



THE PITTSBURGH VETERAN EMPLOYER COALITION (PVEC)



KICK-OFF MEETING
AGENDA



TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 2018

9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Energy Innovation Center

1435 Bedford Ave | Pittsburgh, PA 15219

(LIGHT BREAKFAST FARE PROVIDED AT 8:30 A.M.)

9:00-9:15 A.M.

Welcome & Introductions

The Heinz Endowments/IVMF

Vision, Intent & Purpose Statements

The Coalition

9:15-9:30 A.M.

The Way Ahead

IVMF

9:30-11:45 A.M.

Employee Resource Group (ERG)

Primer | Local Employer Presentations

Sharing Best Practices, Strategies and

Insights Efforts | Discussion

CASY/IVMF/PVEC

11:45-12:00 P.M.

Overview of Activity #4 | Wrap-up

IVMF



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ARC OF PLANNED ACTIVITIES

ACTIVITY CADENCE: QUARTERLY IN-COMMUNITY MEET-UPS

ACTIVITY 1

Kick-Off Meeting, PVEC | September 20, 2017

Our initial meeting will take place at the Energy Innovation Center and will focus on the work ahead. We will discuss the initiative's vision, approach, goals, and how we move beyond the business case for hiring veterans.

ACTIVITY 2

Quarterly Workshop #2 | Early December 2017

This day-long second quarterly meeting will feature a SHRM membership roundtable, a local employer plenary focusing on how to best resource your efforts (ESGR, Universities), and best practice/share sessions on recruiting/hiring veterans and retaining veterans. Lunch will be provided.

ACTIVITY 3

Quarterly Workshop #3 | March 2018

The third of our quarterly meetings is a half-day event that features an employee resource group primer, local employer presentations sharing best practices, strategies, and insights. Breakfast provided.

ACTIVITY 4

Quarterly Workshop #4 | Early June 2018

At this half-day session, we will unveil the Draft PVEC employer toolkit, discuss implementation, and have local employer presentations. Lunch will be provided.

ACTIVITY 5

Quarterly Workshop #5 | September 2018

The fifth meeting will feature a veteran spouse seminar, a PVEC career fair hiring event, and social segment.

ACTIVITY 6

Coalition Azimuth Check | Early December 2018

This meeting will focus on PVEC's future, the transfer of responsibility, and the way forward. Social hour will follow with refreshments provided.