



## A MESSAGE FROM THE SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

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### ***Buenas yan Håfa Adai!***

Congratulations on taking this next significant step in your education! It's a decision that will undoubtedly advance your way of thinking, broaden your perspectives, and impact your career. We're excited to guide you on this path and to soon include your work among the impressive and impactful research that our graduate students have produced.

Alumni from our master's programs are now making valuable contributions as leaders, administrators and executives, teachers and counselors, business owners, and more throughout the region and beyond. For many of them, their graduate studies not only resulted in the degree to obtain an advanced position, but facilitated important connections in the community toward work they're passionate about.

We are proud to offer the people of Micronesia an academic experience that is [accredited](#) institution-wide under the Western Association of Schools & Colleges. Last year, we also celebrated seven years of re-accreditation for our Professional Master of Business Administration program from the International Accreditation Council for Business Education.

The University aims to enrich our students' professional development through value-added experiences that will strengthen the overall meaning and quality of your graduate degree. Opportunities abound to collaborate on research and to present research in front of international as well as local audiences, and we will be encouraging you and guiding you in taking advantage of these.

We continue to evolve our program offerings to meet the changing needs of our community and regional workforce. The [Master of Science in Sustainable Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources](#) program, for example, is our newest master's program, started in 2017, to accommodate a growing interest of the population.

We know your graduate studies here at UOG will reap many rewards — for you and for the communities you will impact. Seize your time here, and let us know how we can help.

Biba, UOG Tritons!

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