

WABASH COLLEGE

September 28, 2018

Charles Blaich, Director
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Dear Charles,

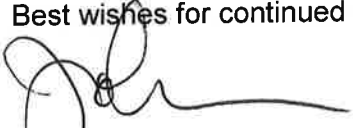
Thank you for the documentation in support of your request for a continuation to administer the following HEDS surveys:

1. Alumni Survey (IRB # 1610401)
2. Senior Survey (IRB # 161402)
3. Research Practices Survey (IRB # 1610403)
4. First Destination Survey (IRB # 1610405)
5. Faculty/Staff Survey of Campus Climate for Sexual Violence (IRB # 1510404)
6. Diversity and Equity Campus Climate Survey (IRB# 1712401)
7. Sexual Assault Campus Climate Survey ((IRB # 1610404)

Neither the survey instruments nor the administrative protocols have changed to the extent that a new review by the IRB is required. Your request for continuations of surveys 1 – 6 through the 2019-2020 term is approved.

Continuation of Sexual Assault Campus Climate Survey ((IRB # 1610404) is also approved for the 2018 – 2019 term. Thereafter you are advised to request a new review by the IRB to assure compliance with upcoming changes to the Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects, or Common Rule, “to reduce administrative burden and better protect subjects in the modern research context.”

Best wishes for continued success in your research.



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October 18, 2019

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Dear Charles –

Thank you for the documentation in support of your request for a continuation to administer the following HEDS surveys:

1. Faculty/Staff Survey of Campus Climate for Sexual Violence (IRB# 1510404)
2. Undergraduate Sexual Assault Campus Climate Survey (IRB# 1610404)

In addition, the IRB committee approves your administration of the new survey:

1. Advanced Degree Students Sexual Assault Campus Climate Survey (IRB# 1910111).

In January 2019, revised federal rules governing IRB reviews went into effect. One of the changes is that Exempt research no longer require annual reviews. However, if any of your surveys substantially changes, please do submit a new review for the revised surveys. For the surveys originally approved through IRB#'s 1510404 and 1610404, neither the survey instruments nor the administrative protocols have changed to the extent that a new review by the IRB is required.

You are approved to implement all three of these surveys. Best wishes for continued success in your research.

Sincerely,



Karen L. Gunther, PhD
Chair, Wabash College Institutional Review Board