



# CSEMO CONNECT

The Collaborative Website for Senior Executives

Welcome to CSEMO Connect, VA's new collaborative website, created exclusively for the Senior Executives (SE). CSEMO is proud to sponsor this new website for VA's SE community. We believe a vibrant and flourishing website will be an integral part of our mission to create a highly competent executive cadre able to set new standards in service delivery.

CSEMO Connect: <https://vaww.portal.va.gov/sites/CSEMO/default.aspx>

The goal of CSEMO Connect is to promote information sharing and execution of executive management initiatives, and enhance communication activities between VA Senior Leadership and Senior Executives. This website will:

- Enhance communications with the Office of the Secretary and CSEMO
- Promote constructive dialogue
- Provide an exclusive environment to share information
- Gather the information you need to be a better leader

*and Summer*

## CSEMO Connect Features

- Explore the various resources and links on CSEMO Connect outlined below

The screenshot shows the CSEMO Connect website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the CSEMO logo and the text 'CSEMO CONNECT'. Below the navigation bar, there are several callout boxes pointing to specific features:

- Information on the latest CSEMO services and projects**: Points to the main content area.
- An updated roster of Senior Executives Biographies within Veterans Affairs**: Points to the 'SE Biographies' link in the navigation bar.
- The Senior Executive (SE) Gateway to increase knowledge sharing and collaboration**: Points to the overall website content.
- Quick Link access to press releases, speeches, statistics, and media clips**: Points to the 'Quick Links' section in the left sidebar.
- An interactive Calendar of Events specific to the SE community**: Points to the 'Calendar' section in the right sidebar.

The website interface includes a search bar, a navigation menu with links like 'CSEMO Connect', 'SE Gateway', 'Learning and Development', and 'SE Biographies', and a sidebar with 'Quick Links' and 'FAQ's'. The main content area features a large image of a soldier and a welcome message: 'Welcome to CSEMO Connect, VA's new collaborative website, created exclusively for the Senior Executive (SE) community. The goal of CSEMO Connect is to assist in all facets of your VA work experience and assist with communication efforts and transformational initiatives.' Below this is a 'Highlights of CSEMO Connect' section.

The right sidebar contains 'News Briefs', 'Discussion Forums', 'SE Biographies', and a 'Calendar' for March 2011. The calendar shows dates from 27 to 31, with the 1st and 2nd of the following month also visible.

# SENIOR EXECUTIVE GATEWAY

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## Senior Executive Biographies

- Locate your fellow Senior Executives using the three different methods outlined below

**Browse by Organization** - drill down approach through the organizational charts of VA

**Browse by State** - use the interactive map of the U.S. to search for Senior Executives

**See an Org Chart that is not fully accurate? Let us know! CSEMOsends@va.gov**

| Browse by Last Name |     |
|---------------------|-----|
| A-M                 | N-Z |
| A                   | N   |
| B                   | O   |
| C                   | P   |
| D                   | Q   |
| E                   | R   |
| F                   | S   |
| G                   | T   |

**Browse by Name** - search, sort, and filter by both last name and first name

## Senior Executive (SE) Gateway

- Explore the private knowledge sharing and collaborative environment areas of the SE Gateway outlined below

**Exclusive Discussion Forums** on VA issues such as transformation, strategic planning, and EEO/Diversity Training

**Highlights of Senior Executive Gateway (SE Gateway)**  
The SE Gateway is an exclusive collaborative environment for VA SE to enable the sharing of ideas, knowledge, and best practices. The SE Gateway provides collaborative tools and links to some of VA's most significant resources and information all in one place. The SE Gateway features:

- SE Discussion Forums on Relevant and Interesting Topics
- News Briefs of Interest to VA SE
- Media Net (Available VA collaboration tools and resources)

**Discussion Forums - Join the Conversation**

**Executive Biographies - Check Out Executive Biographies**

**News Brief** communications to Senior Executives from the Secretary, Deputy Secretary, Chief of Staff, and other senior leaders

**Direct listing of SE Biographies**, allowing you to search by organization, name, and location