



International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education

December 30, 2013

Dr. Bibiana Boerio
Interim President
Seton Hill University
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Dear Dr. Boerio:

The IACBE Board of Commissioners met on December 5-6, 2013 to consider the request for accreditation of the business programs offered by Seton Hill University. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved the request and granted accreditation to the business programs subject to the note discussed later in this letter.

The commissioners also endorsed the commendations of the site-visit team, which were itemized in the team's findings letter.

Notes

Notes represent areas in which the institution is not in full compliance with the IACBE's Accreditation Principles. Seton Hill University is required to take action on the notes as specified by the IACBE Board of Commissioners, and until the deficiencies identified in the notes have been eliminated, the progress made in ameliorating the deficiencies must be addressed each year in the annual report to the IACBE. Unless otherwise indicated herein, the institution has three years to eliminate the deficiencies identified in the notes.

Principle 1.1: Outcomes Assessment – Degree of Compliance: Partially Compliant

Outcomes Assessment Plan

In its annual report due by November 1, 2014, the Division of Business must submit a revised outcomes assessment plan that addresses student learning assessment for each concentration in its undergraduate and graduate programs, i.e., that includes concentration-specific intended student learning outcomes and identifies appropriate assessment measures and relevant evaluation rubrics for those outcomes.

Outcomes Assessment Results

The Division of Business must fully implement its revised outcomes assessment plan and close-the-loop under the new plan within two years. In addition, the division must report on its progress in these areas each year in its annual report to the IACBE.

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 as set forth in the *IACBE Bylaws*, *Accreditation Process Manual*, and *Self-Study Manual*. Your accreditation is valid for a maximum of six years, through December 31, 2019.

The following notice pertaining to your accreditation status with the IACBE must be used in your official publications, including your institutional website:

Seton Hill University has received specialized accreditation for its business programs through the International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education (IACBE) located at 11374 Strang Line Road in Lenexa, Kansas, USA. The business programs in the following degrees are accredited by the IACBE:

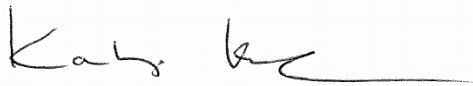
- *Master of Business Administration with specializations in:*
 - *Accounting*
 - *Entrepreneurship*
 - *Management*
 - *Sport Management*
 - *Bachelor of Arts in Business with concentrations in:*
 - *Entrepreneurial Studies*
 - *Human Resources*
 - *Information Management*
 - *International Organization*
 - *Marketing*
 - *Bachelor of Science in Accountancy*
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Seton Hill University will be publicly recognized for achieving accreditation at the 2014 IACBE Annual Conference and Assembly Meeting on April 8-11, 2014 in San Diego, California, USA. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

We encourage the business faculty at Seton Hill University to be actively involved in the IACBE's professional development programs and activities, including participation in the Assembly's annual conference, regional meetings, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Katalin Kovacs', is written over a light gray rectangular background.

Ms. Katalin Kovacs, Chair
Board of Commissioners

cc: Dr. Mary Ann Gawelek, Provost and Dean of the Faculty
Dr. Paul Mahady, Chair, Division of Business
Dr. Terrence DePasquale, Dean of Graduate and External Programs
Dr. Douglas Nelson, Director, MBA