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Secondary CTE Apparel Design and Interior Design

Applicant

Legal name: Date:

Requirements

U.S. service member applicants may meet content knowledge and experience requirements as follows:

- Applicant has served in a branch of the military with an MOS **related** to the CTE credential listed above.
- The service member must also have served no less than 3 years of active duty (Guard/Reserves must have 10 years or 5 years with a total of 12 active related deployment months)under this MOS.
    - MOS, time of service, and an Honorable discharge must be verified on a DD-214 submitted with this application.

All other applicants must meet content knowledge and occupational experience requirements:

Content Knowledge

- 24 semester hours of related postsecondary coursework verified on an official transcript to include a minimum ofthree (3) semester hours of content coursework in ***three*** (3) of the areas listed in the table below **OR**
- Valid and current state or national industry license or certification* (e.g., certified graphic arts, National Council for Interior Design Certification) **This does not include teacher licenses.*

Occupational Experience

Credit for student teaching (up to 800 hours) in the content area may be applied to either occupational or teaching experience:

- Bachelor's or higher degree: 2,000 hours of verified, non-teaching experience in the content area **OR**
- Less than a bachelor's degree: 4,000 hours of verified, non-teaching experience in thecontent area **OR**
- Three (3) years' verified teaching experience in the content area (full-time is defined as 51% or more of a teachingschedule dedicated to teaching in the content area).

Content coursework (min. 3 semester hours in 3 areas; 24 hours required)	**Coursework**	
Art		
Introduction to Interior Design or Apparel Design		
Residential Design and/or Commercial Design		
Architectural Drafting		
Apparel Design and Production		
Fashion Illustration		
Professional specialty courses (e.g. costume design, history of design/interior design/architectural design, graphic design/communications, textiles, merchandising)		
Total semester hours (24 semester hours required)		

Up to a maximum of six (6) semester hours of professional development may serve in lieu of coursework in the "content coursework" section above and must be documented within the application. (15 contact hours = 1 semester hour)