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July 31, 2020

Ronald Mason, Jr., J.D.
President
University of the District of Columbia
4200 Connecticut Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20008

Dear President Mason:

At their July 2020 meeting, the directors of the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB) reviewed the Visiting Team Report (VTR) for the University of the District of Columbia.

On behalf of the board, it gives me great pleasure to inform you that the **Master of Architecture** degree program was granted an eight-year term of accreditation.

The term is effective January 1, 2020, and the program is scheduled for its next visit for continuing accreditation in 2028.

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. The next statistical report is due on or before November 30, 2020.
- 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. The University of the District of Columbia's 3-Year IPR is due November 30, 2023.

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 II.4.4 of the 2014 *Conditions for Accreditation* and Section 5 of the 2015 *Procedures for Accreditation*.

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

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Barbara Sestak', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Barbara Sestak, FAIA
President

cc: Ralph Belton, Interim Director, Department of Architecture and Community Planning