

MILITARY WOMEN ACROSS THE NATION COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

One \$1,500 scholarship will be available to a relative, male or female, of a military woman. The essay topic is: **“Women at War”**.

PLEASE FOLLOW THE RULES

In the past, several entrants have been disqualified because they did not follow the rules.

1. Eligibility is open to any female or male relative of a MILITARY WOMAN who has served or is serving in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force or Coast Guard or their Guard or Reserve components. The relative may be by birth, legal adoption or marriage. Documented proof of eligibility of the military woman’s honorable discharge OR her present status in the military must be included with the application. Documented Proof of Eligibility is a legible copy of her Form DD-214 discharge certificate or a statement of service for Active Duty members. Applications will not be considered if this PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY is not submitted.

2. Applicants: **Mark out** all references to **social security or service numbers** on the DD-214 and high school or college transcripts.

3. Competition is open to high school seniors or college students.

4. Applicants must have a 3.2 or better Grade Point Average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale to be eligible.

5. The essay must be written on the 2015 topic and shall include documented evidence of research. Applicants are encouraged to contact Military Recruiters, Military active or reserve components, etc. to enhance their research. Each essay must be the applicants own work and shall consist of 1,000 to 1,500 words.

6. Entries must be postmarked by **March 6, 2015**, with no exception.

7. Applicants will be notified in June of their results. Scholarship will be paid jointly to the scholarship recipient AND their college.

Mail OR e-mail your application and accompanying documents to:

Patricia Cerchio-Vieira
Scholarship Contest Chairperson

302-387-1309

763 Augusta National Dr

Magnolia, DE 19962or

patricia@patricia-vieira.com

(DEADLINE IS MARCH 6, 2015)

You may download an application at

www.milwomen.org

Attached documents via email will be accepted.

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

YOUR NAME: _____

YOUR ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP + 4: _____

COUNTY: _____ COUNTRY: _____

PHONE: (including area code) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS (if applicable): _____

YOUR AGE: _____

ARE YOU A UNITED STATES CITIZEN

YES _____ NO _____

GENDER:

FEMALE _____ MALE _____

ARE YOU A RESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?

YES _____ NO _____

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

COLLEGE TYPE YOU INTEND ON ATTENDING OR ARE CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN:

_____ 4-YEAR/GRADUATE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

_____ 2-YEAR/GRADUATE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

_____ TRADE/TECHNICAL SCHOOL

HIGH SCHOOL TEST SCORES: SAT Verbal _____ SAT Math _____ ACT Comp _____

CURRENT GPA (4 point scale): _____ CLASS RANK _____

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CLUB CIVICS: List your club memberships and offices (if applicable). Include school, civic, community service, honorary and religious organizations for each active membership: _____

VOLUNTEER/EMPLOYMENT: List your volunteer or employment experience: _____

HOBBIES/TALENTS: You're your hobbies, talents or interests: _____

ASPIRA
TIONS: what are your career aspirations? _____

COURSE OF STUDY: What courses do you plan to study in college? _____

WOMAN VETERAN OR ACTIVE DUTY WOMAN

FULL NAME (including maiden) _____

RELATIONSHIP _____ (i.e. "Mother," "Aunt," "Cousin," etc.) WOMAN

VETERAN OR ACTIVE DUTY WOMAN military service status: Veteran of Active Duty, Guard or Reserve _____ U.S.

Army _____ U.S. Navy _____ U.S. Marine Corps _____ U.S. Air Force _____ U. S. Coast Guard OR Active Duty, Guard or

Reserve serving in _____ U.S. Army _____ U.S. Navy _____ U.S. Marine Corps _____ U.S. Air Force _____ U.S. Coast
Guard

PROOF OF WOMAN VETERAN'S HONORABLE SERVICE: Please provide a legible copy of the DD-214 discharge certificate or a statement of service for Active Duty members. This is **REQUIRED** in order to prove eligibility for this scholarship application. Your application will not be considered if this information is not submitted.

COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION AND SEND WITH YOUR ESSAY. The essay must be in your own words.

Mail the completed Scholarship Application, proof of eligibility, essay and all other required documentation and information to the following: **Patricia Cerchio-Vieira, Scholarship Contest Chairperson, 302-387-1309, 763 Augusta National Drive, Magnolia, DE 19962 or patricia@patricia-vieira.com**

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