the [link to the overview of our business plan](#), updated for the 2025-2026 fiscal year.



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Join us in building a just, sustainable, and compassionate future for education.

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