

John Sabatini

Dr. Sabatini comes to DEAC after a long career in higher education compliance and quality assurance. As Divisional Vice President at Laureate Global Products and Services, Dr. Sabatini provided leadership and oversight for regulatory compliance, both domestic and international. Within this role, he monitored state legislation and regulations in all 50 states, maintaining compliance with applicable approvals with 50 state higher education boards and professional licensure boards. Prior to his work at Laureate, Dr. Sabatini served in a number of roles at the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC), including a gubernatorial appointment to Acting Secretary of Higher Education in 2003. While at MHEC, he served on many institutional and programmatic accreditation teams as a state resource for the 56 Maryland colleges and universities. Moreover, he also participated in the development of standards for distance learning so Maryland institutions could provide an alternative path to more traditional classroom instruction. Dr. Sabatini earned a BA from Park University in Kansas, Missouri, and a Masters and Ed.D. from Catholic University of America. His current term expires in 2019.