



**CAROLINA ALLIANCE FOR VETERAN EMPLOYMENT
FROM THE DESK OF THE EMPLOYMENT DIRECTOR.....**

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Hello Veteran Job Seeker,

This month, **VBH** explores the topics below:



- Seasonal PT work that pays well
- NCServes **PROVIDER** in the **SPOTLIGHT** – NCWorks
- Veteran Friendly Employer **SPOTLIGHT** – SEALED AIR
- Overview on How to **TOOT** your Horn without **BLOWING** it
- Companies Hiring – (see attached spreadsheet)
- Upcoming events – (LinkedIn workshop, Patriots Path workshop and more)
- Veteran Community Calendar Link
- RESUME TRANSLATOR LINK – Hiring our heroes

As the Holidays approach and the air cools, feel free to contact VBH/NCserves to discuss your career options or many other Veteran services. Call NCserves-Metrolina toll free number or go online at the number/website below. **When applying for positions, make sure you put in application, email, or phone that you are working with Veterans Bridge Home.** We look forward to serving you.

Sincerely,

Paul Bill

Employment Alliance Director

VBH / NCserves CONTACT INFORMATION

Website

www.NCserves.org

<https://charlotte.americaserves.org/>



NCserves (service request): 855-425-8838

VBH office: 704-332-8802

VBH website: www.veteransbridgehome.org

Seasonal Work that pays well- SPOTLIGHT

- Amazon Package delivery – contact Janice Brown (a Vet) at (803)–240-3955
- Hilton Center City – On-Call Banquet Servers - \$15-\$20/hr. Apply online at www.hiltoncentercity.com/apply or contact Camille Richards at (704)-331-4312.



Veterans Bridge Home Employment Provider SPOTLIGHT



NCWorks has great job searching networking groups, FREE workshops and Veteran focused consultants that will help you navigate your next “mission”.
Register here: <https://www.ncworks.gov/vosnet/Default.aspx>

Veteran Friendly Employer SPOTLIGHT



Sealed Air is a knowledge-based company focused on packaging solutions that help their customers achieve their sustainability goals in the face of today’s biggest social and environmental challenges. Their portfolio of widely recognized brands, including Cryovac® brand food packaging solutions and Bubble Wrap® brand cushioning, enable a safer and less wasteful food supply chain and protect valuable goods shipped around the world. Sealed Air is dedicated to supporting the communities where we live and work with our time, talent and resources to those who need it most. Leaving our communities better than we found them is our responsibility and the right thing to do. Sealed Air has an active global Veterans Network which includes employees who have either served in the military or are interested in supporting veterans. The network seeks to develop a culture where employees are valued for their military experience, facilitate community among veteran employees and support veterans in the communities they serve.

THANK YOU SEALED AIR

Career Link

<https://jobs.sealedair.com/search/?q=&locationsearch=>

Check out VBH preferred employers:

<http://veteransbridgehome.org/our-supporters/>

Link if your New to CHARLOTTE:

<http://veteransbridgehome.org/new-to-charlotte/>

Best way to “TOOT” your horn without “BLOWING” IT

From the author of the same book; Peggy Klause; <https://www.amazon.com/Brag-Tooting-Your-without-Blowing/dp/0446692786>

TAKE 12....the bragologue

Things you are most proud of having accomplished in your personal and professional life. Combine personal and professional as your brag.

1. What would you and others say are 5 of your personality pluses?
 2. What are the 10 most interesting things you have done or that have happened to you?
 3. What do/did you do for a living and how did you end up doing it?
 4. What do you like/love about your last/current job?
 5. How does/did your job/career use your skills and talents, and what projects are/did you work on that showcase's them?
 6. What career successes are you most proud of having accomplished?
 7. What new skills have you learned in the last year?
 8. What obstacles have you overcome to get where you are today, both professionally and personally, and what essential lessons have you learned from some of your mistakes?
 9. What training/education have you completed and what did you gain from those experiences?
 10. What professional organizations are you associated with and in what ways – member, treasurer, etc.?
 11. How do you spend your time outside of work, including hobbies, interests, sports, family, and volunteer activities?
 12. In what ways are you making a difference in people's lives?
- A good self-promoter sneaks up on you, grabs your attention, and wins you over, without you even knowing he or she is doing it.
 - Office, meeting, lunch, dinner, watercooler, hallway, event, networking, or even restroom talk, it's self-promotion time.

VETERAN FRIENDLY COMPANIES/ HIRING /roles:

VBH Strategic Partners:
This Week: (see attached)

OTHERS:

- Daimler Truck North America - CTS Technician II 3rd Shift

Upcoming Events:

VETERAN BRIDGE HOME EVENTS LINK: <http://veteransbridgehome.org/events/>

Patriots Path Career Transition Course Due to popular demand, PP has added a shortened, two full-day course in Charlotte to our 2018 calendar.

Date/Time: November 28-29 from 9:00am-4:00pm both days. There will be two hours of mock interviews offered on the 30th, as well. This shortened, fast paced version of the Patriots Path Career Transition Course is being held at the Goodwill Opportunity Campus located at 5301 Wilkinson Boulevard, Charlotte, NC 28208. Breakfast and lunch will be included but please register at www.patriots-path.org soon so we know how many seats to reserve.

Business Executive Networking Group (BENG) – Wed, Nov 28th; 8:45-10:45; Support your very own Veteran, Paul Bill, who will share what's hot in Charlotte and what are TA/HR folks wanting to see? We look forward to seeing you! South Park Towers, 6100 Fairview Road, Suite 205, Charlotte, NC 28210. For pre-registration or more information about BENG please visit, <https://bengcharlotte.eventbrite.com>

Making Careers Happen for Veterans: A Community of Practice. A 90 Minute Webinar An Introduction and Demonstration; Date: Wednesday, December 5th 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST
To register, please visit <https://www.nvti.org/webinar>

FREE Veteran Bridge Home LinkedIn 2-hour workshop with Pizza – Wed, Dec 12; 3:30-5:30; Workshop Sponsored by Don L Hubbard and Associates and Ira Bass. Must register at least two days prior, by Monday, December 10th using the link below. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/free-linkedin-for-veterans-and-spouses-workshop-tickets-52432151978>

VETERAN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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RESUME TRANSLATOR LINK from Hiring our Heroes

<https://resumeengine.org/#/>

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