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Texas A&M-Corpus Christi One of Only 19 Colleges and Universities Nationwide to Earn ‘A’ Rating from ‘What Will They Learn?’ Study

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas –Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi’ has earned an “A” for its general education programs in the 2011-2012 “What Will They Learn?” study conducted by the American Council of Trustees and Alumni (ACTA).

The University is only one of 19 nationwide to earn the highest mark from ACTA, a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization that fosters excellence and accountability in colleges and universities. Texas A&M-Corpus Christi was recognized for its Core Curriculum Programs that develop, implement and evaluate undergraduate academic and academic-support programs to establish a foundation for general education, provide lifelong learning skills, and support the attainment of academic and career goals.

The results of the study can be found on WhatWillTheyLearn.com, an interactive website that grades colleges and universities in the seven key academic areas of composition, literature, foreign languages, U.S. government or history, economics, math and science. A total of 1,007 four-year colleges and universities with a combined enrollment of than 7 million undergraduate students were reviewed and rated on an “A” to “F” scale. Of these institutions, less than 2 percent received an “A” grade.

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