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# CAMPUS LIFE



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**L**IFE COLLEGE HAS BEEN GRANTED UNIVERSITY STATUS BY GEORGIA'S NONPUBLIC POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION COMMISSION. THE INSTITUTION WILL NOW BE KNOWN AS LIFE UNIVERSITY.

LIFE'S FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT DR. SID E. WILLIAMS WAS NOTIFIED OF APPROVAL FOR THE STATUS CHANGE IN A LETTER DATED MARCH 7, 1997 FROM THE STATE AGENCY.

"WITH THE CREATION OF LIFE UNIVERSITY COMES THE RECOGNITION THAT WE HAVE BECOME A DIVERSE, MULTI-FACETED INSTITUTION OFFERING A WIDE VARIETY OF DEGREE PROGRAMS," SAID DR. WILLIAMS. "CHIROPRACTIC IS THE VITAL HEART OF LIFE COLLEGE AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE SOUL OF OUR UNIVERSITY."

HE ADDED THAT, "OBTAINING THIS STATUS HAS BEEN A 22-YEAR EFFORT AND A 45-YEAR DREAM. MY HAT IS OFF TO ALL LIFE'S ADMINISTRATION, FACULTY AND STAFF, ALUMNI AND FRIENDS THAT WORKED TOGETHER TO MAKE THIS POSSIBLE. OUR CONCERTED EFFORT PRODUCED A DYNAMIC RESULT. AS THE OLD SAYING GOES, 'PERSISTENCY ALONE IS OMNIPOTENT!'"

LIFE WAS FOUNDED IN 1974 BY DR. WILLIAMS AS *LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE*. THE COLLEGE RECEIVED APPROVAL THAT YEAR FROM GEORGIA'S DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO OPEN AS A SINGLE DEGREE-GRANTING INSTITUTION. IN 1989 THE COLLEGE'S NAME WAS CHANGED TO *LIFE COLLEGE* AFTER THE CREATION OF A SCHOOL OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES IN ADDITION TO THE SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC.

THE COLLEGE HAS ALSO ESTABLISHED A SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES.

TODAY LIFE ENROLLS MORE THAN 4,200 IN ITS DEGREE PROGRAMS. APPROXIMATELY 3,500 OF THESE STUDENTS ARE IN THE D.C. PROGRAM. LIFE HAS THE WORLD'S LARGEST SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC.

LIFE OFFERS THE FOLLOWING DEGREES: DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC; MASTER OF SCIENCE IN SPORT HEALTH SCIENCE; BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION WITH A MAJOR IN MANAGEMENT; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NUTRITION FOR THE CHIROPRACTIC SCIENCES; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NUTRITION FOR DIETETICS (ADA APPROVED); PRE-PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION FOR ADVANCED CAREERS IN HEALTH CARE AND BUSINESS AND THE CHIROPRACTIC TECHNICIAN CERTIFICATE.