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Greetings from Boston Educational Services (BES) and welcome to our **iTEP** Quarterly newsletter! We hope you enjoy this issue of **iTEP** Quarterly, and we look forward to your feedback. Thank you very much for your continued support of **iTEP** and BES!

Highlight of the Quarter:

California State University (CSU) recently published its Admission Handbook for the 2014-2015 school year, and once again it mentions **iTEP** as acceptable proof of English proficiency.

iTEP was first included in the handbook for the 2011-2012 school year after the CSU Chancellor's Office approved **iTEP** for admissions purposes. Home to nearly half a million students, CSU is the largest university system in the US.



- **<u>iTEP growth in India</u>**: **iTEP** has recently conducted several dozen pilot projects with over 2,000 exams administered for schools and businesses throughout India.
- **<u>iTEP Partnerships</u>: iTEP** has reinforced partnerships with Cambridge Institute for International Education and Approach International School (intensive English school) this quarter with a visit to each's headquarters in Boston, MA. **iTEP** and Cambridge will also meet in China next month to continue the tremendous growth of **iTEP** SLATE (High School exam) in the China market.
- <u>New iTEP Academic Partner Schools</u>: BES welcomes the campuses of Middle Tennessee State University (TN), Frostburg State University's Exchange program (MD), Gemological Institute of America (NY), Santa Barbara Business College (CA), Santa Rosa Junior College (CA), Richmond the American International University (UK), Solano Community College (CA), University of Wisconsin Superior (WI), Santiago Canyon College (CA), and Southern Illinois University Graduate Program (IL) to the iTEP family!
- <u>New iTEP SLATE Partner High Schools</u>: BES also welcomes Capistrano Valley Christian Schools (CA), Burr and Burton Academy (VT), Admiral Farragut Academy (FL), Dayton Christian Schools (OH), Cotter Schools (MN), Phoenix Christian Preparatory School (AZ), San Diego Academy (CA), The Journeys School(WY) to the iTEP family!
- <u>New Intensive English Programs</u>: Hope International University (Fullerton, CA), Saint Francis University (Loretto, PA), and Benedictine University (Springfield, IL) are now administering **iTEP** Academic on site for their internal testing needs.
- **Increase of test availability: iTEP** has further expanded its availability and welcomes Ireland as a new country where **iTEP** can be taken.
- <u>Certified iTEP Test Centers</u>: BES has welcomed 18 new test locations around the globe this quarter! We have appointed 7 new test centers in China in addition to new test centers in Iran, Ireland, India, Taiwan, Vietnam, and Nigeria.
- <u>Conferences:</u> iTEP has expanded its brand awareness and strengthened existing partnerships through participation at the AISAP (Association of Independent School Admission Professionals) Conference in Nashville and at the AIRC (American International Recruitment Council) workshop at California State University, Long Beach.
- New iTEP Business Development Manager: Please join BES in welcoming Mr. Benjamin Curtis, Business Development Manager, the newest

iTEP SLATE (High School) Exam:

iTEP SLATE's presence around the world has grown even further this quarter. The Al Nahda Philanthropic Society for Women in Saudi Arabia is a charitable organization which operates an educational institution for girls up to grade 12, as well as career counseling and employment for Saudi women. In collaboration with **iTEP** Saudi Arabia, Al Nahda will utilize **iTEP** SLATE for assessment, research, and development purposes.

iTEP Business Exam:

BES welcomes King Saud University Medical City, Hotel Plaza San Francisco, WEG Equipamentos Eletricos S.A, and Sabre Holdings to the **iTEP** Business family!