U.S. ARMY WOMEN'S FOUNDATION 12<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HALL OF FAME INDUCTION & SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CEREMONY



March 11, 2020 Women In Military Service For America Memorial Arlington, Virginia



# **U.S. ARMY WOMEN'S FOUNDATION**

## Honoring ~ Empowering ~ Connecting

Since 1969, the U.S. Army Women's Foundation has been the premier volunteer organization for today's Army women and veterans, a strong partner for their continued success, and a dynamic advocate for telling their stories.

The U.S. Army Women's Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. The mission of the U.S. Army Women's Foundation is to promote public interest in the Army and recognize and honor the invaluable service of Army women through various programs, research, scholarships, and grants.

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The Army Women's Foundation and our partners honor the service and sacrifice of the women who volunteer to serve our country through the U.S. Army. Together, we preserve our women soldiers' place in military history and help them achieve success in the Army and after their service. Our partners' commitment is essential to fulfilling the Army Women's Foundation mission. We are very grateful for their generous support.

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## **PROGRAM**

Women In Military Service For America Memorial Theater 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### WELCOMING REMARKS

**BG Anne Macdonald, USA Ret.** *President, U.S. Army Women's Foundation* 

## SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATION

Host: COL Jayne Carson, USA Ret. Scholarship Committee Member, U.S. Army Women's Foundation

### **KEYNOTE**

**GEN Dennis Reimer, USA Ret.** *33rd Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army* 

## HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CEREMONY

Host: CSM Cindy Pritchett, USA Ret. Hall of Fame Committee Chair, U.S. Army Women's Foundation

### **CLOSING REMARKS**

**BG Anne Macdonald, USA Ret.** *President, U.S. Army Women's Foundation* 

### RECEPTION

Women In Military Service For America Memorial Foyer 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.



## **SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Army Women's Foundation Scholarship and Legacy Scholarship Program provides grants to active, retired, Reserve, and National Guard Army women (past and present) and their lineal descendants (both male and female) to help them attain their educational goals. Scholarship recipients are selected based on merit, academic potential, community service, letters of recommendation, and financial need.

For the past 12 years, the program has impacted the future of over 250 recipients from 41 states and territories, valuing over \$490,000 - supporting not only those in 4-year college programs, but also certificate, community college, and graduate programs. This year, we have selected 19 Army women and 15 children of Army women to receive scholarships.

# **SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

**1LT Taler Brazell** – "Receiving this scholarship means a great deal to me as it showcases the power of women empowering other women to both serve and pursue their goals. This scholarship will allow me to greater focus on my studies as I continue trying to pursue my MBA while gearing up to deploy. I hope one day I too can empower other women to push boundaries, give them an opportunity to succeed, and to follow their dreams."

#### Army Women Scholarship Recipients, 4-Year College

**PFC Kathleen Henry** Lindenwood University Interdisciplinary Studies *Oveta Culp Hobby* 

SGT Dora Jean Jomadiao University of St. Thomas-Houston Criminology Prudential **SPC Stephanie Menorca** Brandman University Psychology *Prudential* 

**PFC Gabrielle Rodriguez** Pennsylvania State University Criminology Melanie Telego Maharishi International University BA in Ayurveda Wellness & Integrative Health *Prudential* 

#### Army Women Scholarship Recipients Graduate Studies

**CPT Emily Adelmann** University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine Doctor of Dental Surgery *M.M. Costello* 

**SSG Darcy Allen** UNC-Chapel Hill Physician Assistant Program **2LT Madison Bartosh** Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences Doctors of Veterinary Medicine *Prudential* 

**1LT Harriet Bomas** The Ohio State University College of Nursing Nurse Practitioner Psych/Mental Health SFC Nichole Bonham Adams State University Education Counseling

**1LT Taler Brazell** Washington State University Masters in Business Administration *Prudential* 



Army Women Scholarship Recipients Graduate Studies

**SFC Deborah Crim** Seattle University Masters in Public Administration

**SPC Katherine Jones** Chatham University Counseling Psychology *Geico Military* 

**CPL Claren Kaufhold** St. John's University International Communications LTC (Ret.) Mary Martindale

Sonoma State University Family Nurse Practitioner, *Dita Hopkins Kinney* 

**CPT LaToya McLean** Duke Divinity School Master of Divinity *Pritzker Military Foundation* 

**1LT Alisha Ogle** Lincoln Memorial University Family Nurse Practitioner, Masters of Science in Nursing Amanda Stewart

University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire Masters of Science in Communication Science Disorders *Prudential* 

Charlene Stinger

Liberty University Education Specialist/Doctorate Degree

# LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

#### Children of Army Women Legacy Scholarship Recipients, 4-Year College

Ahdis Beruk Howard University Bachelor of fine Arts *Prudential* 

Hannah Duncan Whitworth University Biology

Katherine French Princeton University Public & International Affairs Erin Gemmer Wright State University Fine Arts Prudential

**Bailly Gray** University of Florida Advertising *Walmart* 

Jason Herlick Western Kentucky University Political Science *Geico Military*  Sarah Katsiyiannis San Diego State University Journalism

**Destiny Lindsey** Stevenson University Legal Studies *Walmart* 

Mariah Smith University of Tennessee at Knoxville Kinesiology

#### Children of Army Women Legacy Scholarship Recipients, Graduate Studies

Rachel Basinger Norwich University History

Larissa Daniels-Hill George Mason University Anthropology

Annelise Evans Lenoir-Rhyne University Physician Assistant Studies Andrew Hardwick North Carolina State University Public Administration

Nicole Stephens The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center UTHealth Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Pritzker Military Foundation Children of Army Women Legacy Scholarship Recipients, 2-Year College

Kaci Bentley Barton Community College Psychology



# **2020 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES**

# CONTINUING THE MISSION TO SERVE

The Army Women's Foundation Hall of Fame Awards are presented to women who have contributed extraordinary service to the Army or the Armed Forces and any individual who has made exceptional contributions to women in the Army or the Armed Forces.



COL Mary Louise Milligan-Rasmuson USA, (Ret.) (Posthumous)



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**Stacy Pearsall** 



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