

## PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

<u>AUTHORITY:</u>10 U.S.C. 133, Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics; DoD Instruction 5000.57, Defense Acquisition University (DAU); and E.O. 9397 (SSN), as arrended.

<u>PRINCIPAL PLRPOSE</u>:The Defense Acquisition University Data Services Management supports institutional acquisition training missions for the Department of Defense. The system is used to manage administrative and academic functions related to student registration, courses attempted, and completed. The system is also used to verify attendance and grades; and as a management tool for statistical analysis, tracking, and reporting.

ROUTINE USES:In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, the records contained herein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows: Law Enforcement Routine Use; Congressional Inquiries Disclosure Routine Use; Disclosure of Information to the National Archives and Records Administration Routine Use; and Data Breach Remediation Purposes Routine Use. The applicable system of records notice is DAU 02, Defense Acquisition University Data Services Management, and can be located at: http://dpcld.defense.gov/Privacy/SORNs.

<u>DISCLOSURE</u>:Voluntary; however, failure to provide the requested information may result in denial of access, application submission, course reservation and record of training.

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Why do we need your information?

We request your name, SSN or DAU student number and other verifiable data as determined by the program manager during the registration process only to authenticate who you are. Your information will be stored with your account when it is created and is shared with agencies and organizations involved in the documentation of the training event. Optionally, once your student profile is established, you can add your photograph.

## Is it safe?

Security during transmission is ensured using a 128-bit Secure Socket Layer (SSL) connection. This is the highest industry standard and establishes an encrypted session between your computer and the DSM site services. We use the same technology that other major companies operating on the World Wide Web (WWW) use to protect personal information and guard against identity theft. Look for the little yellow padlock at the bottom of your browser window to ensure that you have established a secure connection. There are no alternate means of registration as this is the most secure method of protecting your information.