ACE Evaluations and Competency-Based Education

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Evaluating Credit for Prior Learning

- On-the-job learning
- Individual Study (MOOC’s)
- Workforce Training
- Military Education/Training
Focus on Learning

- Content, Scope, and Rigor
- Learning Outcomes (Documented)
- Depth and Breadth of Material
- Level of Difficulty
- Applicability to Postsecondary Programs
- Assessments (Methods)
ACE Review Summary

No magic elixir
- Content, scope, and rigor
- Learning outcomes; alignment to assessment
- Current curriculum

Not always credit
- Insufficient materials
- Inadequate Assessments
- Limited scope
- Too military specific

Faculty collaboration
- 100% consensus
- Aligned subject area expertise
- Also a multidisciplinary approach