

**You stood  
for your  
country**

Michael  
ACU Student Veteran

**now we  
stand  
for you.**



**Veteran Entry  
Program (VEP)**  
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ACU is proud to offer the Veteran Entry Program (VEP), providing student veterans access to a range of support services and academic resources.

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## What is the Veteran Entry Program?

The Veteran Entry Program aims to increase accessibility to higher education for current and ex-serving defence members by allowing you to have your military service converted into

an entry rank. This allows you entry into many courses offered at ACU. Some ranks can also grant you an unconditional offer and access to postgraduate study.



## Who is eligible

We encourage individuals from all branches of military service to apply for the VEP. If you're unsure about whether you'll qualify, we still encourage you to apply.

If you want to study at ACU and you have served in one of the Australian Defence Forces, you can apply online. We'll assess your service in the military and convert it to an entry rank, similar to an ATAR. We then match that rank to the requirements of the undergraduate or

postgraduate course you wish to study and make you an offer based on the outcome. As a guide, completion of general training in the Australian Defence Force with two years' experience (regardless of military rank held) will result in a rank of 82, which would give you entry into most ACU bachelor degrees. We will provide individualised assessment of your experience and qualifications to determine the highest entry rank available to you.



## How to apply

We encourage veterans to apply online directly to ACU via the VEP so that we can provide individualised assistance. Applicants in NSW, ACT and Qld can also apply through their state

Tertiary Admission Centre (TAC), where you will receive a rank based on your service in the military. Applicants who go through the VEP still need to meet any course prerequisites.



## An officer and a leader

Becoming an officer in the ADF shows leadership and management capability. We recognise the life and work skills required to achieve this rank, so we're offering unconditional entry to two of our postgraduate courses.

If you have attained the equivalent rank of O-1 or above as an officer or chaplain, or E06 and above as a non-commissioned officer, you are eligible for direct entry into the:

- Graduate Certificate in Business Administration
- Graduate Certificate in Occupational Health, Safety and Environmental Management.



## Gain credit for one unit

In recognition of your service to country and community, ACU will grant you credit for the Core Curriculum unit, Justice and Change in a

Global World. This credit is available for most undergraduate degrees.

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