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# Other Products and Services Provided by DAU

The university's mission is to provide practitioner training, career management, and services to enable the Defense Acquisition Workforce to make smart business decisions and deliver timely and affordable capabilities to the warfighter. Accordingly, in addition to classroom and online training, DAU offers other valuable products and services. This appendix provides some information on those products and services as well as Web addresses for more details on each.

## Strategic Partnerships

DAU has established strategic partnerships with universities and colleges so that DoD Defense Acquisition Workforce members can transfer DAU course work toward college and university degrees and certificates. While each partnership is unique in what it offers, the objective of the partnership program is to provide our workforce members with opportunities to maximize academic accomplishments by receiving credit for DAU courses toward a graduate, undergraduate, or certificate program offered by a strategic partner.

To facilitate finding a program that suits your needs, DAU has developed an interactive Web-based Strategic Partnership Database in which you can search for partners offering degree or certificate credits for DAU classes. The database allows you to narrow your search by career field, geographic area, or type of program desired.

To search the Strategic Partnership Database or to view a comprehensive list of DAU's partners and links to their respective Web sites, visit [www.dau.mil/about-dau/partnerships.aspx](http://www.dau.mil/about-dau/partnerships.aspx).

## Excelerate

Through the Excelerate program, DAU has established agreements that allow Defense Acquisition Workforce members to obtain credit toward master's degrees for Level II DAWIA certification.

For a current list of partners participating in the Excelerate program, go to [www.dau.mil/about-dau/partnerships.aspx](http://www.dau.mil/about-dau/partnerships.aspx)

## Applied Research

The fundamental purpose of DAU's research program is to improve the DoD acquisition process and its management. The scope of applied research topics encompasses policy, process, education, management, leadership, and functional area initiatives generated by the Defense Acquisition Workforce.

Research projects are conducted by the DAU faculty in partnership with acquisition practitioners, universities, nonprofit organizations, and private industry. Utility is determined by direct application of a viable product that supports DoD goals and priorities. Selected participants from within the Services, DAU strategic partners, and DAU faculty develop new and innovative concepts for systems acquisition.

For more information about the research program at DAU, go to [www.dau.mil/research/research\\_main.asp](http://www.dau.mil/research/research_main.asp). Join us in the Acquisition Research Community of Practice at <http://acc.dau.mil> (under Special Interest Areas, select Acquisition Research); or contact Dr. Paul Alfieri, Research Program Director, at [paul.alfieri@dau.mil](mailto:paul.alfieri@dau.mil).

## Publications Periodicals

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## Publications

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## Senior Service College Fellowship

The Senior Service College Fellowship program at DAU conducts offerings at the university's South Region in Huntsville, Ala., and the Midwest Region in Warren, Mich. In addition, the program is scheduled to be offered at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., beginning in July 2009.

This 10-month leadership education program is a partnership between the Army and DAU designed to provide senior-level civilians equivalent training to their military counterparts in preparation for major level leadership responsibilities. The fellowships are also partnered with the University of Alabama at Huntsville in the South Region and with Lawrence Technological University in the Midwest Region to provide the opportunity for graduate courses and the opportunity to apply these courses toward a master's degree. Upon completion of the program, participants will receive credit for Senior Service College attendance and credit for the Program Manager's Course (PMT 401).

The program contains the following core areas: leadership, mentoring, research, national speakers, university courses, national security module, PMT 401, tours and a number of DAU classes related to leadership.

The SSCF program is a DAU Performance Support Program and, as such, is funded by each fellow's sending command. Fellows are selected via application process through their commands and a Central Selection Board in Washington, D.C. The program is intense and provides time to think and reflect without the distractions of the normal government workplace.





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