



NEW YORK STATE BOARD OF REGENTS AND COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION
89 Washington Avenue, ALBANY, NY 12234

April 26, 2019

The Honorable Betsy DeVos
Secretary of Education
United States Department of Education
Washington, DC 20202

Dear Secretary DeVos:

I write to convey the withdrawal from institutional accreditation of a college accredited by the New York State Board of Regents and the Commissioner of Education, acting as a nationally recognized accrediting agency.

By copy of the attached letter dated January 23, 2019, The New York Academy of Art, 111 Franklin Street, New York City, NY 10013 states that it has voluntarily withdrawn from institutional accreditation, effective March 31, 2019.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (518)474-1551, or via e-mail at Leslie.Templeman@nysed.gov.

Sincerely,

Leslie E. Templeman, Director
Office of College and University Evaluation

Attachment

c: David Kratz
Katie Hemmer



111 FRANKLIN STREET NEW YORK CITY NEW YORK 10013

January 23, 2019

Leslie E. Templeman, Director
Office of College and University Evaluation
NYS Education Department
Room 960 EBA
89 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12234

Dear Director Templeman,

The New York Academy of Art is withdrawing from institutional accreditation from the New York State Board of Regents and Commissioner of Education effective March 31, 2019.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DKratz", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David Kratz
President

cc: Peter Drake
Katie Hemmer
Karoline Chrzanowski Sears