

# Accrediting Council

On Education in Journalism and Mass Communications

May 10, 2024

Glenn Boyce, President  
University of Mississippi

Dear President Boyce:

The Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications met May 3, 2024, in Washington, D.C., 13-1, with two recusals, that the School of Journalism and New Media at the University of Mississippi receive reaccreditation. Dean Andrea Hickerson attended the meeting.

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

We will be in touch with Dr. Hickerson 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 School of Journalism and New Media, its students, faculty and the professional media constituencies it serves.

Sincerely,

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

Del Galloway, ACEJMC President

cc: Andrea Hickerson, Dean  
Gregory Pitts, site team chair  
Marie Hardin, chair, Accrediting Committee  
Patricia Thompson, executive director, ACEJMC