



Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Office of the Executive Director

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Andrew K. Benton, President
Pepperdine University
24255 Pacific Coast Highway
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Dear President Benton:

I am writing to inform you that on June 27, 2012, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of *Accreditation with Stipulations* to Pepperdine University and all of its credential programs.

Following are the stipulations:

- That within a year of the site visit, Pepperdine University provide for the Committee on Accreditation a written response with evidence that addresses Common Standard 2 issues identified in the accreditation report and demonstrates that the unit assessment system is being fully implemented.
- That within a year of the site visit, Pepperdine University provide for the Committee on Accreditation a written response with evidence that addresses Multiple and Single Subject Program Standard 1 issues identified in this report and clearly describes the design of the revised program, the articulation of all pathways to the credential, and a status report on its implementation.

On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to offer the following programs:

- Multiple Subject Credential
Multiple Subject Intern
- Single Subject Credential
Single Subject Intern
- Preliminary Administrative Services Credential
- Professional Administrative Services Credential

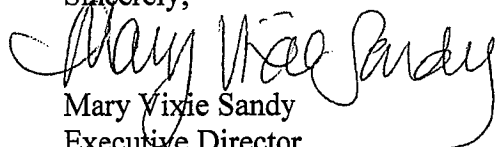
In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- Pepperdine University is permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation.
- Pepperdine University continues in its assigned cohort on the schedule of accreditation activities, subject to the continuation of the present schedule of accreditation activities by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Cheryl Hickey, Administrator of Accreditation, at (916) 322-0695.

The Commission and its staff are grateful to Pepperdine University for its commitment to the preparation of professional educators.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mary Vixie Sandy". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Mary Vixie Sandy
Executive Director

cc: Margaret Weber, Dean
Graduate School of Education and Psychology

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