



Join The ASCEND Collective® Volunteer Network

Empowering careers. Building community. Changing lives.

At **The ASCEND Collective**, we believe in unlocking potential — one skill, one person, one opportunity at a time. Our programs, including the **Northern Compass Academy**, **Boots2Bytes**, and our **Vanguard Rising Lab**, help veterans, military spouses, and underserved talent achieve meaningful careers through a **skills-first approach**.

Now, we're inviting *you* to be part of that mission. Whether you're a seasoned professional, a business leader, a mentor, or simply someone who wants to give back — your time, skills, and heart can make a difference.

Most of our volunteer opportunities are conducted via phone or video, meaning you can volunteer from your home or office. Through this support, you will be providing an invaluable service to a deserving military service member or their family.

Ways to Volunteer

Career and Education Support

- *Career Coach* – Guide participants through career transitions.
 - *Skills Profile and LinkedIn Advisor* – Help craft profiles that highlight real skills and strengths.
 - *Mock Interview Partner* – Provide feedback that builds confidence and readiness.
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Business and Employer Engagement

- *Corporate Ambassador* – Advocate for skills-first hiring with local employers.
 - *Business Development Volunteer* – Support partnership outreach and relationship-building.
 - *Employer Liaison* – Connect graduates with hiring partners and track outcomes.
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Community and Outreach

- *Community Outreach Ambassador* – Represent The ASCEND Collective at events and conferences.
 - *Social Media Advocate* – Help amplify our impact online.
 - *Event Volunteer* – Support logistics for career fairs, fundraisers, and recognition events.
 - *Story Collector* – Capture and share participant success stories.
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Organizational and Administrative Support

- *Data and Impact Assistant* – Help us measure success and report outcomes.
 - *Grant Research Volunteer* – Identify funding opportunities to grow our mission.
 - *Administrative Assistant* – Support scheduling, communications, and daily operations.
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Why Volunteer?

- Make a lasting impact on the lives of veterans, military spouses, and underserved talent.
 - Share your expertise in a way that builds real opportunity and community.
 - Expand your network and grow personally while helping others ASCEND.
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 **Ready to Get Started?**

Email talentsuccess@theascendcollective.org. Put Volunteer in the subject and tell us which area you are interested in volunteering.

**Your time is more than a gift — it's a force for change.
Together, we'll help every person rise to their potential.**

 ***Join us. Inspire others. Help the world ASCEND.***