



LIU's Bachelor of Pharmacy Program (BPharm) Accreditation Status

It is with great pleasure and immense pride that we announce that the Lebanese International University's (LIU) Bachelor of Pharmacy Program (BPharm) has been granted official CERTIFICATION by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education International Services Program (ACPE ISP, <https://www.acpe-accredit.org/>). Currently, the BPharm at LIU is the only certified program by ACPE in Lebanon.

The certification process of the program started in 2018 and concluded with an on-site visit in March 2020 after which the certification was granted by the ACPE. During the on-site visit, the program underwent a comprehensive evaluation. The certification was granted by the ACPE during the Board of Directors Meeting, July 29 - August 1, 2020.

This ACPE certification is a significant milestone in the School of Pharmacy's continuous striving for quality improvement. This achievement is the result of the hard work and dedication of faculty, staff and students with the support of LIU's administration. The ACPE certification reassures that the BPharm program we offer is of the highest quality and that we are committed to continuous quality improvement.

Despite sorrow and uncertainty over Lebanon's devastating circumstances, this is a glimmer of hope; our school will continue to achieve, and our country will rise again.

ACPE International Services Program

ACPE sets standards for the education of pharmacists to prepare them for the delivery of pharmacist-provided patient care. Since 1932, ACPE has worked with educational institutions and organizations to assure excellence is available for people in the pharmacy profession. ACPE is recognized by the US Department of Education as the national agency for the accreditation of professional degree programs in pharmacy. ACPE also serves as the national agency for the accreditation of providers of continuing education.

ACPE offers evaluation and certification of professional degree programs internationally through the ACPE's International Services Program, which was established in January 2011. This program offers professional degree program Certification and Precertification, consultation, and training to stakeholders around the world who seek guidance related to quality assurance and advancement of pharmacy education. The expertise, global perspectives, staff resources, and formal processes within the ISP support international stakeholders to advance pharmacy education and quality in their respective countries.

Finally, we want to congratulate all the faculty, staff, and students of our School of Pharmacy for this important achievement. Your hard work, dedication, and commitment to excellence and quality made this certification possible.

Best regards,

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