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Dear Professor Johnson:

The Landscape Architectural Accreditation Board at its July 26-27, 2013 meeting granted accreditation for six (6) years to the course of study leading to the first professional MLA degree at the University of Arizona. This status is subject to review of annual reports and maintenance of good standing.

Accreditation is awarded on a time-certain basis. The six-year period of accreditation ends June 30, 2019. Accordingly, the MLA program is next scheduled for a review during the spring of 2019.

In making its decision, the LAAB considered the program's self-evaluation report, the visiting team report, the institution's response to the team report, and discussions with team members and program faculty.

Typically LAAB develops a list of recommendations affecting accreditation and suggestions for improvement for programs to address. The LAAB is pleased to note that no recommendations or suggestions resulted from this review.

On behalf of the visiting team, I would like to thank you for the hospitality extended to them by the faculty, staff, and students.

Sincerely,

Mary Myers, ASLA LAAB Chair

Enclosure

cc: Dr. Ann Weaver Hart, President

University of Arizona MLA Program LAAB Meeting July 26-27, 2013

Summary of Recommendations and Suggestions

Recommendations Affecting Accreditation:

None

Suggestions for Improvement:

None