CAREER EDUCATION CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * O'Sullivan Colleen M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CAREER EDUCATION CORP [CECO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) CAREER ED CORPORATE MARTINGA	ON, 231 N.	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2014	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, CFO			
COHAIDADI	(Street)	1 0	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
SCHAUMBU	KG, IL 6017	3		Person			

(City)	(State) (Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Aco	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	n Date 2A. Deemed Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/14/2014		M	9,964	A	<u>(1)</u>	87,581.5419 (2)	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2014		D	9,964	D	\$ 6.82	77,617.5419 (2)	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2014		F	699 (3)	D	\$ 6.82	76,918.5419 (<u>2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	03/14/2014		F	350 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 6.82	76,568.5419 (2)	D	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	ŕ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Cash Settled RSU	<u>(1)</u>	03/14/2014		M	9,964	<u>(4)</u>	03/14/2017	Common Stock	9,964

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

O'Sullivan Colleen M CAREER EDUCATION CORPORATION 231 N. MARTINGALE ROAD SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173

SVP, CFO

Signatures

By: Gail B. Rago For: Colleen Maura

O'Sullivan 03/18/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each cash-settled RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Issuer's common stock.
- (2) Includes 47,865 restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Career Education Corporation 2008 Incentive Compensation Plan, with each restricted stock unit representing a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (3) Reflects shares of common stock surrendered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock or stock units.

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(4) These cash settled restricted stock units vest in four equal installments on each of March 14, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

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