


Category	Quality Assurance and Accreditation	Policy Number	UNI-QAA-201	 جامعة زايد ZAYED UNIVERSITY
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Responsible Office	Provost	Policy Owner	Provost	
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POLICY

Institutional Accreditation

1. Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that the institutional licensure and accreditation is maintained through UAE Ministry of Higher Education’s Commission for Academic Accreditation (“**CAA**”) and the Middle States Commission on Higher Education (“**MSCHE**”).

2. Application

This policy applies to the institution in its entirety and all academic and administrative units within Zayed University.

3. Definitions

CAA	Commission for Academic Accreditation
MSCHE	Middle States Commission on Higher Education
Provost	Provost and Chief Academic Officer
University	Zayed University

4. Policy

Zayed University (“**University**”) is committed to the maintenance of institutional licensure and accreditation of the institution along with the improvement of academic and administrative quality and accountability.

5. Related Policies and Laws

- ACA-PRO-103 Curricula Approval and Revision
- ACA-PRO-106 Assessment of Academic Programs
- UNI-QAA-202 Accreditation of Academic Programs
- UNI-QAA-203 National Qualifications Framework Alignment

6. Administration

This policy is administered by the Office of the Provost.

7. Revision History

Date	Revision	Ver.
15 November 2024	Reviewed with no substantive changes required. Approved by the Provost.	1.2
17 February 2023	Administrative change: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Updated the information header and related policy numbers.• Updated the policy number from ACA-ADM-02 to UNI-QAA-201.	
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