



## MISSION

American Corporate Partners (ACP) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to assisting veterans in their transition from the armed services to the civilian workforce through two free programs. With the help of business professionals nationwide, ACP offers service members tools for long-term career development through mentoring, career counseling and networking opportunities.

## HISTORY

Sidney E. Goodfriend founded ACP in 2008 with the help of six Participating Institutions, which offered corporate mentorships to 150 service members. Today ACP's Mentoring Program serves more than 1,500 veterans, Guardsmen and Reservists nationwide with the help of volunteer mentors from 40 Participating Institutions. In 2011, the organization launched a second program, ACP AdvisorNet. This online Q&A site allows service members to seek business advice from experienced professionals across the country.

## MENTORING PROGRAM

Through ACP's Mentoring Program, employees of our Participating Institutions may volunteer to work one-on-one with a Protégé in a yearlong mentorship. The Mentoring Program is not a job-placement program, but a tool for networking and long-term career development. Our Protégés have a broad variety of experience from their military and civilian careers and seek mentoring on topics ranging from résumé building and job market knowledge to networking and leadership. More than 1,500 service members have completed the program and considered it a valuable resource. Additionally, 99.8 percent of Mentors who participated in 2012 said they would recommend the program to a friend or colleague.

Protégé openings are available to current and former service members who have served on active duty since 2001, as well as spouses of soldiers wounded or killed in action. Mentors and Protégés in national, long-distance pairings communicate frequently by email, phone and videoconferencing, while local, in-person pairs attempt to meet monthly. Visit [www.acp-usa.org/mentoring\\_program](http://www.acp-usa.org/mentoring_program) to learn more.

## ACP ADVISORNET

ACP AdvisorNet is an interactive, business Q&A community developed to allow current and former service members to seek advice from experienced professionals across the country. Business leaders looking to share their guidance and expertise can sign up as Advisors to take advantage of this unique opportunity to give back to the men and woman who have served our country. Learn more at [www.acp-advisornet.org](http://www.acp-advisornet.org).

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