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SBA earns reaccreditation

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During the accreditation process, business school deans and chairmen of accounting programs with detailed knowledge of management education, applying accreditation standards that are widely accepted in the educational community, visited and evaluated the SBA in October.

"We are pleased to have our program reaccredited by the AACSB and to continue to be recognized for the outstanding work and accomplishments of the students, faculty and staff in the SBA," says Mohan Tanniru, SBA dean. "The reaccreditation is truly a testament to everyone's hard work and dedication to our mission."

As of December 2008, OU's School of Business Administration is one of 560 business schools in the world to earn AACSB accreditation.

AACSB-International is the premier accrediting agency and service organization for business schools. It is a nonprofit organization consisting of more than 1,100 educational organizations and corporations in 70 countries. Its mission is excellence in management education in colleges and universities.

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