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WEST POINT CADETS EARN PRESTIGIOUS SCHOLARSHIPS – May 2, 2016

WEST POINT, N.Y. – Several U.S. Military Academy cadets have been selected to receive prestigious scholarships allowing for continued academic study following graduation and commissioning in May.

“Our cadets are impressive thought leaders so this list of scholarship awards is not a surprise,” said USMA Dean of the Academic Board Brig. Gen. Tim Trainor. “The rigorous academic, military and physical programs at West Point help shape leaders of character - broadly skilled, creative, adaptive leaders ready to serve our nation.”

Churchill

Lisa Jones, Chandler, Arizona, has been selected for a Churchill Scholarship. She will study pure mathematics at University of Cambridge, Cambridge, England.

Fulbright

Michael Auten, Hickory, North Carolina, won a Fulbright Scholarship for study and research as a U.S. student to study economics at the Kiev School of Economics in Kiev, Ukraine.

Colby Hyde, Eagle, Idaho, received a study and research grant Fulbright to study agricultural economics at Taiwan National University, Taipei, Taiwan. He plans to research vertical farming.

Amos Lee, Bridgewater, New Jersey, has received a Fulbright National Chengchi University Award. He will major in Asia-Pacific studies with a concentration on international political economy and cross strait relations at National Chengchi University in Taipei, Taiwan.

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Marshall

Ian Mauldin, Albuquerque, New Mexico, has earned a Marshall Scholarship to study applicable mathematics at the London School of Economics and Political Science. He intends to broaden his cultural experiences while developing analytic problem-solving abilities while in the UK.

Mitchell

Megan McNulty, Centreville, Virginia, received a George Mitchell Scholarship and will complete a one-year master's program in international development at the University College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland.

Schwarzman

Three cadets have been selected as members of the inaugural class of Schwarzman Scholars and will study at Schwarzman College at Tsinghua University in Beijing, all earning a master's degree in public policy. They are Joseph Broderick, Columbia, Maryland; Regina Parker, Chapel Hill, North Carolina; and Alex Parra, Tucson, Arizona.

In total, U.S. Military Academy cadets have earned more than 25 scholarships.

About West Point

The U. S. Military Academy at West Point is a four-year, co-educational, federal, liberal arts college located 50 miles north of New York City. It was founded in 1802 as America's first college of engineering and continues today as the world's premier leader-development institution, consistently ranked among top colleges in the country. Its mission remains constant—to educate, train, and inspire the Corps of Cadets so that each graduate is a commissioned leader of character committed to the values of Duty, Honor, Country and prepared for a career of professional excellence and service to the nation as an officer in the U. S. Army. For more information, go to www.westpoint.edu.