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Anthony J. LaPorta, MD, FACS
Institute of Surgical Simulation at Rocky Vista University (RVU)
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Dear Dr. LaPorta,

Congratulations! We are delighted to inform you that your Institute has successfully met the Standards and Criteria of the American College of Surgeons' Program for Accreditation of Education Institutes, and as a result, Institute of Surgical Simulation at Rocky Vista University (RVU) is awarded re-accreditation as a Comprehensive Education Institute for the term of five years. Your term will expire on June 30, 2022.

The aforementioned decision was made following a comprehensive evaluation of your program, which included review of the application submitted by your institution, as well as a review of the site surveyor's report, and careful deliberation by the ACS Accreditation Review Committee.

We look forward to your continued participation in the network of ACS Accredited Education Institutes that offer state of the art surgical education to surgeons, surgical residents, and members of the surgical team.

Please accept our best wishes for ongoing success. To acknowledge your continued accreditation status as an ACS Accredited Education Institute, we have enclosed a certificate, which is suitable for framing.

Sincerely,

[Signature of Ajit K. Sachdeva]

Ajit K. Sachdeva, MD, FRCSC, FACS
Director, Division of Education

[Signature of Robert V. Rege]

Robert V. Rege, MD, FACS
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