

## Notification of Request for Authorization under the Degree-Granting Institutions Act

**Date posted:** July 3, 2024  
**Institution:** Northeastern University  
**Accreditation:** New England Commission of Higher Education  
**Current status:** Authorized to offer degree programs in Washington State  
**Nature of request:** Authorization to offer one additional program

**Proposed programs: Master of Science in Robotics**

**Locations:** 401 Terry Ave N. Suite 103. Seattle, WA 98109

**Background:**

Northeastern University is a private, non-profit institution based in Boston, MA. They opened a branch campus in Seattle in 2013 and have authorization to offer specified degree programs at their Seattle campus.

**Nature of the review:**

Prior to granting authorization to offer new degree programs in Washington State, the Washington Student Achievement Council/Degree Authorization reviews elements such as program outcomes, course requirements, method of course delivery, faculty credentials, and student services.

Information on the additional programs can be found on the university's website at:

<https://graduate.northeastern.edu/program/master-of-science-in-robotics-17772/>

**Timeline:**

WSAC will accept comments on this application until August 3, 2024.

Any individuals with knowledge that may indicate the institution and/or the program does not meet the authorization requirements of WAC 250-61 are requested to submit comments to: [Degree Authorization](#). Please note that comments may be shared with the institution requesting authorization and may be available to the public under Washington State law.

If you would like to know more about the current law and regulations that govern the program, they can be found at [Chapter 28B.85 RCW](#) and [WAC 250-61](#).