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Scholar*

**Nicky Hoang**

Chula Vista, CA

University of Maryland,  
University College

Year: Senior

Major: Finance and Accounting

Community Service & Employment:

- Church Volunteer
- Key Club Volunteer
- Employment: Former Marine Corps Exchange Sales Associate, Youth Teen Center Program Assistant
- One child: 8 years old



I am honored to be a 2018 scholarship recipient of the Wings Over American Foundation winner. This is truly a blessing. Receiving a 2018 scholarship award means so much to me and brings me one step closer to my career and ambitions. This scholarship award will enable me to pursue my big dream of obtaining a bachelor's degree in Accounting and minor in Business Administration at the University of Maryland University College. This scholarship award will also help me to focus my attention on studies without having any financial concerns. I also work 30 hours a week to help fund my education. Thanks to this scholarship, I will be able to reduce my work schedule and focus on my further studies.

Once again, I would like to thank you Wings Over American for making it possible for me to fulfill my educational goals. I am extremely grateful for this award.