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Status Update: Education career fair is Friday

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On the Move

Heidi Burnett was named Southern California office leader at **Mercer**. She will be based in Irvine and work with offices located in the region. Previously Burnett worked in client management at **Aon Hewitt**, a human capital and managing consulting services company.

David Hornung has been hired at Beverly Hills-based **City National Bank** as vice president and senior private client adviser in its private client services division in Irvine. Hornung has more than 17 years of banking, trust and estate planning experience.

Jeff Cropsy has been named president of the **Council of College and Military Educators** in Anaheim. Cropsy is also vice president for strategic initiatives and external relations at **Grantham University**, an online school with a focus on education programming for the military.

Haskell & White, an accounting firm in Irvine, promoted two employees in the audit and business advisory services department. Luigi Ramirez was promoted to in-charge associate, and Tracy Cuculic McLaughlin is now an audit manager.

New Ventures

Solis Capital Partners, a private equity firm in Newport Beach, has acquired equity interest in **ML Kishigo Manufacturing Co.**, an industrial safety garments manufacturer in Santa Ana. Solis will focus on helping ML Kishigo reach a wider geographic client base.

The Eastridge Group of Staffing Companies has rebranded to become **Eastridge Workforce Solutions**. The employment agency is based in San Diego and operates its human resources division in Newport Beach.

Good Works

Mike Kartsonis, the president of Santa Ana-based contract manufacturing company **Dynamic Fabrication**, donated \$100,000 to the National Tooling and Machining Foundation. The donation will go toward scholarships in the Los Angeles area.

OneOC, a volunteer center that helps nonprofits with branding and training, will launch a Center for Business and Community Partnerships. The center, which has investors including **Pacific Life Foundation, Allergan Foundation, Wells Fargo, Pimco** and **OneOC**, will provide volunteering services to companies.

Coming Up

Brandman University will host an education career fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday in Irvine. The job fair will feature about 1,000 available positions, mostly for substitute teachers. School districts participating include La Habra City School District, Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District, Saddleback Valley Unified School District and Santa Ana Unified School District. St Anne School in Laguna Niguel and several preschools also will participate. The event will take place at 16355 Laguna Canyon Road, Irvine.