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On-line university opens to students

Western Governors University, a virtual institution offering college courses and degrees through distance learning courses, began accepting enrollment Wednesday through its electronic catalog.

More than 180 college-level courses, most of them open for enrollment now, are listed in WGU's catalog, accessible through its Web site (www.wgu.edu).

University officials also announced that Sylvan Learning Systems, based in Baltimore, and WGU are looking into how Sylvan's 2,500 locations in more than 125 countries could be used for student assessments.

Briefs

About 25 traditional universities in 17 states and Guam provide WGU courses.

Officials also announced that Novell, a software company, will be WGU's first corporate provider of courses.