## **CLT Partners with Edge4Vets**

**Program Prepares, Connects Veterans to Airport Jobs** 



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As Labor Day approaches, Charlotte Douglas International Airport is excited to announce its partnership with Edge4Vets to prepare and connect veterans, National Guard, transitioning military service personnel and their spouses to employment opportunities at the fifth busiest airport in the world.

Registration is underway for Edge4Vets free career workshop series, which includes two 90-minute Zoom sessions taking place:

- 1-2:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 6 and
- 1-2:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 20

The sessions will help participants translate military strengths and leadership experiences into tools to get hired. Upon completion, veterans will speak to CLT human resources representatives about Airport jobs that match their skills. Visit Edge4Vets.com to register.

"This program is a great fit for the Airport that will only strengthen our workforce," said CLT's CEO/Aviation Director Haley Gentry. "CLT has a proven track record of veterans who have thrived as employees and made valuable contributions to our operations. We look forward to more of those success stories at Charlotte Douglas."

The Edge4Vets program is offered by the Human Resiliency Institute at Fordham University in New York. It has been implemented in eight states in the U.S. since 2011. More than 2,500 veterans and service personnel have completed the program and are now working for banks, pharma, media companies and eight other airports throughout the country.

"An airport functions as a city-within-a-city and thus CLT provides a full array of job opportunities for military service personnel looking to break into aviation," said Tom Murphy, director of the Human Resiliency Institute at Fordham University. "We're grateful to CLT for leadership to open doors for vets and connect them to jobs that can lead to aviation careers in Charlotte."

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