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#### Veterans Services Room

Workforce Solutions Alamo and the Alamo Colleges appreciate the commitment of those who have served our country in the military. Here you will have access to tailored information and specialized assistance to help transition, progress, and succeed in education and career pursuits.

My Next Move FOR VETERANS can help explore careers by keywords, browse careers by industry, and also find careers like your military job.

Resources, such as:

- ⇒ Vet Success
- ⇒ Veterans Educational Benefits
- ⇒ Texas Coalition of Veterans Organizations
- ⇒ College Credit for Heroes
- ⇒ College for All Texans

## Workforce Solutions Alamo Advising Office

Explore the array of programs, services and information for solutions for business, job seekers, youth and child care.

#### Community Resources Room

Sometimes we all need a little help. This room is full of resources and organizations that will assist in achieving your career and education goals.

#### **Helpful Links**

http://www.alamo.edu/district/ http://www.alamo.edu/nlc/ http://www.alamo.edu/nvc/ http://www.alamo.edu/pac/ http://www.alamo.edu/spc/ http://www.alamo.edu/sac/



#### Vision

The Alamo Colleges will be the best in the nation in Student Success and Performance Excellence.

#### Mission

Empowering our diverse communities for success.

#### **Values**

The members of Alamo Colleges are committed to building individual and collective character through the following set of shared values in order to fulfill our vision and mission.

**Integrity**: We act ethically, building a culture of trust and respect.

**Communication:** We engage in open and transparent communication, information sharing, and collaboration.

**Community**: We collaborate through a culture of learning and service, where unity in diversity occurs with mutual respect, cooperation, and accessibility.

**Academic Freedom:** We value creativity, growth, and transformation through vigorous inquiry and a free exchange of ideas.

Accountability and Innovation: We accept responsibility for our actions and strive for continuous learning and improvement through a safe and secure environment in order to achieve our vision.

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# VIRTUAL CAREER & PLACEMENT CENTER

The Virtual Center is a joint venture between the Alamo Colleges and Workforce Solutions Alamo.

It brings together high quality career and education planning information with links to the most effective tools available online to assist you in achieving your career and education goals.

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## Shall we play a game?

Career exploration and job placement is serious business but the Virtual Career Center can make it a lot more fun, as well as purposeful. For the "Gamers" you can visit the different rooms by keyboard or mouse control..."Call of Duty" style. For others, use the map to take you directly to the room or use the Text Only Site.

# PICK A ROOM. YOU CAN START ANYWHERE.

• Welcome to the Lobby!

Here is where you will be greeted and given a brief overview of what the Virtual Career and Placement Center has to offer.

Career Workshop Room

This is the video library with a variety of videos, such as:

- ⇒ Industry Videos
- ⇒ Skill and Ability Videos
- ⇒ Work Options Videos
- ⇒ Career and Cluster Videos
- ⇒ Career Videos in Spanish

Got a Question?
Need Direction?
There is a CHAT function to get help when you need it.

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## Career Exploration Room & Career Assessment Room

Explore and learn about the jobs and careers that interest you. The best decisions are informed decision. Learn what education is required for the career/job, how much it pays and what is the local job availability.

My Next Move can help explore careers by keywords, browse careers by industry, and has the O\*NET Interest Profiler (60 question assessment) giving results with the HOLLAND CODES (RIASEC).

<u>mySkills myFuture</u> uses previous job experience and skills to help find careers that match the similar skill set.

<u>Texas Reality Check</u> takes you through the process of planning the lifestyle you want to have for the future. Shows the earnings and education needed to meet the lifestyle that you desire. As you buy "stuff" you will notice that the more you need to *earn* the likelihood the more you will need to *learn*.

<u>Career Coach</u> is a user-friendly web-based tool that markets careers and programs by providing valuable information on how wages, trends, and careers connect to education and training locally (within a 100 mile radius to San Antonio). It is also connected to current job postings locally.

Other career assessments are available. Don't forget to check career resources offered at the individual Alamo Colleges Career websites.

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#### Job Search and Placement Lab

A virtual computer lab that offers various job search websites, such as:

- ⇒ Indeed
- ⇒ WorkInTexas.com
- ⇒ Campus2Careers
- ⇒ Beyond.com

#### Financial Assistance Room

Funding education can be a maze. This room will offer assistance on applying for **federal financial aid**, information on grants and scholarships. Find out if you qualify for a Workforce Solutions Alamo specialized program.

## Alamo Colleges Advising Office

Most educational journeys need some guidance and direction. Here is where you will be able to start the enrollment process and/or chat with an advisor. You can connect directly to each Alamo College by clicking on the school pennant.

## Education and Training

View the Service Area Map for Alamo Colleges and Workforce Solutions Alamo.

Don't forget to check out additional information on glowing IPads.