3.35 Credit for Prior Learning

Part 1. Purpose. The purpose of this policy is to require system colleges and universities to provide students with opportunities to demonstrate college and university-level learning gained in non-credit 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 college and university shall provide students with a means for evaluation of prior learning and shall develop policies and procedures consistent with Procedure 3.35.1 Credit for Prior Learning.

Part 3. Compliance with Legislation. Each system college and university shall grant credit for prior learning for a veteran’s military training or service in compliance with Subd.2 of Minnesota Statute 197.775 Higher Education Fairness.

Part 4. Information Dissemination. Each system college and university shall provide accessible and timely information to prospective and admitted students regarding opportunities for credit for prior learning.

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