



**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY
AND
TOURO UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL**

Introduction:

A Memorandum of Agreement formally recognizes that Touro University International (TUI) and the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) will cooperate in providing educational opportunities for currently enrolled and potential students of their institutions. This agreement requires a commitment by both institutions to facilitate the transfer of DAU course credits that have been certified by the American Council on Education (ACE) and other credit bearing transcribed courses toward TUI Bachelor's and Master's degree programs for members of the Department of Defense Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (DoD AT&L) workforce, without jeopardizing the intended mission and stated goals of either institution.

Purpose:

An agreement defines a structure through which articulation on all levels can be supported. This agreement is specifically designed to allow for maximum transfer of credit and a seamless transition for students. This agreement may be amended as needed for a specific program articulation without affecting the currency of the master agreement. TUI and DAU agree to review the agreement and relevant transfer tables annually. TUI will honor the input from DAU so that the most efficient transfer possible may be achieved, consistent with applicable standards. DAU will designate an individual to serve as a liaison for the purpose of monitoring this agreement. TUI will provide updated catalogs, brochures and checklists of transfer guides annually upon availability, to the liaison representative at DAU. DAU will provide TUI an updated listing of all new ACE reviewed courses and the ACE recommendations annually, upon availability.

Transfer Features and Benefits:

1. Students from the DoD AT&L workforce will be guaranteed admission to TUI programs detailed in addendum A, based on satisfaction of admissions requirements stated in the TUI Catalog.
2. All ACE credit from DAU will be reviewed for transfer into TUI up to a maximum of 28 to 32 credits towards the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA), Bachelor of

Science in Information Technology Management (BSITM) and Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (BSCS), and up to 8 credits towards the Master degree in Business Administration (MBA), but not to exceed the maximum transfer for Bachelor's degrees of 88 credits and 8 credits for Master's degrees, as detailed in Addendum A to this agreement.

3. DAU courses eligible for transfer into the TUI undergraduate or graduate programs will be accepted by TUI per ACE credit recommendations.
4. Students from the DoD AT&L workforce who received the specified ACE evaluated DAU training while civilians will not be assessed additional fees for the transfer of these courses absorbed by TUI.
5. Touro University International may, after review, approve other transfer credits if those transfers are in compliance with the Characteristics of Excellence in Higher Education, Standards for Accreditation, by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education.
6. Upon completion of the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration program, the DAU emphasis may be listed on the baccalaureate transcript and TUI diploma.
7. A special transfer/degree completion program towards the TUI Master in Education (MAE) would be offered to DAU faculty only, interested in enhancing their Education career, as detailed in Addendum B. to this agreement. DAU faculty could transfer up to 8 credits following transcripts evaluation. .

Services Provided to DAU Students by TUI:

1. TUI will provide online advisement counseling services to DoD AT&L students seeking information on pursuing their degree with TUI. From time to time and as needed, TUI will arrange special orientation meetings for DoD AT&L potential students , on the DAU site or other designated locations.
2. TUI will be eligible to make available to interested DoD AT&L students the transfer guide which is outlined in this articulation.
3. TUI will list DAU on its website as one of the institutions with which an articulation agreement is in place.
4. TUI will review DAU courses to determine credit recommendations on an on going basis.

Services Provided to TUI by DAU:

1. DAU will assist TUI in the distribution of information regarding transfer opportunities to DAU students.
2. DAU will place TUI transfer information on the DAU homepage. DAU will update information on the homepage as changes occur. DAU and TUI will both provide links from their respective homepages to each other's websites.


TUI or DAU may use the other party's name or logo in published materials (e.g., website and catalog) to reference this agreement or contact information/links to the other party. Content and text of all promotional information must be approved by each party prior to release.

Independent Parties:

No agreements concerning the transfer or exchange of any asset of either party is intended or implied by this memorandum. TUI and DAU are separate and independent institutions of higher education and by this agreement, both will continue to operate as separate institutions. The administrators of TUI and DAU are authorized to sign, prepare and implement plans of action and procedures necessary to effect this agreement.

Longevity of Agreement

Either party reserves the right to terminate, after 90 days prior notice, the agreement when the interest of that party so dictates, subject to taking all reasonable efforts to ensure that existing students are not adversely impacted in fully completing their programs of study. Every effort will be made by either party to give 90 days notice prior to effective date of termination and to complete the then-current program year.



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President
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 5/1/03

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Provost and CAO
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Attachments:

- Addendum A.**
- Addendum B.**

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Addendum A:

TUI requirements and DAU transfers towards TUI degree programs:

1. Admission requirements:

Admission requirements for BSBA degree: <http://www.touro.edu/cba/bsba.htm>

Admission requirements for MBA degree: <http://www.touro.edu/cba/mba.htm#admission>

Admission requirements for BSITM degree: <http://www.touro.edu/cis/bsitm.htm#admission>

Admission requirements for MSITM degree: <http://www.touro.edu/cis/msitm.htm#admission>

Admission requirements for BSCS degree: <http://www.touro.edu/cis/bscs.htm#admission>

2. Transfers toward TUI programs:

<u>Program</u>	<u>TUI required credits</u>	<u>DAU transferable credits</u>	<u>DAU Total transfers</u>	<u>DAU required for degree completion</u>
BSBA	120	28-32	88*	32
MBA	40**	8	8	32
BSITM	120	28-32	88*	32
BSITM	120	28-32	88*	32
MSITM	36	8	8	28

* For DoD AT&L students holding accredited AA/AS/AAS Degrees

** Applicants with no undergraduate business degree will be required to take up to two pre-requisite courses (Additional 8 credits).

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Addendum B:

1. Admission requirements:
Admission requirements for TUI MAE degree:
<http://www.tourou.edu/coe/maed.htm#admission>

2. Transfers towards TUI MAE program for DAU faculty only:

<u>Program</u>	<u>TUI required courses</u>	<u>Transferable Credits (Faculty)</u>	<u>DAU courses Total transfers</u>	<u>DAU faculty required courses for MAE degree</u>
MAE	36*	Up to 8	None	28**

*36 credits = 9 courses

**28 credits = 7 courses, in case of full transfer and following transcripts evaluation and approval.