



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

**Central Texas College District and Texas Tech University
Memorandum of Understanding for the
Texas College Credit for Heroes Program**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by and between the Central Texas College District ("CTCD") located in Killeen, Texas, and Texas Tech University (TTU) located in Lubbock, Texas. This MOU formally recognizes that CTCD and TTU are actively committed to the College Credit for Heroes (CCH) Program established by the State of Texas in June 2011.

CTCD and TTU will work collaboratively to maximize the acceptance of college credits awarded to Texas veterans and service members for their military educational experiences and other nontraditional learning through the online statewide **Texas College Credit for Heroes (TCCH) System**. The TCCH System is a standardized method of evaluating military educational experiences and nontraditional learning and to recommend equivalencies with existing college courses. The goal of this program is to streamline the evaluation of military educational experiences for all Texas veterans and servicemembers thus enabling these students to progress toward an associate or bachelor degree in a more expedient manner and expedite their entry into the workforce.

Veterans, servicemembers, and individuals advising them comprise the target population of the TCCH System. Texas veterans and servicemembers may request an unofficial analysis of recommended credits awarded for military enlisted occupations, military courses, and other nontraditional learning.

Contingent upon sufficient funding for each fiscal year, eligible veterans and servicemembers to include Coast Guard may receive a formal evaluation of their military educational experiences documented on a TCCH transcript that can be used either for pursuing further education or for credentialing purposes when applying for employment. Credit transcribed by TCCH may be applicable to some degree programs but not applicable to others. TTU and its faculty retain the right to determine applicability to specific degree programs.

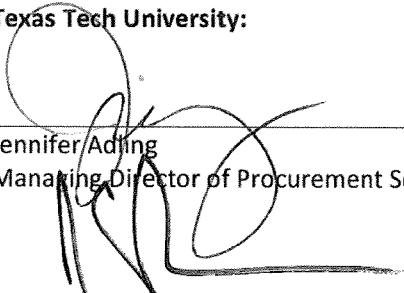
maximum number of credits that can be accepted and applied toward program completion is based on TTU's established policies.

Provisions for MOU Implementation, Maintenance, and Revision: Persons will be designated at TTU and CTCD to oversee the implementation of this MOU and to review the MOU annually.

Effective Date: This MOU becomes effective upon the date of the last approving signature and will remain in effect through February 28, 2018.

Termination: Either party may terminate this MOU with 90 days written notice. Upon the termination date both parties shall cease all activities agreed to herein.

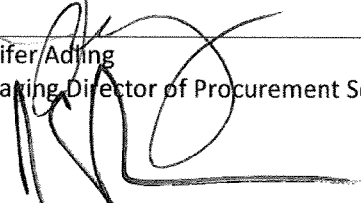
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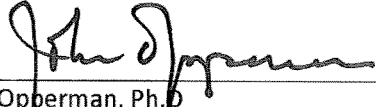
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