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Dear Karen:

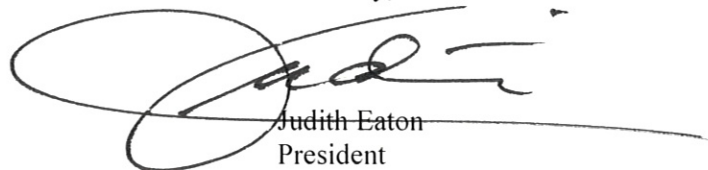
The Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) Committee on Recognition met on March 11, 2013. During that meeting, the committee reviewed the response to the decision to defer the application submitted by the American Library Association Committee on Accreditation (ALA-COA). I am pleased to inform you that the committee on recognition is recommending to the CHEA Board of Directors that ALA-COA be granted CHEA recognition.

The *2006 CHEA Recognition Policy and Procedures* require that recommendations from the committee on recognition be transmitted to the CHEA Board of Directors for final action. Please be aware that this recommendation will be reviewed and acted upon by the CHEA Board of Directors at its meeting April 29–30, 2013. Until that action becomes final, the committee's recommendation is an interim determination only. The recommendation by the committee is not to be interpreted or publicized by the organization as constituting a grant of recognition and does not represent completion of the CHEA recognition process.

If you have a question about the committee action or the recognition process, please contact Leah Matthews, CHEA Vice President for Recognition Services.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Judith Eaton
President

c: Leah Matthews, Vice President for Recognition Services