

12th Annual Veterans Hiring Event
(No cost to attend)
Co-Sponsored by Southwestern Illinois College and Illinois Department of Employment Security
10 November 2016
9 a.m. – 12 noon (Employer setup between 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.)
Southwestern Illinois College (SWIC-Varsity Gym)
2500 Carlyle Avenue, Belleville, Illinois

You are cordially invited to participate in the 12th Annual Illinois Statewide Veterans Hiring Event.

Although Veterans will be our primary audience, the hiring event is open to the public.

Registration:

To attend, you must complete **Step One now** and **Step Two on or soon after 8 September 2016.**
Note: If you are already registered in SWIC-College Central Network (SWIC-CCN), disregard Step One.

Step One- Create a free employer account:

- * Go to: www.collegecentral.com/swic
- * Click on Employer and Create Account.
- * Once you register, you'll be emailed a password so you can fully access your account.
(Note: You can use this account anytime to post job openings and review SWIC student/alumni posted resumes.)

Step Two- Register for the Veterans Hiring Event (on or after 8 September 2016):

- * Go to: www.collegecentral.com/swic
- * Sign In with your User/Access ID and Password.
- * At the top of your account page, click on the link to register for the hiring event.
- * The next page provides event information/directions and at the bottom, click on Register to Attend.
- * Completely fill out the Event Registration form. Especially take care in filling out Full-Time job opening, Part-Time job opening and Paid Internship descriptions. Provide as much information as you can regarding your job opportunities.
- * When your form is approved, you'll be notified to confirm registration.

Hiring Event registration deadline is Friday, 4 November 2016, at 4 p.m.

On 10 November 2016, we ask that you setup your table no later than 8:30 a.m. and stay the entire period from 9 a.m. – 12 noon so that all job seekers will have the opportunity to meet with you. Also, there will be a short opening ceremony beginning at 8:30 a.m. to present the "Colors" by the US TRANSCOM Color Guard. A guest speaker will welcome everyone.

Again, this veterans hiring event is open to the public. Military veterans have unique experiences and skills that enhance their qualifications making their skills easily transferable to your workplace needs. Their ability to act on orders, have higher-than-average work ethics, and be dependable and adaptable make them excellent employees. Employers may earn up to \$9,600 in federal tax credits for each eligible veteran they hire. In essence, the military veteran is a high quality job candidate worthy of special consideration.

Points of Contact:

Military veteran specific questions, job specific questions and needing additional assistance prior to the event - please call Don Niebruegge, Local Veteran Employment Representative, IDES, 618-277-8938, Donald.Niebruegge@illinois.gov

SWIC-CCN registration questions, SWIC event locale questions and needing additional assistance prior to the event - please call LaTasha Rodgers, SWIC Veterans & Career Services, 618-222-5552, latesha.rodgers@swic.edu.