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Forge Your Next Mission: Military & Spouse Job Fair & Networking Event Set for September 17th in Greenbelt, MD

Baltimore, MD (June 25, 2024) – Attention military personnel and their spouses: prepare to chart your next career course at the Military & Spouse Job Fair & Networking event, hosted by the West Point Society of Baltimore on September 17, 2024, at Martin's Crosswinds, 7400 Greenway Center Lane, Greenbelt, MD. This free, in-person event provides a prime opportunity for transitioning service members and their families to connect with leading employers actively seeking your unique skills and experience.

"We understand the challenges our nation's heroes face as they re-enter the civilian workforce," says Michael R. Nelson, COL (Ret), President of the West Point Society of Baltimore. "This job fair is designed to bridge the gap, connecting them with employers who value their leadership, discipline, and unwavering commitment."

Open to all veterans from all military branches, commissioning sources, and ranks along with their spouses, the fair and networking event features a diverse range of companies across various industries, eager to tap into the talent pool of the military community. Attendees can expect:

- One-on-one discussions with recruiters and hiring managers.
- Information on a wide variety of career opportunities
- Resume and cover letter writing workshops (September 5 & 12)
- Professional networking opportunities
- Valuable resources and support from military-focused organizations
- Hear from "Hiring our Heroes" about their Military Spouse resources.
- Local colleges in attendance to discuss your educational benefits (Post-9/11 GI Bill, CH31/35)

Pre-registration is required to secure your spot and make the most of your experience. Visit <u>https://sallyport.westpointaog.org/events/131561</u> to register and learn more about participating companies and workshop schedules.

"This job fair is not just about finding a job," adds Michael R. Nelson, COL (Ret). "It's about building a future. We're dedicated to empowering our military family to translate their service into fulfilling civilian careers."

Join us on September 17th at Martin's Crosswinds and take the next step in your postmilitary journey. Together, let's honor the sacrifices made and pave the way for a bright future for our nation's heroes.

Additionally, we will be holding transitioning training the two weeks prior, and we have also coordinated with "Hiring our Heroes" to be in attendance to discuss their spousal programs and how they can support the family during this transition.

Lastly, we have coordinated with secondary schools to attend to discuss your tuition assistance opportunities...so come and get the benefit of many job opportunities along with getting a better understanding of your educational benefits.

About the West Point Society of Baltimore:

The West Point Society of Baltimore is a non-profit organization dedicated to supporting current and former cadets, graduates, and families of the United States Military Academy at West Point. Through outreach programs, scholarships, and events like the Military & Spouse Job Fair & Networking events, the Society fosters camaraderie, provides resources, and promotes opportunities for the West Point and Military community.

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