**Wednesday, November 14**

**The Bridge Forum U.S. Veteran Edition 2018**

An exclusive panel of Law Enforcement & Community Luminaries participating in a forum
Living Together + Working Together = Respect.

Covering topics important to our veteran community:
Recruitment and Hiring, Opportunities In-service / Careers, Dealing with Veterans in Crisis,
Support Systems & More!

The forum will be moderated by Arizona Attorney General Mark Brnovich & Director Wanda A. Wright, Arizona Department of Veterans' Services, U.S. Air Force Col. (Ret)

8:00 am - 11:00 am
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

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**Thursday, November 15**

**Business Diversity Summit Breakfast.**

The event spotlights the growing contributions of minority-owned businesses in Arizona. Major components include the annual inductions into the Arizona Million Dollar Circle of Excellence recognizing companies that do at least $1 million of business with minority-owned suppliers; and the presentation of the annual Phoenix Minority Business Enterprise Awards.

7:30 am - 10:30 am
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building
Room 300 A/B
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

**Veteran Business Fair**

Empowering America’s veterans through entrepreneurship and education, the Veteran Business Fair is for veteran-owned small businesses and organizations that support veteran-owned businesses. Bringing together industry leaders and experts in a hands-on environment.

10:30 am - 11:45 am
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building
Room 300 C/D
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix
HeroPreneur Awards Luncheon

Hosted by CNN Military Analyst James A. "Spider" Marks, Major General, U.S. Army (Ret.) and Arizona Corporate Council on Veterans Careers, Co-Chairman Hal Pitman, Rear Admiral, U.S. Navy (Ret.), this event will celebrate and honor individuals and organizations that support the veteran community as well as honoring the 100th Anniversary of Veterans Day.

Fireside Chat with Daymond John
"The People's Shark®", CEO, The Shark Group
& Aaron Bare
Co-Founder, HeroZona Foundation

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building
Room 300 A/B
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

Afternoon Workshops

Veteran start-ups and veteran business owners can take advantage of free admission and educational workshops covering online/social media marketing, credit and financing, strategies for increasing revenue and team productivity, mentoring, and much more.

1:40 pm - 5:00 pm
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building
Rooms 101, 105 & 106
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

Friday, November 16

Veteran Career Breakfast

Hosted by the Arizona Corporate Council on Veteran Careers

8:00 am - 8:50 am
Phoenix Convention Center
West Building
Room 300 A/B
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

Morning Workshops
There are two tracks of workshops during this session. One for veteran-owned businesses and one for veterans seeking employment.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building  
Rooms 101, 105 & 106  
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

**Career Fair**

This veteran career fair is for veterans who are not only seeking a job but a rewarding career where your employer understands the value that a veteran brings to their team and provides opportunities for growth and advancement.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building  
Room 300 C/D  
100 N. 3rd St, Phoenix

**Luncheon and Keynote**

**Keynote Speaker: Justin Constantine, Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Marine Corps (Ret.)**

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm  
Phoenix Convention Center, West Building  
Room 300 A/B  
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