



## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY  
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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
ESTABLISHING A STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP  
BETWEEN  
DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY  
AND  
MARY WASHINGTON COLLEGE JAMES MONROE CENTER FOR  
GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

To advance the educational opportunities of the Defense Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (AT&L) workforce by creating effective synergy and leveraging capabilities, we, the undersigned, hereby agree and affirm the establishment of a strategic partnership between the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) and the Mary Washington College James Monroe Center (MWC/JMC) for Graduate and Professional Studies, in the area of a Contracts and Procurement Management Certificate, and a Master of Business Administration with a Contracts and Procurement Management Concentration. This strategic partnership will be subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. These programs offer several designated courses equivalent to DAU courses that members of the Defense AT&L workforce have completed to meet Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act (DAWIA) certification requirements in at least one of the respective DAWIA career fields.
2. These programs will be available to any member of the Defense AT&L workforce who has at least Level I Certification, in at least one DAWIA career field, and meets the requirements for each of the programs set forth in the attached brochure, *The James Monroe Center in Partnership with the Defense Acquisition University*.
3. Students may transfer acceptable credit earned in DAU courses recommended by the American Council on Education's (ACE's) *The Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Services* in the graduate degree category. Currently, the DAU courses that may transfer, the ACE recommended graduate semester credit hours for each, and the MWC/JMC course assignments are contained in the attached brochure, *The James Monroe Center in Partnership with the Defense Acquisition University*.

  
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