

CAPT Brad Johansen Scholar

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Sophomore: Mechanical Engineering

College GPA: 3.38



Activities:

- Society of Women Engineers
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers
- UMD Gemstone Honors Program
- Presidential Scholarship at University of Maryland, College Park
- Summer Internships:
 - 2014:** P-8A Program Office at Naval Air Systems Command
 - 2015:** F/A-18 Program Office at Naval Air Systems Command

The receipt of this scholarship is an incredible honor, and I cannot thank the Wings Over America donors enough. I feel blessed to be entrusted with your confidence and support. This scholarship has helped make my college education an affordable dream, providing me with the freedom to concentrate on my engineering and computer science studies. Without the extra burden of having to work to pay for my education, I will continue to focus on summer engineering internship opportunities at the Naval Air Systems Command, where I was recently offered a 2015 position supporting the F/A-18 program. I am exceptionally proud to be a member of the Navy's extended family. It's a life lesson that has not only taught me the value of personal responsibility and hard work, but also that we take care of our own. Thank you to Wings Over America for helping to take care of me.