

National Architectural Accrediting Board, Inc.

July 30, 2015

Wim Wiewel, President
President's Office
Portland State University
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Dear President Wiewel:

At the July 2015 meeting of the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB), the directors reviewed the Visiting Team Report (VTR) for Portland State University, School of Architecture.

As a result, the professional architecture program **Master of Architecture** was formally granted an eight-year term of continuing accreditation.

The term is effective January 1, 2015. The program is scheduled for its next visit for continuing accreditation in 2023.

Continuing accreditation is subject to two reporting requirements.

First, all programs must submit an Annual Statistical Report (see Section 10 of the NAAB *Procedures for Accreditation*, 2012 Edition, **Amended**). This report captures statistical information on the institution and the program.

Second, a program that receives an eight-year term of accreditation is required to submit an *Interim Progress Report* two years after a visit and again five years after the visit. This requirement is described in Section 11 of the 2012 NAAB *Procedures*. The next statistical report is due November 30, 2015; the first interim progress report is due November 2017.

Finally, under the terms of the 2012 *Procedures for Accreditation*, programs are required to make the Architecture Program Report, the VTR, and related documents available to the public. Please see Section 5 for additional information.

The visiting team has asked me to express its appreciation for your gracious hospitality.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Shannon B. Kraus', is written over a blue circular stamp.

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President

cc: Clive Knights, Chair
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