

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

ISSUED TO: University of Bolton (005333311)

PROGRAMME: MSc Supply Chain Management
with the In-Service Training Trust (BLI5040)

ROUTE/CONDITIONS: As defined in Appendix 1

VALIDATION DATE: 1 September 2016 to 31 August 2017

1. A condition of accreditation requires the University to ensure learners 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 MCIPS, the globally recognised standard for procurement and supply management professionals. Applications must be received within five years of the date on the degree certificate. Acceptance will be subject to the submission of a formal application form and evidence of three years' experience in procurement and supply management in a position of responsibility. Entrance and membership 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: 01 August 2016

SIGNED:



Group Professional Development Director

APPENDIX I

University of Bolton - MSc Supply Chain Management (with In Service Training Trust, Lusaka, Zambia)

The programme structure comprises of seven units and is offered on a part time modular basis over 20 month period. All taught units are 20 credit units; the Dissertation is a 60 credit unit.

The units are:

- EBU7000 Supply Chain Strategy
- EBU7001 Procurement & Operations Management
- EBU7002 Physical Supply Chain Management
- EBU7003 Research Skills for Business & Management
- EBU7004 E-Business Strategy & Models
- EBU7005 Finance for Managers
- EBU7006 Dissertation

The following conditions apply to the CIPS Accreditation Statement dated August 2016 and must be met in full:

- The above seven units must all be completed – with no condonements or compensations.
- The dissertation must be on a procurement and supply related topic.

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