



## DACOWITS: Articles of Interest

### WELLNESS

#### [Military sex survey draws complaints](#)

(31 Oct.) *Associated Press*, By Lolita C. Baldor

“The survey is conducted every two years. But this year's version, developed by the Rand Corp., is unusually detailed, including graphically personal questions on sexual acts.”

#### [Sexual assault on campus: Getting a clearer picture](#)

(2 Nov.) *The Washington Post*, Editorial Board

“...the findings that nearly 17 percent of undergraduate women experienced sexual assault were consistent with other national studies and underscored yet again the serious problem this issue poses for colleges and universities.”

### ASSIGNMENTS

#### [Female veterans share their stories of service](#)

(6 Nov.) *Hometown Life*, By Robin D'Angelo

Three female veterans - three stories.

### EXTRA

#### [Female vets charge into office](#)

(2 Nov.) *The Hill*, By Kirstina Wong

Only five female military veterans have ever served in Congress, including Reps. Tammy Duckworth (D-Ill.), a lieutenant colonel in the Army National Guard, and Tulsi Gabbard (D-Hawaii), an Army National Guard captain.

#### [Government Seeks Vets Interested In STEM Jobs](#)

(4 Nov.) *Government Executive*, By Kellie Lunney

According to the Merit Systems Protection Board, veterans hired in 2012 through the Veterans Employment Opportunities Act and Veterans' Recruitment Appointment authorities were overwhelmingly male – 80 percent and 76 percent...but that increase has contributed to an unintended consequence – the government hiring fewer women.

#### [Returning home: documentary focuses on female veterans](#)

(4 Nov.) *ithacajournal*, By Matthew Hayes

The documentary "Poster Girl," focuses on the plight of returning veterans, with focus on the special needs of female veterans.

#### [There Are 100 Women in Congress for the First Time Ever](#)

(5 Nov.) *Slate*, By Holly Allen and Amanda Marcotte

The gender breakdown of the next Congress is still to be determined, but a major milestone was reached Tuesday night: For the first time in American history, the number of women sitting in Congress will hit triple digits.

#### [Woman Receives Honorary Green Beret Distinction](#)

(6 Nov.) *DVIDS* <video>

97-year-old worked with Department of Defense schools after World War II.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### [DC Premiere of \*Censored on Final Approach\*, 9 & 10 November](#)

The Women's Memorial Foundation is pleased to host the Washington, DC, premiere of the *Censored on Final Approach* theatre production. *Censored* tells the story of four WASP (Women in Airforce Service Pilots) who are willing to accept any mission for their chance to serve their country, gain the respect of their male counterparts and experience the thrill of flying. It is a story of strength, courage, identity, and the close-knit friendships formed during difficult times. Performances are scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 9 at 2 p.m. and Monday, Nov. 10 at 7 p.m. (free and open to the public). To reserve a seat, please [RSVP by e-mail](#): [finalapproach@womensmemorial.org](mailto:finalapproach@womensmemorial.org).

### [Women's Memorial Veterans Day Observance, 11 November](#)

The 17th annual Women's Memorial Veterans Day ceremony will be held on 11 November at 3 p.m. The ceremony is one of the major observances held in the Nation's Capital. The event is free and open to the public. The agenda includes formal military honors, a keynote address, veterans' remarks, and wreath laying. For more information [e-mail](#): [hq@womensmemorial.org](mailto:hq@womensmemorial.org).