

National Architectural Accrediting Board, Inc.

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Robert N. Shelton, President  
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Dear President Shelton:

At the February 2010 meeting of the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB), the Directors reviewed the *Visiting Team Report* for the University of Arizona, College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture.

As a result, the professional architecture program:

**Bachelor of Architecture**

was formally granted a six-year term of accreditation. The accreditation term is effective January 1, 2009. The program is scheduled for its next accreditation visit in 2015.

Continuing accreditation is subject to the submission of *Annual Reports*. *Annual Reports* are submitted online through the NAAB's Annual Report Submission system and are due by November 30 of each year. These reports have two parts:

**Part I (Annual Statistical Report)** captures statistical information on the institution in which a program is located and the degree program.

**Part II (Narrative Report)** is the narrative report in which a program responds to the most recent *Visiting Team Report (VTR)*. The narrative must address Section 1.4 Conditions Not Met and Section 1.5 Causes of Concern of the *VTR*. Part II also includes a description of changes to the program that may be of interest to subsequent visiting teams or to the NAAB.

If an acceptable *Annual Report* is not submitted to the NAAB by November 30, 2010, the NAAB may consider advancing the schedule for the program's next visit. A complete description of the *Annual Report* process can be found in Section 10 of the *NAAB Procedures for Accreditation, 2010 Edition*.

Finally, under the terms of the *2009 Procedures for Accreditation*, programs are required to make the *Architecture Program Report*, the *VTR*, and related documents available to the public. Please see Section 3, Paragraph 8 (page 18) for additional information.

The visiting team has asked me to express its appreciation for your gracious hospitality.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Wendy Ornelas'.

Wendy Ornelas, FAIA  
President

cc: Mary Hardin, Interim Director ✓  
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