ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

ISSUED TO: Glasgow Caledonian University

PROGRAMME: MSc International Operations and Supply Chain Management

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: September 2014  

SIGNED:

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Professional Development Director
APPENDIX I

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The overall structure of the programme comprises 7 x 20 credit modules plus 1 x 40 credit dissertation or project as listed below:

- MMN22136 Global Strategy: Challenges and Choices
- MMN122130 Personal and Professional Development
- MMN222137 Contemporary Issues for Business and Society
- MMN222176 Operations and Quality Management
- MMN222180 Global Supply Chain and Logistics Management
- MMN222181 Project Management and Risk
- MMN222172 Research Methods
- MMN222171 Dissertation OR
- MMN222182 Professional Practice Project

The following conditions apply to the CIPS Accreditation Statement dated September 2014 and must be met in full:

- The case study analysis undertaken for the Contemporary Issues for Business and Society module must focus on a procurement and supply chain related topic.
- The 3000 word research proposal submitted for the Research Methods module must be on a procurement and supply chain related topic.
- The Dissertation or the Professional Practice Project must be completed in a procurement and supply chain related area.

The accreditation period is from September 2014 to August 2015.

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