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## Student Support Services

*Current Grads: 135 this year  
All time: 2,000+*

At Lakewood College, we take great pride in our commitment to meeting students where they are. As an institution that engages with students of various backgrounds, we make it our goal to assist students to reach their unique potentials and academic goals through individualized paths to success. We're here to hold your hand from registration to graduation and beyond!

**Student-Centered Approach** Our team works together to create Individualized Success Plans by working with the student, following their academic progress, and offering several different avenues for support.

**Career Services Info** Current students and graduates also have access to many resources through our Career Services Department! Reach out to our Career Services Department today!

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Welcome to Lakewood College. Since 1998, we have been setting new standards of excellence in education. Today we are a respected, worldwide leader in self-guided distance learning. We have combined our resources to bring you the finest, most comprehensive instruction in the most flexible way possible.

Lakewood College offers a broader array of study options. More career focused instruction. Greater accessibility. Closer student support.

More affordable tuition with payment options. Overall, you can look forward to a first-class educational experience that meets your highest expectations. Lakewood

College is a fitting tribute to educating the minds of busy people like you. It is also a tribute to the hundreds of students who have entrusted us with the means to realizing a better life. May Lakewood College help you reach higher goals, study smarter and advance faster than ever. Here's to your new life!

JEROME LEEDS

*Jerome Leeds*  
Chairman of the Board  
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VP of Operations, Anthony Nathal, right, traveled to Florida in May to provide outreach and celebrate accomplished students and graduates!

## LAKEWOOD COLLEGE MISSION

To improve the quality of life of our students by providing excellent, affordable, and in-demand educational programs using various distance learning methods.

### OBJECTIVES

- To provide programs to prepare students to enter specific occupations.
- To provide courses and programs to improve workers' job performance, to upgrade job skills, to prepare workers for expanding information bases and changing skills requirements, and to assist persons in transition to new occupations.
- To provide guidance to assist students in making decisions that may affect their education, career, cultural advancement and general well-being.
- To provide opportunities for students to become involved in school activities and governance.
- To provide equal educational access for disabled as well as academic and economically disadvantaged individuals. Support services will be offered to meet

their special needs.

- To provide activities and special events which encourage alumni involvement in Lakewood College.
- To provide special services designed to improve the quality of life and peaceful relations in the community and to promote life-long learning.
- To provide the best possible instructional and support services – including, but not limited to, adequate supplies, sufficient and appropriate facilities, and technologically current equipment.
- To provide programs and opportunities to develop employees' professional knowledge and abilities.
- To implement legislative mandates, in a timely and effective manner, as well as other directives placed upon it by federal, state and local policy-making bodies.
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*I am humbled by the success of our graduates and am honored to take part in our exceptional higher education institution. I founded Lakewood College, in 1998, on the principles of a student-centered learning environment. Today, we have grown, and I still see our student-centered environment thriving; look at the amazing student success!*

*It takes discipline to complete a degree, diploma or certificate program at a distance. Our courses have been carefully prepared, using the finest materials available. The faculty and staff at Lakewood College are exceptional in their fields and in developing and supporting distance learners programs. Our successful graduates have proven that if you stay focused and set a specific time to study on a regular basis, the sky is the limit.*

*Please enjoy our magazine highlighting student success!*

*Most Sincerely,*

TANYA L. HAGGINS

*Tanya Haggins*  
President

Lakewood College

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## WHY LAKEWOOD COLLEGE

*What sets us apart from standard colleges, community colleges and universities? It's simple.*

We help you keep more of your money in your pockets!

- Textbooks and study materials are included with your tuition.
- With a majority of our students enrolled in online classes, we maintain a low overhead and don't have to charge excessive tuition like most brick-and-mortar schools.
- You can enroll with a very low initial down payment.
- We provide a monthly tuition plan.
- If you are a Military Veteran or a Spouse, you may be eligible to receive 100% tuition assistance through various government funding options.

### CONVENIENCE

- Forget driving to school every day, taking the bus or subway or walking — just log on. Our online courses were designed with you in mind.
- Do your coursework from home, from abroad or in your spare time. You're in control.
- Take care of your everyday responsibilities while earning your degree.
- We offer courses in-demand fields so you can find a job and start earning more money more quickly.

### QUALITY

- Our instructors have both real-world and academic experience to help you apply your knowledge in the field more easily.
- We provide personal support to ensure your education is useable in the workplace.
- We are nationally accredited by the Distance Education

Accrediting Commission (DEAC) as a quality choice in higher learning.

- Our online education provides an experience comparable (or better) to what you would receive in a traditional college or university classroom.

### ONGOING ASSISTANCE

- With active job placement assistance, we are dedicated to your future and your current educational needs.
- Our job placement services don't stop when you graduate.
- Our student services department will help you with tutoring if necessary.
- We provide all of our students with comprehensive online help and resources.

### FLEXIBILITY

- Nothing beats the convenience of an online education, but not all distance learning schools are created equal.
- We provide a more flexible schedule and course workload than other higher learning institutions.
- You can try this with zero risk. We offer a no-questions-asked, five-business-day FULL money back refund if Lakewood College isn't for you! Earn your degree on your terms. Enroll in Lakewood College, and get a world-class education right from the comfort of your own home!





# Why Choose Lakewood College



## Top In The Paralegal Field

“Why choose Lakewood College’s Paralegal Diploma program? Online delivery, instructor assistance, your own success coach, and a streamlined, nine month course of study just for starters. We also love that this program comes complete with everything you need to make your program a success, including textbooks, study guides, and career search and time management guides. You’ll always feel part of the Lakewood College community throughout your course of study here, thanks to plenty of instructor guidance, unlimited tutoring, and access to Lakewood’s active student and alumni social community.” - ParalegalEDU.org

## Great Alumni Program

Lakewood College offers Indefinite career services, individualized alumni solutions representatives, incentives for career placement, and national partnerships with major employers.

## Diversity in the College

Our cultural diversity represents multiple countries, diverse staff, diverse educational backgrounds and diverse military population.

## Vision Statement

Lakewood College will be a premier institution of higher education with a thriving community of passionate students, engaging instructors, friendly staff, and accomplished alumni employed in the career of their dreams.” Aligning with the Lakewood College vision statement, we continually improve and expand our organization. Lakewood College has experienced continued growth in the last two years and is excited for further growth. It is our second consecutive year to be named the number one online military-friendly school. Thanks to our students and all Lakewood College stakeholders for making our vision a reality!

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**Lakewood College Is Accredited By The Distance Education Accrediting Commission** (DEAC) is listed by the U.S. Department of Education as a recognized accrediting agency. DEAC is recognized by the Council for Higher Education (CHEA).





## FEATURED SUCCESS STORY



# “PK” PAOLLA JORDAN

## LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR A MEDIATION PRACTICE



Lakewood College graduate, Paolla “PK” Jordan, shares that her goal was to lay the foundation for opening a mediation practice. Graduating in 2010 from the online Mediation and Paralegal programs, she has since gone on to establish her own business, East Valley Mediator.

She certainly brought her own strengths to the table having had experience as a contract negotiator for real estate investments and teaching real estate to investors. Her areas of specialty now include commercial lease mediation, divorce mediation and various family matters to mediate and offer solutions.

When asked about the challenges of going to school, working and raising a family, she confirms that balancing family and coursework obligation can be a “balancing act” at times. Re-inventing one’s self is indeed a challenging process. One of her strategies was to maintain scheduled alone time at a local library for studying.

A champion and spokesperson for mediation as an alternative to more costly legal processes, she hopes to assist others who wish to begin a career in mediation. She has started a divorce care support group with her husband. It is about helping families. Lakewood College is proud to have played a small role in PK’s success story, one that certainly bodes well for her future and for all she will help!



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### ■ ADMINISTRATIVE MEDICAL ASSISTANT PROGRAM

*Become an Administrative Medical Assistant in the rapidly growing medical field! Medical assistants complete administrative and clinical tasks in the offices of physicians, podiatrists, chiropractors, and other health practitioners. Lakewood College will provide knowledge-based training and instruction on maintaining and running the physician's office, remaining professional in the workplace, basic coding, and customer service.*

- 6 Month Program
- Nationally Accredited
- Instructor Assistance Provided
- Your Own Success Coach
- National Exam Included in Tuition

### ■ MEDICAL BILLING CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

*Work closely with healthcare professionals as a medical billing specialist! At Lakewood College, we will give you the skills necessary to qualify for entry level employment with various healthcare facilities. A medical billing specialist works closely with insurance companies, health care providers, and patients. Medical billers compile data from medical coders and submit claims to insurance companies, then bill patients. As a medical biller you will also verify patients' insurance coverage, handle collections on unpaid accounts, and manage your facilities accounts receivable reports. Lakewood College's Medical Billing program will provide knowledge-based training and instruction on medical billing practices, EHR data keeping, and insurance policies.*

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### ■ MEDICAL CODING CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

*Seek employment in various areas including medical offices, hospitals, clearinghouses, or insurance agencies as a Medical Coding Specialist! Medical coders review patient information for preexisting conditions, retrieve patient records for medical personnel, and work as a liaison between the health clinician and billing offices. Lakewood College will provide knowledge-based training and instruction on medical billing practices, electronic health records (EHR) data keeping, and insurance policies. You will learn Current Procedural Terminology and how to navigate through different types of coding systems.*

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### ■ CRIMINAL JUSTICE CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Become a law enforcer by taking Lakewood College's Criminal Justice Certificate Program! This course will provide knowledge in modern criminal justice issues such as effective policing, courts, causes of crime, prisons and sentencing, as well as the types of crime!

- 6 Month Program
- Nationally Accredited
- Instructor Assistance Provided
- Your Own Success Coach
- National Exam Included in Tuition

### ■ MEDIATION CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Mediation and dispute resolution are rapidly growing fields of study and sought after skills in the workplace. This comprehensive course provides the core skill sets necessary for the practice of mediation. Mediators are neutral parties who help people to resolve their disputes without going to court. Simply said, mediators help both businesses and families resolve conflict. People often use mediators when they wish to preserve relationships, save money, and save time. Students are guided through the 5 stages of mediation and are

asked how these stages apply to actual case studies of mediation. Students learn core people skills such as active listening, impartiality, neutrality, reframing, effective communication, and the management of conflict. Further, there is no need to take multiple trainings. The Lakewood College Mediation Certificate Program trains its students in business, family, divorce and workplace mediation. Also, all students who complete the Mediation Certificate Program not only receive a diploma and transcripts from Lakewood College, but are eligible to sit for the exam from the National Association of Certified Mediators.

- 6 Month Program
- Nationally Accredited
- Instructor Assistance Provided
- Your Own Success Coach
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## ■ PARALEGAL DIPLOMA PROGRAM

Get ready to work closely with attorneys! Become a paralegal. Our reasonably priced paralegal training will give you the skills you need in 9 months. This wide-ranging program covers how the legal system works, the litigation process, tort law, contracts, legal research, interviewing, how paralegals and attorneys work together and more. Training includes a professional legal textbook and study guides. You'll learn the latest paralegal procedures from knowledgeable instructors with years of experience in their field.

- 9 Month Program
- Nationally Accredited
- Instructor Assistance Provided
- Your Own Success Coach
- National Exam Included in Tuition

## ■ ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

Associate of Applied Business in Business Management With an Associate of Applied Business in Business Management, you will be in a position to supervise others, decide the daily priorities of your office, delegate projects and coordinate teams to meet the goals of your organization. You will report to upper management and have room to advance your career into top management in a reasonable amount of time. The Associate of Applied Business in Business Management is a great opportunity

for the individual looking to get a foot in the management door. One of the best things about this two 2-year program is the options it gives to a graduate. After this program a graduate is skilled in numerous management positions and can work in almost any industry. The graduate also has the foundation to go on to pursue a Bachelors or Master's Degree in many different aspects of business. The Associate of Applied Business in Business Management will prepare students for entry-level positions in business, industry and non-profit organizations. The program is designed for students who seek to acquire a complete framework in basic business concepts and skills in order to contribute and create solutions for contemporary business problems. Students will acquire the knowledge and skills to apply management, marketing and accounting concepts to improve operational performance and aid in decision making skills. The emphasis in this program is placed on marketable skills.

- 2 Year Program
- Nationally Accredited
- Instructor Assistance Provided
- Your Own Success Coach

## ■ ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS IN PARALEGAL STUDIES

Associate of Applied Business in Paralegal Studies Lakewood College offers a two-year associate degree in paralegal studies. Students in the program take courses that cover legal research, various legal fields, and the legal process. The courses are taught by experienced attorneys. Paralegal students also enroll in other related classes in fields like accounting, English, and political science, as well as in a core of general college classes. In addition, students are trained in the job responsibilities of a practicing paralegal, through the completion of a practical skills exercises, taught throughout the course by experienced attorneys and paralegals. The practical exercises give students an opportunity to work with simulated cases and to learn calendaring, tickler systems, document production and management, file organization and maintenance, and other paralegal skills. Paralegal students are also trained to use various computer software programs and to access and search on-line resources. Upon completion of the associate degree in paralegal studies, Lakewood College graduates are eligible to take the voluntary certified legal assistant examination administered by the National Association of Legal Assistants. Although not required





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### ■ ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS IN PARALEGAL STUDIES

*for employment, national and state certification is recognized by many law offices as an indication of competence in the field.*

- 2 Year Program
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### ■ PHARMACY TECHNICIAN PROGRAM

*Pharmacy technicians and aides help licensed pharmacists prepare prescription medications, provide customer service, and perform administrative duties within a pharmacy setting. Pharmacy technicians also may receive prescriptions sent electronically from doctors' offices, and in some States, they are permitted to process requests by phone. To prepare the prescription, technicians retrieve, count, pour, weigh, measure, and sometimes mix the medication. They prepare the prescription labels, select the type of container, and affix the prescription and auxiliary labels to the container. Once the prescription is filled, technicians price and file the prescription, which must be checked by a pharmacist before it is given to the patient. Technicians may establish and maintain patient profiles, as well as prepare insurance claim forms.*



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## LAKWOOD SUCCESS STORIES



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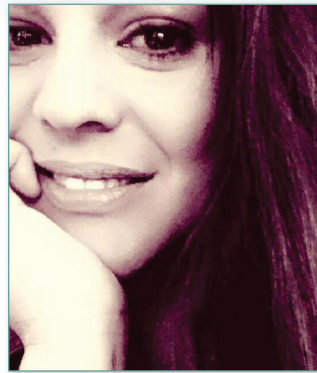
Aldelphia L.  
**BELL-HODGE**

"I am currently a Paralegal with one of the largest firms in Fayetteville, NC. I have been with them over 5 years. The education and knowledge I gained by attending Lakewood College has helped me tremendously in my career. Lakewood College has given me the opportunity to stay abreast of the ever-changing world in the Criminal Justice, Mediation, and Paralegal fields. I am able to apply my past 15 years of experience as a Paralegal and incorporate what I have gained from Lakewood to exceed the expectations I have set for myself. Thank you, Lakewood College, for setting the bar so high that all your students are successful "I salute you!"



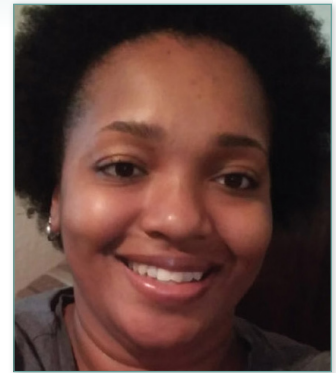
Ayisha  
**KARRIEM**

I am a single parent of a wonderful sixteen year old son, who is my entire life! I am currently working within the auto industry for JP Morgan Chase. I have been with the company for a little over two years now and it has been a wonderful experience. I am focused on finishing my school career with making every effort into obtaining and achieving that accomplishment. I have also served my country as an enlisted member of The United States Army National Guard for 9 years. I have learned to be focused and determined to reach your goals, as Malcolm X would say, "by any means necessary".



Abby  
**JAY**

"I have been employed by Shane A. Taylor and Associates in Mobile, Alabama as his Senior Paralegal and Office Manager for the past 5 years. We focus on Family Law and Criminal Defense, in the States of Alabama and Mississippi. I was able to gain my qualification for this position, through the online education with Lakewood College as a stay home mom, before I took the first position I was offered out of school and have held ever since. I live on the beautiful Alabama Gulf Coast with my husband Michael and our five children. I cannot imagine living anywhere else or working for another firm doing what I love every day."



Cora  
**OWENS**

Cora earned a certificate in Pharmacy Technician. She used the Lakewood College national partnership with Walgreens to begin her professional career. Cora is enjoying her time with Walgreens and is quickly becoming a seasoned professional. In addition to her tenure at Walgreens, Cora has chosen to advance her education further studying toward a degree in business.





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Nataliya  
**BONETT**

Nataliya is a graduate of the Paralegal diploma program. Upon graduation she obtained a Paralegal position at Rodriguez Law Firm in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Nataliya worked diligently earning a promotion to Senior Paralegal. Nataliya now oversees a number of paralegals. The Rodriguez Law Firm specializes in criminal law. Nataliya attributes her foundational legal knowledge to her Lakewood College education.



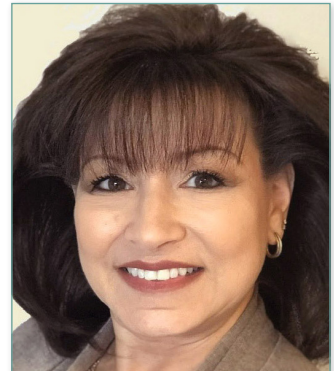
James  
**RILEY**

“After graduating from Lakewood, I began working as a Legal Document Assistant and Paralegal. I enjoy working with clients and attorneys to come with solutions to various legal issues. My experiences have afforded me the opportunity to participate in a variety cases. I have assisted in Personal Injury, Criminal Law, and Family Law cases. As I continue to grow and evolve, I always remember the tools I was provided with my education. This allows me to tackle new areas and expand my skill set. After Lakewood College, I continued my education and obtained my Juris Doctorate Degree.”



Barbara  
**KADO**

Barbara earned credentials in Medical coding and Medical Billing. Upon completion of her dual program she chose to continue her educational journey at Lakewood College. Aside from her continuing education, Barbara has taken her foundational, acquired knowledge to begin her own company.



Lori  
**GROVER**

I became a Mediator because of my own divorce experience. I wanted to educate all about the emotional and financial damage of protracted litigation and a biased, unpredictable legal system, while offering a viable solution. In my view, mediation isn't an alternative to litigation, litigation is the alternative to mediation.

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Vincent L.  
**COHRAN**

Prior to my Lakewood College studies, and after my Army retirement, I began employment with the Army Human Resources department providing administrative support to the Army. It was during this time that I began to feel the need to advance my career. Lakewood College afforded me the flexibility I needed to complete my studies working around my full-time schedule. My new knowledge has assisted me in acquiring new tasks and roles within my organizations. I am now a reference for my colleagues. I have achieved the Vice President position and paralegal consultant for PathWaves Inc. I am proud to be a graduate of Lakewood College.



Porsha  
**EVANS**

"My experience with Lakewood was one the best decisions I could've made. The curriculum was very structured and easy to follow. The teacher was phenomenal, responding in timely manner when I needed help. I'm a successful Senior pharmacy technician and team lead at my job. I thank all those that helped paved my way success."



Jaclynn  
**CANARY**

"I found Lakewood College on Google of all places when I was looking for an online college. At the time I was able to use MyCAA to pay for it fully so I went for it and started my certification in Pharmacy Technology. It was super easy to get started and the computer programming was absolutely great for a technology-illiterate person like myself. I graduated and had a 200 hour externship at my local pharmacy within 6 months, which lead to my first pharmacy job at that very same pharmacy that I loved so much! I'm very grateful for Lakewood College and everything they were able to do for me!"



Shelby  
**BRANDEN-  
BURGH**

"Lakewood College helped me immensely when I decided to go back to school! They were there every step of the way. I honestly couldn't have done it with out the support of the amazing staff. My degree has helped me get a job with all of our military moves and move up in my line of work."





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Buddy  
**THORNTON**

Buddy is completing his doctorate at Grand Canyon University, a DBA in Executive Leadership with a focus on Cross-Cultural Competency and Conflict Management. Buddy used his experience from attending Lakewood College for his mediation and paralegal certifications to springboard into his Master's (MA-Human Services Counseling) from Liberty University and his doctoral pursuits. Buddy owns BCT Mediations PLUS in Phoenix, AZ and specializes in family and elder conflict management. Buddy also travels globally as a Bräv Global Ambassador doing training and peace outreach. Buddy believes his life calling is to be a "Positive Social Change Agent" and aligns all of his current pursuits to that end.



Carly  
**KRATOCHVIL**

"Lakewood College greatly helped me in succeeding and making me the best version of myself in order to provide excellent patient care. Lakewood College has prepared me to handle most, if not all, of the medical office situations that I might encounter during my career and for that I thank my professor and academic success coach."



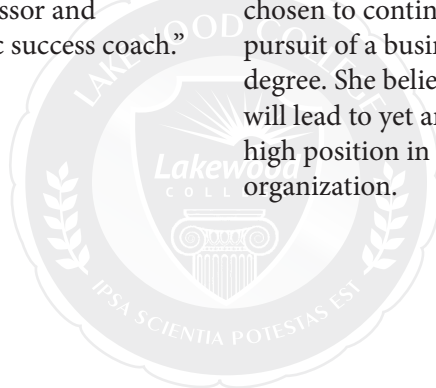
Anastasia  
**WARD**

Anastasia is a proud graduate of Lakewood College. Since graduation Anastasia has been promoted at her place of employment, the Department of Veterans Affairs. Ms. Ward is now the Lab Manager at the San Antonio VA. Building upon her current education, Ms. Ward has chosen to continue in the pursuit of a business degree. She believes this will lead to yet another high position in her organization.



Martina  
**MOORE**

Martina is the President and CEO of Moore Counseling and Mediation Services. Martina was able to learn professional development and entrepreneurship skills alongside her education in Mediation. Martina now owns an out-patient health center with seven locations across Ohio. Moore Counseling is a premier mediation center and a household name across Ohio.



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Lori

### LOMAX

Lori came to Lakewood College from an Ohio State funded to study Medical Coding. Immediately after graduation, Lori obtained a position coding in her hometown. Lori is now employed in the career of her dreams and plans on giving back to Lakewood College. Lori believes she has found her calling and plans to further her education with the eventual goal of medical coding management.

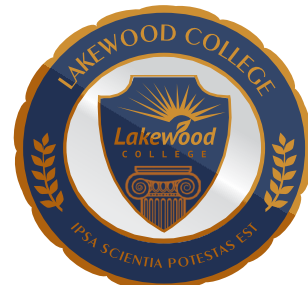


*Of all the activities that we track and record here at Lakewood College, none are as important to us as the individual success stories of our students and graduates. We collect and share these stories not simply to prove our good work but in contrast, to honor and thank our students for sharing their unique talents and gifts with us, for making us a better, stronger school community. We are proud of our students, not just for their academic success and career achievements but for the very people they are – kind, hardworking and courageous. They are people of service and it is our privilege to offer an academic program that mirrors their values, hopes and dreams. The decision to pursue one's own growth and development by continued education is a very personal one that we don't take lightly. It is as unique as one's own definition of happiness and success.*

JIM GEPPERTH, MPA

*Jim Geppert*  
Academic Dean  
Lakewood College

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If you're active duty, a military spouse or veteran, you may have decided that now is the time to take that next career step – within the ranks or civilian life. For over 12 years, Lakewood College has armed our military and their families with a quality online education. Whether you're seeking a career diploma or college degree, Lakewood can help you reach your goals quickly and affordably. We offer accredited online education programs that give you the skills you need for a rewarding career. Your education can be 100% covered by the military. There are options available through all branches of the military which provide active-duty personnel, military spouses and veterans with funding for educational programs. Lakewood College works with a wide variety of government funding options for Military Spouses and Veteran students.



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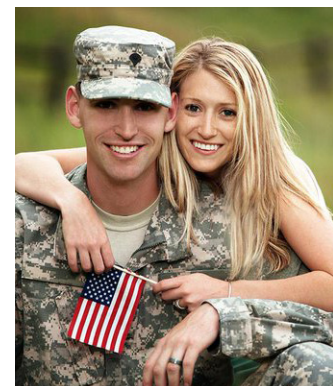
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