

## ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

ISSUED TO: University of Bath

PROGRAMME: MBA with Supply Chain Specialisms


ROUTE/CONDITIONS: As defined in Appendix 1

VALIDATION DATE: 1 September 2014 – 31 August 2015

1. A condition of accreditation requires the University to ensure students are aware of CIPS and encourage membership of CIPS during their period of study.
2. Learners who successfully complete the above programme and meet the conditions specified may apply for full membership of The Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply. Applications must be received within 5 years of the date of the degree certificate. Acceptance will be subject to the submission of a formal application form and evidence of three years' experience in purchasing and supply management in a position of responsibility. Entrance and subscription fees applicable at the time of admission to CIPS will be payable.
3. This Statement is renewable annually and is subject to a review process which requires the University to provide details of any relevant changes to the programme, particularly as they relate to content, structure or standard. Previous versions of the programme are not automatically accredited.
4. This Statement applies solely to the programme and institution mentioned above. Any other programmes, however similar in content, structure or standard are not included and must be accredited separately.
5. CIPS reserves the right to withdraw its accreditation of this programme if it becomes evident that the content, structure or standards have deviated substantially from the original programme or, if in the opinion of CIPS, further association with the programme brings CIPS into disrepute.

**DATE ISSUED: August 2014**

**SIGNED:**



**Professional Development Director**

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## APPENDIX I

### University of Bath – MBA with Supply Chain Specialisms

The programme is offered full time over one year or part time over 2-5 years. The programme consists of a total of 108 credits (72 taught plus a 36 credit dissertation)

#### Core elements:

• MN50341	Understanding Financial Principles	(6)
• MN50343	Strategic Marketing	(6)
• MN50340	Business & the Global Context	(6)
• MN50344	Managing Operational Processes	(6)
• MN50342	Managing Your People	(6)
• MN50349	Entrepreneurship in Action Project	(6)
• MN50346	Strategy	(6)
• MN50347	Leading & Managing Change	(6)
• MN50339	Personal Leadership & Careers	(6)
• MN50484	Applied Microeconomics	(3)
• MN50345	Analysis for Decision Making	(3)
• MN50488	Final Project/Dissertation	(36)

#### Options:

Students must complete units to the value of 12 credits

• MN50399	Knowledge Leadership in a Global Economy	(6)
• MN50381	Innovation Management: Products, Services & Networks	(6)
• MN50273	Introduction to Commercial Law	(6)
• MN50133	International Finance	(3)
• MN50306	Purchasing & Supply Strategy	(6)
• MN50437	Strategic Brand Management	(6)
• MN50496	Business Analytics	(6)
• MN50219	Risk Management	(3)
• MN50528	Sustainable Business Practices	(3)
• MN50527	Responsible Business Strategy	(3)
• MN50560	Navigating the Entrepreneurial Journey	(3)
• MN50346	Leadership in Context	(6)
• MN50586	Making, Measuring and Managing Employee Engagement	(6)

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**The following conditions apply to this CIPS Accreditation Statement dated August 2014 and must be met in full:**

- The above core units must all be completed – no compensation or condonement
- The Final Project/Dissertation must be on a theme related to procurement and supply chain management
- The Purchasing & Supply Strategy option must be completed
- The remaining option/options can be taken from the following list and must be successfully passed:
  - Knowledge Leadership in a Global Economy
  - Leadership in Context
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  - Innovation Management: Products, Services & Networks
  - Introduction to Commercial Law
  - International Finance
  - Risk Management
  - Sustainable Business Practices
  - Responsible Business Strategy

**Documentary evidence (i.e. transcript and certificate) supporting the above conditions must be provided to CIPS.**