



Department of
Veterans Services

**Veteran Education Academy-Middle
Agenda
Wednesday, October 5
Ezell Center**

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Registration and Check-in		8:15 a.m.
Welcome	Dr. Randolph Lowry President Lipscomb University	9:00 a.m.
Opening Remarks	Charlie Jackson Veteran Education Coordinator-Middle TN Department of Veterans Services	9:15 a.m.
Remarks	Many-Bears Grinder Commissioner TN Department of Veterans Services	9:18 a.m.
Remarks	Mike Krause Executive Director Tennessee Higher Education Commission	9:23 a.m.
Remarks	Walter Tillman Vice President of Programs Student Veterans of America	9:30 a.m.
Break		9:50 a.m.
Back to Business	Nate Carden Managing Director Bunker Labs Nashville	10:00 a.m.
Framing the Challenge: <i>Student Military/Veteran Panel</i>	Moderator: Yvette Martinez Charlie Jackson Gregg Crawford Chris Fears	10:20 a.m.
Go Army-Tuition Assistance	SGM Jaime Clark SGT James McClanahan Education-Tennessee National Guard	10:40 a.m.
Veteran Empowerment Training	Charlie Jackson Veteran Education Coordinator-Middle Gregg Crawford Veteran Education Coordinator-East Chris Fears Veteran Education Coordinator-West	11:00 a.m.



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Lunch		11:40 a.m.
<u>Break Out Sessions</u>		
Using Data to Understand and Connect With Student Veterans	Dr. Hilary Miller Janae Peterson 2LT Teana Harle Middle Tennessee State University <i>Break Out Room One</i>	1:00 p.m.
Improving Online Presence to Recruit And Connect with Student Veterans	Bryan Flanery Susan Lee Lipscomb University <i>Break Out Room Two</i>	1:00 p.m.
Innovative Recruiting Practices Get Outside the Box	Dr. Mimi Barnard Belmont University <i>Break Out Room Three</i>	1:00 p.m.
Break		2:00 p.m.
Using Data to Understand and Connect With Student Veterans	Dr. Hilary Miller Janae Peterson 2LT Teana Harle Middle Tennessee State University <i>Break Out Room One</i>	2:15 p.m.
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Innovative Recruiting Practices Get Outside the Box	Dr. Mimi Barnard Belmont University <i>Break Out Room Three</i>	2:15 p.m.
Break		3:15 p.m.
Discussion		3:30 p.m.
Adjourn		4:00 p.m.