

Boeing Scholar

Elizabeth Cady

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University of Virginia

Major: Kinesiology

College GPA: 3.31

Activities:

- EMT training through Charlottesville-Albemarle Rescue Squad
- Volunteering in the University of Virginia Hospital Emergency Room
- Alpha Phi Fraternity
- Observership Summer 2017 with Pediatrics Specialists of Virginia
- Hostess at the Boar's Head Inn and Server at Coupes Deville's on the Corner
- Volunteer at the Boys and Girls Club



Receiving this scholarship has been an integral contributor to my success at the University of Virginia. As I approach my senior year and eventually graduation, I reflect back on when I first opened the letter that told me I had received this award. The excitement I felt back then has not dwindled over the past three years as this scholarship has continually allowed me to prioritize my studies, and focus on careers that further my future goal of becoming a Physician's Assistant. This summer as I shadow a Pediatrician and work as a newly-certified EMT I will gain hours necessary to apply to graduate programs, which would not have been possible without the financial help provided through Wings Over America. I feel extremely grateful for all of the work this foundation does for students, and thankful to be one of the recipients.