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**Presents:**

**How to Hire our Heroes:**  
**Recruit and Assist the Returning**  
**Veteran into the Workforce**



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**Tuesday, July 21, 2009**

**8:00 AM – 10:15 AM**

at the Ramada Inn

11580 Roosevelt Blvd.

Philadelphia, PA

***How to Hire our Heroes:  
Recruit and Assist the  
Returning Veteran into  
the Workforce***

Since September 11, 2001 our Active military, National Guard and Reservists have been called upon to deploy to Afghanistan and Iraq.

Tens of thousands of men and women are serving their country and returning to the United States – some with jobs waiting for them and some without jobs due to employers not holding their jobs.

USERRA has been around for many years and employers are now having to refer to this regulation more and more to find out what they can and cannot do when it comes to their employees being deployed.

Please join us and listen to Philip Potter from the Department of Labor, walk us through USERRA and what we as employers can do to hire the returning veteran and get them back into the workforce.

***About our Speaker:  
Philip Potter***

Philip Potter is from the United States Department of Labor, Veterans' Employment and Training Service (USDOL/VETS).

Mr. Potter served 26 years in the United States Marine Corps, and retired in 1993. Since 1999 he has been employed as a Veterans' Program Specialist with the U.S. Department of Labor, Veterans' Employment and Training Services, and is currently working out of the York, PA CareerLink office.

In his current position, Mr. Potter provides technical advice relating to the Uniformed Services Employment and ReEmployment Rights Act (USERRA) of 1994 to the Military and to the employers of these service members.

Additional responsibilities are the oversight of Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP) activities, Commonwealth's approximately 83 Veterans' Employment Specialists, and the Transition Assistance Program facilitator and monitor for separating service members at the Carlisle Army War College and NAS Willow Grove.

***DIRECTIONS***

The Ramada Inn is conveniently located on US 1; 3 miles south of the PA Turnpike exit 381, or 4 miles West of I-95 Woodhaven Road exit. The hotel's phone number is 215-464-9500.

***PROGRAM SCHEDULE***

- 8:00 Breakfast and Networking
- 8:30 Business Meeting, Introductions and "Hot Topics"
- 9:00 Featured Speaker
- 10:00 Networking

*If you need a special accommodation to attend, please call (215) 698-7116*

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**TUESDAY**

**8:00 AM – 10:15 AM**

**July 21, 2009**

Complete this registration form and mail it, along with your check to Susan Warner. Reservations must be received by Thursday, July 16, 2009.

If you are unable to meet this deadline, please call (215) 698-7116, by 10 AM, Friday, July 17, 2009, if you plan to attend.

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