

CAREER EDUCATION CORP
Form 8-K
August 31, 2010

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): August 31, 2010

Career Education Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

0-23245
(Commission

File Number)

36-3932190
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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2895 Greenspoint Parkway, Suite 600, Hoffman Estates, IL
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60169
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (847) 781-3600

(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)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 8.01 Other Events.

On Tuesday, August 31, 2010, Gary E. McCullough, President and Chief Executive Officer of Career Education Corporation (the Registrant), participated in a forum on for-profit education hosted by Senator Dick Durbin (D-IL) and held at the Dirksen Federal Building, 219 South Dearborn Street in Chicago, Illinois. Mr. McCullough's remarks are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, and the information contained therein is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit

| Number | Description of Exhibits |
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| 99.1 | Statement of Gary E. McCullough, President and Chief Executive Officer of Career Education Corporation,, on August 31, 2010. |

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/ Michael J. Graham
Michael J. Graham
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial
Officer

Dated: August 31, 2010

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