



# Veterans Fellowship Program

## Fact Sheet

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## ARE YOU TRANSITIONING OUT OF THE MILITARY? THE PORT OF SEATTLE CAN HELP!

The Port of Seattle's Veterans Fellowship Program assists veterans in transition from active duty to the civilian work environment.

Backed by the dedication and work ethic reflective of your service in the armed forces, the six-month fellowship is designed to give you the exposure, experience, knowledge and skills necessary to successfully integrate into a civilian workplace and to be competitive in the civilian job market.

## WHAT AWAITS YOU AT THE PORT OF SEATTLE

While gaining invaluable on-the-job experience and training during your fellowship with the Port of Seattle, you receive individualized career assistance through:

- Exposure to the civilian work environment and to corporate business practices
- Identification of your transferable skills
- Resume writing guidance and interviewing practice
- Networking opportunities with other organizations and civilian employees

As a fellow you will receive appropriate compensation for your work. Basic health care benefits are also provided for you and your dependents.

## BENEFITS TO YOU

Following a six-month fellowship, you may have greater:

- Awareness of critical, core skills necessary in civilian employment
- Increased self-awareness of your skills and aptitudes and how to utilize them for future success
- Understanding of the differences between military and civilian work environments
- Direction for future career options

## WHERE TO GET DETAILS AND APPLY

Our program is recognized as a best practice by Hire America's Heroes, a Seattle-based consortium dedicated to helping men and women leaving active duty to refine their skills and focus on the abilities necessary for the current business environment.

To learn more, visit the Port of Seattle's jobs website at <https://www.portseattle.org/careers>, where details are posted under "Veterans." You also may access our online employment and application system.