



News from the IVC Veterans Services Center

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Useful links:

IVC Veterans

The Irvine Valley College Veterans Services Center website has lots of useful information.

VA eBenefits

If you ever want to know how many months of benefits you have left, or if you have a payment coming, this is the place to look.

Dept of Veterans Affairs

For information on the many benefits available to you, check out the US Dept of Veterans Affairs site.

Outside Agencies on Campus

Kelandra Anthony, VA Voc Rehab
Every Wednesday and Friday
 See her about Voc Rehab benefits or anything related to career development.

Veterans Personal Counseling Availability

Feeling stressed? Dealing with anger? Or just need someone to talk to? Come in and see a member of our counseling team. They are here for you!

Dr. Miatta Snetter, US Vets

Every Tues & Thur, 9am-5pm

All information shared is confidential.

Call 949-451-5296 to Schedule appointments.

Contact Us

Nancy Montgomery RN, MSN:
 Assistant Dean

Eric Garcia:
 Veterans Academic Counselor

Ezekiel Hall:
 VA Certifying Official

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 949-451-5296
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November Meet and Greet

Wednesday November 14th @ 11am – 2pm in the Vets Office



The 2nd Wednesday of every month, we host a Meet and Greet for veterans to get together, eat some food, and connect with partnering agencies. This month Zero8Hundred will be here. The IVC Veterans Club will also be there to discuss upcoming events.

- Meet people involved with supporting veterans.
- Enjoy some turkey and potatoes!

Holiday Sign ups

Sign up at the Veterans Center Front Desk



- Receive a Thanksgiving food box – donations from IVC staff and faculty
- Receive a frozen turkey – donations from Tustin Exchange Club
- Receive holiday gifts for you and your family – donations from Chapman University and Tustin Exchange club

Spring 2019 Priority Registration

NOW (Check Mysite for your specific time)

Registration for Spring 2019 classes is in full swing. Don't wait, register before classes fill up.

If you are using a VA education benefit, make sure to stop in the Veterans Center and fill out the [blue Request Form](#). If you need to adjust your Academic Plan, please make an appointment to meet with our Veterans Academic Counselor (Eric Garcia).



Transfer Planning – Start Early!



It may seem early, but if you plan on transferring to a CSU or UC in Fall 2019, applications are already coming up. Contact Eric Garcia if you need help. **949-451-5296**

- CSU applications Oct 1 – Nov 30
- UC applications Nov 1 – Nov 30

IVC Veterans Club – Join!



The IVC Veterans Club would love to have you join. It serves to provide veterans with Mentorship, Professional Development, Event Gathering, and Networking opportunities. They will be meeting during the October Meet and Greet on October 10th in the Veterans Office.

Club President: [Donald Theriault](#) Club Advisor: [Ted Weatherford](#)

Holiday Meet and Greet

Wednesday December 5th 11am – 2pm IVC Veterans Services Center



Please join us for our final Meet and Greet of the year. It'll be a chance for veterans to get together, eat some food, and take a breath before finals begin. We hope to see all of you there!

- Enjoy some Turkey, potatoes and other holiday food

Scholarships – Apply Now!!!

Application deadline = **February 10th, 2019**



Every year, Irvine Valley College gives hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarships to students. Several of the scholarships are specifically for veterans. This is not an opportunity you can afford to miss. It's a pretty simple application that will put you in the pool for numerous scholarships. [Apply Now!!!](#)

FYI, you can become eligible for more scholarships by purchasing the \$10 ASB sticker at the Bursars Office.

<http://financialaid.ivc.edu/scholarship/>

Need Tutoring?

Inside the IVC Vets Office



Czarina, Writing

Wednesdays 4pm-7pm

No appointments needed to get help with your writing skills here in the center. Czarina, our writing tutor, can guide you through the writing process and give you feedback on your assignments.



Prof. Gupta, Math

Every Thursday Afternoon

Professor Gupta is a long-time IVC Math Professor with a PHD from Stanford University. He has been a great help to many previous veteran students and is here to help you.

Dr. Snetter can help you feel better



Balancing home and school responsibilities can sometimes be overwhelming. We just want to remind you that Dr. Snetter is here to help. If you'd like to sit down and talk with her, give us a call or stop by and we can make an appointment.

[Dr. Snetter is here every Tuesday and Thursday](#)