CAREER EDUCATION CORP Form SC 13G August 17, 2007

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

SCHEDULE 13G

(Amendment No.)

Career Education Corporation

(Name of issuer)

COMMON STOCK, PAR Value \$0.01 per share

(Title of class of securities)

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141665109

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(CUSIP number)

August 8, 2007

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(Date of event which requires filing of this statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

|X| Rule 13d-1(b)
|X| Rule 13d-1(c)
|\_| Rule 13d-1(d)

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(Continued on the following pages)

(1) The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 141665109				Page 2 of 9 Pages			
1	1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS						
	Delta Pa:	tners	LLC				
2	CHECK THI	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) (b)					
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENS	HIP OR	PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	State of	Delawa	are				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
			None				
REPO	OWNED BY EACH REPORTING		6 SHARED VOTING POWER				
PERSON WITH			4,624,000 common stock				
		7	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
			None				
			SHARED DISPOSITIVE POW	 ER			
			4,624,000 common stock				
9	AGGREGATE	MOUNT	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EA	CH REPORTING PERSON			
	4,624,000 0						
10	CHECK BOX			(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
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11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9						
	5.1% common stock						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON *						
	CO, IA						
	*	SEE IN	ISTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLIN	G OUT!			

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS					
	Charles Jobson					
2	2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*					
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		7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
		None				
		8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
		4,624,000 common stock				
9	AGGREGATE AMO	OUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	4,624,000 com	mon stock				
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11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9					
	5.1% common stock					
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON *					
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		E INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!				
		STATEMENT ON SCHEDULE 13G				

ITEM 1(a). NAME OF ISSUER:

Career Education Corporation

ITEM 1(b). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES:

2895 Greenspoint Parkway Suite 600 Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

ITEM 2(a). NAMES OF PERSON FILING:

Delta Partners LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company Charles Jobson, United States Citizen

ITEM 2(b). BUSINESS MAILING ADDRESS FOR EACH PERSON FILING:

Each of the reporting persons & entities has a business address of:

One International Place, Suite 2401 Boston, MA 02110

ITEM 2(c). CITIZENSHIP:

Shown in item 2(a) above

ITEM 2(d). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 per share

ITEM 2(E). CUSIP NUMBER:

#### 141665109

ITEM3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR 13D-2(B), CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:

#### Not Applicable

If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 240, 13d-1(c), check this box [x].

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ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP:

DELTA PARTNERS LLC \*
(a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 4,624,000 common stock
(b) Percent of Class: 5.1% common stock
(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: None
(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote:4,624,000 common stock
(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: None

(iv)shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:4,624,000 common stock

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CHARLES JOBSON \*
(a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 4,624,000 common stock
(b) Percent of Class: 5.1% common stock
(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: None
(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote:4,624,000 common stock
(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: None
(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:4,624,000
common stock

\* Shares reported for Delta Partners, LLC and Charles Jobson include shares beneficially owned by Prism Partners L.P., Prism Offshore Fund Limited, Prism Partners QP, LP, and one separate account.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not Applicable

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ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON:

#### Not Applicable

ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY:

Not Applicable

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP:

#### Not Applicable

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ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP:

Not Applicable

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ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

#### SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: August 17, 2007

DELTA PARTNERS LLC

By: /s/ Charles Jobson

Charles Jobson, Managing Member

CHARLES JOBSON By: Charles Jobson

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#### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of a statement on Schedule 13G (including amendments thereto) with respect to the Common Stock of Career Education Corporation and further agree that this agreement be included as an exhibit to such filing. Each party to the agreement expressly authorizes each other party to file on its behalf any and all amendments to such statement. Each party to this agreement agrees that this joint filing agreement may be signed in counterparts.

In evidence whereof, the undersigned have caused this Agreement to be executed on their behalf this 17th day of August 2007.

DELTA PARTNERS LLC By: /s/ Charles Jobson \_\_\_\_\_\_Charles Jobson, Managing Member

CHARLES JOBSON By: Charles Jobson

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