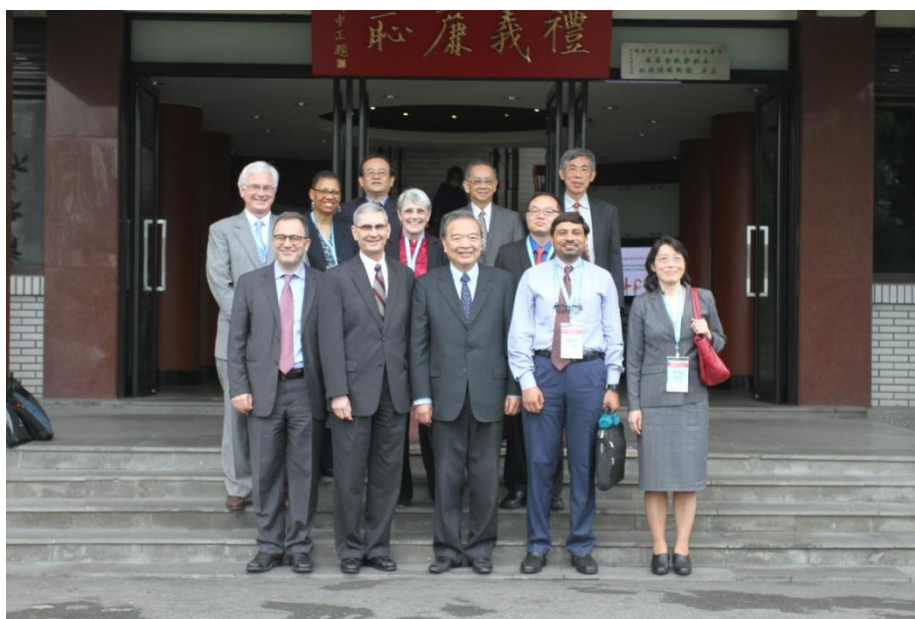


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Another New Record! MCU Earns MSCHE Re-Accreditation for 10 Years



【本刊訊】本校辦學績效獲肯定，2016/6/24 接獲美國中部各州校院高等教育評審會（Middle States Commission on Higher Education，簡稱 MSCHE）通知，本校通過美國 MSCHE 再認證審核，取得該認證最長的十年期認證，再度蟬連全台灣唯一擁有美國認證大學，同時是亞洲第一所美國認證大學地位。

MCU was commended for its self-study and granted re-accreditation with the Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE) for 10 years on June 24, 2016. This is the maximum re-accreditation term granted among U.S. accrediting entities. MCU remains the first and only U.S.-Accredited University in Asia.

本校 2006 年起，在全體師生通力合作下展開美國 MSCHE 認證的歷程，2010 年 11 月正式取得五年期認證，榮登亞洲第一所美國認證大學。去年認證五年期屆滿，再度向美國 MSCHE 申請認證，MSCHE 評鑑團卡發諾主席(Dr. John C. Cavanaugh)於 2015/10 蒞校初訪，為本校「再認證」工作揭開序幕，主席讚許本校工作小組優質的表現，軟硬體完備，2016/4/9-14 再率七名委員蒞臨台北、桃園校區，針對 MSCHE 國際認證指導委員會所提交「自我研議報告」內容，進行實地查驗與評估。委員們在訪視中會晤董事會，了解學校運作相關事宜，審查本校各項指標是否符合美國大學的認證標準；再分別與教職員生會談，會談成員包括本籍與外籍學生代表，教師遍及全校各院系。

Since 2006, through the cooperation of faculty, administrators and students, Ming Chuan University started the journey of MSCHE Accreditation, and became the First U.S.-Accredited University in Asia after MCU was first granted MSCHE Accreditation

for five years in November 2010. In 2014 and 2015, MCU undertook another institutional self-study for re-accreditation by MSCHE. Dr. John C. Cavanaugh, the Team Chair appointed by MSCHE, conducted his advance visit to MCU in October 2015 to begin the process of re-accreditation. Dr. Cavanaugh commended the highly performance of the Overseas Accreditation Steering Committee and its four Working Groups and MCU's complete software equipping and hardware facilities. From April 9 to 14, 2016, Dr. Cavanaugh led a delegation of 7 members to Taipei and Taoyuan campuses for the site evaluation visit which focused on the Self-Study Report provided by MCU to the MSCHE Evaluation Team. During the evaluation, team members gained thorough understanding of related institutional operation management through meeting with MCU Board of Directors, reviewing all the procedures and outcomes at MCU to see whether or not they meet the standards detailed in MSCHE's Characteristics of Excellence in Higher Education. Moreover, team members conducted interviews with domestic and overseas students, as well as faculty members from different departments at MCU.

訪視委員在訪視中針對訪視結果，給予本校國際認證策進委員會成員實質的建議與回饋，並將訪視紀錄送回評議會，2016/6/24 由美國中等各州校院高等教育評審會正式發函通知，通過再認證審核，認證期十年，並讚許本校自我評鑑的高品質表現，認證訪評團預計於 114 學年度再訪。

The delegation members gave concrete suggestions and feedback to MCU's Self-Study Steering Committee members at the end of the visit. Then Dr. Cavanaugh submitted the team's evaluation visit report to the MSCHE review committee. On June 24, 2016, MSCHE sent formal notification to MCU of being granted MSCHE Accreditation for 10 years and commended the high quality of the MCU self-study. The next visit is tentatively scheduled for 2025.

2014 年本校獲兩國政府核准設立於美國密西根州的美國分校正式招生，作為銘傳台灣學生的境外教學基地，已有近百師生赴美國分校進行研習，將全球在地化、在地全球化的教育理念徹底實踐。今年首次認證期屆滿，向美國 MSCHE 申請再認證，再度通過美國大學十年認證。李校長表示，銘傳在國內外評鑑都有十分優異的成績。面對本次美國認證-自我研議實地訪評，銘傳大學以充足的準備迎接挑戰，也實至名歸獲得豐碩的果實。

In 2014, MCU received approval from both the State of Michigan in the U.S. and Taiwan Ministry of Education to establish Ming Chuan University – Michigan (MCUMI) and recruit students in the U.S. As the overseas learning base for Ming Chuan students from Taiwan, nearly one hundred MCU students and faculty members have visited MCUMI for short-term learning, which is one execution of

the Ming Chuan educational goals of “globalization and localization”. As a result of progress and efforts during this first round of re-accreditation by MSCHE, MCU received formal notification of being granted MSCHE Accreditation for 10 years. On this occasion, President Lee noted that, “MCU has a record of positive results from successful evaluations at home and aboard. When facing the MSCHE Re-accreditation Evaluation Visit this time, MCU faced the challenges with good preparation, and we once again received a well-deserved positive result.

本校於 2015 年積極舉行全校公聽會、國際認證研習會，為再認證工作展開準備。經過多次跨部門、跨系所的研議，陸續通過申辦資格訪視、自我評鑑等考驗。通過再認證，銘傳大學再次印證本身教育條件符合美制大學的關鍵，全校師生群策群力，展現卓越化的教學成果，再為教育國際化開創新頁。

During 2015, MCU actively held public hearings and accreditation workshops in preparation for re-accreditation by MSCHE. Many inter-division and inter-program efforts ensued in preparation of the Self-Study Report and evaluation site visit, culminating in the positive result. In being granted MSCHE Accreditation for another 10 years, MCU has once again proved that its education criteria meet the standard elements of U.S. universities. Students and faculty members made effort to illustrate their extraordinary teaching and learning outcomes through good cooperation; which helps MCU turn a new page in globalized education.