







USACE Learning Center Professional Organizations and Continuing Education Credits

Org	Organization's Full Name	Term for Credits	Classroom Hours Equivalent - Example	How Reported
AIA	American Institute of Architects 	Learning Unit (LU)	1 LU = 1 instructor contact hour <u>Example:</u> Six 50 minute sessions = 300 minutes. 300 divided by 60 = 5 or 5 LUs	Instructor provides ULC attendance roster; ULC reports credits to AIA; doesn't allow self-reporting.
APA/ AICP	American Planning Association/ American Institute of Certified Planners   American Planning Association	Certification Maintenance Hour (CMH)	1 CM = 1 instructor contact hour <u>Example:</u> Six 50 minute sessions = 300 minutes. 300 divided by 60 = 5 or 5 CMs	Learner self-reports credits
IACET	International Association of Continuing Education and Training 	Continuing Education Unit (CEU)	1 CEU = 10 hrs of instructor contact hours <u>Example:</u> Six 50 minute sessions = 300 minutes. 300 divided by 60 = 5, divided by	Learner self-reports credits
NSPE	National Society for Professional Engineers 	Professional Development Hour (PDH)	1 PDH = 1 instructor contact hour <u>Example:</u> Six 50 minute sessions = 300 minutes. 300 divided by 60 = 5 or 5 PDHs	Learner self-reports credits Note: National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES) provides guidelines for the PDH to which NSPE adheres.
PMI	Project Management Institute 	Professional Development Unit (PDU)	1 PDU = 1 instructor contact hour <u>Example:</u> Six 50 minute sessions = 300 minutes. 300 divided by 60 = 5 or 5 PDUs	Learner self-reports credits
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