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Visitation Follow-up

This form traces the follow-up after an accreditation visit. It summarizes the requirements and recommendations articulated by the VET, specifies the decision by the council, and defines the follow-up procedures after the visit.

General information

Name of theological school

European Nazarene College (EUNC), Linsengericht, Germany

Names of Visiting Evaluation Team Members

Rev. Horst Born (leader); Dr. Karen Fulton;

Visitation Category

- Orientation
- Courtesy
- Candidacy
- Accreditation (ADAT)
- Review (DCM, CSF)

Programme of study that is object of the visit and level of accreditation

- *Advanced Diploma in Applied Theology (ADAT)* - Distance learning programme (ECTE Vocational Bachelor- 180 ECTS) - for accreditation
- *Certificate in Spirituality (CSF)* - Distance learning programme (ECTE Certificate- 60 ECTS) - for re-accreditation
- *Diploma in Christian Ministry (DCM)* - Distance learning programme (ECTE Diploma - 120 ECTS) - for re-accreditation

Date of the visit

February 10-12,

Requirements	Follow-up procedures
There are no binding requirements needing to be fulfilled	

Recommendations	Follow-up procedures
<p>EUNC is asked to continue working on the following recommendations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review the mission statement in relation to the Distance Learning dimension of the study programmes and spell out in details the services related to the DL centres. 2. The ADAT should possibly include a module on “Basic Introduction to Biblical Greek” as an option. 3. The transition from a foreign faculty (working with a translator) to indigenous faculty able to operate without translation should be pursued. 4. Follow up with plans to have a community pastor in each DL centres. 5. Implement elected student representatives in <u>all</u> DL centres. 6. Specify in writing ‘standards of conduct’ and ‘disciplinary procedures’ beyond the general statement published in the catalogue. 7. Expand faculty training and occasional sabbaticals for faculty. 8. Prioritize plans for building younger and more effective staff in the DL centres. 9. Engage a faculty development coordinator. 10. Undertake additional efforts to translate books into instructional languages and consider offering more courses in English at additional DL centres. 11. Document library use; offer training for librarians; make a written library development plan available. 12. Develop the fund raising plan in order to strengthen the financial independence from the denomination. 13. Intensify the ‘emergency back-up plans’ for leadership, faculty and staff. Meet more frequently after the new rector has been elected. 14. Draw up a written detailed strategic plan for a student alumni organization. 	<p>Progressions to be reported in the next APRs</p>

Recommendation of the VET to the Accreditation Commission	Recommendation by the Accreditation Commission to the Council	Decision by the Council
<p>- Based on the thorough study of the SER and the support documents, and after careful observations and interaction with key persons on-site the VET recommends to the ECTE council:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. that accreditation be granted for the <i>Advanced Diploma in Applied Theology (ADAT)</i> as ‘ECTE Vocational Bachelor’ - 180 ECTS; 2. that re-accreditation be granted 	<p>1-Accreditation to be granted for the following programme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Advanced Diploma in Applied Theology (ADAT)</i> as ‘ECTE Vocational Bachelor’ - 180 ECTS. <p>2-Re-accreditation to be granted for the following programmes:</p>	<p>1-Accreditation to be granted for the following programme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Advanced Diploma in Applied Theology (ADAT)</i> as ‘ECTE Vocational Bachelor’ - 180 ECTS. <p>2-Re-accreditation to be granted for the following</p>

<p>for the next five years for the following programmes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Diploma in Christian Ministry (DCM)</i> as 'ECTE Diploma' - 120 ECTS; • <i>Certificate in Spiritual Formation (CSF)</i> as 'ECTE Certificate' - 60 ECTS. <p>All of these programmes are offered in Distance Learning.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Certificate in Spiritual Formation (CSF)</i> as 'ECTE Certificate' - 60 ECTS; • <i>Diploma in Christian Ministry (DCM)</i> as 'ECTE Diploma' - 120 ECTS. <p>All of these programmes are offered in Distance Learning.</p>	<p>programmes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Certificate in Spiritual Formation (CSF)</i> as 'ECTE Certificate' - 60 ECTS; • <i>Diploma in Christian Ministry (DCM)</i> as 'ECTE Diploma' - 120 ECTS. <p>All of these programmes are offered in Distance Learning.</p>
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The next APR is due in summer 2020 and the next Review in Winter/Spring 2025.

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