SHIGAKUKAN UNIVERSITY (志學館大学)

Evaluation summary

This university has demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.

Standards	Evaluation result
Standard 1. Mission and Objectives, etc.	Satisfied
Standard 2. Students	Satisfied
Standard 3. Educational Curriculum	Satisfied
Standard 4. Faculty and Staff	Satisfied
Standard 5. Management, Administration and Finance	Satisfied
Standard 6. Internal Quality Assurance	Satisfied

Good practices

- The university is taking care to provide support for students with disabilities through measures such as systemizing student peer support and providing training for supporters for students with disabilities. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.
- Owith regard to acquiring qualifications, the Qualifications Center operates courses for various types of qualifications. Many of these course are taught by the university's full-time faculty, which contributes to reducing the burden of course fees on students, and there are numerous case examples of these courses leading to students actually acquiring qualifications or gaining employment. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.
- The university proactively devises curricula that closely involve the local community, such as active learning and internships; and endeavors to use inventiveness in teaching methods. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.
- As internal quality assurance initiatives, the university implements self-inspections and evaluations as well as IR surveys such as the Survey Report on the Quality of University Education Required by Graduates and Survey Report on the Types of Human Resources Sought by Industry in Kagoshima Prefecture based on the Internal Quality Assurance Policy and Quality Assurance System for Implementing University Operations and Education formulated by the university. The results of these initiatives are being reflected in university operations and educational improvements. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.

Recommendations for improvement

None.