

**Subject:** Congratulations from Military Advanced Education- Top School Honors!

On behalf of *Military Advanced Education*, I would like to extend our congratulations! Barton County Community College has been selected as a TOP SCHOOL in the **2015 MAE Guide to Colleges & Universities** research study.

In light of your school's achievement, you are welcome to use the 2015 MAE Guide to Colleges & Universities logo in your advertising and promotional materials. We will also be sending a press release template for you to customize and send to your local media. Be on the lookout for this in early December, when we will provide you with an approximate release date.

The information you provided about your school was an invaluable contribution to this endeavor, and helped make our Guide the most comprehensive research tool yet for servicemembers, education services officers and transition officers. A record number of schools responded to our extensive survey, and MAE staff evaluated each submission by our strict criteria.

In our upcoming December issue of MAE, the Guide to Colleges & Universities uses an easy-to-read graphic presentation in the form of bar charts, which will enable readers to compare and contrast schools to find the best match for their needs. Schools are evaluated by their achievement in military culture, financial aid, flexibility, on-campus support and online support services.

As an additional "thank you" for your participation, we will be publishing all of your school's information, as well as your submitted essay in the MAE online database. This database is an excellent resource for prospective students considering an institution. There are also enhanced listing packages that you may elect to have included in the Guide. These incorporate contact information, additional school descriptions, institutional logos, and more. Please contact associate publisher, Gwen Silverstein at 301.670.5700 x 119 or [gwens@kmimediagroup.com](mailto:gwens@kmimediagroup.com) for more information.

As the first publication to publish a list evaluating best practices in military education, MAE has been improving the process every year in order to provide our men and women in uniform information that will help them make the right choices about college. Thank you for helping us serve those who serve our country.



Best Regards,

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