

# ITI Student Veterans

Thank you for choosing ITI Technical College!

We at ITI strongly support our Veterans and are honored that you have elected to pursue your career training with us.

Hi, my name is Bobby Harrington. Mr. John Defeo and I have the privilege of being sponsors of your ITI Student Veterans Chapter.

Mr. Defeo and I get to attend the meetings and bring the food and drinks. We are also utilized when you need assistance from ITI. That is our goal and our responsibility.

**The ITI Student Veterans Chapter belongs to you, the Student Veterans.**

You elect your own officers and make your own decisions on the activities and development of the Chapter.

## ITI Student Chapter Goals

- 1) To assist all Student Veterans in obtaining their career goals.
- 2) To create a system for Veterans to meet fellow Veterans on campus.
- 3) To better utilize our ITI instructors and staff as mentors.
- 4) To develop and grow the chapter.
- 5) To assist all Veterans in our community.

**\*New students have a wealth of information available to them from Student Veterans that are in their later terms.**

\* Information dealing with: VA, benefits, money issues, red tape, or whatever. If you've got an issue, you can bet another Veteran had the same problem and knows what to do about it.

I am amazed during our meetings at the amount of knowledge that is shared among our Veterans (not to mention the stories).

So, the Chapter gives you a go-to guy or group when you have serious problems or questions. Also, sometimes you may just want to talk to another Veteran.

We have a Veterans lounge located on the top floor of the Garrett Bldg.

This lounge remains locked and is for Veterans only. All Vets are given the code and can enter at any time. A lot of guys that arrive from work early go in the lounge, fix a cup of coffee, or catch a cat nap. Also, it's a good place to study, or just hang out with other Vets. The lounge has a TV, video player, coffee pot, small fridge, and some very comfortable couches.

We have quarterly Veteran meetings usually prior to class, half hour or so, I bring some breakfast snacks and milk and juice for morning meetings and Pizza and drinks or sandwich trays for evening meeting.

**Come see us and thank you for your service!**