Transfer Credits
Transfer credits between DAU & SCPS

Flexibility
Online classes

Tuition Discounts
For military members & spouses

A Partnership with Opportunity

As an institution that focuses on providing learners with credible and career-relevant education, Southwestern College Professional Studies program has partnered with the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) to award credits for specific training toward bachelor’s and master’s degrees.

Southwestern College is well poised to meet the training needs of today’s military and non-government entities.
DAU Courses

• Acquisition Business Management Application
• Acquisition Business Management Concepts
• Acquisition Logistics Fundamentals
• Advanced Program Management
• Advanced Production, Quality & Manufacturing
• Advanced International Management Workshop
• Advanced Software Acquisition Management
• Applied Cost Analysis
• Contracting for Decision Makers
• Enterprise Life Cycle Logistics Management
• Executive Program Manager’s Course
• Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Fundamentals
• Fundamentals of Cost & Price Analysis
• Fundamentals of Systems Acquisition Management
• Fundamentals of System Sustainment Management
• Fundamentals of Test & Evaluation
• Intermediate Cost Analysis
• Intermediate Earned Value Management
• Intermediate Facilities Engineering
• Intermediate Information Systems Acquisition
• Joint Contingency Contracting Course
• Operating & Support Cost Analysis
• Overhead Management of Defense Contracts
• Performance-based Logistics
• Program Management Tools
• Program Manager’s Course
• Program Manager’s Skills Course
• Shaping Smart Business Arrangements
• Systems Acquisition for Contracting Personnel (Exec)
• Technical Leadership Systems Engineering

After Professional Studies began offering online classes in 2001, it was selected as one of very few institutions to be a part of the Army’s eArmyU, now GoArmyEd, offering Online classes to members of the Army. That partnership began what would become a strong relationship between the military and Professional Studies. A short time later, the college was chosen as one of 10 institutions for the initial pilot program for the Air Force’s Air University Associate-to-Baccalaureate Cooperative (AU-ABC). With these partnerships, Professional Studies made a conscious decision to hire staff with military backgrounds in an effort to further invest in military culture.

Professional Studies continues to cultivate a strong rapport with the military. In 2014, Southwestern College’s president signed a renewed statement of support for the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve to prove the college’s devotion to educating its military learners. It’s new partnership with the Defense Acquisition University will allow its workforce members the opportunity to transfer and apply DAU credits toward their college degree.

Today, nearly two-thirds of Professional Studies learners are members of the armed forces. The six-week Online classes provide servicemen and women the flexibility they need to balance time with their families and their job serving the country. While at Professional Studies, military learners and their spouses receive tuition discounts as well as academic coaches, who remain with them through the duration of their college experience. In 2015, Professional Studies was recognized as a Best for Vets College, Military Friendly School® and Military Advanced Education Top School.