



International Accreditation Council for Business Education

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Dear Dr. Reddy:

The IACBE Board of Commissioners met on 22-23 April 2017 to consider your request for the accreditation of the business programmes offered by the College of Management and Economics Studies at the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved your request and granted accreditation to your business programmes accompanied by the note, observation, and commendations identified below.

Notes

Notes represent areas in which the College of Management and Economics Studies is not in full compliance with the IACBE's Accreditation Principles. The college is required to take action on the notes as specified by the IACBE Board of Commissioners, and until the issues identified in the notes have been satisfactorily addressed, the progress made in complying with the commissioners' requirements as stipulated in the notes must be reported each year to the IACBE. Unless otherwise indicated herein, the college has three years to address the issues identified in the notes. The annual reporting form for note compliance can be found on our website at: www.iacbe.org/reports-note-compliance.asp.

Principle 4.1: Faculty Qualifications

Please provide a credentials justification for Professor Suresh Chander Gupta.

Observations

Observations are suggestions for further quality enhancements that the Board of Commissioners believes would be helpful to the College of Management and Economics Studies in achieving excellence in business education, but are not required for compliance with the IACBE's Accreditation Principles. Action on observations by the College of Management and Economics Studies is optional, and reporting is not required.

Principle 1.1: Outcomes Assessment

The Board of Commissioners recommends that the College of Management and Economics Studies consider revising its broad-based operational goals and/or its intended operational outcomes so that the goals and intended outcomes are better differentiated.

Commendations

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

1. The Board of Commissioners commends the College of Management and Economics Studies for its innovative approach of incorporating domain-specific education (e.g., oil, gas, energy, aviation, etc.) into its degree programmes.
2. The college and the university are to be commended for their powerful CORTAS (Cloud-Optimized Real-Time Timetabling and Attendance System) monitoring platform.
3. The College of Management and Economics Studies is to be commended for its innovative summer M3 (Monsson Management Magic) orientation and preparation programme for students.
4. The Board of Commissioners commends the College of Management and Economics Studies for its strong faculty industry-internship and training programme – 'Abhigyat.'
5. The College of Management and Economics Studies is commended for its 'Books-to-Board Room' programme that brings 'industry champions,' including CEOs, CMDs, etc. from various industries to which the college's programmes are tailored, for the purpose of delivering lectures about the state of the industries.

Accreditation represents a continuing relationship between an institution and its accrediting organization. Specialized programme 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 April 2024.

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 Management and Economic Studies will be due by 30 June in 2021. For more information about the new reporting process, please contact IACBE headquarters.

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

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

Business Programme	Locations
• <i>Master of Business Administration (Logistics and Supply Chain Management)</i>	<i>Dehradun, India</i>
• <i>Master of Business Administration (Oil and Gas Management)</i>	<i>Dehradun, India</i>

The University of Petroleum and Energy Studies will be publicly recognized for achieving accreditation at the 2018 IACBE Annual Conference and Assembly Meeting on 17-20 April 2018 in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

We encourage the business faculty at the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies to be actively involved in the IACBE's professional development programmes 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