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SIXTH ANNUAL NCCCO FOUNDATION **Industry Forum**

Recognizing Excellence in Veterans Transition Announcing the VICTOR program

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Veterans Engagement and NCCCO

- Montgomery GI Bill Expansion of Benefits to include Certification Fees
- CCO Certification Approved through Veterans Benefits & Health Care Improvement Act of 2000; listing on COOL websites
- Veterans Corporation Professional Certification Advisory Council (PCAB)
- MOU with Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES)
- Veterans Transition Assistance Conferences, Washington, DC
- Call of Duty Endowment
- American Legion Credentialing Summits

Heavy Equipment Colleges of America (HEC)



- One of only two (2) heavy equipment and crane institutions of higher learning accredited by an accreditor nationally recognized by the department of education.
 - Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges
- 3-12 Week Certification Programs + an Associate of Occupational Studies in Heavy Equipment.



Heavy Equipment Colleges of America (HEC)



- 4 locations; Approximately 1,300 graduates per year.
- All locations approved for VA education.
 - 2 locations are VA Institution of Higher Learning/Principles of Excellence.
 - 2 locations are located on or adjacent to military bases and SkillsBridge/CSP approved.
- 96% graduation rate; 70%-84% placement rates depending on program and location.



Announcing the V.I.C.T.O.R. Award

- **Veterans In Crane Training Outstanding Recognition Award**
- Recognizes top performing veteran* in each HECA mobile crane class
- Classes held at Ft. Irwin Base campus (CA) and Joint Base Lewis-McChord campus (WA)
- HEC approved by Department of Defense for DoD Skillbridge Program
- Awardees receive plaque recognizing their achievement, gift card and Yeti tumbler

**as determined by combined CCO certification written and practical test scores*



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AND THE NCCCO FOUNDATION**

PROUDLY AWARD

John H. Veteran

THE VICTOR™

VETERAN IN CRANE TRAINING OUTSTANDING RECOGNITION
RECOGNIZING THOSE WHO GRADUATE TOP OF THE CLASS

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The background is a collage of grayscale photographs from an event. It includes a man speaking into a microphone, a man in a suit gesturing while speaking, a man in a suit sitting on a stage, and a woman sitting on a stage. A banner in the background reads "Working Together for Workforce Development".

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THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

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