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MEMORANDUM FOR CHIEFS OF THE MILITARY SERVICES

SUBJECT: Program for Joint Professional Military Education Phase I Equivalent Credit

1. Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction 1800.01 series, "Officer Professional Military Education Policy (OPMEP)," allows Service Chiefs to award Joint Professional Military Education Phase I credit to U.S. officers who successfully complete a resident international military college program, subject to the provisions below:

- a. The college is specified in the attached list.
- b. Individuals selected to attend these programs meet the same rigorous selection criteria as other intermediate- and senior-level college PME attendees.
- c. The Service grants PME credit for completion of the international military college program.

2. This memorandum supersedes the previous "Program for Joint Professional Military Education Phase I Equivalent Credit," signed 9 July 2018.

3. My point of contact is Colonel Mark Schreiber, USA; JPME Division; 703-692-6291.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel J. O'Donohue", is positioned above the typed name.

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Attachments:
As stated

cc:

INTERNATIONAL MILITARY COLLEGES
APPROVED FOR JOINT PROFESSIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION PHASE I (JPME I)
EQUIVALENCE

Intermediate-Level JPME Credit

Argentina

- Argentine Air Command and Staff College
- Argentine Command and Staff College (Escuela Superior de Guerra Luis Maria Campos)
- Argentine Naval War College (Command and Staff Course)

Australia

- Australian Command and Staff College
- Royal Australian Air Force -Staff College
- Royal Australian Joint Staff College

Austria

- Austrian Defense Academy

Baltic Nations

- Baltic Defense Joint Command and General Staff College

Bangladesh

- Defense Services Command and Staff College

Belgium

- Belgian Royal Military Academy-Superior Staff Course

Botswana

- Defence Command and Staff College, Command and Staff Course

Brazil

- Brazilian Air Force Command and Staff College (Escola de Comando E Estado-Major da Aeronautica)
- Brazilian Army Command and Staff College (Escola de Comando E Estado-Maior)
- Brazilian Naval War College, Command and Staff Course (Escola de Guerra Naval)

Brunei

- Royal Brunei Armed Forces Command and Staff College, Command and Staff Course

Bulgaria

- Rakovski National Defense Academy, Command and Staff Course

Cameroon

- Ecole Superieure Internationale de Guerre de Yaounde – Cameroon War College (Formerly known as Cours Superieur Interarmees de Defense)

Chile

- Chilean Army War Academy, Staff Course (Academia de Guerra del Ejercito de Chile – Curso Estado Mayor)
- Chilean Air Force Air War College, Staff Course (Academia de Guerra Aerea de Chile – Curso Estado Mayor)
- Chilean Naval War College, Staff Course (Academia de Guerra Naval de Chile – Curso Estado Mayor)

Colombia

- Escuelade Estado Mayor en la Escuela Superior de Guerra-Staff College
- Command and General Staff College

Finland

- Finnish National Defense College

France

- French War College (l'Ecole de Guerre) (formerly, College Interarmees de Defense)
- French Army Command and Staff (Ecole de Guerre Terre)

Germany

- German Armed Forces Staff College
- German General Staff/Adm Staff College (Fuehrungsakademie)

Greece

- Hellenic Air War College
- Hellenic Army War College
- Hellenic National Defense College
- Hellenic Supreme Joint War College

India

- India Defence Service Staff College

Indonesia

- Indonesian Air Command and Staff College
- Indonesian Army Command and Staff College
- Indonesian Naval Command and Staff College

Ireland

- Military College of Defence Forces Training Centre-Irish Command and Staff Course

Italy

- Joint Services Staff College (Curso Superiore di Stato Maggiore Interforce)
- Italian Joint War College

Japan

- Japanese Air Command and Staff College
- Japanese Ground Self Defense Forces Staff College
- Japanese Maritime Self Defense Forces Staff College

Jordan

- Royal Jordanian Command and Staff College

Kenya

- Defence Staff College

Korea

- Korean Joint Forces University / Joint Standard Course (Command and Staff)

Kuwait

- Mubarak Abdallah Joint Command and Staff College

Malaysia

- Malaysian Armed Forces Staff College

Mexico

- Mexican Naval Senior Studies Center (Centro de Estudios Superiores Navales – Maestría en Administración Naval)
- La Escuela Superior de Guerra, Curso Comando y Estado Mayor General (Command and Staff Course)

Morocco

- L'Ecole eEtat Majeur (Moroccan Staff College)

Nepal

- Nepali Army Command and Staff College

Netherlands

- Netherlands Defense College Joint Command and Staff Officers Course

New Zealand

- New Zealand Defence Force Command and Staff College

Norway

- Norwegian Armed Forces Staff College
- Norwegian Defence Command and Staff College

Oman

- Royal Air Force of Oman Staff College

Pakistan

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- Pakistan Command and General Staff College Course (Querta)

Peru

- Escuela Superior de Guerra Curso de Comando y Estado Mayor
- Peruvian Air Command Staff College

Philippines

- Armed Forces of the Philippines Command and General Staff College

Poland

- Akademia Obrony Narodowej (Polish National Defense University), Command and Staff Course

Romania

- National Defense University, Command and Staff Course

Singapore

- Singapore Command and Staff College

South Africa

- South African Naval Command and Staff College

Spain

- Spanish Air Force Command and Staff College
- Spanish Armed Forces Joint Staff and Command Course
- Spanish Joint Command and Staff College
- Spanish Staff College (Curso de Estado Mayor)

Sri Lanka

- Defense Services Command and Staff College

Sweden

- Swedish National Defense College
- Swedish Armed Forces Staff and War College Intermediate Service School

Switzerland

- Swiss International Training Course in Security Policy
- Swiss Military Academy at Zurich (Command and General Staff Course)

Thailand

- Royal Thai Air Force Command and Staff College
- Royal Thai Army Command and General Staff College

Tunisia

- Tunisia Staff College (Ecole d'Etat-Major), Command and Staff Course

Turkey

- Turkish Army War Institute
- Turkish Naval War Institute

United Arab Emirates

- United Arab Emirates Joint Command and Staff College

United Kingdom

- United Kingdom Advanced Command and Staff Course
- United Kingdom Joint Service Command and Staff College
- United Kingdom Intermediate Command and Staff Course (Land)

Uruguay

- Uruguayan Military Institute of Advanced Studies
- Uruguay Naval War College

Western Hemisphere

- Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation Command and General Staff Officer Course

Senior-Level JPME I Credit

Argentina

- Argentine National Defense School Senior Course
- Argentine Joint War College (Esuela de Guerra Conjunta de las Fuerzas Armadas)

Australia

- Australian Defence College (Defence and Strategic Studies Course)

Bangladesh

- Bangladesh National Defence College, National Defence Course

Belgium

- Belgian Royal Defense Institute (formerly Belgian Air War College)
- Royal Superior College of Defense

Brazil

- Escola Superior de Guerra – The Brazilian Superior War College (ESG)

Cameroon

- College Superior de Defence, Joint Combined War College

Canada

- Canadian Forces College, Joint Command and Staff Programme
- Canadian Forces College, National Security Programme

Chile

- Chilean Air Force Air War Academy Senior Course (Academia de Guerra Aerea de Chile – Curso Superior)
- Chilean Army War Academy Senior Course (Academia de Guerra Ejercito de Chile – Curso Superior)
- Chilean National Academy of Political and Strategic Studies (Academia Nacional de Estudios Políticos y Estrategicos – ANEPE)

Colombia

- Curso de Altos Estudios Militares, Escuela Superior de Guerra de las Fuerzas (Advanced Military Studies course)

France

- French Joint Defense College (Centre des Hautes Etudes Militaires (CHEM))
- L'Institute des Hautes Etudes de Defense Nationale (IHEDN) (Industry, Government, Military)

India

- India National Defence College

Indonesia

- Sekola Komando Tentara Nasional Indonesia, Indonesian War College

Israel

- Israel Defense Forces National Defense College

Italy

- Institute for Advanced Defence Studies (Istituto Alti Studi per la Difesa)

Japan

- The National Institute for Defense Studies
- Maritime Self Defense Force Advanced Command and Staff College

Jordan

- Royal Jordanian National Defense College

Kenya

- National Defence College, National Defence College Course

Korea

- Korean Naval War College
- Korea National Defense University

Malaysia

- Malaysian Armed Forces Defense College (Maktab Pertahanan Angkatan Tentera Malaysia)

Mexico

- Mexican Naval Senior Studies Center (Centro de Estudios Superiores Navales – Maestría en Seguridad Nacional)
- Mexican National War College (Colegio de Defensa Nacional)

Morocco

- Le College Royal de l'Enseignement Militaire Superieur (CREMS) (Moroccoan War College)

North Atlantic Treaty Organization

- NATO Defense College (Italy)

Organization of American States

- Inter-American Defense College (NDU)

Pakistan

- Pakistan National Defense University

Peru

- Peruvian Escuela de Guerra Naval (Naval War College)

Poland

- Akademia Obrony Narodowej (AON), National Defense University, Postgraduate Studies and Defense Policy

Romania

- National Defense University "Carol I" (Universitatea Nationala de Aparare "Carol I")

South Africa

- South African Air War College
- South African Senior Command and Staff College
- South African Senior Army Staff Course
- National War College, Joint Senior Command and Staff Program

Switzerland

- Geneva Centre for Security Policy International Training Course

Thailand

- Royal Thai War College

Tunisia

- Tunisia War College (Ecole de Guerre)

Turkey

- Turkish Joint War Institute

United Kingdom

- Defence Academy of the UK – Royal College of Defence Studies

United States European Command

- George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies

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