

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ON A DECISION

of the Standing Committee on pedagogical sciences and social activities on the results of the completed evaluation procedure for programme accreditation of a professional field

1.1. Theory and Management of Education, a higher education area 1. Pedagogical Sciences at Shumen University "Episkop Konstantin Preslavski"

The procedure was opened at a meeting of the Standing Committee on pedagogical sciences and social activities of 19.12.2017 at the request of the higher school. The Expert panel, approved by the Accreditation Council on 17.05.2018, carried out an inspection of the evaluated institution in the period from 30.05.2018 to 01.06.2018.

At a meeting held on 26.06.2018, the Standing Committee adopted the Expert panel's report and, based on it, prepared a decision on the results of the completed programme accreditation. The decision **stipulates findings and assessments regarding the compliance of the evidence submitted with the criteria system in the implemented procedure, and in accordance with the Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in the European Higher Education Area (ESG) - Part 1 / 1-10 / and within the meaning of Art. 78, para. 3 of the HEA (Table 4). The Standing Committee used the 10-point assessment system provided for in Art. 79, para. 1 of the HEA and the rating scale of ENQA.**

After summarising the results of the voting on the basis of the "Rules for voting on procedures for accreditation and project evaluation" adopted by the Accreditation Council of NEAA, the Standing Committee on pedagogical sciences and social activities took the following **DECISION on 16.07.2018:**

1. Awards programme accreditation to a professional field 1.1. Theory and Management of Education, a higher education area 1. Pedagogical Sciences at Shumen University "Episkop Konstantin Preslavski" on the grounds of an overall assessment of 9.26 nine, point twenty-six hundredths), as follows:

- **for EQD "Master" in:**

"Educational Management" – (full-time and part-time forms of training).

2. The period of validity of the accreditation shall be SIX years, in accordance with Art. 79, para. 4 of the HEA.

3. Determines a capacity of the professional field 1.1. Theory and Management of Education" at Shumen University "Episkop Konstantin Preslavski", as follows:

- **for EQD "Master" - 60 (eighty) students - (full-time and part-time forms of training).**

Total for the professional field - 60 (eighty) students.

The Standing Committee on pedagogical sciences and social activities formulated the following **recommendations**:

1. To increase the share of practical training and exercises in the curriculum.

Deadline: 2019

2. To increase student mobility in accordance with the contracts concluded.

Term: 2019-2024

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The total verbal assessment in compliance with the numeric one obtained is full compliance.

Chairperson of the SCPSSA

Prof. Dr Emilia Vasileva