

SECO Upcoming Events

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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1. Pivot With Purpose: Navigating Career Change With Confidence

Starting May 15 – June 5 the SECO program is hosting a free four-part webinar series, Pivot With Purpose: Navigating Career Change with Confidence, designed to support military spouses who were former federal workers in preparing for private sector careers with confidence. The series will include the following sessions:

- May 22 at 3 p.m. EDT: Mock Interviews: Real Guidance, Real Support Practice answering common and challenging interview questions in mock interview sessions. Get feedback from SECO career coaches and learn how to present your unique strengths.
- May 29 at 3 p.m. EDT: The Resume Lab: Translating Your Experience for the Private Sector Your experience is
 valuable—learn how to make it resonate with private sector employers. We'll walk through formatting tips, using
 civilian-friendly language and resume dos and don'ts.

For more information and to register, visit Pivot With Purpose: Navigating Career Change with Confidence | MySECO.

2. Free On-Demand Skill Development Membership

The Defense Department Spouse Education and Career Opportunities program has made it easier for spouses to reach their career goals with free access to more than 5,000 high-quality courses through Udemy. Udemy provides more than 35,000 hours of content to help you stay competitive in today's ever-changing workforce.

For more information and to register, please visit <u>Military Spouse Education & Career Opportunities | MySECO</u> (militaryonesource.mil).

3. Military Spouse Career Accelerator Program

Military spouses of currently serving members of the U.S. Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force and Space Force, to include active, reserve and National Guard components, are invited to apply to the new Military Spouse Career Accelerator Pilot, a multi-year program that provides spouses with paid 12-week fellowships at employers across various industries and locations.

For more information and to register, please visit https://myseco.militaryonesource.mil/portal/events/live/mscap.

4. Military Spouse Employment Partnership Job Search Navigator Service

The MSEP Job Search Navigator service is offered to military spouses once they have completed a series of designated Continued on page 2

SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow the Spouse Education and Career Opportunities program on these platforms:



Remember to use the hashtags **#MSEPJobs** and **#MilSpouse** to increase your organization's exposure and build your military-friendly brand.



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career support services with a SECO career coach. The MSEP Job Search Navigator will then identify potential matches between the spouse and MSEP employers based on the spouse's geographic location, education, experience and career goals and share a list of customized job leads to assist them in their search for employment.

For more information, please visit https://myseco.militaryonesource.mil/portal/article/resume-review-and-job-search-navigator.

5. Pay for College with Scholarships Tailored Just for You!

Make college more affordable by using MySECO's Scholarship Finder to search through more than 90 scholarships carefully chosen just for you. Browse our database of financial resources offered specifically to military spouses and family members to make paying for college fast and easy.

Start now at https://myseco.militaryonesource.mil/portal/scholarships.

Military spouses are encouraged to connect with <u>MSEP on LinkedIn</u> to view events and join the <u>MilSpouse Career</u>

<u>Network</u> group to network with other spouses and MSEP partners. This group allows spouses to ask questions, solve problems, map out plans, go after goals and ultimately, support people who support you.

