

July 19, 2018

Dr. Vlad Dolgopolov Associate Dean College of Professional Studies and Advancement National Louis University 122 S. Michigan Avenue Chicago, IL 60603

Dear Dr. Dolgopolov,

The IACBE Board of Commissioners met on July 10-11, 2018, to consider your request for the accreditation of the business programs offered by the College of Professional Studies and Advancement at National Louis University. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved your request and granted accreditation to your business programs accompanied by the commendations identified below.

## **Commendations**

Commendations are findings of the Board of Commissioners in those areas in which the board believes that the College of Professional Studies and Advancement are demonstrating excellent performance.

- 1. The Board of Commissioners commends the College of Professional Studies and Advancement and the university for the focus on social responsibility throughout the strategic plan. It is also visible in the program initiatives such as PACE, the recruitment strategy for high school students, and the tuition model for the undergraduate programs used to reach the under-represented populations.
- 2. The Board of Commissioners commends National Louis University for the strong commitment to supporting their students' career aspirations. This is evidenced in the participation in the Parker Dewey Program and the internships provided. Faculty commitment was also evidenced throughout the site visit.

Accreditation represents a continuing relationship between an institution and its accrediting organization. Specialized program accreditation by the IACBE is dependent upon your institution remaining (i) in good standing with your institutional accrediting body and (ii) in compliance with the IACBE's Accreditation Principles and Policies. Your accreditation is valid for a maximum of seven years, through July 31, 2025.

All accredited members of the IACBE are required to submit an Interim Quality Assurance Report (IQAR) during their period of accreditation. The IQAR for the College of Professional Studies and Advancement will be due by November 1, 2022. For more information about the new reporting process, please contact IACBE headquarters.

The following link to your member status page which contains a listing of your accredited programs must be provided on the College of Professional Studies and Advancement home page: (<u>http://iacbe.org/memberpdf/NationalLouisUniversity.pdf</u>)

The College of Professional Studies and Advancement at National Louis University has received specialized accreditation for its business programs through the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) located at 11374 Strang Line Road in Lenexa, Kansas, USA. The business programs in the following degrees at the listed locations are accredited by the IACBE:

Business Program:	Business Unit:
Master's-Level Programs	
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Master of Health Services Administration	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Master of Science in Human Resource Management and Development	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Bachelor's-Level Programs	
Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Bachelor of Science in Health Care Leadership	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Bachelor of Science in Management	College of Professional Studies and Advancement
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems	College of Professional Studies and Advancement

The following locations have been approved to offer the business programs listed above:

- Main Campus Chicago, Illinois, USA
- Lisle, Illinois, USA
- Wheeling, Illinois, USA
- Online

If the list of accredited programs is provided in other official publications, the preceding notice pertaining to your accreditation status with the IACBE must be used.

The College of Professional Studies and Advancement will be publicly recognized for achieving accreditation at the 2019 IACBE Annual Conference and Assembly Meeting on April 9-12 in Las Vegas, Nevada, USA. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

We encourage the business faculty in the College of Professional Studies and Advancement to be actively involved in the IACBE's professional development programs and activities, including participation in the IACBE's Annual Conference and Assembly Meetings, regional conferences, and workshops, and serving as site-visit team peer reviewers.

Should you have any questions or if I can be of assistance to you, please contact me through the IACBE's headquarters office.

Sincerely,

Dr. Laurie Yates, Chair Board of Commissioners