



## College of Management at Mahidol University (CMMU) Earns AACSB International Accreditation

Tampa, Fla., USA (July 30, 2019)—AACSB International (AACSB) announces that the **College of Management at Mahidol University (CMMU)** has earned accreditation. Founded in 1916, AACSB is the longest-serving global accrediting body for business schools, and the largest business education network connecting students, educators, and businesses worldwide.

“AACSB accreditation recognizes institutions that have demonstrated a focus on excellence in all areas, including teaching, research, curricula development, and student learning,” said Stephanie M. Bryant, executive vice president and chief accreditation officer of AACSB International. “We congratulate the College of Management at Mahidol University and dean Duangporn Arbhasil on earning accreditation, and applaud the entire CMMU team—including the administration, faculty, staff, and students—for their roles in earning this respected honor.”

Synonymous with the highest standards of quality, AACSB accreditation inspires new ways of thinking within business education globally and, as a result, has been earned by only 5 percent of the world's schools offering business degrees at the bachelor's level or higher. Today, **856 institutions across 56 countries and territories** maintain AACSB accreditation. Furthermore, **188 institutions** maintain supplemental AACSB accreditation for their accounting programs.

“CMMU is extremely pleased and honored to be internationally recognized among the world's top business schools by AACSB International, the most established and respected accreditation institution in business education globally,” said CMMU dean Duangporn Arbhasil. “With years of aligning the college in order to meet the highest standards in business education, having achieved AACSB accreditation is a testament to the dedicated effort of our management, faculty, staff, students, alumni, and stakeholders to improve the quality and enhance the academic reputation of our college so we can provide the best possible business education to our students.”

**AACSB accreditation** provides a framework of **15 international standards** against which business schools around the world assess the quality of their educational services. These standards ensure continuous improvement and provide focus for schools to deliver on their mission, innovate, and drive impact. AACSB-accredited schools have successfully undergone a rigorous review process conducted by their peers in the business education community, ensuring that they have the resources, credentials, and commitment needed to provide students with a first-rate, future-focused business education.

“The College of Management at Mahidol University's commitment to earning accreditation is a true reflection of their dedication—not only to their students, alumni network, and greater business community, but to the higher education industry as a whole,” said Bryant. “Today's students are tomorrow's business leaders, and the addition CMMU to the network of AACSB-accredited business schools will have a lasting positive impact for their institution, both locally and globally.”

**AACSB also announced** that the Faculty of Economics and Business at the University of Zagreb, Liverpool Hope University, National Kaohsiung University of Science and Technology-First Campus, National Taipei University of Technology, Reutlingen University, South China University of Technology, Swinburne University of Technology, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, and University of Limerick have earned accreditation in business.

### About AACSB International

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