

SPOUSE EMPLOYMENT, EMPOWERMENT, AND DEVELOPMENT RESOURCE LIST



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EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

Military OneSource

Military OneSource offers military spouses resources in choosing a college and scholarship information. www.militaryonesource.mil/education-employment/seco

My CAA

My CAA is a workforce development program that provides up to \$4000 of financial assistance to eligible military spouses who are pursuing a license, certification, or associate's degree in a portable career field. https://mycaa.militaryonesource.mil

Veterans Administration

Service members are permitted to sign over all or part of their Post 9/11 GI Bill to their dependents. Those considering this option are advised to speak with a VA benefits advisor for full details. https://www.va.gov/education/survivor-dependent-benefits/transferred-benefits

National Military Family Association

NMFA partners with select schools to offer a variety of additional scholarships that are uniquely designed for military spouses. They also have funds available for spouses seeking a license, certificate, training, continuing education credits, exams, or fees. www.militaryfamily.org

GCF Global

GCF Learn Free helps people around the world learn essential skills for living and working in the 21st century, from Microsoft Office and email to reading, math, and more. There are 125 tutorials, including more than 1,100 lessons, videos, and interactives—completely free. If you're looking to brush up on a few skills and make yourself more competitive, this is a valuable resource. https://edu.gcfglobal.org

The Best Schools

The Best Schools offers in-depth rankings of degree programs, as well as of colleges and universities. Read articles on certificates, associate's, bachelor's, and master's degrees, and school rankings. www.thebestschools.org

EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES

FFSC Career Center

The Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC) provides service members and their spouses with employment services, including resume assistance, job search, and interview techniques. The organization maintains updated job postings from around the world. To access these job postings, visit the Career Center, join the FFSC job postings email tree (FFSCSDJOBS@NAVY.MIL), or follow the FFSC Facebook (www.facebook.com/FfscSanDiegoCareerCenter)

Military Spouse Employment Program

MSEP is a targeted recruitment and employment solution. It creates employment connections that provide companies with direct access to military spouses seeking career opportunities, and spouses with direct access to employers who are actively recruiting. https://msepjobs.militaryonesource.mil/msep

Blue Star Families

Blue Star Careers provides a broad range of military spouse employment initiatives designed to support military family members throughout various points on their career path. From building a resume and networking that finds a great job to mentorship and development that grows a lasting career, Blue Star Careers' employment & education initiatives address and leverage the unique challenges of the military family lifestyle. https://bluestarfam.org/careers

Marine Corps Community Services

MCCS serves Marine Corps installations worldwide and are in need of dedicated customer service-oriented individuals willing to serve a great cause by providing support through mission, career, and life events. https://careers.usmc-mccs.org

Military Spouse Jobs

Military Spouse Jobs is an organization that focuses on employment readiness training, job placement solutions, and no-cost services to all military spouses. It connects qualified and prepped military-affiliated applicants directly to corporate and small business hiring recruiters for direct job placements. https://militaryspousejobs.org

Navy Life Southwest

Navy Life SW posts jobs in connection with Southern California naval bases. This site has positions listed "open continuous" (always accepting applications) and "San Diego openings" (accepting applications for a limited time). https://navylifesw.com/careers
Jobs are also on the NavyLifeSW app under "Jobs."

Spouse Preference

Spouses of active military personnel will be provided preferential consideration in NAF vacancies. These are filled through competitive means at the NF-3 and below, or equivalent hourly rate position and all employment categories. To qualify, spouses must show proof of marriage prior to PCS move, the sponsor's duty station, and reporting date. www.secnav.navy.mil/donhr/how-to-apply/military-spouses/pages/default.aspx

San Diego Military Family Collaborative SDMFC offers military families access to resources throughout San Diego County. This includes access to the Job Board, where SDMFC posts open positions from military-friendly employers. Gain access by signing up for SDMFC's email tree or visiting www.sdmilitaryfamily.org/job-board

VA/Vets.gov

The Veterans Employment Center connects veterans and their family members with meaningful employment and career development opportunities. www.va.gov/careers-employment

VOLUNTEER RESOURCES

FFSC Volunteer Program

Volunteers are instrumental to the FFSC's efforts to expand services, implement new programs, and assist military families. Contact Annanias Rose at 619-536-3908 for more information.

Volunteer Match

This organization believes that everyone should have a chance to make a difference. That's why they make it easy for good people and good causes to connect. www.volunteermatch.org