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Paula Koch
The George Washington University
Security Policy Studies

“I am so honored to be a recipient of a HORIZONS Scholarship. I am delighted and encouraged by the recognition of female professionals in my area of interest. The award has given me further inspiration and motivation to continue down a career path in national security and defense. I will use the award to help finance my graduate degree and my continued education in the Arabic language.”



Kathyn Bonnen
Michigan State University
Computer Science

“My involvement in national security-related research (automated face recognition) has been instrumental in my development as a scientist and engineer. I am looking forward to continuing this research as I finish my undergraduate degree. Furthermore, as an active member of the movement to recruit and retain women in computing and engineering fields I appreciate the need to support and ensure the presence of women in all fields. I would like to thank Women In Defense for their generous support of my education. It is scholarship opportunities like this one that allow students to truly pursue their interests during college.”



Charlotte Wygant
The George Washington University (Navy ROTC)
Middle Eastern Studies

“My goal has always been to serve our country, through service to both my community and nation. As an undergraduate, I have been able to do significant service for my community, and when I graduate from the NROTC program I will have the opportunity to serve our nation as a Naval officer and to contribute to solving some of the problems between nations in our world. Women In Defense is helping make possible the achievement of these goals, which will allow me to pursue a career in our nation’s security and defense. It is an incredible honor to be counted among the other amazing women of this organization, as well as the other scholarship recipients.”

Other 2011 Recipients

Sarah Charlton, Tufts University, Security Studies, Islamic Civilizations
Kayla Hinrichs, Missouri State University (Army ROTC), Defense and Strategic Studies
Anna Maria Pavy, Georgetown University, Biohazardous Threat Agents & Emerging Infectious Diseases

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