



April 14, 2021

Sent by email to: judegideon@gau.edu.tr

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Dear Mr. Jude:

At its April 2021 meeting, the IACBE Board of Commissioners considered your request for the accreditation of the business programs offered by the Faculty of Business and Economics of Girne American University. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved your request and granted specialized accreditation to the business program(s) as identified in the "Business Programs" table below, 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 Faculty of Business and Economics required to take action as specified below and respond to the IACBE by May 15, 2021 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 issued by the Board of Commissioners.

Observations

Observations are suggestions for further quality enhancements that the Board of Commissioners believes would be helpful for you 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 made by the Board of Commissioners.

Additionally, upon completion of the review the Board of Commissioners voted to not require an on-site follow-up 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 Current Period of Accreditation is: May 1, 2021 – April 30, 2028

In addition to the annual compliance reports, 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 Faculty of Business and Economics will be due by November 1, 2024. For more information on these reports, please refer to the IACBE website under Accreditation > Compliance.

The following language must be used on the Faculty of Business and Economics homepage, where "status page" is a hyperlink to your IACBE status page at <https://iacbe.org/memberpdf/GirneAmericanUniversity.pdf>

The Faculty of Business and Economics of Girne American 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 please view our IACBE member [status page](#).

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 Faculty of Business and Economics of Girne American 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. The IACBE grants accreditation for business and accounting programs only. Locations for program offerings are at the sole discretion of the Member.

Business Programs
Master of Business Administration with Specializations in: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Banking and Finance• Business Management• International Business Management• Management Information Systems (MIS)• Marketing

Master of Science in Business Management
Master of Science in Economics
Bachelor of Science in Accounting
Bachelor of Science in Banking and Finance
Bachelor of Science in Business Management
Bachelor of Science in Economics
Bachelor of Science in International Business Management
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems (MIS)
Bachelor of Science in Marketing
Associate of Science in Accounting and Tax Application
Associate of Science in Banking and Insurance
Associate of Science in Business Management
Associate of Science in Marketing

The Faculty of Business and Economics will be publicly recognized for achieving accreditation at the 2022 IACBE Annual Conference and Assembly Meeting April 4-8, 2022 in Costa Mesa, California, USA. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

We encourage the business faculty in the Faculty of Business and Economics 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.

If you have any questions or if we can be of assistance, please feel free to contact your liaison Phyllis Okrepkie at pokrepkie@iacbe.org or 913-631-3009.

Sincerely,



Dr. Scott Schroeder, Chair
Board of Commissioners

cc: Ms. Feyza Bhatti (feyzabhatti@gmail.com)

