The University of North Alabama is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award bachelor's, master's and education specialist degrees.

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