

## East Carolina University and the Academic Common Market

The Graduate School at East Carolina University participates in the Academic Common Market (ACM), a program of the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) that allows its 16 member states to share academic degree programs that are not commonly available. Member states of the SREB are Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia. Through this program, North Carolina residents may pay in-state tuition rates at a participating university in another SREB state while pursuing a master's or doctoral degree program not available at one of the 16 University of North Carolina campuses. Qualified students from other SREB states may apply through their own state's ACM Coordinator to pursue North Carolina graduate degree programs not available in their home state's university system at the in-state tuition rate.

To qualify for the ACM, a student must be accepted for admission into a program that is part of his or her home state's Academic Common Market arrangement. Once accepted, a student's needs to contact the ACM coordinator in his or her home state. The ACM state coordinator will need to verify that the student is a legal resident of that state and the program to which the student has been accepted is not offered in his or her home state.

Each participating SREB state has a coordinator for the Academic Common Market. Each state coordinator's name and address can be obtained by visiting the SREB Web site at [www.sreb.org](http://www.sreb.org) or by calling the SREB in Atlanta at (404) 875-9211 or by email at [acm@northcarolina.edu](mailto:acm@northcarolina.edu)

### **ACM Programs at East Carolina University**

- **MA Maritime Studies**
- **MFA Art (Wood Design or Metal Design)**
- **MM Music Therapy**
- **MS Molecular Biology and Biotechnology**
- **MS Physics: Medical Concentration**
- **MS Recreational Therapy Administration**
- **PhD Biomedical Physics**
- **PhD Communication Sciences and Disorders**
- **PhD Coastal Resources Management**
- **PhD Bioenergetics**