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The COMMIT Foundation Virtual Reception

A Conversation with Vice Admiral Tim & Marci Szymanski

CARING FOR OUR SERVICE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

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MISSION

The COMMIT Foundation's mission is to help exceptional American service members and veterans transition into successful roles and careers post-service.

NEED – HIGH TOUCH, HIGH IMPACT

There is an assumption that high-performing service members will transition successfully out of uniform. However, COMMIT knows that is not the case. They feel a loss of camaraderie, a loss of identity, and are unsure how to translate their enormous skills, training, and talent to the civilian workforce and their personal lives. In spite of there being more than 45,000 veteran service organizations, high-performing service members are overlooked, and those served are not served in an individualized, impactful, and continuous manner.

VISION – PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL FULFILLMENT

Founded in 2012, The COMMIT Foundation is committed to transitioning high-performing service members back into the fabric of our communities and the civilian workforce in a purposeful and meaningful way. COMMIT creates serendipity for veterans through its first-rate, personalized, and high-touch programs. We believe our approach will make a massive impact in the transition space, the lives of our citizens, our communities, and our civilian workforce.

STRATEGY – AN INDIVIDUALIZED APPROACH

COMMIT invests time and resources in each participant to address his or her specific challenges with a personalized approach designed to dramatically improve the outcomes of those we serve. This is the COMMIT difference.

Through our services, COMMIT explores values, skills, and life design fundamentals in order to identify individual sources of purpose and meaning. Once our participants achieve higher levels of self-awareness, energy directed toward employment is much more focused, deliberate, and authentic.

SPEAKERS INCLUDE



VICE ADMIRAL TIM SZYMANSKI

**DEPUTY COMMANDER
U.S. SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND**

Vice Adm. Szymanski is the Deputy Commander of the United States Special Operations Command (USSOCOM), MacDill Air Force Base, Florida. USSOCOM ensures the readiness of joint special operations forces and, as directed, conducts operations worldwide.

A native of Wilmington, Delaware, Vice Adm. Szymanski attended the U.S. Naval Academy Preparatory School and graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1985. He completed a Master of Joint Campaign Planning and Strategy degree at the Joint Advanced Warfighting School.

Vice Adm. Szymanski's previous Naval Special Warfare and operational assignments include platoon and task unit commander at SEAL Delivery Vehicle Team 2. He served as a troop and squadron commander, operations officer and deputy commanding officer at Naval Special Warfare Development Group. He commanded Special Boat Unit 26, SEAL Team 2, an O6-level Joint Special Operations Task Force in Afghanistan and Naval Special Warfare Group 2. He served as deputy commanding general sustainment to Special Operations Joint Task Force-Afghanistan/NATO Special Operations Component Command-Afghanistan, assistant commanding general of Joint Special Operations Command and commander Naval Special Warfare Command before assuming his duties as the USSOCOM Deputy Commander.

SPEAKERS INCLUDE



GOVERNOR JARED POLIS

Governor Jared Polis is an entrepreneur, education leader, public servant, and Colorado native. After launching several successful companies, including one out of his college dorm room, Polis committed himself to making sure other Coloradans had the opportunity to pursue their dreams. Polis founded schools for at-risk students and new immigrants and started nonprofits to help veterans and entrepreneurs. Prior to serving as Governor, Polis served on the State Board of Education where he worked to raise pay for teachers and reduce class size for students, and represented Colorado's 2nd Congressional district where he was rated the most effective member of the Colorado delegation. As Governor, Polis has been focused on saving Coloradans money, keeping our economy strong, and preserving our Colorado way of life. In his first term, Polis delivered universal free full-day Kindergarten, signed a number of bills to save families money on health care, and made significant progress towards the goal of 100% renewable energy by 2040, all while cutting taxes for small businesses and investing in affordable housing and transportation.

SPEAKERS INCLUDE



JOHN ROBLE

**PRESIDENT
MOUNTAIN STATES MARKET
CIGNA, A GLOBAL HEALTH SERVICE COMPANY**

John Roble is the President for the Mountain States region, which includes the states of Colorado, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming. His responsibilities include ensuring that Cigna's overall market strategy, product and network offerings meet the evolving needs of Cigna's customers and clients. John's role also includes partnering with area health care professionals and health systems to improve health, working to continuously improve the experience that Cigna customers have, and leading Cigna's efforts to serve the community.

Prior to joining Cigna, John held leadership roles at Great-West Healthcare, which was later acquired by Cigna, and at Franklin Templeton Investments. He earned an MBA from the University of South Florida in Tampa with a concentration in finance and a bachelor's degree in business information systems from Florida State University.

Prior to assuming the Chairman role on the Metro Denver Economic Development Committee Board of Governors, John served on the Executive Committee. He currently serves on the board of directors of the American Cancer Society of Denver CEOs Against Cancer, the Aurora Economic Development Council, Children's Hospital Colorado Leadership Council and Colorado Concern. In 2019, the Denver Business Journal named him among the Most Admired CEOs.



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