

INSIDER TIPS TO KNOW



Local Chapters & Career Planning

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- Chapters are alumni groups formed across the nation, these groups are formed based geographically location.
- There are over 50+ Chapters across the U.S. and internationally. Find your local Chapter at <https://www2.usafa.org/group/chapters>. If there is not a Chapter in your area, considering starting one. Please contact Karina Ross at karina.ross@aogusafa.org
- Each Chapter is unique and serves their members differently based on member's needs. Some Chapters focus on social gatherings, networking, and/or heritage.
- Joining a Chapter helps keep you connected to USAFA alumni through events such as tailgates, watch parties, networking socials, etc.
- Chapters provide opportunities to give back to local communities through community service and service events.
- The AOG provides all USAFA graduates access to our online career center. This career center is a one-stop shop for career services that includes mentoring, resume review, resource guides, pilot transition, etc. Visit <https://www.usafa.org/CareerCenter>.
- The first step to getting a job after your military career is creating a new resume from your OPRs and experience. However, resume writing can be a daunting task. The AOG provides FREE resume reviewing for its graduates.
- Connect with successful alumni on the USAFA Alumni Mentorship Platform at <https://www.veterati.com/AOG/>. You can sign up for a mentor or become a mentor yourself.

- USAFA graduates are eligible to attend the Service Academy Career Conference. Service Academy Career Conference is a job fair exclusively for service academy alumni and it is a great way to learn about the current job market, advanced degree options, and discover employment opportunities with top industry employers and Fortune 100 companies. Learn more about the conferences at <https://www.sacc-jobfair.com/>.
- The AOG provides all its graduates free career placement services for transitioning and former air force officers. Visit <https://www.orientalent.com/military-job-seekers/officers/usafa-graduates.aspx> to learn more!