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「経営分野認証評価」の審査結果について（通知）

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拝啓 陽春の候、ますますご清祥のこととお慶び申し上げます。平素より ABEST21 認証評価活動に格別のご高配を賜り、誠に有難く感謝申し上げます。

貴校大学院経営戦略研究科経営戦略専攻より申請のありました経営分野認証評価につきまして慎重に審議しました結果、本教育プログラムは一般社団法人 ABEST21 が定める経営分野専門職大学院評価基準に「適合」し、改善すべき課題の履行により教育研究の質維持向上が十分に期待でき、非常に優れている教育プログラムであると認定します。認定期間は 2015 年 4 月 1 日より 2020 年 3 月 31 日までの 5 年間です。詳細につきましては別送の認証評価審査結果報告書をご参照いただきたく願申し上げます。

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ABEST21 Accreditation Review Report

for

**Institute of Business and Accounting,
Kwansei Gakuin University, Japan**



March, 2015

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Foreword

The mission of a business school is to nurture world-class management professionals who can compete in the age of advanced technology, social, economic, and cultural globalization, and accelerated computerization. To achieve the mission, it is indispensable to develop an educational system at an internationally recognized level, accompanied by educational quality assurance. Accreditation by a third party must ensure not only the educational quality that the school is expected to achieve, but also ensure educational quality enhancement to the stakeholders of the school.

ABEST21 was founded on July 1, 2005, as an accreditation institution aiming to nurture world-class management professionals and enhance the quality of management education at business schools in the age of globalization. So, in accrediting business schools, ABEST21 has been involved in not only the quality assurance of education but in building the educational system which will be the basis for enhancement of educational quality in response to the change of environment. ABEST21 has assessed the quality of educational and research activities of the business schools in a fair and objective manner. In addition, we have recognized our responsibility for supporting the establishment of the educational system which provides enhancement of educational quality through promotion of PDCA cycle operation toward the future development.

In order to achieve the aim of accreditation as above, we have conducted accreditation on educational and research activities based on the following viewpoints:

- 1) Positive reviews which enhance the distinctive features of management education at the School
- 2) Active reviews which promote globalization of the School
- 3) Active reviews which enhance the quality of educational and research activities of the School
- 4) Social reviews to meet the needs of the School's stakeholders.

Based on these viewpoints, we ratified accreditations for all 8 schools on March 5, 2015. The accredited schools for fiscal 2014 are:

- Faculty of Economics and Business, Universitas Diponegoro, Indonesia
- Graduate School of Innovation & Technology Management, Yamaguchi University, Japan
- Institute of Business and Accounting, Kwansai Gakuin University, Japan
- Arshad Ayub Graduate Business School, Universiti Teknologi MARA, Malaysia
- Graduate School of Business, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Malaysia
- Putra Business School, Universiti Putra Malaysia, Malaysia
- Othman Yeop Abdullah Graduate School of Business, Universiti Utara Malaysia, Malaysia
- Faculty of Business, Economics and Communications, Naresuan University, Thailand.

On this occasion, I would like to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude to our members of the Peer Review Teams, the Peer Review Committee, the Accreditation Committee, and the School staff members for all their unending support in conducting the peer review of the quality of management education at the business schools in the age of globalization.

Fumio Itoh, President
ABEST21
15 May 2015