

## International Pacific University (環太平洋大学)

### 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 implements the student FD, and gains the direct participation of students in inspecting the educational activities of faculties and departments. This initiative is worthy of evaluation.

### Recommendations for improvement

- Article 55, paragraph (4) of the University Regulations and Article 5 of the Faculty Council Regulations stipulate that upon the decision of the President the Faculty Council provides its opinions, but since it is not possible to verify from meeting minutes that this is taking place improvements are required to ensure that the Faculty Council expresses its opinions as stated in the regulations.
- With regard to the important matters concerning education that require the opinions of the Faculty Council to be provided as stipulated in Article 93, paragraph (2), item (iii) of the School Education Act, Article 5, paragraph (3) of the Faculty Council Regulations stipulate “other matters deemed necessary by the President,” and the way that the President personally decides specific matters without publicizing them needs to be redressed.
- There are matters requiring improvement regarding the functionality of educational and learning management, and since functionality regarding internal quality assurance can hardly be described as adequate improvements are required.