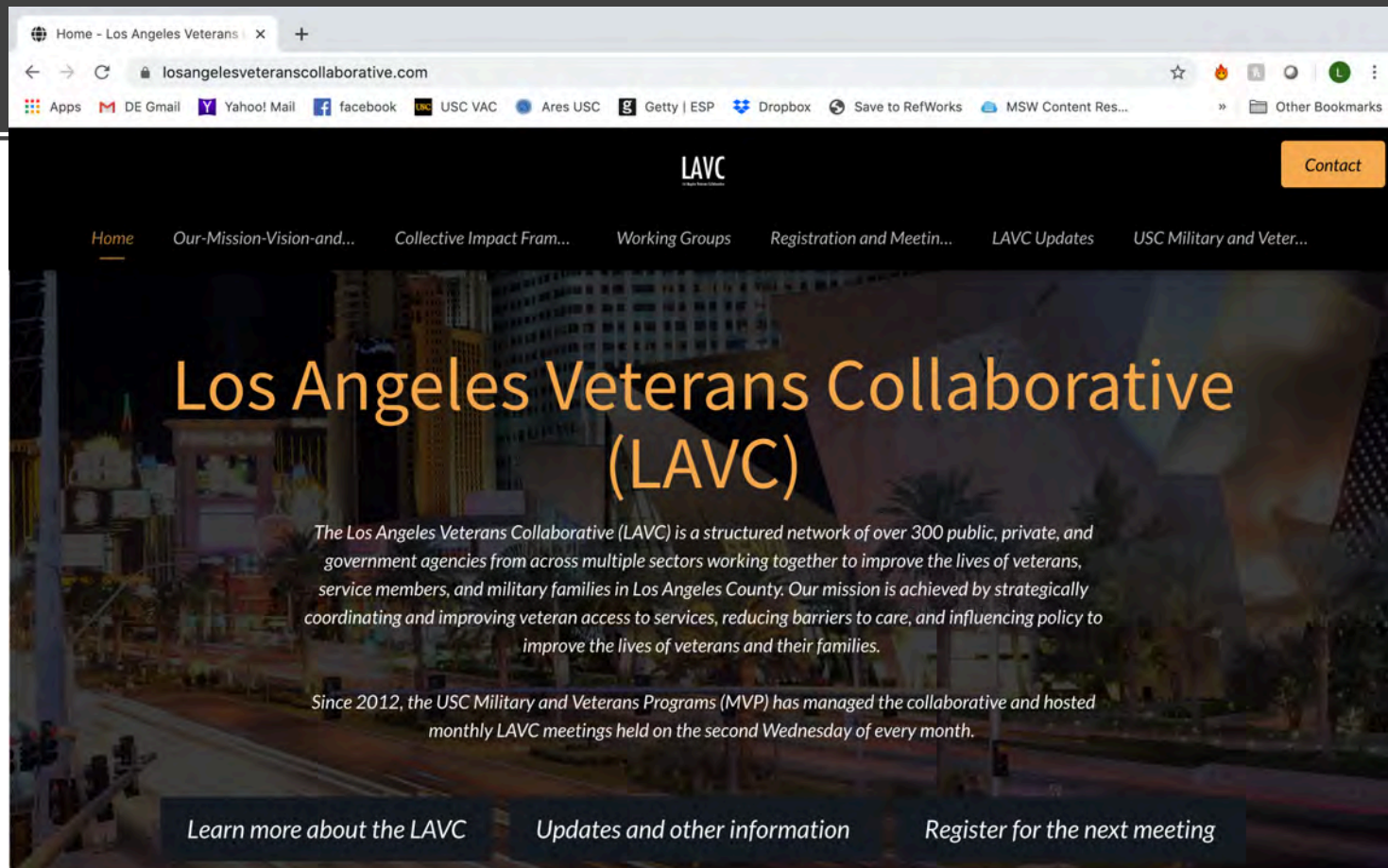




# The Salute Report

Keeping Us Connected!

# Introducing the LAVC new website: www.losangelesveteranscollaborative.com



## Goodwill Seasonal Hiring Event

- Thursday, November 14
- 9:00am to 12:00pm
- For more info call 562.435.3411 x289
- 800 W. Pacific Coast HWY  
Long Beach, CA

Think Good. Think Goodwill.®



**Sign up and RSVP your next big opportunity!**  
**<http://bit.ly/Goodwill19>**

### Goodwill Seasonal Hiring Event

- Earn extra money for the holidays
  - Employers seeking to hire full time and part time superstars. Is that you?
  - Pay varies upon position and experience
  - Accommodations available upon request (72 HOURS IN ADVANCE)
  - Bring copies of your resume
  - Bring your right to work documents
  - Get hired on the spot!
- PARKING LOT IS RESERVED FOR STORE CUSTOMERS**

November 14, 2019  
9 am - 12 pm  
800 W. Pacific Coast HWY.  
Long Beach, CA 90806

For More Information Contact:  
(562) 435-3411 x289  
[Workforce@goodwillsolac.org](mailto:Workforce@goodwillsolac.org)



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Serving the People of Southern Los Angeles County



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[www.ThinkGood.org](http://www.ThinkGood.org)

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## Garden & Grill

- Friday, November 15
- 10:00am to 2:00pm
- Please RSVP @  
<https://sa.ucla.edu/Forms/p/1Ktye>
- @ Veterans' Garden @ VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System  
100 Constitution Ave., Los Angeles

## Garden & Grill

- Work on projects with veterans and veteran supporters!
- Free food!



**Friday, October 18, 2019**  
**Friday, November 15, 2019**  
**Friday, December 6, 2019**



10:00 - 14:00



Veterans' Garden @ VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System  
100 Constitution Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90073

Please RSVP at <https://sa.ucla.edu/Forms/p/1Ktye>  
Questions... Call (310) 206-6915



**VA**



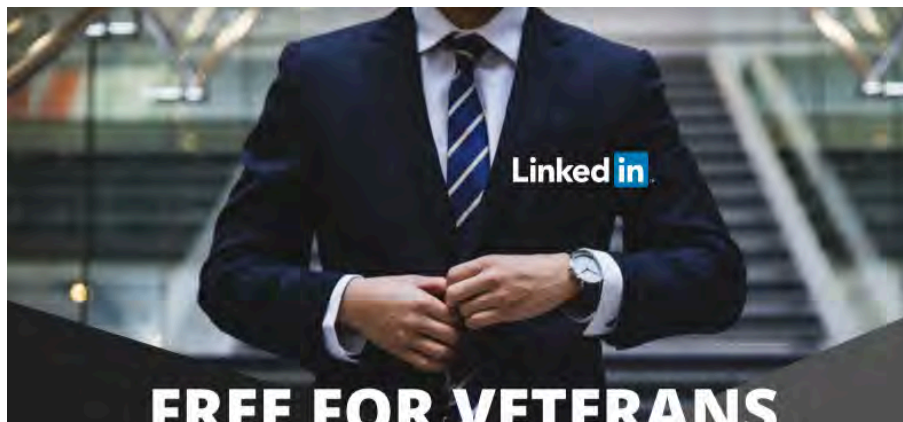
U.S. Department  
of Veterans Affairs  
VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System





## JVS SoCal Free Professional Photos for Veterans

- Friday, November 15 (& December 13)
- Schedule your appointment to get your professional photo taken for free
- Contact: [veterans@jvs-socal.org](mailto:veterans@jvs-socal.org), 213.742.9560




**FREE FOR VETERANS**

Get your professional photo taken. Yours to keep! Make a first impression with employers and partners. A professional photo will set you apart from everyone else. Don't let this opportunity pass you by !

Schedule your appointment today:  
November 15th & December 13th

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Contact info :  
[Veterans@jvs-socal.org](mailto:Veterans@jvs-socal.org)  
213-742-9560



# A Free Legal Clinic for Veterans

- Wednesday, November 20
- 5:30pm to 8:30pm
- Clearing outstanding tickets & warrants, cleaning criminal records. Be sure to bring all documentation.
- Registration is required @213.896.6537, inquiries-veterans@lacba.org or [www.lacba.org/veterans](http://www.lacba.org/veterans)
- @ Bob Hope Patriotic Hall  
1816 South Figueroa St, Los Angeles



**LACBA  
Veterans  
Legal Services  
Project**

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## A FREE LEGAL CLINIC FOR VETERANS

### CLEARING OUTSTANDING TICKETS AND WARRANTS

This free workshop is open to any veteran in need of help with:

- Tickets for minor offenses (infractions) such as jaywalking, running a stop sign, etc.
- Failure to Appear charges & warrants stemming from tickets.
- We are unable to assist with parking tickets.

### CLEANING CRIMINAL RECORDS

This free workshop is open to any veteran in need of help with:

- Information regarding what convictions can be expunged
- The criteria to qualify for expungement
- Forms need to be completed
- Where to file for expungement

**We are unable to assist with Federal convictions, or, convictions outside of the State of California.**

**Wednesday, November 20, 2019**

**5:30pm–6:30 PM:** Self-Help Workshop  
**6:30pm–8:30 PM:** Volunteer attorneys will be available to provide one-on-one assistance and consultation. You must attend the workshop in order to receive one-on-one assistance.

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Please call **(213) 896-6537** to reserve your seat. We look forward to assisting you.

Visit our website for more information  
[www.lacba.org/veterans](http://www.lacba.org/veterans)

Or contact us at **(213) 896-6537**,  
[inquiries-veterans@lacba.org](mailto:inquiries-veterans@lacba.org)

**Bob Hope Patriotic Hall**  
1816 South Figueroa Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90015



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- Wednesday, November 20
- 9:30am
- Come learn what services are provided to eligible U.S. Veterans
- @ Bob Hope Patriotic Hall  
1816 South Figueroa St, Los Angeles

Wednesday,  
November  
20th  
at 9:30 am



## Department of Rehabilitation Informational Workshop For Veterans

**COME LEARN WHAT SERVICES ARE PROVIDED TO ELIGIBLE  
U.S. VETERANS**

Need help with training or College Tuition? Need help finding a job that helps with disabilities? Come to the Department of rehabilitation informational. Come learn about the many services they offer our service-connected veterans. Services such as: Help with College tuition, Transportation assistance, and help with job placement.

**Are you eligible? Are you a service connected veteran?**  
**Do you a disability? Do you want to work? Are you**  
**having trouble getting or keeping a job because of your**  
**disability? Do you need services such as job placement,**  
**training, or other job preparation to help you get or**  
**keep a job job or advance in employment?**  
**If you answered "yes" to all of these questions, you may**  
**qualify for DOR services**

**Event Location:**  
**Bob Hope Patriotic Hall**  
**1816 S. Figueroa Street**  
**Los Angeles, CA 90015**

**Contact: Thomas Salazar**  
tsalazar@jvs-socal.org  
(213) 742-9560  
Open to all U.S. veterans

Veterans America's **JobCenter**  
of California™



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Workforce Development Aging and Community Services (WDACS) and the Los Angeles County America's Job Centers of California are equal opportunity employers/programs. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request, to individuals with disabilities.

## South Bay Veteran's Employment Committee Thanksgiving Luncheon

- Friday, November 22
- 1:00p to 3:00p
- RSVP by 11/20 via email:  
Roxana.Gomez@edd.ca.gov
- @ 1045 W. Redondo Beach Blvd  
#150. Gardena





## Mindful Warrior Project invites members to the Opera

- Sunday, December 1
- 12:00p to 5:30p
- Veterans, active duty, guard & reserve members are invited to the LA Opera's performance of the Magic Flute followed by a panel discussion & dinner
- RSVP @  
[gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org](mailto:gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org)
- @ Dorothy Chandler Pavilion Music Center, DTLA



Veterans (along with Active Duty, Guard, & Reserve members) are invited to explore opera as our guests at

the  
**Sunday, December 1st**  
Los Angeles Opera performance of  
MOZART'S



meet to get tickets – 12 - 12:50  
pre-talk – 1 - 1:50  
opera – 2 - 4:40  
special panel discussion & dinner – 4:45 - 5:30

**Dorothy Chandler Pavilion  
Music Center - Downtown Los Angeles**

[www.mindfulwarriorproject.org](http://www.mindfulwarriorproject.org)  
818.616.2931

for more information & to request to attend, contact  
[gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org](mailto:gail@mindfulwarriorproject.org)



## 2019 California Lawyers Association Military Veterans Summit

- Monday, December 9
- Earn 4.0 Hours MCLE, Includes 1 hour Recognition & Elimination of Bias
- Sign up @ <https://calawyers.org/litigation/2019-military-and-veterans-summit-2/>
- @ San Francisco War Memorial Veterans Building, Rm 206 & 210  
401 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco

## 2019 California Lawyers Association Military and Veterans Summit



MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2019  
SAN FRANCISCO WAR MEMORIAL



### Panel topics include:

- Sexual assault in the military: legal problems and remedies;
- LGBT service-members and veteran rights;
- Discharge upgrades: how to restore veteran status and benefits;
- Federal appellate and class action litigation for veterans.

### Special speakers include:

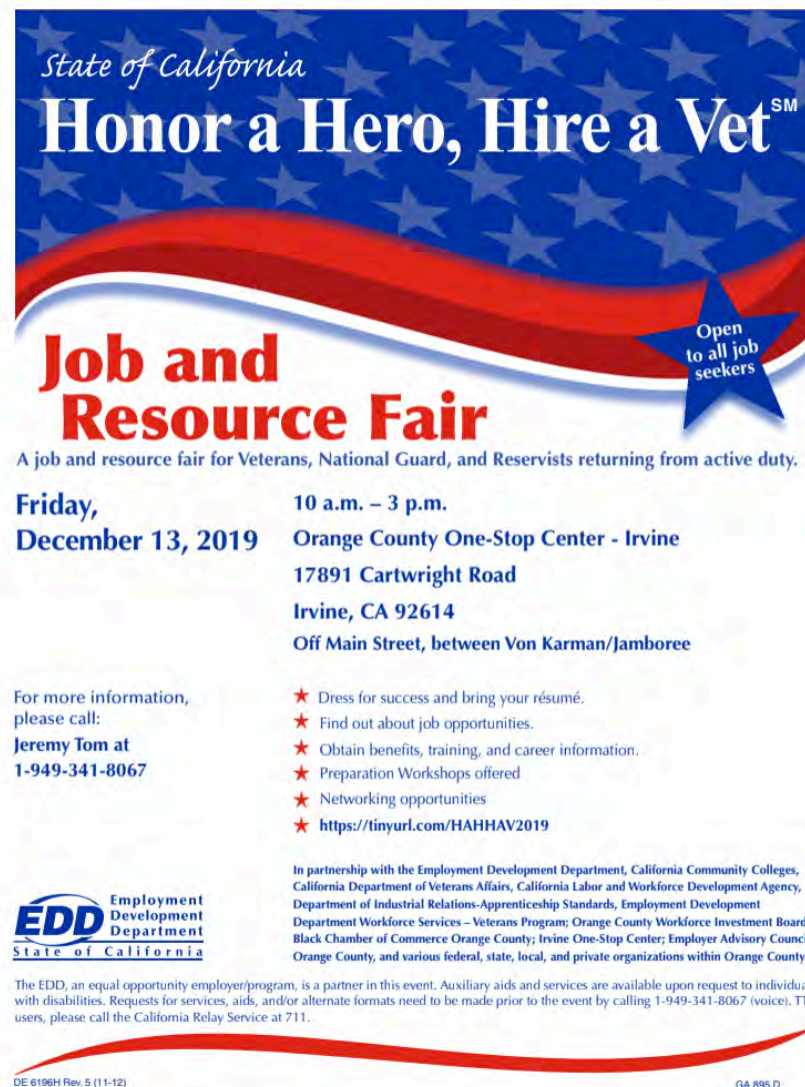
- Chief Justice John Roberts of the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims
- Justice Ming Chin, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of California
- Senator Thomas Umberg.

Link for more information or to register for event:

<https://calawyers.org/litigation/2019-military-and-veterans-summit-2/>

# State of California Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet Job & Resource Fair

- Friday, December 13
- 10:00am to 3:00pm
- A job & resource fair for Veterans, National Guard, and Reservists returning from active duty
- @ Orange County One-Stop Center  
17891 Cartwright Road, Irvine



The poster features a blue background with white stars at the top, transitioning into a red and white wavy banner. The text is primarily in white and red. A blue starburst graphic on the right side contains the text 'Open to all job seekers'.

State of California  
**Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet<sup>SM</sup>**

**Job and Resource Fair**

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**Friday,  
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**10 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

**Orange County One-Stop Center - Irvine**  
**17891 Cartwright Road**  
**Irvine, CA 92614**  
**Off Main Street, between Von Karman/Jamboree**

For more information,  
please call:  
**Jeremy Tom at**  
**1-949-341-8067**

- ★ Dress for success and bring your résumé.
- ★ Find out about job opportunities.
- ★ Obtain benefits, training, and career information.
- ★ Preparation Workshops offered
- ★ Networking opportunities
- ★ <https://tinyurl.com/HAHHAV2019>

**EDD** Employment Development Department  
State of California

In partnership with the Employment Development Department, California Community Colleges, California Department of Veterans Affairs, California Labor and Workforce Development Agency, Department of Industrial Relations-Apprenticeship Standards, Employment Development Department Workforce Services – Veterans Program; Orange County Workforce Investment Board; Black Chamber of Commerce Orange County; Irvine One-Stop Center; Employer Advisory Council, Orange County, and various federal, state, local, and private organizations within Orange County.

The EDD, an equal opportunity employer/program, is a partner in this event. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Requests for services, aids, and/or alternate formats need to be made prior to the event by calling 1-949-341-8067 (voice). TTY users, please call the California Relay Service at 711.

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# Mindful Warrior Project's Operation Holiday

- Tuesday, December 17
- 11:00am to 2:00pm
- Veteran families are invited to celebrate the holiday season. Join for food, arts & crafts, entertainment, raffles, reading & books time with Santa
- @ Sepulveda VA  
16111 Plummer St., Bldg 22  
North Hills



## MINDFUL WARRIOR PROJECT

Veteran families are invited to celebrate the holiday season  
with the Mindful Warrior Project

come join us for  
yummy food  
arts & crafts  
entertainment  
raffles  
reading & books  
time with \*Santa\*

  
**TUESDAY**  
**DECEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

Sepulveda VA  
16111 Plummer St. Bldg 22  
North Hills, CA 91343

  
registration is *free* but required

**REGISTER HERE**  
[bit.ly/OpHol2019](http://bit.ly/OpHol2019)

  
www.mindfulwarriorproject.org - info@mindfulwarriorproject.org  
818.616.2931

## OPERATION HOLIDAY



In appreciation of the men and women who have served this great country. We would like to invite you and your family to our annual Operation Holiday Event.

**Tuesday December 17th 2019**  
**11:00am - 2:00pm**

**16111 Plummer St. Bldg 22,**  
**North Hills, CA. 91343**  
**At The Recreation Hall**

PRESENTED BY:



San Fernando Valley  
Veterans Employment Committee

Free Lunch, Photo Booth, Raffles,  
Veteran Resources, Entertainment,  
and a Surprise Visit from Santa....

**MUST RSVP, space is limited!**

Register on Eventbrite:  
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/operation-holiday-tickets-7864877611>

For more information please contact:  
POC: Thomas Salazar  
Number: 310.133.8324  
Email: [Thomas@jvvc-foad.org](mailto:Thomas@jvvc-foad.org)





# JVS Works, Preparing You for a New Career

- On-going training opportunities
- JVS BankWorks
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- Visit [www.jvs-social.org](http://www.jvs-social.org)

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JVS' BankWork\$® is a free 8-week program consisting of job training, job placement assistance and ongoing coaching for career advancement in the banking industry. Program graduates are considered for roles ranging from tellers to sales and service associates, universal bankers and relationship bankers.



**JVS HealthWorks®**  
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JVS' HealthWorks® is a free 8-week Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) training program consisting of classroom instruction and clinical experience. Upon completion of training, students are prepared for the California State Certification exam and receive job placement and retention assistance.



**JVS ApartmentWorks®**  
**Launch Your New Career in the Apartment Industry**  
JVS ApartmentWorks® offers a free 8-week program to become a nationally certified Apartment Maintenance Technician. This intensive course includes both classroom training as well as hands-on experience. Graduates receive job placement assistance and ongoing coaching for success in this high demand profession.



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 For eligibility requirements and to learn more, visit us online.  
**[www.jvs-social.org](http://www.jvs-social.org)**

# Vet2Peer Program

- Scholarship program that provides veterans with peer personnel training and job placement assistance.
- Please contact Adam Castillo @ 213.407.0039 or [V2P@usvetsinc.org](mailto:V2P@usvetsinc.org) or Elizabeth Tobias @ 310.338.5813 or [Elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu](mailto:Elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu)



Are you a military veteran who has experienced challenges transitioning from military to civilian life and is motivated to find permanent employment helping veterans with similar experiences? If you answered yes, this program is for you.

Vet2Peer is a fully-funded scholarship program that provides veterans with peer personnel training and job placement assistance. Students acquire the skills, resources and tools needed to serve as a peer specialist. Upon completion of the course, students will receive a Loyola Marymount University (LMU) Peer Specialist for Veterans certificate, career counseling, job placement services, and post-program support.

#### THE PROGRAM BEGINS IN 2020

Applications are currently being accepted. Please visit our website to apply: <http://extension.lmu.edu/vet2peer>

#### INFO ▶

Please, contact Adam Castillo at (213) 407-0039 or [V2P@usvetsinc.org](mailto:V2P@usvetsinc.org), or Elizabeth Tobias at (310) 338-5813 or [elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu](mailto:elizabeth.tobias@lmu.edu).



Vet2Peer is a collaborative initiative between Loyola Marymount University and U.S.VETS. It is made possible thanks to the support of the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSH-PD).



**Loyola Marymount  
University  
Extension**

## The Mission Continues: The Women Veterans Leadership Program

- Personal and professional development experience for women veterans. Empowering women through skill and knowledge building
- <https://missioncontinues.org/get-involved/women-veterans-leadership-program/>
- Applications are open thru Nov 24



## THE MISSION CONTINUES

The Mission Continues is thrilled to announce our newest program: **The Women Veterans Leadership Program (WVLP)**, a first-of-its kind personal and professional development experience for women veterans ready to unlock their potential as leaders.

WVLP will empower women through skill and knowledge building around topics such as communication, self-confidence, identity, collective impact, and resiliency, to help women be at the center of future change! We're building an Army of women that perpetuates change through in-person learning, a virtual curriculum, and individualized field work!

This is an amazing opportunity for women veterans who are seeking advanced leadership opportunities, whether in community service, employment, or at home, and who want to learn how to better advocate for themselves and other women!

Want to read up on the program or interested in applying? Head to the website: <https://missioncontinues.org/get-involved/women-veterans-leadership-program>

**Applications are open now through November 24th!**

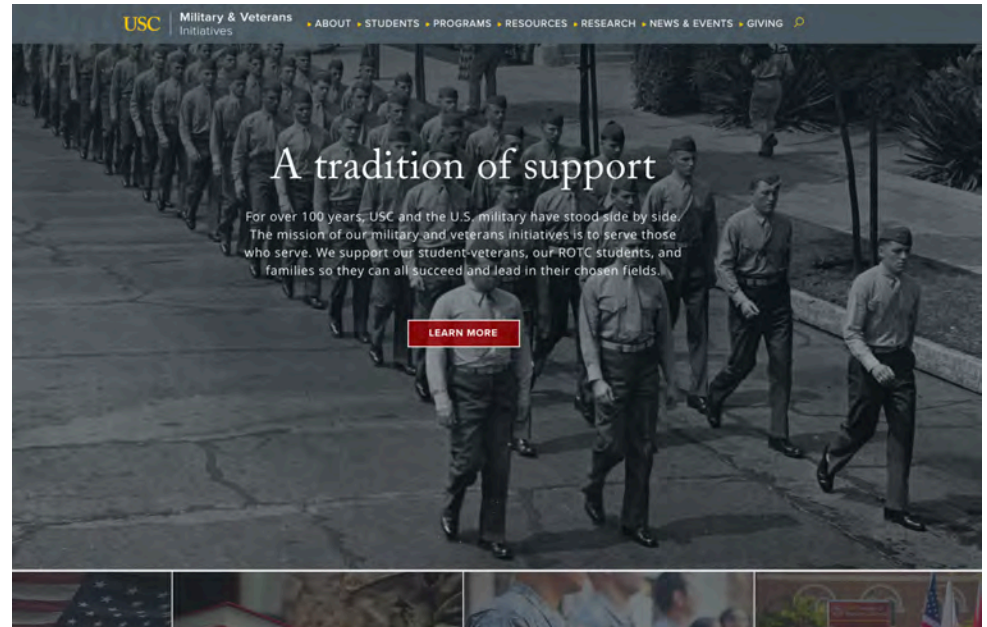


# USC Military & Veterans Initiatives Website:

<https://military.usc.edu>

- USC launched its new website for Military & Veterans Initiatives. Find information for prospective students, current students, ROTC campus program, connect with alumni, and get the latest news

- <https://military.usc.edu>



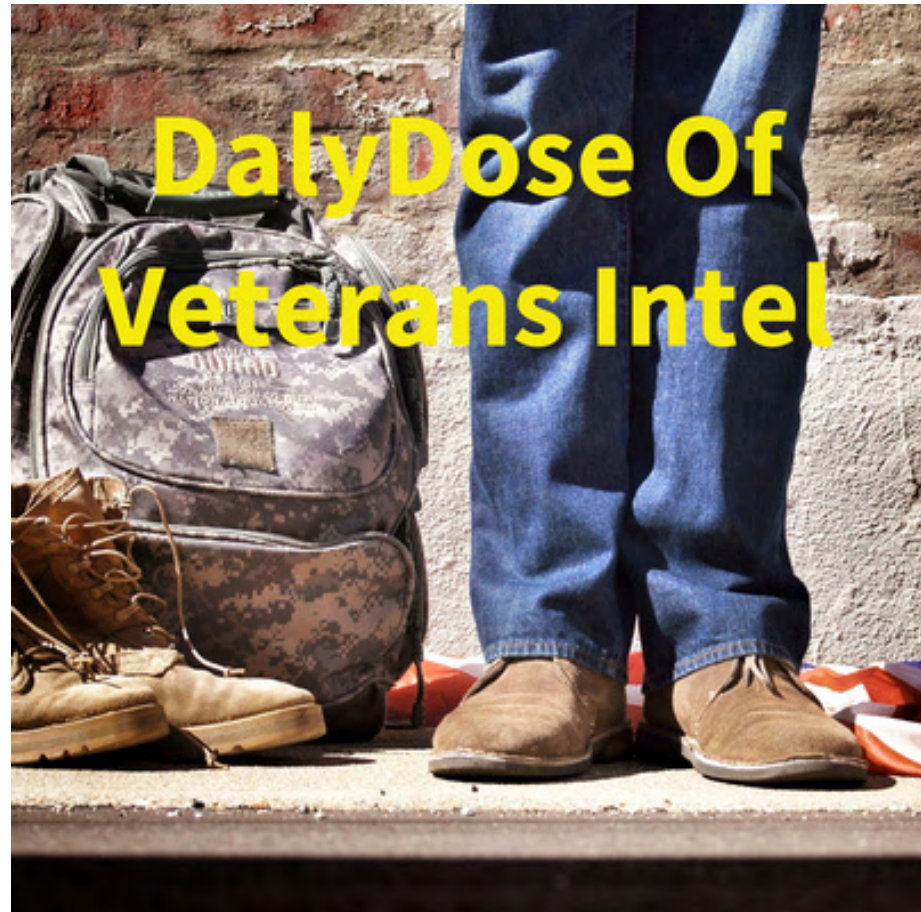


# DalyDose of Veterans Intel

<https://anchor.fm/dalydose>

- The place to get the scoop on veterans issues on a Jeff Daly basis
- <https://anchor.fm/dalydose>

Hosted at [anchor.fm/dalydose](https://anchor.fm/dalydose)  
& listen via Spotify, Google Podcasts & PocketCast



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- Feel free to send information about upcoming veteran events or relevant services.
- Tag us in your posts regarding veteran events or relevant services.

