This year’s Annual School Report represents a snapshot of data on NCRA-approved court reporting programs. Of the current 26 NCRA-approved court reporting programs, three are new to each others. In 2019 to be more inclusive and broaden its slate of schools, NCRA’s Council on Approved Student Education (CASE) approved a new tier of eligibility for programs.

NCRA Approved Programs

The DiscoverSteno program continues to be a powerful recruitment tool. Since its inception, over 5000 leads from the DiscoverSteno Interest/Inventory Survey have been sent to NCRA-approved schools. By the end of 2019, nearly 1300 participants had completed an NCRA A to Z Intro to Steno Machine Shorthand Program—aeither in person or online.

As of the beginning of 2020, NCRA-approved schools reported the following:• 298 of their enrolled students had completed an A to Z program• 75% of their students had participated, but not completed, an A to Z program• 15% of their graduates had completed an A to Z program

Many other A to Z completers have indicated they are enrolling in non NCRA-approved programs.

The number of NCRA A to Z® graduates is 70% female and 30% male. The ages range from 26 or older to 25 or younger.

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