

November 2, 2023

Mindy Benson President Southern Utah University 351 West University Boulevard Cedar City, Utah 84720

Dear President Benson,

This is to certify that the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as the authority on the educational quality and institutional effectiveness of higher education institutions in the seven-state Northwest region of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, and Washington. The Commission also recognizes higher education institutions internationally, including Canada.

This letter serves to verify that Southern Utah University located in Cedar City, Utah has been accredited continuously by NWCCU since receiving initial accreditation on September 1, 1933. NWCCU accredits Southern Utah University at the Associate, Baccalaureate, and Master's degree levels. The Commission most recently reaffirmed the accreditation of the institution in Spring 2021 based on an Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness. The institution's next comprehensive evaluation review is scheduled for Spring 2028.

The institutional accreditation of Southern Utah University includes all its educational offerings.

Please contact me if you have questions regarding the institution's accredited status with the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

Sincerely,

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