CMU’s Global Campus Announces Recipients Of U.S. Armed Forces Textbook Award

MOUNT PLEASANT, MI — Central Michigan University’s Global Campus recently announced the recipients of its U.S. Armed Forces Textbook Award.

The award was presented to 43 students from CMU’s Global Campus for the 2013-14 academic year. Recipients included 7 commissioned officers, 4 warrant officers, 22 enlisted personnel, and 10 spouses. Each recipient will receive a $125.00 scholarship that can be used for textbooks.

The recipients* included:

- Alex Bernstein – Online student from Daphne, Alabama
- Kate Cosens – Online student from Harbor Springs, Michigan
- Michelle Edwards – Student at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Center, Hawaii
- Norman Hall – Online student from Sierra Vista, Arizona
- William Hess – Online student from Menifee, California
- Jared Nutt – Student at Minot Air Force Base Center, North Dakota
- Kelly Petrat – Online student from Lake Orion, Michigan
- Ofelia Woodrich – Student at Schofield Center, Hawaii

*These individuals provided permission to CMU to include their names in this press release.

Active-duty U.S. military personnel and their immediate family members enrolled in CMU’s Global Campus are eligible to apply for textbook assistance.

The textbook award, which was established in 2009 with initial funding from 13 Lead Donors and a fundraising campaign, is available to enlisted personnel, warrant officers, and commissioned officers in pay grades O-1 through O-3, and E-1 through E-9 and their immediate family members.

“CMU’s Global Campus has a long history of serving the educational needs of our military,” said Dr. Ray Christie, vice provost for Academic Administration/interim vice president for Central Michigan University’s Global Campus. “We proudly claim over 150 flag officers across all branches of the military as alumni. Many of our military students continue their successful...
careers outside the military with the outstanding education they received from Central Michigan University."

To learn more about this scholarship and CMU's Global Campus, visit cmich.edu/globalcampus.

An innovator and leader in quality degree programs that are tailored to the unique needs of working students, CMU's Global Campus has over 45 locations across North America and offers online degree programs in compressed terms. More than 70,000 students have graduated from CMU’s Global Campus since 1971. Additionally, U.S. News and World Report has given CMU high marks in its Top Online Program rankings. CMU’s online graduate business programs ranked 6th in the nation in 2013. CMU had the highest ranking for online graduate programs of all Michigan public institutions.

Established in 1892, Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant, Michigan, was originally founded as a school for teacher and business education. Since then, this doctoral research university has grown to become one of the nation’s 100 largest public universities. CMU is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Central Michigan University is proud to support military students, offering various services to the men and women in uniform, including a military and civilian DoD tuition discounted rate and scholarship opportunities. Additionally, CMU has been repeatedly designated a military-friendly university by both GI Jobs and Military Advanced Education magazine. For more information on CMU’s services to military students, visit cmich.edu/military.

For more details on CMU’s U.S. Armed Forces Textbook Award and the 2013-14 recipients of the award, contact Kyle Pybus at 989-774-4456 or by e-mail at pybus1kc@cmich.edu.