

# Accrediting Council

On Education in Journalism and Mass Communications

Patricia Thompson  
Executive Director

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Robert O. Davies, President  
Central Michigan University

Dear President Davies:


The Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications met May 3, 2024, in Washington, D.C., and voted 15-0, with two recusals, that the undergraduate program in the Department of Journalism at Central Michigan University receive full reaccreditation. Professor Sean Baker attended the meeting.

The Council concurred with the site team and Committee recommendations for full reaccreditation.

We will be in touch with Dr. Baker about the next visit for the school, scheduled for the 2027-28 academic year. If you have questions about the next full visit, please contact Executive Director Pat Thompson

Thank you for the opportunity to participate with your faculty and administrators in the assessment of your program. The goal of the Accrediting Council is to improve the quality of education offered to students served by a program through that assessment. Please accept my congratulations and best wishes for success for the Department of Journalism, its students, faculty, and the professional media constituencies it serves.

Sincerely,



Del Galloway, ACEJMC President

cc: Sean Baker, Professor  
David Boardman, revisit site team chair  
Marie Hardin, chair, Accrediting Committee  
Patricia Thompson, executive director, ACEJMC