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Prestige Group receives 3 awards in 30 Days for Veteran Job Creation

Prestige Group, Clinton Township, MI

Prestige Group, a multi-faceted Automotive Supplier, has been recognized by National, State and Local Government Agencies for creating employment opportunities for the Women and Men of the U.S. Armed Services (Veterans, Guard and Reserve).

Awards

- Federal - U.S. Department of Labor – HIRE Vets GOLD Medallion Recipient
- State - Michigan Veteran Affairs Agency – Gold Level Veteran Friendly Employer
- County - Macomb County Health and Human Services – Human Services and Collaborating Body Award – Veteran Employment

“It is a great honor to receive these awards and recognition as we conduct daily business, let alone 3 awards from different organizations. I am very proud of the staff and their efforts to achieve this level of service to those who served us and our organization”, said William Fritts CEO, Prestige Group.

Prestige Group has been diligently opening doors within its own operations to employ Veterans. To further their outreach of support they have forged relationships and collaborated with large corporations that have the ability to help many more than Prestige Group could on its own.

Veteran unemployment rates have fallen alongside the civilian rate to below 4 % overall. Veterans are working, but Prestige Group has found that many are under-employed and under-paid. Skilled positions such as IT, Logistics, Supervision, Manufacturing are remaining unfilled while non-degreed/non-certified talent from Military training and experience goes on to other fields.

Many of the Veterans we hire are just a shadow of the original corporate job descriptions on paper, but they have more skills for success than the job description can list. "Prestige Groups main focus is placing the Veteran in a position to utilize their military training to add value quickly. Our efforts demonstrate this works on a large scale and can benefit just about any organization" said Gary Wagenschutz, Sr. Manager.

The Men and Women have at least 4 years' experience in many fields, 15-30 college credits (or more for Our High Achieving Vets) and trained by the most technologically advanced military the world has ever seen. Not to mention, many Veterans are already in college pursuing a degree with the GI Bill they earned.

"What ultimately sets the Veteran apart is they understand the real meaning of "Reveille" at 0500, Team Work, Integrity, Courage and Sacrifice above Self. Time for college was scarce if any was afforded, but the time was well spent honing the skills needed to be the best at their Military occupation. Waiving a degree requirement for someone like this, with 5-10 years of skills and leadership abilities isn't just smart; it's what will ultimately separate you from your competition", said Tom Nichols, Executive Vice President

"We appreciate the recognition, but would value your participation even more! If you can, hire a Veteran and change a family forever", Tom Nichols added.

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About Prestige Group

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Prestige Engineering (Engineering, Design, Staffing)
Prestige Advanced (Full Vehicle Development, Interior/ Exterior Concepts, CNG, Vehicle Research)
Prestige Warehouse and Assembly (Assembly, Warehousing, Inspection, Containment)
Prestige Distribution (Cutting tools, Tool Crib Automation and Industrial equipment)
Prestige Extreme Machining and Mfg. (24 HS, 3-4-5 Axis CNC mills from small to very large projects)
Prestige Sorting (In-house or off-site Quality support)
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