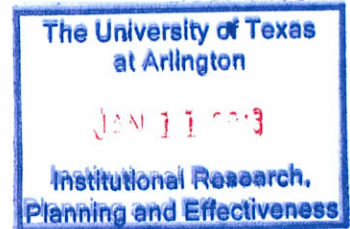


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Mr. James D. Spaniolo
President
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Dear Mr. Spaniolo:

Thank you for your letter of September 25, 2012, and the prospectus for the following off-campus instructional site at which the approved Master of Software Engineering degree program will be offered, effective January 14, 2013:

L3 Communications Corporation (L3Com)
Link Simulation and Training Division
2200 Arlington Downs Road
Arlington, TX 76011

It will be a single cohort program; instructional delivery will be on-site classroom lectures.

The prospectus places the implementation of the program within the university's mission, as well as describing the assessment of need and program planning/approval. Documentation that faculty were involved in the review and approval of the program is offered.

The program to be offered is identical to the program offered at the main campus, with no changes to the admission, curriculum, and graduation requirements. Faculty teaching the courses have taught the courses in the main campus program. The site is located 15 minutes driving time from the main campus. Appropriate print and electronic library resources are described. The classroom at the site seats 40 students comfortably and is equipped with an instructor desktop computer, a projector system, internet/Wi-Fi access, and a video-conference link. The prospectus documents satisfactory financial support and evaluation and assessment.

We approve the L3 Communications Corporation (L3Com) site. The approval of an off-campus instructional site is effective for a maximum of five years. The site will be reviewed as part of the institution's fifth-year or decennial review.

Enclosed is an invoice for \$300 to help defray the cost of prospectus review.

Best regards,

Belle S. Wheelan
Belle S. Wheelan, Ph.D.
President

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Enclosure



cc: Dr. Pam Haws, Associate Vice President/Director, Institutional Research, Planning, and Effectiveness ✓
Dr. Steven M. Sheeley