

# Speaker Invitations from Veterans Education Success (2023–2025)

Help Desk VetsEdSuccess

From: [help@vetsedsuccess.org](mailto:help@vetsedsuccess.org)

To: Sharon Edwards

Mon, Nov 24, 2025 at 11:10 AM

Hello Sharon,

We have an event coming up in Washington, DC, and I wanted to reach out to see if you would be interested in providing comments via video about your experience at Fisk University or possibly attending an in-person event. The event would be around December 8 and might include an overnight stay, and we can provide funding for travel for participants. If you are interested in learning more, I would love to speak with you about it, and I can share your information with our event organizer to see if you would be a good fit. Thanks for your consideration!

Best,  
Allison

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On Wednesday, December 6, 2023, 4:43 PM, Help Desk VetsEdSuccess  
<[help@vetsedsuccess.org](mailto:help@vetsedsuccess.org)> wrote:

Dear Sharon,

We may have an opportunity for you to talk to the Department of Education about your experience at your school. It would be a **virtual meeting**, so you would not need to travel. The Department is working on new rules for accreditors. We think the Department would like to hear from students about how accreditors can do a better job making sure colleges provide a good quality education.

If you are interested, I am happy to have a **call with you in the next couple of days** to explain more, and I can talk with our policy team to see if it is a good fit for the Department of Education meeting.

We would help you with the remarks and support you throughout, so you won't feel like you are alone.

For information, the first session is **January 8-11** and the Department will listen to public comments at the end of each day, likely between **3:30 and 4:00pm Eastern Time**. The Department usually only allows each speaker 3 minutes to read their comments. If the January dates are not convenient, there are sessions from **February 5-8 and March 4-6**.

Please let us know if you have time for a call to learn more.

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