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Dear Mr. Pinto:

At its July 2021 meeting, the IACBE Board of Commissioners considered the application for new program(s) submitted by the Faculty of Business and Technology at the Stamford International University. I am pleased to report that the Board of Commissioners approved the application and granted specialized accreditation to the business program(s) as identified below, accompanied by the following note(s) and observation(s):

Business Program
Master of Business Administration

### **Notes**

Notes are an indicator that while the program is in compliance with the Principles, additional monitoring is warranted. The Faculty of Business and Technology is required to take action as specified below and respond to the IACBE by October 18, 2021 (unless another due date is indicated within the Note) using the IACBE Notes Report. The reporting form can be found on our website at: [www.iacbe.org/reports-note-compliance.asp](http://www.iacbe.org/reports-note-compliance.asp).

*No notes were made 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.*

While there were no Notes or Observations assigned by the Board of Commissioners, they do have the following recommendations for the University to consider as it moves forward with ongoing quality improvement of its Outcomes Assessment Plan for the Master of Business Administration Program.

1. Ensure that the intended outcomes are appropriate to a Master-level degree program. For guidance, please refer to the “Blooms Taxonomy and Writing Intended Student Learning Outcomes” document available in the Member Resource section of the IACBE website.
2. Ensure all assessment measures include items, questions, or components that directly and explicitly evaluate the ISLOS they are designed to measure.
3. Ensure all scales/measurements stated in the assessment targets correspond to the scale/rubric evaluation levels. For example, if the rubric uses levels “accepted” or “excellent”, the assessment target should be stated using “accepted” or “excellent”, not other levels such as “meets or exceeds”
4. Confirm that each faculty member meets IACBE requirements to teach the subject areas to which they are assigned.

The aforementioned program(s) is/are now included in the current grant of accreditation and will be added to the school’s list of IACBE-accredited programs within 30-days of the Board of Commissioners decision.

**Your Current Period of Accreditation is: July 12, 2016 – July 31, 2023**

Accreditation represents a continuing relationship between an institution and its accrediting organization. Specialized program accreditation by the IACBE is dependent upon (i) your institution remaining in good standing with your institutional accrediting body and (ii) the Faculty of Business and Technology maintaining responsibility for offering and operating newly approved degree programs in compliance with all IACBE Principles and reporting requirements.

We encourage all business faculty in the Faculty of Business and Technology 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](mailto:pokrepkie@iacbe.org) or 913-631-3009.

Sincerely,



Scott Schroeder, Chair  
Board of Commissioners