



## The Combined Federal Campaign-Overseas Is Inspired By Heroes

The U.S. Office of Personnel Management awarded two <u>Combined Federal Campaign-Overseas</u> representatives the CFC Hero Award for their exceptional service throughout the 2015 campaign season. The winners are Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Frederick Joshua and Air Force Capt. Richard Hart.

"The CFC-O is thrilled OPM recognizes [Joshua and Hart] for their service during the campaign," said Amanda Huckins, CFC-O director. "We are continuously inspired our campaign representatives' devotion and genuine desire to make the world a better place. The generosity of the uniformed and civilian personnel serving overseas is unmatched - each day they 'Show Some Love' by making personal sacrifices to serve our country."

OPM presents the CFC Hero Awards every year to the unsung heroes who make campaign success possible and demonstrate leadership qualities in their campaigns.

Joshua dedicated countless hours to ensure visibility and awareness of giving through the CFC-O. Serving as the community area project officer for Commander Fleet Activities Sasebo in Japan, he worked with leadership to establish campaign goals and to inspire participation. Under his leadership, total pledges increased 56 percent, proving that one person's determination and commitment can make a world of difference.

Hart cultivated the spirit of giving by providing guidance and leadership support on publicity and various event committees. Serving as the community area project officer for the 379th Airlift Wing in Qatar, he flawlessly implemented the campaign for 44 units and ensured representatives received essential training by coordinating a three-day training session. As a direct result of Hart's enthusiasm and leadership, the selfless members of his unit pledged more than \$90,000 through the 2015 CFC-O.

In 2015, personnel from the five overseas unified combatant commands pledged nearly \$7 million to help those in their communities, across the nation and around the word. The 2016 CFC-O kicks off Oct. 3.

## **About the CFC-O**

Dedicated uniformed and civilian personnel demonstrate their generosity every day with service to our country and by joining together to help people and communities in need through the Department of Defense Combined Federal Campaign-Overseas. The CFC-O is one of the most successful charitable workplace giving campaigns in the world.