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Ellen Granberg
 Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
 Rochester Institute of Technology
 George Eastman Hall
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Via Email

Dear Provost Granberg:

At their July 2021 meeting, the directors of the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB) reviewed the Visiting Team Report (VTR) for Rochester Institute of Technology.

The Board voted to grant the **Master of Architecture** degree program an eight-year term of continuation of accreditation. The term is effective January 1, 2021, and the program is scheduled for its next visit for continuing accreditation in 2029. This visit will be conducted under the provisions of the NAAB Accreditation Conditions and Procedures in effect at the time of the visit.

Please be reminded that continuing accreditation is predicated on two reporting requirements:

- a) **Annual Statistical Reports.** These reports capture statistical information on the institution and the program.
- b) **Interim Progress Reports.** Consistent with the change in the IPR process, communicated on July 30, 2020, programs that receive an eight-year term of accreditation must submit an IPR three years after a visit.

Listed below are the required program documents and due dates:

Document Due	Date Due
Annual Report	November 30, 2021
Interim Progress Report	November 30, 2024

Finally, public dissemination of both the Architecture Program Report and the VTR is a condition of accreditation. These documents must be made public electronically in their entirety. Please see Condition 6.4 of the 2020 *Conditions for Accreditation* and Section 3.11 of the 2020 *Procedures for Accreditation*.

As part of the transition to the [2020 Conditions and Procedures](#), beginning January 1, 2022, programs are required to utilize the NAAB 2020 *Conditions and Procedures for Accreditation* for all accreditation purposes, except in the case of Interim Progress Reports (IPR).



Programs whose previous term of accreditation requires IPR(s) will continue to submit IPRs to address identified deficiencies.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions at accreditation@naab.org.

On behalf of the NAAB and the visiting team, thank you for your support of accreditation in architecture education.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Marilyns Nepomechie', followed by a small black dot.

Marilyns Nepomechie, FAIA, DPACSA, NCARB
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