Ellen Peters  
Associate Provost  
University of Puget Sound  
1500 North Warner  
Tacoma, WA 98416  

Dear Associate Provost Peters:

This is to certify that the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) is the regional institutional accrediting agency for colleges and universities in the states of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington. The Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities is recognized as a reliable authority on regional, institutional accreditation by the United States Department of Education.

This letter serves to verify that University of Puget Sound, located in Tacoma, WA, has been accredited continuously by NWCCU since receiving initial accreditation in 1923. The Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities accredits University of Puget Sound at the baccalaureate, masters, and doctorate degree level. The Commission most recently reaffirmed the accreditation of the University of Puget Sound in a Spring 2019 on the basis of the Mission and Core Themes evaluation. The University of Puget Sound’s next comprehensive evaluation is scheduled for Spring 2025.

The institutional accreditation of University of Puget Sound includes all its educational offerings.

I hope this information is helpful. Please contact me if you have questions regarding the University of Puget Sound’s accredited status with the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

Sincerely,

James Wagner  
Data and Records Coordinator

cc: Dr. Isiaah Crawford, President, University of Puget Sound  
Dr. Sonny Ramaswamy, President, NWCCU