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SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Hunt Heroes Foundation Scholarship

Recipient



Miranda Abunimeh

- **Bio:** Marketing Manager for Midwest Block Council for Residence Hall Association, Member of the University's Asian American Union & Filipino-American Student Union. RA 2019-2020. Participated Evergreen Girls State Program, & Washington State American Legion Auxiliary Girls Nation Senator. Passion for service, and community theatre!
- **High School:** Oak Harbor High School
- **Attending :** Gonzaga University
- **Major:** Public Relations
- **Graduate** 2022
- **Home** Spokane WA

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Rachel H. Ball

- Bio: John Brown University Communication Eagle Award; J. Reilly Lewis Merit Award; Top Finalist, Military Child of the Year; First place, Freshman Classical Voice, Arkansas NATS ; Honors Scholar JBU Cathedral Choir & Chamber Choir, JBU Chapel Worship Vocalist, Staff Writer for School Newspaper, Producer of Golden Eagle Productions, Volunteer (RHA)
- High School: Cheyenne Mountain HS
- Attending : John Brown University
- Major: Music & Media
- Graduate 2022
- Home Springfield, VA

Hunt Heroes Foundation Scholarship Recipient



Max R. Bernstein

- Bio: Qualified for DECA Business Clubs International Career Development Conference for third year. Currently completing full-time internship with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA).
- High School Westford Academy
- Attending American University
- Major Business Administration
- Graduate 2023
- Home Westford, MA

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Charles D. Hendrickson

- **Bio:** Awarded Dean's Honors for grades fall/winter/spring quarter 2018. Assisting with research to preserve coral reefs in an expedition to Fiji summer 2019. Earning Advanced PADI Open Water Diver Certification which will allow me to conduct underwater surveys, data collection, and analysis of the Fijian coral reefs. Treasurer of the UCSC Collegiate Surf Team and work as a Surf instructor.
- **High School:** Coronado High School
- **Attending :** University of CA Santa Cruz
- **Major:** Marine Biology
- **Graduate:** 2021
- **Home:** Coronado, CA

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Joseph Killion

- Bio: Student Government Senate, Desmond Tutu Peace Lab Think Tank, Student Conduct and Appeals Board, Honors Program : Honors Thesis on Uyghurs and Xi Jinping's Grand Strategy.
- High School: WT Woodson
- Attending : Butler University
- Major: Political Science
- Graduate 2020
- Home USAFA, CO

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Bridget L. Miller

- Bio: Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority; Alpha Lambda Delta Honors Society
- High School: Cooper High School
- Attending : Northwestern State University
- Major: Nursing
- Graduate 2022
- Home Natchitoches, LA

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Stephanie Salopek

- Bio: Served in the military for 6 years, married to an active duty. Goal is a degree in Respiratory Therapy. Currently working on Certification as a Personal Trainer. Putting these two together for cardiopulmonary rehabilitation.
- High School: Davis County High School
- Attending : Eastern Florida State College
- Major: General Education
- Graduate: 2021
- Home: Satellite Beach, FL

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Katelyn T. Shibilski

- **Bio:** Recently earned the Outstanding Freshman Award and a Service Award in the Psychology Department. I also serve as the current Historian for Psychology Club and I am part of multiple research groups. Last semester I was on the President's List after achieving a 4.0 GPA. Serve as a Southern Ambassador, giving tours to prospective students and families
- **High School:** Arundel High School
- **Attending :** Florida Southern College
- **Major:** Psychology
- **Graduate** 2022
- **Home** Universal City, TX

Hunt Heroes Foundation Scholarship Recipient



Shea Lynne Straw

- **Bio:** Lettered Varsity Cheerleading Captain, Mu Alpha Theta Member. National Honor Society Member, National Latin Honor Society member. National Art Honor Society Member, AP Honors
- **High School:** LAMP (Loveless Academic Magnet Program)
- **Attending:** Baylor University
- **Major:** Speech Pathology
- **Graduate:** 2023
- **Home:** Montgomery, Alabama

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Recipients

Relationship to Recipient	Duty Location	Student First Name	Student Last Name	Award Amount
Father	Naval Air Station Whidbey Island	Miranda	Abunimeh	\$ 1,000.00
Father	Office of the Chief of Chaplin's , Pentagon	Rachel	Ball	\$ 5,000.00
Father	Joint Base Little Creek, Virginia Beach, VA	Max	Bernstein	\$ 1,000.00
Father	US Southern Command Miami Fl	Charles	Hendrickson	\$ 2,500.00
Father	Peterson AFB, CO	Joseph	Killion	\$ 1,000.00
Father	Barksdale AFB, LA	Bridget	Miller	\$ 1,000.00
Spouse	Patrick AFB, FL	Stephanie	Salopek	\$ 1,000.00
Spouse	Randolph AFB, TX	Katelyn	Shibilski	\$ 2,500.00
Father	Maxwell AFB, AL	Shea	Straw	\$ 5,000.00
Total Award				\$ 20,000.00

<u>Last</u>	<u>First</u>	<u>MI</u>	<u>Bio</u>
Abunimeh	Miranda	K	I am currently the Marketing Manager for Midwest Block Council for Gonzaga's Residence Hall Association, and an active member of Gonzaga University's Asian American Union and Filipino-American Student Union. Additionally, I will be serving as a Resident Assistant for the 2019-2020 academic year. I have participated in the Evergreen Girls State Program, and represented Washington state as an American Legion Auxiliary Girls Nation Senator in 2017. I am interested in pursuing a career in public relations or marketing, and have a passion for service, and community theatre!
Ball	Rachel	H	Awards & Honors:: John Brown University Communication Eagle Award; J. Reilly Lewis Merit Award; Top Five finalist, Military Child of the Year; First place, Freshman Classical Voice, Arkansas NATS (Nat'l Assoc. of Teachers of Singing); Honors Scholar; Activities: ; JBU Cathedral Choir & Chamber Choir, JBU Chapel Worship Vocalist, Staff Writer for Threefold Advocate (school newspaper), Producer of Golden Eagle Productions, Volunteer (Residence Hall Association)
Bernstein	Max	R	Qualified for DECA Business Club???s International Career Development Conference for third year. Currently completing full-time internship with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA).
Hendrickson	Charles	D	I am currently a second year student at the University of California, Santa Cruz. I currently have a 3.85 GPA and was awarded Dean's Honors for my grades during fall, winter, and spring quarter of 2018. I am earning my Bachelor of Science in Marine Biology and plan to attend graduate school in pursuit of my doctorate in Oceanography following my graduation from UCSC. This summer, I will be participating in a marine conservation expedition in Fiji, where I will be assisting with research that will aid the local management of marine protected areas such as Fiji's coral reefs. I will be earning my Advanced PADI Open Water Diver certification and using my training to conduct underwater surveys, data collection, and analysis of the Fijian coral reefs. While in Fiji, I also hope to surf the world renowned waves of Tavares. I am a competitive surfer and the treasurer of the UCSC Collegiate Surf Team. I am also planning to continue my work as a surf instructor in my home town of Coronado, CA.
Killion	Joseph		Student Government Senate, Desmond Tutu Peace Lab Think Tank, Student Conduct and Appeals Board, Honors Program : Honors Thesis on Uyghurs and Xi Jinping's Grand Strategy.
Miller	Bridget	L	Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority; Alpha Lambda Delta Honors Society
Salopek	Stephanie		I am a 31 years old and a veteran. I served almost 7 years, with my last job being at the Port Mortuary in Dover, DE. I exited the military as a Technical Sergeant and began school to become a respiratory Therapist. I graduated in 2017 and began working in Washington, D.C. My husband is still active duty, which is how we got down to Florida this past fall. I have an 8 year old daughter and 3 stepchildren ages 16, 19, and 20. In my spare time I love to do anything active, from working out, to going to the beach, to playing sports, to kayaking, bike riding, or running in Spartan Races. I love to explore new areas, spend time with my family, and take on DIY projects. Having a passion for an active lifestyle, my goal is to work in Respiratory Therapy, but take more of a fitness angle on it, possibly by doing cardiopulmonary rehab. I am currently also getting my Certified Personal Trainer certification, so I know that will help with these goals as well. I grew up in Iowa after my military parents retired and settled down. I joined the m.j military straight out of high school and it was the best thing I could have ever done!
Shibilski	Katelyn	T	Recently I earned the Outstanding Freshman Award as well as a Service Award in the Psychology Department. I also serve as the current Historian for Psychology Club and I am part of multiple research groups. Last semester I was on the President's List after achieving a 4.0 GPA. I also am a Southern Ambassador, giving tours to prospective students and families.
Straw	Shea	L	Lettered Varsity Cheerleading Captain, Mu Alpha Theta member. National Honor Society member, National Latin Honor Society member. National Art Honor Society member, AP scholar with Honor