Capitol Hill Day
June 2019

Creating public education opportunities for veterans to share their experiences in higher education

After Action Report
VES flew 30 veterans who had been defrauded out of their GI Bill benefits to Washington, D.C., where we formed 20 teams who told their stories to 80 members of Congress and Senators.
Press Conference
Thursday, June, 13, 2019
Washington, D.C.

Vice President Tanya Ang was joined by partner organizations and students veterans to host a Press Conference kicking-off Capitol Hill Day. Stream on Facebook here and on YouTube here.
Member Meetings
Thursday, June, 13, 2019
Washington, D.C.

Student veterans huddling with their group leaders in preparation for Congressional meetings.

VES and partner organizations are using #Vets4HEA to raise awareness about our desire for improved information and better protections for military-connected students in higher education. Click here to see the latest discussion.
Member Meetings Continued
Thursday, June, 13, 2019
Washington, D.C.

VES and student veterans met with over 80 Members of Congress! Social media here, here, and here.
Partner Organizations
Thursday, June, 13, 2019
Washington, D.C.

Partner organizations including Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America, Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors, Student Veterans of America, and Third Way joined VES in raising awareness about Capitol Hill Day and the importance of better protections for military-connected students in higher education.
Wrap Up & Reflection
Thursday, June, 13, 2019
Washington, D.C.

Participants ended Capitol Hill Day at VES HQ where they spent time reflecting on their day and had an opportunity to share their unique stories with a representative from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.