CAREER EDUCATION CORP Form 8-K October 13, 2015

#### **UNITED STATES**

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): October 7, 2015

**Career Education Corporation** 

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 0-23245 (Commission 36-3932190 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

## 231 N. Martingale Rd., Schaumburg, IL60173(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (847) 781-3600

#### Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On October 7, 2015, Career Education Corporation (the <u>Company</u>) implemented several leadership changes in connection with the Company s transformation strategy. Jason Friesen, Senior Vice President and Chief University Education Officer, and Lysa Clemens, Senior Vice President, Transitional Operations and Chief Transformation Officer, will be leaving the organization effective October 16, 2015. The Company thanks Mr. Friesen and Ms. Clemens for their dedicated service to our schools.

On October 13, 2015, the Company issued a press release announcing these and other management changes. A copy of the release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

# ExhibitNumberDescription of Exhibit99.1Press release of the Company dated October 13, 2015

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### CAREER EDUCATION CORPORATION

By: /s/ Jeffrey D. Ayers Jeffrey D. Ayers Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary Dated: October 13, 2015

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### <u>Exhibit Index</u>

#### Exhibit

99.1 Press release of the Company dated October 13, 2015

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