



Distance Education Accrediting Commission

CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

This is to affirm that

COLUMBIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

of

ORANGE BEACH, ALABAMA

has demonstrated it complies with the standards for accreditation that are established by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission and is therefore granted accreditation for the period of

January 2021 to January 2026

subject to the terms of quality improvement and continuous compliance that DEAC upholds for maintaining accreditation status.

Cheryl Hayek, Ed.D.

Chair of the Accrediting Commission

Leah K. Matthews, Ph.D.

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