

NEW YORK STATE BOARD OF REGENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

89 Washington Avenue, ALBANY, NY 12234

January 26, 2016

Ellen V. Futter, President American Museum of Natural History - Richard Gilder Graduate School Central Park West at 79th Street New York, N.Y. 10024

Dear President Futter:

On December 1, 2015, the Regents Advisory Council on Institutional Accreditation voted to recommend the following accreditation action to the Board of Regents:

Renew the accreditation of the American Museum of Natural History—Richard Gilder Graduate School for a period of ten years.

The Board of Regents endorsed and adopted the Advisory Council's recommendation at its meeting on January 12, 2016. A copy of the Regents item is available at http://www.regents.nysed.gov/common/regents/files/116hea1.pdf.

Sincerely,

John L. D'Agati

Deputy Commissioner

Office of Higher Education

c: Leslie E. Templeman