

# Accrediting Council

On Education in Journalism and Mass Communications

May 13, 2024

James T. Minor, Chancellor  
Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville

Dear Chancellor Minor:

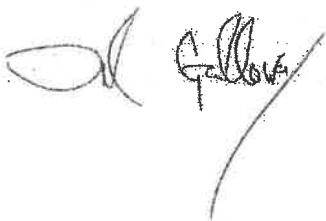
The Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications met May 3, 2024, in Washington, D.C., and voted 15-0, with two with recusals, that the undergraduate program in the Department of Mass Communication at Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, receive reaccreditation. Chair Musonda Kapatamoyo attended the meeting.

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

We will be in touch with Dr. Kapatamoyo about the next visit for the school, scheduled for the 2029-2030 academic year.

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 undergraduate program in the Department of Mass Communication, its students, faculty and the professional media constituencies it serves.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Del Galloway", with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Del Galloway, ACEJMC President

cc: Musonda Kapatamoyo, Chair  
Brad Rawlins, site team chair  
Marie Hardin, chair, Accrediting Committee chair  
Patricia Thompson, executive director, ACEJMC