Monthly Newsletter

Military Transfer Credit Information:

In last month’s Veteran Newsletter, I mentioned that effective in Fall 2017, students may earn some limited credit for military experience and have that credit posted to their University of Delaware transcript. Current students admitted prior to Fall 2017 should follow the process below to have coursework evaluated. Please note that the Registrar’s Office is still working out the details on how to post any approved credits to your record; it may take a few weeks to see any update to your transcript.

1. Submit a written request to have your Joint Services Transcript (JST) evaluated for posting of transfer credit. Send your request to Carolyn Quinci, Senior Associate Registrar, by way of email (cquinci@udel.edu).

2. Request to have your official Joint Services Transcript sent to the University of Delaware by going to the Joint Services Transcript site at https://jst.doded.mil/smart/signIn.do. Once you are logged-in, click on the “Transcripts” tab at the top of the page, then click the option for “Official Transcript Request.” Type “University of Delaware” in the search bar, click on the name of the school once it populates, check the box stating, “I have read and agree with the above consent statement,” and click “yes.”

Following this process above should send your official Joint Services Transcript to the University of Delaware for review of credits. Once you have submitted your written request and JST, please allow two weeks for processing. Check your Transfer Credit Report, found in your Student Center in UDSIS, for any updates to your record. If you have any questions about this process please feel free to let me know. As always you can stop in my office, email, or call me directly.

Credit by Exam:

In addition to the posting of some credits for military experience, students may also pursue college credit via credit by exam. Students who have served in the military may have gained knowledge through training or coursework while in the Service; credit by examination allows students to take a test to show mastery of a given subject. Please review the policy and procedures here. The typical per-credit hour fee charged will be waived for veterans. Please keep in mind credit by examination is not available in all departments or for all courses. A
student interested in earning credit by examination for a specific course should contact the appropriate academic department.

Any questions please let me know!

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**

1. **Memorial Day Parade**

   If anybody is interested in participating in the Memorial Day parade in Newark, DE please let me know ASAP! I have been contacted to see how many of the Blue Hen Veterans would like to participate in the upcoming Memorial Day parade. If you would like to participate in this parade, please let me know ASAP! If you have any questions please let me know.

2. **Blue Hen Veterans – Cycling Team Ride**

   Thank you to all of you who participated in this year’s Face of America Ride which was a 120 mile 2 day event from Valley Forge to Gettysburg, PA. Over $12,000 was raised from this event. The purpose of the ride is to honor those who have been injured while in service to the nation (e.g. military and first responders) and to raise money for adaptive sports events run by the non-profit organization, World TEAM Sports.

   Thank you to all who participated and look forward to next year!

3. **Classes Scheduled**

   Once you have scheduled classes for a term, please remember to submit your Veterans Enrollment Data form to have your VA benefits certified to the VA for payment. Failure to submit this form will result in no VA certification being submitted to the VA for payment of tuition and fees, book allowance and BAH payment. Click on the link below to submit the enrollment form for a specific term.

   [http://www.udel.edu/registrar/students/veterans.html#ren](http://www.udel.edu/registrar/students/veterans.html#ren)

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