



# VETERANS

IN BLUE



**Air Force Public Affairs Agency** has launched a 2014 Veterans in Blue program to honor veterans who have served in the Air Force. ViB is a multimedia project showcasing the portraits and the accomplishments of those who served before us. Finished products will be highlighted on the ViB website, [www.af.mil/specials/veterans/index.html](http://www.af.mil/specials/veterans/index.html), and displayed on the fifth floor of the Pentagon, which will be revealed on Veterans Day, November 11. Past ViB products have earned high praise from senior Air Force leaders, and AFPAA typically honors approximately 40 ViB Airmen per year.

**Air Education and Training Command** needs your help in uncovering the stories of our Airman veterans who received an honorable discharge. Veteran Airmen are separated or retired, officer or enlisted Airmen, who served on active duty or in the Air National Guard or Air Force Reserve. It is our mission to celebrate and chronicle their experiences, which can relate to acts of valor, mentorship, leadership, accomplishments or benefit of duty in the Air Force. Every base and community is surrounded by Air Force veterans who have stories to be told, and we need your help to find them.

Please reach out to your local Air Force base Public Affairs office if you know of a veteran you would like to nominate for this program. We are looking for veterans who have U.S. Air Force history to share and embody the Air Force core values of integrity, service before self and excellence to make contributions to this year's ViB volume. A nominated veteran must be able to communicate their contributions and/or the positive attributes of service while in the U.S. Air Force. ***(Please keep in mind Airmen do not have to have served in AETC.)***

Please submit your veteran's captivating story and contact information to your local base's PA shop by July 21. You can call or email them. Nominations should highlight positive attributes of service while in the U.S. Air Force, and must be able to affirm their service via a DD Form 214, Active Duty Discharge (verification of duty) and were honorably discharged.

Examples of last year's ViB honorees can be found at [www.af.mil/specials/veterans/index.html](http://www.af.mil/specials/veterans/index.html) or via Facebook at [www.facebook.com/veteransinblue](http://www.facebook.com/veteransinblue).

Thank you and your local PA shop looks forward to hearing from you!

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