

ATS-W Information from Lehman College Certification Officer

It is **imperative that all details are meticulously reviewed** in the two links at the end of this document **regarding the edTPA/ ATS-W safety net**. Highlights to pay close attention to:

- If you have received a **B or higher final grade this semester in your student teaching/ internship courses, then you are included in the college's submission** to the state as a qualified candidate for the edTPA/ ATS-W safety net. There is no need for any confirmation.
- Fall 2020 semester's submission list of students will be sent to the state during the month of January 2021, **after all grades have been submitted and evaluated.**
- The state requires the edTPA exam and **it will remain as a missing requirement, (even after the college submits student's names), until ALL other requirements for the initial certificate are completed and the last remaining requirement is the edTPA.** At that point, the state will require each student to **email the state with specific personal information to request the implementation for the ATS-W to replace the edTPA exam.** Read specific details in the links below.

Again, carefully read **all important details** in the following two links about the **edTPA/ ATS-W Safety Net**:

Lehman's

Website: <http://www.lehman.edu/academics/education/certificates-exams/edtpa-safety-net.php>

New York State Education Department's

website: <http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/covid19-emergency.html>

After reviewing all the above information and you still have any questions, send them to the Lehman Certification Office email at:

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