



South Carolina
Commission on Higher Education
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SC Military Transfer Credits Taskforce

Ascend 60 X 30

Comprehensive Statewide Transfer and Articulation Agreement

Ensuring earned academic credits transfer as equivalents promotes student success and reduces time to degree. CHE, in collaboration with the state's institutions of higher education, develops a comprehensive statewide transfer and articulation framework and agreement to ensure transferable credit toward degree completion in programs of study at South Carolina institutions.

<https://www.che.sc.gov/about-commission-higher-education/strategy-policy>



Goal - Purpose

The SC Commission on Higher Education
Establishment of Military Transfer Credits for
South Carolina's servicemembers

*(Transfer credit mobility towards a certification, associates, or
bachelor's degree rather than electives)*

Minnesota State Model

○ Military Transfer Credit Model

- Find key stakeholders at the institutional level
- Convene at different campus levels (vice-presidents, provosts, deans, registrars, veterans support, faculty, student servicemembers, etc.)

Resources For Veterans and Service Members

<https://www.minnstate.edu/military/index.html>

Welcome to VETS*, the Veterans Education Transfer System. Created by the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, VETS is an online application that helps past, present and future servicemen and servicewomen determine how their military training can count for credit at the colleges and universities of Minnesota State. *VETS is a product of the Veterans Re-Entry Education Program. Funds for the Veterans Re-Entry Education Program were provided from a 2008 (P116Z080299) and a 2009 (P116Z090310) congressionally-directed grant award.*

<https://eservices.minnstate.edu/college-search/public/military/>



Key Stakeholders & Collaboration

- Higher Education Institutions
 - Public Senior Institution
 - Two year or technical college
 - **CHAMPIONS – Faculty and Staff (Supportive of Vision)**
- SC Department of Veterans Affairs
- Other Key Stakeholders
 - American Council on Education (ACE) Evaluators
 - Others

Implementation

- What should be the process to begin implementation for statewide military transfer credits?
 - How to get started
 - Where to get started

Resources

- American Council on Education (ACE)
 - See Link: ACE Military Guide: [ACE Military Guide](#)
- ACE Evaluators (SC)
- SC TRAC: <https://www.sctrac.org/>
- Vet Success Centers
- Others

Timeline & Marketing Plan

- 2022-2023
- 2023-2024
- 2024-2025



Next Taskforce Meeting

○ Next steps



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