# NAAB RESPONSE TO UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT LAFAYETTE 2010 ANNUAL REPORT

Date Report Received: November 23, 2010

Current Term of Accreditation: 6 Years with FE in 3 Years

Year of Next Visit: 2014 Focused Evaluation: Y Year of FE: 2011

Scope of FE: Human and Physical Resources

Section One:

Checklist of required elements

Part I Statistical Report √Included Not Included

Part II Narrative Report √Included Not Included

# Section Two: Assessment of Narrative Report

NOTE 1: If a deficiency is included in the scope of an FE, the program may not be released from reporting on it in Part II of the Annual Report, except by the FE Team.

NOTE 2: Although an area may be marked "satisfied, no further reporting required," the next visiting team will still make its own assessment of the program's response to the deficiency in the next *Visiting Team Report*.

# **DEFICIENCIES**

#### 3. Public Information

The action taken by the program has addressed the concern raised by the team at the time of the 2008 visit. The program is encouraged to make the changes in public information required by Condition II.4 of the 2009 NAAB Conditions for Accreditation before the next visit in 2014.

### 6. Human Resources

This condition is part of the scope of the 2011 Focused Evaluation for this program. Progress toward removing the deficiency will be evaluated by the FE Team.

# 8. Physical Resources

This condition is part of the scope of the 2011 Focused Evaluation for this program. Progress toward removing the deficiency will be evaluated by the FE Team.

# **CAUSES OF CONCERN**

## **Faculty Diversity**

The program is to be commended for its recent success and is advised to continue reporting on the progress of the Governance Task Force on this issue.

#### CHANGES TO THE ACCREDITED PROGRAM

#### **Curricular Changes**

Please continue reporting on the long-term effect of state-mandated changes in undergraduate education and corresponding changes to the NAAB-accredited program. The program's overall strategy should be included in the next *Architecture Program Report*.

# **Finances**

The program is advised to include this review of the issues facing state institutions in Louisiana as well as recent developments in this area in its *Special Focused Evaluation Program Report* due in June. The program is also encouraged to share the results of the state Board of Regents review with the NAAB as soon as they are available.

# **Faculty**

The program is also advised to begin reviewing *The NAAB 2009 Conditions for Accreditation* in order to ensure that developments and changes made in response to the 2009 *VTR* will also be responsive to the *Conditions* that will be in effect at the time of the 2015 visit.