National University System Military Programs

The University of Values

Convenient Locations

One Course Per Month

Evening Classes

On-Base, On-Campus, or Online

Open Enrollment
The drive to succeed is inside you, so you are prepared to meet life’s next challenge. With your strength of mind and ability, imagine what you could accomplish by combining your military background with a degree from National University.

Built around quality, National University’s degree programs prepare you for today’s competitive workplace so you can excel in your military or civilian career.

Giving You the Tools to Shape Your Future
As the recipient of the 2003 Ray Ehrensberger Award for excellence in military education, National University knows how to meet your unique challenges. Because you are routinely on-the-go and keep an irregular schedule, National University offers flexible online and on-base degree programs so you can attend class without disrupting your duties. With National’s intensive one-course-per-month format, you can earn your degree – and move ahead in your career – fast. Best of all, National’s accessible courses start each month so you can enroll when the time is right for you.

We Make Every Credit Count*
National University belongs to the Servicemembers Opportunity Colleges (SOC) Consortium, which means your coursework is completely transferable to any other SOC institution. This way, if you relocate and must take courses at another

*National University can accept up to 30 semester units, or 45 quarter credit units of military credit.
National’s degree-earning options let you pursue your educational goals on-base or online.

SOC institution, you can feel confident knowing that all of your National University coursework will be accepted.

Giving Back to the Military
You have put it all on the line to protect the freedoms and values of every U.S. citizen. To commend you for this, National University offers reduced tuition rates for military personnel and their dependents who take on-base and online classes.

On average, undergraduates save 66 percent for on-base courses and 51 percent for online courses. Similarly, graduate students save at least 35 percent for on-base or online courses. Pair these reduced rates with the tuition assistance available to you from the Veterans Affairs GI Bill, and you can earn your degree while keeping your budget in check.

In addition, National accepts DANTES tests offered through military voluntary education programs. For detailed information regarding on-base, online, and on-campus tuition rates as well as assessment tests, visit www.nu.edu/military.

Choose from On-base or Online Options*

On-base
National University has eight convenient on-base learning centers in California. On-base classes can save you commute time, enabling you to attend class right where you are stationed, though not all courses are offered at each base.

Online
Choose to take your classes online and you can earn your degree without disruption due to frequent moves or irregular schedules. National University’s user-friendly online format lets you log on to class from anyplace in the world with an Internet connection. Chats, e-mails, and threaded discussions let you keep regular communications with your instructors and peers so you’ll never miss an assignment. From dayshifts to nightshifts and all shifts in between, log on to class when your schedule permits so you can stay focused without losing sight of your targeted goal.

Helping You Succeed Online
At National University, we understand

*All degrees, credentials, and certificates are approved on a yearly basis by the State Approval Agency of California (SAA).
that you may be unfamiliar with online learning. That’s why we’ve done everything possible to put you at ease. Our instructors, advisors, and student services staff work with you every step of the way to help you succeed.

Our Advisors Know You by Name
Serving as a single point of contact, your advisor assists you from the day you begin your National University program until the time you graduate. Advisors do all of the legwork helping you find the right instructor, credential analyst, or financial aid counselor.

24/7 Technical Support
National University offers unparalleled technical support for online students. Knowledgeable help-desk support is available via e-mail or phone 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Accreditation and Memberships

National University is Accredited by:
• The Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC), which accredits institutions of higher learning throughout California, Hawaii, and Guam
• The International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education (IACBE)
• The California Board of Registered Nursing

National University is Approved by:
• The Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC)
• The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)

National University is a Member of the Following Organizations:
• Servicemembers Opportunity College (SOC)
• SOC Coast Guard (SOCCOAST)
• SOC Navy (SOCNAV)
• SOC Marine Corps (SOCMAR)
• U.S. Army Concurrent Admissions Program (ConAP)
• SOCGuard/ARNG/Education Support Center Partnership
• Council of College and Military Educators (CCME)
• American Association for Adult and Continuing Education (AAACE)

National University serves the military with convenient locations in San Diego and San Bernardino counties.
Classes start every month, so enroll at any time! • 1.800.NAT.UNIV • www.nu.edu/military

Recognitions
National University has participated in the Military Installation Voluntary Education Review (MIVER) since 1994. In 2003, National University received the Ray Ehrensberger Award through the Commission on Military Education and Training (CMET). The award recognizes accredited institutions that have distinguished themselves through innovative and dedicated contributions to the principles of military education.

In 2003, the Council of College and Military Educators (CCME) awarded the William Kennedy Award for outstanding service in military education to Douglas Barr, National University Associate Regional Dean, Military Bases.

Convenient Locations
National University serves the military with convenient locations in San Diego and San Bernardino counties.

Military Locations
• Naval Base San Diego
• Fleet Anti-Submarine Warfare Training Center San Diego
• Naval Amphibious Base Coronado
• Naval Air Station North Island

National University has conferred more than 149,000 degrees and credentials to more than 114,000 graduates.
Active duty military and their dependents can take online and on-base courses at discounted rates.

- Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton
- Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego
- Marine Corps Air Station Miramar
- Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms

Admissions Offices
- Naval Base Kitsap, Bremerton, Washington
- Naval Hospital San Diego
- Naval Submarine Base San Diego

National University Overview
National University has 28 campuses and on-base learning centers in California and Nevada as well as admission offices for the military in Washington. You can choose to further your education online, on-base, on-campus, or through a combination of these options.

Relevant, Career-focused Curriculum
National University offers a variety of undergraduate and graduate degree programs, certificates, and teacher credentialing programs at its on-base military learning centers and online.

Veterans Affairs
National University is approved for the training of active duty service members, veterans and reservists, and for government service civilians; it is also authorized to process active duty tuition assistance contracts, and for government service civilians. The friendly, helpful staff at the National University Veterans Affairs Office is ready to meet your needs. Contact the Veterans Affairs Office at 1.800.NAT.UNIV (628-8648), ext. 7970, or visit the website at www.nu.edu/military.

The National University System
National University is the flagship institution of the National University System, which was established in 2001 to connect students to a network of innovative educational programs that are relevant to their lives, careers, and the marketplace. Other affiliates of the System include the Division of Pre-College Programs, National Polytechnic College of Science, National University International, Spectrum Pacific Learning Company LLC, and WestMed College.
As a member of the Servicemembers Opportunity Colleges (SOC) Consortium, National University accepts nontraditional credit earned by service members.

Programs Offered On-Base

**Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton**
- Bachelor of Arts in General Studies
- Bachelor of Science in Domestic Security Management
- Master of Business Administration
- Preliminary Multiple/Single Subject Teaching Credentials
- Early Childhood Education Certificate

**Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego**
- Associate of Arts Degree
- Bachelor of Arts Degree with Minors in: Early Childhood Education Management Psychology

**Marine Corps Air Station Miramar**
- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
- Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration

**Naval Air Station North Island**
- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology with a Minor in Business Law
- Bachelor of Business Administration with a Concentration in: Human Resource Management
- Master of Arts in Human Resource Management
- Master of Science in Corporate and International Finance
- Master of Science in Homeland Security and Safety Engineering

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Learn how you can maximize your military experience by having it count toward undergraduate college credit.

**Naval Amphibious Base Coronado**
- Bachelor of Arts in Arabic Studies
- Bachelor of Business Administration *(core classes only)*
- Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration
- Bachelor of Science in Information Systems
- Certificate in Arabic Language and Culture
- Master of Arts in Management
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Science in Software Engineering
- Master of Science in Technology Management

**Naval Base San Diego**
- Associate of Arts
- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
- Bachelor of Science in Domestic Security Management
- Bachelor of Science in Information Systems
- Master of Education in Cross-Cultural Teaching with Single/Multiple Subject Credential
- Professional Clear Multiple Subject Teaching Credential

**Fleet Anti-Submarine Warfare Training Center**
- Bachelor of Business Administration *(core classes only)*
Bachelor of Science choices include degrees in criminal justice administration and domestic security management.

Master of Arts in Human Behavior
Master of Public Administration

**Twentynine Palms Learning Center**
Associate of Arts Degree
Bachelor of Arts Degrees with Majors in:
- Arabic Studies
- Early Childhood Education
- English
- General Studies
- History
- Interdisciplinary Studies
- Management
- Psychology
Bachelor of Business Administration, Concentration in Human Resource Management
Bachelor of Science with Majors in:
- Criminal Justice Administration
- Domestic Security Management
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Arts in Human Resources Management
- Master of Science with Fields of Study in:
  - Organizational Leadership
  - Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential
  - Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential

(Other programs are available via a combination of on-base and campus locations.)

As a pioneer in online education, National University has more than 100 degrees and programs offered entirely or partially via the Internet in an exciting, interactive learning environment. Online classes include e-mail discussions, group projects, web-class options, and around-the-clock technical support.

**Undergraduate Degrees**
Associate of Arts
Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education
Bachelor of Arts in English
Bachelor of Arts in Financial Management
Bachelor of Arts in General Studies

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National’s one course per month format lets you earn your degree — and move ahead in your career — fast.

Bachelor of Arts in Global Studies
Bachelor of Arts in History
Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies with a California Preliminary Multiple Subjects Credential
Bachelor of Arts in Management
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Bachelor of Business Administration
Bachelor of Science in Accountancy
Bachelor of Science in Domestic Security Management
Bachelor of Science in Financial Management
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Management
Bachelor of Science in Organizational Behavior

Graduate Degrees
Master of Arts in English
Master of Arts in Human Behavior
Master of Arts in Human Resource Management
Master of Arts in Management
Master of Arts in Teaching
Master of Business Administration
Master of Education in Cross-Cultural Teaching
Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing
Master of Forensic Sciences
Master of Public Administration
Master of Science in Computer Science
Master of Science in Educational Administration & Administrative Services Certificate

Master of Business Administration
Master of Education in Cross-Cultural Teaching
Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing
Master of Forensic Sciences
Master of Public Administration
Master of Science in Computer Science
Master of Science in Educational Administration & Administrative Services Certificate

Master of Science in Educational and Instructional Technology
Master of Science in Electronic Business
Master of Science in Engineering Management
Master of Science in Exceptional Student Education
Master of Science in Information Systems
Master of Science in Instructional Leadership
Master of Science in Organizational Leadership
Master of Science in Software Engineering
Master of Science in Technology Management
Master of Science in Special Education with an Emphasis in the Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing
Credentials, Certificates, and Seminars

Autism Education Certificate
Certificates in Accountancy –
Undergraduate and Graduate Series
Certificate in Electronic Business
Certificate in Finance
Certificate in Human Resource Management
Certificate in Information Technology Management
Certificate in Marketing
Certificate in Sports Management
Dropout Prevention Specialist Certificate
Bilingual Multiple Subject Teaching Credential

Professional Level II Education Specialist Credentials: Mild/Moderate and Moderate/Severe
CLAD Certificate
California Reading Certificate
Early Childhood Education Certificate
Early Childhood Special Education Certificate
Educational Technology Certificate
National Board Certified Teacher Leadership Certificate

Get the knowledge and skill you need to excel in your military or civilian career.
**Programs Offered Partially Online**
Some coursework for the following programs must be completed in an on-base or on-campus classroom environment.

**Undergraduate Degrees**
- Associate of Arts in Rehabilitative Counseling
- Bachelor of Arts in Arabic Studies
- Bachelor of Arts in Chinese Studies
- Bachelor of Arts in Comparative Literature
- Bachelor of Arts in Digital Entertainment and Interactive Arts
- Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education – Blended Program
- Bachelor of Arts in Secondary Education – Blended Program
- Bachelor of Arts in English with Single Subject Matter Preparation
- Bachelor of Science in Information Systems
- Bachelor of Arts in Journalism
- Bachelor of Arts in Marketing
- Bachelor of Arts in Multimedia Arts
- Bachelor in Nursing with RN Completion
- Bachelor of Public Administration
- Bachelor of Science in Allied Health
- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
- Bachelor of Science in Construction Engineering Technology
- Bachelor of Science in Construction Management
- Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration
- Bachelor of Science in Design Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing with RN Completion
- Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering

**Graduate Degrees**
- Executive Master of Business Administration
- Executive Master of Business Administration (Spanish version)
- Master of Fine Arts in Digital Cinema
- Master of Science in Educational Counseling
Whether it’s business, management, criminal justice, engineering, or teaching, the path that leads to your ideal career begins at National University.

Take the first step!

Admission to National University is simple. To speak with your own personal advisor, call us today at 1.800.NAT.UNIV, or visit our website at www.nu.edu to apply online.
You decide where to go. We’ll help you get there.

Going to school is a big decision, and you don’t need complicated admission processes to slow you down. At National University, we’ve simplified entry because we know our students demand accessibility. Our one-course-per-month format means that earning your bachelor’s or master’s degree won’t interfere with your personal or professional obligations.

National University makes attending your classes simple while maintaining high quality degree offerings. National infuses quality into all of its programs from business to information technology to psychology and education. Our curriculum combines concept, theory, and application so that what you learn in the classroom is relevant to the workplace.

We award more master’s degrees in education to minority students than any other higher learning institution in California.
Our Reputation Speaks for Itself

Recognized for its focus on quality, National University is the second-largest, nonprofit, private institution of higher learning in California.

Learning Resources at Your Fingertips

National University provides you with modern technology in its classrooms, labs, and beyond. You can access your current grades, class schedules, and financial aid information from your online student portal. The National University Library System offers numerous services to help you complete your coursework and contains one of the largest e-book collections in the U.S.

The University of Values

National University is dedicated to educational access and academic excellence, and provides challenging and relevant programs that are learner-centered, success-oriented, and responsive to technology. National University is anchored by the core values of quality, access, relevance, accelerated pace, affordability, and community.

The National University System

Paving new pathways to educational opportunity

The National University System was founded in 2001 to address the emerging demands of the future-focused, results-oriented learners shaping the rapidly evolving landscape of 21st century education.

National University, the Division of Pre-College Programs, National Polytechnic College of Science, National University International, Spectrum Pacific Learning Company LLC, and WestMed College all share a commitment to the Jeffersonian vision of universal access to education, to fostering a seamless approach to lifelong learning, and above all, to student success.

The System has continuously expanded its reach as a network of distinct yet uniquely aligned institutions sharing an integrated approach to lifelong learning opportunities for a growing range of students. The affiliates offer a bold, modular approach to education, embracing the principles of inclusion and diversity.
As a member of the armed forces, you’ve pushed your limits, expanded your skills, and developed the confidence to overcome any formidable undertaking. Fortunately for you, National Polytechnic College of Science (NPCS), an affiliate of the National University System, offers a broad range of innovative degree and certificate programs that meet your standards so you can continue to build and strengthen your capabilities. NPCS’ five-week course format offers convenient education and training in the rapidly expanding fields of allied health, engineering technology, marine technology, and security management.

NPCS is an affiliate of the National University System and is a private, accredited nonprofit institution. Facilities are located in San Diego and Los Angeles, with many programs offered online allowing you to take them from any place at any time.

Accelerated by design, NPCS’ programs let you earn your associate degree in less than two years; military divers can complete some programs in less than one year. With classes taught by experienced faculty utilizing state-of-the-art classroom and laboratory equipment, you’ll gain the skills you need for professional growth or to begin a new career. Best of all, NPCS provides job placement assistance.

Transfer your love of adventure from the military to your career with National Polytechnic.
ALLIED HEALTH DIVISION

Demand has never been higher for skilled individuals trained in allied health fields. NPCS’ allied health programs, including those in health information technology, hyperbaric medical technology, substance abuse counseling, emergency medical technician-basic, and certified hyperbaric technology prepare graduates for careers in emergency medical response and hospital and commercial dive settings.

Associate of Science/Certificate in Health Information Technology
Prepare for one of the fastest growing career fields in the nation with an associate of science degree or certificate in health information technology. You will learn the best practices available in the effective management of vital health information, and contribute to improved health and wellness by being a valuable resource to patients and healthcare providers.

Associate of Science/Certificate in Substance Abuse Counseling
Earn an associate of science degree or certificate in substance abuse counseling and you’ll learn the skills necessary to help people overcome dependencies on alcohol or drugs. The associate of science is designed to meet state requirements for certification of alcohol and drug counselors.

National Polytechnic can prepare you to take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technician (EMT-Basic) in only ten weeks.
Associate of Science in Hyperbaric Medical Technology

The Associate of Science degree in Hyperbaric Medical Technology prepares you for a great career in the fast-growing field of hyperbaric medicine. You can earn your Advanced Dive Medic certificate as well as qualify to take the EMT-Basic and Certified Hyperbaric Technologist exams. Some of the courses are offered online so you can log on to class anytime from anywhere with an Internet connection. In addition to core courses and general education, the program includes 480 hours of clinical internship.

Emergency Medical Technician Certificate

Put your skills and love of action toward saving lives in NPCS’ Emergency Medical Technician-Basic Certificate program. Learn to respond to medical and trauma situations, delivering important pre-hospital care. Getting your EMT-B certificate is also the first step to becoming a paramedic, and opens the door to a wide variety of employment opportunities. NPCS can prepare you to take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technician-Basic (EMT-B) certificate exam in only 10 weeks.

Certified Hyperbaric Technologist

Learn accepted state and national standards for safe and clinically effective use of hyperbaric oxygen therapy, and explore current advances in the science and technology of hyperbaric medicine. Completion of this five-day course meets the standards set forth by the National Board of Diving and Hyperbaric Medical Technology (NBDHMT) and meets the academic requirement for the Certified Hyperbaric Technologist.

Recertifications

In addition to degree and certificate programs, National Polytechnic College of Science also offers a number of continuing education and recertification courses that are required in some allied
Upon completion of the Nondestructive Testing Certification Program, students will have acquired the skills necessary in determining the integrity of structures in accordance with various industry codes and standards.

Nondestructive Testing Certification
Earn your Nondestructive Testing (NDT) Certification at NPCS and you will have the knowledge and skills necessary to determine the condition and integrity of a wide range of components and structures in accordance with various industry codes and standards. The NDT program includes training in the use of sophisticated techniques such as ultrasonic magnetic particle, dye penetrant, and visual inspection. Completion will prepare you for job opportunities in industries including underwater inspection, construction, manufacturing, aerospace, energy, and transportation. Students will also receive the following letters of qualification:

- Ultrasonic Testing (UT) to Level II (longitudinal and shearwave)
- Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) to Level II
- Dye Penetrant Testing (PT) to Level II
- Visual Weld Inspection (VT) to Level II

The letter of qualification demonstrates that the graduate has been trained to the American Society of Nondestructive Testing (ANST) standards and the ISO 9000 series.
MARINE TECHNOLOGY DIVISION
Turn your experience and love of adventure and action into a profitable career with an Associate of Science degree or a certificate in Marine Technology. Through a balance of lectures and hands-on courses, you’ll develop the skills and experience needed to pursue a career in commercial diving, with concentrations in advanced dive medicine, nondestructive testing, and underwater welding.

Associate of Science in Marine Technology
The Associate of Science degree in Marine Technology increases your opportunities for advancement in the marine technology field. Earn your degree through successful completion of general education credits and the Marine Technology Certificates.

Marine Technology Certificates
NPCS’ Marine Technology Certificates provide you with the skills and training for entry into the diverse field of commercial diving.

Marine Technology I provides you with the basic skills for surface supplied air diving and prepares you for further study. The student learns safe diving procedures, professional work habits, and technical diving skills.

Marine Technology II improves your skills with 20 weeks of study in one of four concentrations that offer advance training for the major employment areas of commercial diving.

The Certificate and Associate of Science degree programs in Marine Technology require the successful completion of one of the following concentrations:

Advanced Dive Medicine (MedTech)
The MedTech concentration prepares students in the medical aspects of diving and advanced training in hyperbaric medicine. Graduates gain certification as an Advanced Diving
Medical Technician, qualified for work as a “tender” or diver medic on inland and offshore job sites. This concentration also qualifies you to take the Emergency Medical Technician-Basic (EMT-B) exam.

Homeland Security Management
Available for military divers who have already completed diver training, the Homeland Security Management concentration provides the knowledge, procedures, and techniques needed by students who have already completed diver training for a career in homeland security.

Underwater Inspection Technology (SpecTech)
The SpecTech concentration prepares you to conduct a number of advanced underwater inspection and testing techniques important for insuring the quality of underwater construction.

You’ll be trained to American Society for Nondestructive Testing (ANST) Level 1 and Level II standards in Ultrasonic Testing (UT), Magnetic Particle Testing (MT), Dye Penetrant Testing (PT) and Visual Testing (VT).

Underwater Welding Technology (WeldTech)
The WeldTech concentration gives you the in-depth training and extensive practice required to master the specialized skill of underwater welding and enhance your job prospects. The following welder performance qualifications are available:

- American Welding Society (AWS) D 1.1: 2G, 1” Plate Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)\(^1\)
- AWS D 1.1: 3G and 4G, 1” Plate, SMAW
- AWS D 1.1: 3G and 4G, 1” Plate, Flux-Core Arc Welding (FCAW)
- AWS D 3.6: 3F, 4F, and 5F; Class B Wet SMAW\(^2\)

Employment of emergency medical technicians is expected to grow faster than the average for all occupations through 2010.

\(^1\) Candidates must have this welding qualification prior to beginning the WeldTech concentration.

\(^2\) This program utilizes two different certified wet welding procedure specifications (AWS D 3.6 and Class B Pipe-Fillet) to govern the underwater welding training.

*We are the only accredited commercial diving training facility in the world to employ such industry-standard certified programs.*
A degree in homeland security is a popular choice for many in the military. Whether you want to move up in rank, prepare for a solid career outside the military, or acquire knowledge about a new field, homeland security falls right in line with your career path.

And with National Polytechnic’s online format, you can take classes on your own schedule, wherever you’re stationed.

**Associate of Science Degree in Homeland Security**

The Associate of Science degree in Homeland Security is your gateway to the expanding opportunities in homeland defense, emergency response, law enforcement, and public safety.

Accreditation and Memberships

- Accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)
- Approved by the U.S. Department of Education to participate in Title IV Student Financial Assistance Programs
- Approved for the training of veterans and/or eligible persons under provisions of Title 38, U.S. Code
- Authorized by the State of California to offer an Emergency Medical Technician - Basic Program
- Servicemembers Opportunity College (SOC)
- Servicemembers Opportunity College Navy (SOCNAV)
- American Society of Nondestructive Testing (ASNT)
- American Welding Society (AWS)
- Association of Commercial Diving Educators (ACDE)
- Association of Diving Contractors International (ADCI)
- International Marine Contractors Association (IMCA)
- National Board of Diving and Hyperbaric Medical Technology (NBDHMT)
- California Association of Private Postsecondary Schools
- American Association of Community Colleges
- American Council on Education (ACE)
- International Diving Schools Association (IDSA)
- Concurrent Admissions Program (ConAP)
- Undersea and Hyperbaric Medical Society (UHMS)
- American College of Hyperbaric Medicine (ACHM)
- American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
- Council of College and Military Educators (CCME)

Take the first step!

To speak with a National Polytechnic College of Science advisor, call us today at 1.800.432.3483. Visit our website at www.natpoly.edu to apply online.