**Montana Board of Regents**

**Board Policy**

**Veterans - Credit for Prior Learning**

**Part 1. Purpose**. The purpose of this policy is to require all campuses of the Montana University System and community colleges to provide students with opportunities to demonstrate college and university-level learning gained in military based courses and training or experiential settings and to establish consistent practices among all system colleges and universities for evaluating and granting undergraduate credit for such learning.

**Part 2. Institutional Policy and Procedure.** Each system campus shall provide students with a means for evaluation of prior learning, shall develop policies to ensure appropriate granting of credit for military training and courses based on American Council of Education recommendations and submit policies to the Commissioner of Higher Education for approval.

**Part 3. Information Dissemination.** Each system campus shall provide accessible and timely information to prospective and admitted veteran students regarding opportunities for credit for prior learning.

**Part 4. Policies and Procedures Manual.** A policies and procedures manual to outline consistent policies and guidelines shall be developed by a committee that includes representatives from MUS admissions, registrar’s office, faculty and OCHE.