



Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Office of the Executive Director

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Mary Marcy, President
Dominican University of California
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Dear President Marcy:

I am writing to inform you that on April 29, 2016, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of **Accreditation with Major Stipulations** to Dominican University of California and all of its credential programs.

Within one year of the accreditation decision, Dominican University of California must submit documentation, plan and host a revisit with evidence of the following:

- 1) that the institution has established a stable leadership structure to ensure that the differentiated needs and interests of all delivery models and program sites are met,
- 2) that criteria for selection, preparation and support of content coaches has been developed and implemented,
- 3) that a comprehensive and unit-wide assessment and evaluation system that addresses all credential programs and unit operations is implemented and guides program and unit improvement for all delivery models and program sites, and
- 4) that data analysis and discussion systematically address candidate competence and inform program and unit improvement for all delivery models and program sites.

On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to recommend candidates for the following Credentials:

- Multiple Subject Credential
Multiple Subject Intern
- Single Subject Credential
Single Subject Intern
- Education Specialist Credentials
Mild/Moderate Disabilities
Mild/Moderate Disabilities Intern

- Added Authorization
Early Childhood Special Education

In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- Dominican University of California is permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation.
- Dominican University of California 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 chickey@ctc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Mary Vixie Sandy, Ed. D.
Executive Director

cc: Robin Gayle, Acting Dean
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