

*RADM Richard  
"SweetPea" Allen &  
USS Theodore  
Roosevelt Scholar*

**Maxwell Colombo**

Virginia Beach, VA

Ocean Lakes

High School GPA: 4.11

Clemson University

Major: Chemical Engineering

Activities:

- SCA, Historian & Events Chair
- Leaders Workshop Delegate
- Varsity Swimming
- National Honor Society
- National Spanish Honor Society
- Volunteer: Portsmouth Humane Society and America Red Cross
- Summer Lifeguard NAS Naples



As a winner of the Wings Over America and Theodore Roosevelt scholarships, it is obvious that I am able to lessen the tuition rate for my dream school, Clemson University, as an out-of-state student. While at Clemson, I plan on studying Chemical Engineering with a Biomolecular Concentration in addition to a possible minor in Spanish. Although I will be living alone at Clemson next year without my family, I will always consider myself a Navy brat and I am grateful for the opportunities that my father's work has given me. Since my birth, I have lived the true Navy brat lifestyle, including homecomings, fly-ins, airplanes, aircraft carriers, squadrons, new places to live, and new people to meet. Not many people have experienced living in three countries or attend six schools before they are old enough to go to college, so for that I am grateful that I have the opportunity to represent the Navy community by using these scholarships to expand my education.