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Promoting Career Success in Financial Services for the Military Community

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Empowering Those Who Serve

A NOTE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Welcome to the American College Center for Military and Veterans Affairs! Our mission is to empower active duty, guard, reserve members, veterans, and their spouses as they transition back to the civilian workforce and into the financial services sector while also expanding their financial services knowledge.



Phil Easton
CMSgt, USAF (Ret.)

We do this by offering:

- ✔ Full scholarships
- ✔ Career services support and mentorship
- ✔ Community building through:
 - Quarterly newsletter
 - Thought leadership webinars
 - Military Resource Groups
 - Military Consumer Financial Education Programs

We extend a special thank you to all of our donors whose contributions are making a real difference. With your continued support, we can empower those who serve our nation while also infusing the financial services industry with talented team members for the next generation.

MEET OUR STAFF



Angelica Marino
Stewardship Manager



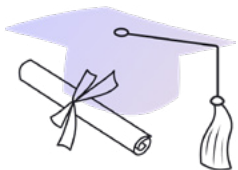
Rick Nail
Program Manager

Launch Your Next Career

While you've spent much of your military career building and reinforcing the skills to serve the greater good, you have also had to assess which of these skills would transfer to the civilian workforce.

There are a variety of career paths available to those with an education from The College:

- ✔ **Financial Planner:** address complex financial areas like income tax, estate, and retirement planning
- ✔ **Insurance Agents and Adjusters:** join a trillion-dollar industry that employs more than 3 million people nationally
- ✔ **Wealth Manager:** utilize goal-based planning frameworks to build tax-efficient portfolios
- ✔ **Investment Advisor:** advise on security selection including stocks, bonds, mutual funds, and exchange-traded funds or manage customized portfolios of securities
- ✔ **Human Resources:** assist with recruitment, workplace safety, employee relations, compensation planning, labor law compliance, and training
- ✔ **Philanthropy Management:** guide clients to integrate charitable planning within their overall financial and estate goals
- ✔ **Executive Leadership:** lead strategic decision-making in areas of marketing, management, operations, and finance



1 in 5

advisors are educated at The American College of Financial Services.

Why Enroll at The American College of Financial Services?

The College delivers applied financial knowledge and education, promotes lifelong learning, and advocates for ethical standards for the benefit of society.

Scholarships are available to fund your education for the following designations:

**Wealth Management
Certified Professional®**
(WMCP®)

**Retirement Income
Certified Professional®**
(RICP®)

**CERTIFIED
FINANCIAL PLANNER™
Certification**

**Chartered Financial
Consultant® (ChFC®)**

**Chartered Life
Underwriter® (CLU®)**

**Financial Services
Certified Professional®**
(FSCP®)

**Chartered Special
Needs Consultant®**
(ChSNC®)

**Chartered Advisor in
Philanthropy® (CAP®)**

**Chartered Leadership
Fellow® (CLF®)**

BENEFIT FROM:

- ✓ Ready-to-use knowledge delivered by plugged-in, industry-leading experts
- ✓ Interactive community engagement featuring frequent webinars, conferences, and professional development events
- ✓ Advanced planning skills and real-world application not delivered elsewhere
- ✓ Modern education via the latest in mobile-friendly, e-learning technology
- ✓ Prestigious pedigree and client recognition from nearly 100 years of academic excellence
- ✓ Extensive professional network of one-in-five financial advisors educated by The College

Scholarships to Fund Your Path Forward

The College is proud to support those who serve. Generous donors allow us to offer exclusive scholarships for access to flexible, distance learning and training. Scholarships are awarded based on military status, financial need, accomplishments, and other extenuating circumstances.

Scholarships are available for:

- ✔ Active Duty
- ✔ Guard and Reserve Members
- ✔ Veterans who have received an honorable discharge
- ✔ A spouse of a qualified candidate
- ✔ A surviving spouse

“With the increasing complexity of tax, estate, insurance, retirement, and college planning, there is a real need for individuals of integrity to help others address life’s major milestones with confidence and success. Military members and their families can step in and fill this need.”

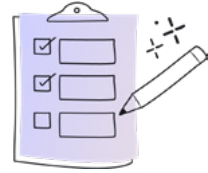
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Have questions? Contact us at Military@TheAmericanCollege.edu

Ready. Aim. You're Hired.



Connect with Employers with Bridge My Return

Along with scholarships, the Center for Military and Veterans Affairs provides educational support and career advancement opportunities to America's military community, including current and former active duty, guard and reserve members, veterans, and their spouses.

We partner with Bridge My Return, an organization dedicated to helping service members and their spouses transition into rewarding, fruitful careers. Bridge My Return facilitates how members align their military training with employers that have a demand for their skillset, all at no cost to applicants.



BMR

The logo for Bridge My Return, consisting of the letters 'BMR' in a bold, green, sans-serif font. The 'M' is stylized with a double vertical stroke. The logo is positioned on a white background that is part of a larger graphic element consisting of a white rectangle and a purple bar below it.

To learn more from our partner and to get started, visit [BridgeMyReturn.com](https://www.BridgeMyReturn.com)

Support Our Military Community

Attend one of our multiple premier fundraising and networking events at the Center for Military and Veterans Affairs, including our annual Military Summit. Our annual Military Summit features educational workshops, professional development opportunities, and a moving, patriotic award ceremony honoring the year's Soldier-Citizen Award recipient, a service member who embodies sacrifice, service, and selflessness.

Together, we transform the lives of active duty, guard and reserve members, veterans, and their spouses by raising money for full scholarships for professional designation programs offered by The College.

We've been here for military families since 2012 and our roots go deeper. The College has been setting the standard for financial services professionals since 1927.

Positive Results

Our generous supporters have allowed over 1,500 deserving active duty, guard and reserve members, veterans, and their spouses to receive full scholarships to programs offered by The College.

Demonstrate your commitment to those who serve. Learn about sponsorship opportunities. Email us at

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A Legacy of Industry Leadership

Founded in 1927 by financial services education pioneer Dr. Solomon Huebner, The American College of Financial Services and its Centers of Excellence are dedicated to the pursuit of knowledge that aids the development of the industry and our communities. The College's mission is threefold: to provide applied financial knowledge and education; to promote life-long learning; and to advocate for ethical standards for the benefit of society.

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