

O'Sullivan Colleen M
Form 4
March 05, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**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) (First) (Middle)
CAREER EDUCATION
CORPORATION, 231 N.
MARTINGALE ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2013

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP, CFO

SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/01/2013		F	(A) or (D) 1,954 (1) D \$ 3	61,062.5419 (4)	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2013		D	3,536 (2) D \$ 0	57,526.5419 (4)	D	
Common Stock	03/03/2013		F	666 (3) D \$ 3	56,860.5419 (4)	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

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

Senior VP, CFO

Signatures

Jeffrey D. Ayers as POA for Colleen M.
O'Sullivan

03/05/2013

____Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Reflects shares of common stock surrendered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock or restricted stock units.
- (2) Reflects forfeiture of performance-based restricted stock award.
- (3) Reflects shares of common stock surrendered to the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock or restricted stock units.
- (4) Includes 28,650 restricted stock units, with each unit representing a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's stock.

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