

# **COLLEGE** RECON

The Premier Marketing Platform for Colleges Targeting the Military Community

# WHO WE ARE

CollegeRecon was developed and is maintained by Home Front Alliance (HFA). HFA is the leading provider of technology solutions centered on the military transition.

CollegeRecon was launched in 2015 by a group of civilians and veterans who set out to build a secure and impartial environment for military-connected men and women to search for and connect with non-predatory colleges and universities.

CollegeRecon provides prospective-students with a state-of-the-art platform consolidating all relevant data and statistics on nearly 3,000 schools and allows for users to directly connect with campus admissions representatives through CollegeRecon's own Messenger Center.

# **OUR MISSION**

The mission of CollegeRecon is to connect the men and women of the United States Military, our country's most experienced and talented leaders, with the college or university capable of accelerating that individual's personal growth and career development.

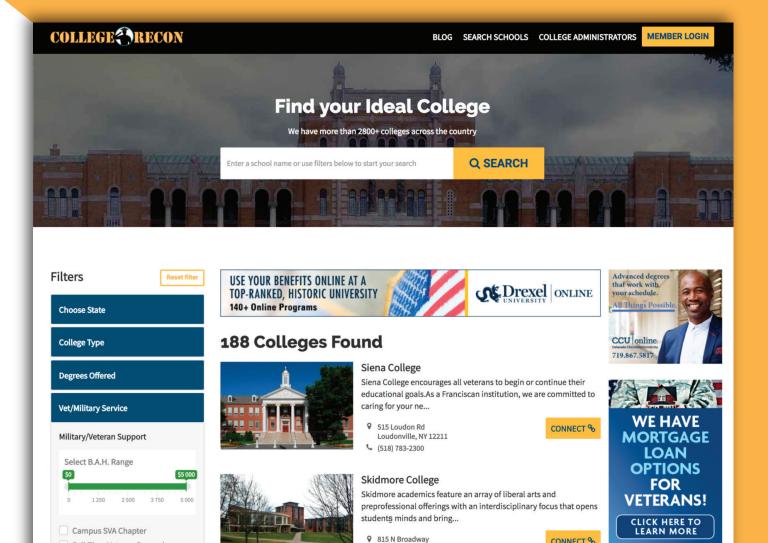
CollegeRecon is NOT a lead generator and does not sell any user information to schools. Militaryconnected users search for and discover schools that they then choose to contact through CollegeRecon.

HFA provides CollegeRecon to the military and veteran communities to empower military-connected men and women with their search for collegiate opportunities that best fit their unique needs, interests, and qualifications.

HFA has established a powerful network of strategic partners within the military, government, corporate, and education markets to provide clients with premier access and branding opportunities within the military and veteran communities.

THREE STEP PROCESS FOR VETERANS, SERVICEMEMBERS & DEPENDENTS:

> SEARCH> CREATE> ENGAGE



# > SEARCH

Full-Time Veteran Counselor on

Signed VA Principles of Excellence
 Club/Association for Veterans

Veteran Upward Bound Program

8 Keys to Veterans' Success

Offers ROTC Program

Member of S.O.C.

Campus

- Discover over 3,000 not-for-profit colleges and universities from across the US.
- To refine a user's search results, there are over 44 unique filters capable of narrowing down a list to represent schools that best fit the user's needs, interests, and qualifications.

Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

Sarah Lawrence College

Bronxville, NY 10708

The academic structure combines small seminar classes with

individual, biweekly student-faculty conferences

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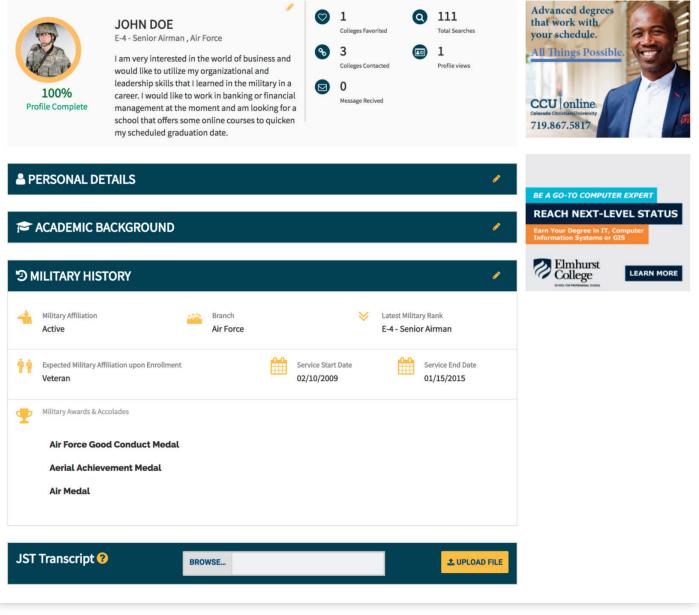
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• Once a user finds a school of interest, they can click on that school to view their profile and learn more about what the school offers.



# > CREATE

• College-bound users create detailed profiles showcasing their personal, academic, and military backgrounds

• This gives users an opportunity to impress colleges and universities they may choose to connect with and provides schools with an encompassing view of the applicant in order to provide a basis for discussions to begin

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Timeline	Founded in 1891, Drexel University is a top-ranked, urban research university, located in the heard excellence, entrepreneurship, and innovation, Drexel is a pioneer in technology-enhanced educat launching its first online courses, this transformative university offers more than 140 online degre accredited curriculum and distinguished faculty as it does on-campus. Drexel is among a small gr	ion for working adults. Today, two decades e and certificate programs, using the same oup of universities with no cap on the num	s after a ber of
Overview	veterans who may enroll through the Yellow Ribbon Program, which provides tuition-free educati personnel, veterans, National Guard, or Reserve, and their immediate families (including spouses tuition savings.		
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# > ENGAGE

• Once a user finds a school that sparks an interest, the user can seamlessly connect and communicate directly with school's point-of- contact through CollegeRecon.

• To connect with a school, a copy of a user's profile is sent through CollegeRecon's messaging platform, along with a personalized message from user

• CollegeRecon fosters introductions and encourages users to ask the right questions!





### HOW DO VETERANS AND SERVICEMEMBERS DISCOVER COLLEGERECON?

CollegeRecon works with thousands of Veterans, Servicemembers, and military dependents throughout the United States and the world. CollegeRecon actively markets itself in local communities and through larger partnerships and affiliations with national organizations.

CollegeRecon's outreach and partnership network includes being:

•An approved tool of the Army and Air National Guard Education Service Office where CollegeRecon is accessible to approximately 300,000 men and women who transition each year.

• A content provider on education-related topics to Military.com, the largest online network of military readers with a total membership of over 10 million.

• The primary education service provider for men and women looking for education opportunities within the America Serves Network.

• A partner of select Student Veterans of America chapters at community colleges where College-Recon is used to encourage the pursuit of more advanced degrees at four-year institutions.

• Most notably, the official education partner of the American Legion. The American Legion has approximately 2.4 million members and more than 300,000 of these men and women are between the ages of 25 and 35. CollegeRecon powers the entire "Virtual Education Center" of the American Legion while providing promotional opportunities for schools interested in reaching this highly valued audience.

# HOW IT WORKS FOR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES



# > MANAGE, PROMOTE, INTERACT: BECOME A PATRIOT SPONSOR SCHOOL

CollegeRecon hosts over 3,000 not-for-profit college and university profiles on the platform at no-cost to the schools, to ensure a bias-free environment for military-connected students to search. But how do you stand out among the thousands of competitive schools?

Schools interested in becoming more involved in CollegeRecon can do so by becoming a "Patriot Sponsor"school. Participating institutions are *then* able to:

- Manage their school's profile
- Promote their institutional offerings
- Interact with prospective applicants that elect to 'connect' with your institution



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EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY	P       1276 Gilbreath Drive Johnson City, TN 37614       CONNECT         \$       (423) 439-1000        @http://www.etsu.edu       Connect
Timeline Overview Locations Military Offerings Majors Offered	East Tennessee State University (ETSU) prepares students to become productive, enlightened citizens wi actively serve their communities and our world. ETSU offers over 100 degree programs to choose from ranging from undergraduate to graduate courses. Students can enjoy a traditional classroom learning experience or take many of our classes online. ETSU is known for it's top-rated Computer Science programs, outstanding Quillen College of Medicine and undergraduate health sciences programs, includi Nursing. Nestled in the Appalachian Mountains of northeast Tennessee, students enjoy kayaking, hiking, riding their bikes on local trails just minutes away from bustling downtown Johnson City. Contact a representative to learn more at ETSU today!
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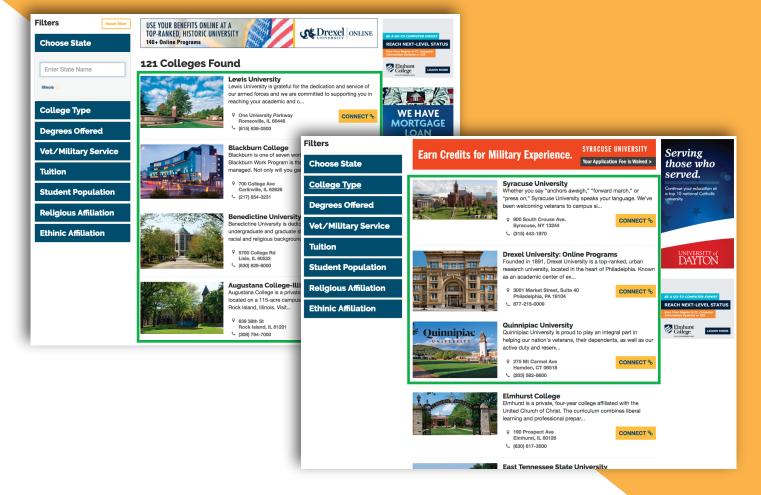
# > PATRIOT SPONSORSHIP

• Have a personalized email sent to anyone who registers within 50 miles of their campus promoting their institution

• Customize and differentiate their school's profile by posting to an interactive school timeline and public newsfeed for users to see what is happening on campus

• Ensure school's point-of-contact is up to date to protect against any lost interactions with prospective students

• Update school statistics and data regarding admissions information, degrees, and military offerings to ensure search results represent all your schools offerings correctly



#### > PREMIER IN-STATE LISTING

With the purchase of the Premier In-State Listing, schools are granted top 5 positoning within their instituton's state search results on CollegeRecon (limited to 5 schools per state).

#### > PREMIER NATIONAL LISTING

With the purchase of the Premier National Listing, schools are granted top 10 positioning within CollegeRecon's default listing for all users (limited to 10 schools).

#### **Filters**

#### Choose State

#### College Type

#### Years Offered

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#### Public/Private

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#### Private

Gender Perference

- Coed School
- All Female
- All Male

#### Setting

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- Suburb
- Town
- Rural
- Online

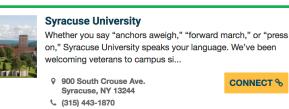
#### Other Services

**Degrees Offered** 

Offers Online Undergraduate Courses

Offers Online Graduate Courses

#### Earn Credits for Military Experience.



#### Drexel University: Online Programs

Founded in 1891, Drexel University is a top-ranked, urban research university, located in the heart of Philadelphia. Known as an academic center of ex...

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Your Application Fee is Waived >

- 3001 Market Street, Suite 40 Philadelphia, PA 19104
- Sec. 877-215-0009

#### **Quinnipiac University**

Quinnipiac University is proud to play an integral part in helping our nation's veterans, their dependents, as well as our active duty and reserv...

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#### Elmhurst College

Elmhurst is a private, four-year college affiliated with the United Church of Christ. The curriculum combines liberal learning and professional prepar...

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#### > PRIME ADVERTISING

With the purchase of Prime Advertising, schools are granted side-bar advertising and bi-monthly newsletter promotions to all users.

#### > EXECUTIVE ADVERTISING

With the purchase of Executive Advertising, schools are granted banner advertising and bi-monthly newsletter promotions with one annual feature story on CollegeRecon blog.





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# WHAT SCHOOLS ARE SAYING ABOUT COLLEGERECON

"We've been exceedingly pleased with our CollegeRecon experience so far. Garrett and his team are quick to respond to any questions and changes on our end, and the interface is easy to use both for posting general information and interacting with prospective students."

Syracuse University Office of Enrollment Management "CollegeRecon has improved the way we approach and market our military supportive University to the Military and Veteran communities. It has provided us with an efficient and economical tool that is increasing our quality engagements to militaryconnected students."

Lewis University Office of Veteran Affairs and Recruitment



Changing the Way Colleges and Universities Connect with the Military Community

One introduction at a time...

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