

Quality Assured	A status granted to a programme or institution that has been evaluated to ensure that it has met or exceeded the criteria and standards set by a legitimate quality assurance agency.
Accredited Institution	A post-secondary or tertiary education and training institution that has met and/or exceeded a quality assurance agency's criteria for accreditation.
Registered Institution	A post-secondary or tertiary education and training institution that has met ACTT's criteria and standards for registration and can operate legally as an educational entity in Trinidad and Tobago.
Recognised Institution	A foreign or local post-secondary or tertiary education and training institution that is quality assured by a legitimate quality assurance agency.
Recognised Programme	A post-secondary or tertiary education and training programme that is quality assured by a legitimate quality assurance agency.
Foreign Awarding Body	An organisation located in a country other than the one in which its programmes are offered and which develops content and standards for educational programmes that lead to the award of a qualification in its name. A Foreign Awarding Body is not directly involved in the delivery of programmes.
Foreign Awarding Institution	A post-secondary or tertiary institution located in a country other than the one in which its programmes are offered and which awards degrees and other qualifications in its own name. A Foreign Awarding Institution delivers its programmes.
Authorised	The approval given by a foreign awarding body or institution to a registered institution in Trinidad and Tobago to offer its programmes.