

# *Lockheed Martin Scholar*

## **Emily Baragar**

Virginia Beach, VA

Florida International  
University

Year: Junior

Major: Biomedical Engineering

### Activities:

- FIU Women's Soccer Team
- Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority
- FIU Panther Champion Athlete Ambassador Program
- Volunteer: Philanthropy Committee AOII, Nichlaus Children's Hospital
- Summer Employment: Lifeguard Little Neck Swim Club
- Internship: Shadowing local doctors



I am extremely grateful to be receiving this scholarship. After many semesters in the engineering classroom and on the soccer field, this scholarship rewards all my dedication I put into school and sports to become successful. Recently I have started volunteering at the local children's hospital, which has opened my mind to the healthcare world and ways I wish to improve it when I start my career. My friends and family have given me a lot of guidance in my academics and athletic endeavors, which is why I wish to give back to them by easing the financial stresses. This scholarship will allow me to continue my studies as a pre-med student in the biomedical engineering program while playing soccer at a division 1 collegiate level. In doing this I hope to one day give back to the community through medicine, specifically the military community. The military community has been a huge part of my life as my dad is a retired captain in the NAVY. With this scholarship I will be able to finish my education at FIU before entering medical school, where I will be able to serve my community with aspirations of becoming a military doctor.