

CI business programs approved for ACBSP candidacy

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"We are delighted to have California State University Channel Islands as a candidate for ACBSP accreditation," said Dr. Steve Parscale, ACBSP Chief Accreditation Officer. "The fact that CI is pursuing ACBSP accreditation shows their commitment to providing the highest quality business education for their students," he said.

According to Dr. William Cordeiro, CI Associate Vice President and head of the Smith School, "Being a candidate for ACBSP accreditation enhances our value to our students and ultimately makes them more attractive in the marketplace."

ACBSP is recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) as a specialized accreditation agency for business education. ACBSP currently has 1,315 member campuses, 211 of which are located outside of the U.S. Of those campuses, 997 have achieved accreditation and more than 225 are in candidacy for accreditation. Individual members on these campuses now exceed 11,000.