Over 90% of MSSA participants graduate from the program. We'll help you fast-track your success with access to supplemental trainings and lessons via the Microsoft Military Affairs Education Portal, plus:

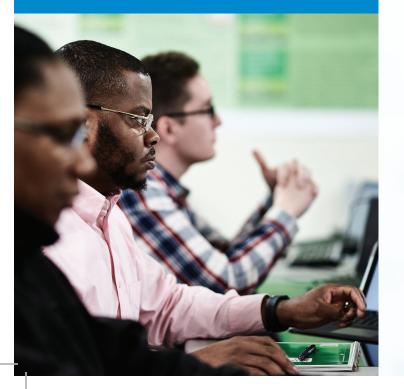
- > Personalized resume help, interview prep, and job search support
- > A Microsoft mentor to help you prepare for a smooth entry into a corporate environment
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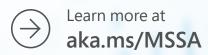
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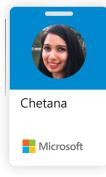


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