



Joining Forces

Your Patriot Placements Bulletin

UNITING VETERANS WITH EMPLOYERS IN THE AMERICAN WORK FORCE

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Happy Holidays

At this special time of year, we give thanks for all of you who have made our jobs and our lives more fulfilling. We wish you a very happy holiday season and a peaceful and prosperous new year!



Our Mission

Patriot Placements is committed to serving the military community by working with the business community to promote job placement and economic independence to our nation's heroes and their spouses. **For more information, visit us at <http://patriotplacements.org/Events.aspx>**



In the Spotlight

In our ongoing search for capable hands, Patriot Placements is fortunate to have volunteers who are invested in our cause and committed to our mission. Amber Holt is the true meaning of a volunteer. As the daughter of a 20-year Air Force veteran, Amber

joined our team in October 2015 as an HR associate. In just three years, she graduated from UNC Chapel Hill with a BA in Management and Society and a minor in Public Policy; secured a full-time position in Human Resources at Goodwill Industries; earned her SHRM certification; and was promoted to Manager of Human Resources Services at Patriot Placements. Amber supervises and trains our HR Associates and Assistants as they work to place candidates in job positions. CEO Carmelita Resh praises Amber. "I am very proud of all she has accomplished while she has been with us. Her genuine concern and support of our veterans and spouses during their job search is exceptional."



Amber Holt, Manager, Human Resource Services

2018 Winter Wonderland Toy Drive

Wednesday, December 5, 2018, from 5:00pm to 8:00 p.m., at the Modern Sixties Wine Lounge, Gateway Shopping Center, 1828 East Sunrise Boulevard in Fort Lauderdale. The evening will include a raffle, silent auction, guest speakers, and light bites. In support of the Marine Corps Toys for Tots Foundation, participants are asked to bring a new, unwrapped toy to the event. Guests can start their holiday shopping early at Modern Sixties Wine Lounge, which boasts an ever-changing collection of hand selected boutique vintages. Modern Sixties Wine Lounge will

donate 20 percent of all purchases to Patriot Placements!



Did You Know?

The National Veterans Foundation (NVF) helps veterans of all eras, their family members and active duty service members by operating the nation's only toll-free, vet-to-vet helpline. NVF assists veterans with needs including medical treatment, PTSD counseling, VA benefits advocacy, food, shelter, training, legal aid, and more. **For more information, visit <https://nvf.org/>. To subscribe to NVF news and updates, visit <https://nvf.org/subscribe-updates-news/>**

Volunteer Services

Share in carrying out our mission to provide personalized career counseling and job placement services to our military heroes and spouses. We are looking for volunteers who are dedicated to serving our returning military veterans by creating a career path for their future. Explore our many volunteer opportunities and discover the right volunteer program for you. **For more information, visit us at <http://patriotplacements.org/Volunteer.aspx>**

Community Events

- 02/02/2019 - Veteran Job Readiness Boot Camp
- 02/27/2019 - Veteran Job and Resource Expo
- 03/16/2019 - Fort Lauderdale St. Pat's Parade

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