



January 13, 2020

Dr. Larry Howard, Professor  
Global Business and Transportation Department  
State University of New York Maritime College  
6 Pennyfield Avenue  
Bronx, NY 10465

Dear Dr. Howard:

The IACBE Board of Commissioners met on January 10, 2020 to consider the application of the Global Business and Transportation Department at the State University of New York Maritime College for Candidacy status. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved your application and granted Candidacy status effective January 10, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

Please note that candidacy status may not exceed five years. However, under extenuating circumstances and upon written petition, an extension may be approved by the Board of Commissioners. Under no circumstance is there any guarantee that the business programs of candidates for accreditation will be accredited. This determination is made by the IACBE Board of Commissioners after a self-study is prepared and a site visit is conducted.

The Board of Commissioners included the following item(s) for you to address in your Outcomes Assessment Plan:

1. Please verify that the Performance Objective for direct assessment #1 (entrance/exit assessment) has subsets of questions for both Intended Student Learning Outcomes (ISLOs) 5 and 6 (the performance objective only lists #6).

The following language must be used on the Business Department homepage, linking to your IACBE status page at <https://iacbe.org/memberpdf/SUNYMaritimeCollege.pdf>

*“The Global Business and Transportation Department at the State University of New York Maritime College has been awarded the status of Candidate for Accreditation by the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) located at 11374 Strang Line Road in Lenexa, Kansas, USA. For a listing of the degrees eligible for accreditation, click [here.](#)” (linked to IACBE status page)*

Following is the approved language for other official written publications when referencing your IACBE accreditation status:

*The Global Business and Transportation Department at the State University of New York Maritime College has been awarded the status of Candidate for Accreditation by the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) located at 11374 Strang Line Road in Lenexa, Kansas, USA. In granting candidacy status, the IACBE has determined that the business programs in the following degrees are eligible for accreditation:*

<b>Program(s)</b>
Bachelor of Science in International Transportation and Trade

*The following locations will be included in the first-time accreditation review:*

<b>Location(s)</b>	
Main campus	6 Pennyfield Lane, Bronx, NY 10465

All necessary materials and instructions for the preparation of your self-study are available on the IACBE website. Please contact the IACBE headquarters office to determine a timeframe for the submission of your self-study and for your site visit.

Additionally, you must have at least one representative attend the IACBE Accreditation Institute within one year of beginning the self-study. This workshop can be conducted onsite at your institution as a two-day mentoring visit at your expense, or your representative(s) may attend one of the workshops that are offered by the IACBE at various times and locations throughout the year. Contact the IACBE office if you believe you have already fulfilled this requirement.

Congratulations on taking this next step toward specialized accreditation. Should you have any questions, or if I can be of assistance to you, please contact me through the IACBE headquarters office. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,



Dr. Patrick Hafford, Chair  
Board of Commissioners