

December 18, 2019

Dr. Steve Moysey
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Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education
Framingham State University
100 State Street
Framingham, MA 01701

Dear Dr. Moysey:

The IACBE Board of Commissioners met December 14, 2019 to consider your request for the accreditation of the Master of Business Administration program offered by the Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education at Framingham State University. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved your request and granted accreditation to your business program accompanied by the following note(s) and observation(s).

Notes

Notes are an indicator that while the program is in compliance with the Principles, additional monitoring is warranted. The Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education is required to take action as specified below and respond to the IACBE by February 28, 2020 using the IACBE Notes Report. The reporting form can be found on our website at: www.iacbe.org/reports-note-compliance.asp.

No notes were given by the Board of Commissioners.

Observations

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

No observations were given by the Board of Commissioners.

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 Period of Accreditation is: December 14, 2019 through December 31, 2024

In addition to the compliance reports due November 1 of each year, 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 Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education will be due by November 1, 2021. For more information about the reporting process, please contact IACBE headquarters.

The following language must be used on the Office of Graduate Studies homepage, linking to your IACBE status page at https://iacbe.org/memberpdf/FraminghamStateUniversity.pdf

The Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education at Framingham State 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. For a list of accredited programs click here.

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

The Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education at Framingham State University has received specialized accreditation for the following business programs through the International Accreditation Council for Business Education (IACBE) located at 11374 Strang Line Road in Lenexa, Kansas, USA.

| Business Programs |
|-----------------------------------|
| Master of Business Administration |

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

| Locations | |
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| Main Campus | 100 State Street, Framingham, MA 01701 |

The Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education at Framingham State University will be publicly recognized for achieving accreditation at the 2020 IACBE Annual Conference and Assembly Meeting on March 31-April 3, 2020 in Dallas, Texas, USA. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

We encourage the business faculty in the Office of Graduate Studies and Continuing Education 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. Patrick Hafford, Chair Board of Commissioners

Cc: Dr. Angela Salas, Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs