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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.

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Attachments: As stated

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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 Anny 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 (I'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

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 (Esquela 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 Politicos 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 Nacional Indonesia, Indonesian War College

Israel

• Israel Defense Forces National Defense College

Italy

• Institute for Advanced Defence Studies (Instituto 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 Narodowei (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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