



# **CREATING INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS FOR OUR NATION'S HEROES**

Challenge America and the VA Northeast Ohio Healthcare System will partner to launch the first CAMVETS program in Cleveland this April!

This program enlists the talents of engineers, designers and other professionals who come together to create innovative solutions to the unmet needs of injured Veterans.

# CALL FOR PROJECT LEADERS AND MAKERS

Lead or join a team of innovators dedicated to one injured Veteran's daily challenge and make a direct and lasting impact on his/her life.

Learn something new, network with industry leaders, change a life, and have some fun!

**CAMVETS KICK-OFF** Friday, March 1 (afternoon) St. Edward High School 13500 Detroit Ave Lakewood, OH 44107 MAKEATHON April 25-27 St. Edward High School 13500 Detroit Ave Lakewood, OH 44107

#### **CLOSING CEREMONY** Saturday, April 27 (evening) HIMSS Innovation Center 1 St. Clair Avenue, NE Cleveland, OH 44114 USA

### **VETERAN CHALLENGES**



**BRETT CLINGAN** CHALLENGE Transferring between his wheelchair and handcycle on his own



**CHRIS CARTER** CHALLENGE Getting up from and down to the floor to play with his child



JAMES SPURGIN CHALLENGE Lifting a heavy stone with two arms, despite having one functional arm



**TODD FEEMSTER** CHALLENGE Assistive technology to help him control his devices so that he can go back to school



**GINGER MACCUTCHEON** CHALLENGE A PTSD tech recipe for combatting fear and negative thinking throughout the day



**LEE TOMLIN** CHALLENGE Using his voice or eyes to control his devices to read and watch movies on his own

# To Learn more and to register: www.makersforvets.org