July 18, 2017

Dr. F. King Alexander  
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Dear Dr. Alexander:

The Board of Directors of the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) met July 13-15, 2017, for the purpose of making accreditation decisions. Two counseling programs housed in the College of Human Sciences and Education at Louisiana State University were reviewed under the 2009 CACREP Standards. The Board made the following decisions:

**Clinical Mental Health Counseling (M.Ed. degree)**  
*Accredited: Eight-Year Period through March 31, 2025*

**School Counseling (M.Ed. degree)**  
*Accredited: Eight-Year Period through March 31, 2025*

The Board based the above accreditation decisions on an extensive review of the self-study documents, the visiting team’s report, and the institution’s response to the visiting team’s report. Please note that the accreditation cycle end date listed above, as per CACREP policy, reflects a prior extension of accredited status granted to these programs in the previous accreditation cycle.

Programs receiving accreditation for an eight-year period deserve to be commended for the work completed throughout the accreditation process. This is indeed a worthy achievement. Congratulations! Please note that a certificate of accreditation will be enclosed with Dr. Andrew’s copy of this letter.
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On behalf of the CACREP Board, we would like to extend our thanks to you and your administration for the support provided to the counseling programs. Such support is considered vital to assuring continued quality in higher education programs. Once again, congratulations are extended to all of those involved in making this a successful accreditation review process.

Sincerely,

Carol L. Bobby, Ph.D.
Outgoing President and CEO

Charles F. Gressard, Ph.D., NCC, LPC
Interim President and CEO

Enclosure

cc: Dr. Damon Andrew, Dean, College of Human Sciences and Education
    Dr. F. Neil Mathews, Director, School of Education
    Dr. Laura Cheate, CACREP Liaison