



# John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program



## Logan Rank

Cohort 5 Fellow, John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program

**Organization:** Office of the Under Secretary of the Defense for Policy

**Education:**

- Georgetown University, MA in Security Studies '22
- Gonzaga University, BS in Biology with Minor in History '19

Logan is excited to work for the Department of Defense where he will continue to work on defense policy issues in the Indo-Pacific, particularly focusing on growing competition with China. He aims to help reinforce the US's capabilities to defend our global interests, especially by reinforcing our close defense relationships with key allies and partners in the Pacific. At the DOD, Logan intends to deepen his understanding of the US's relationships with these partners and allies while helping to identify ways to jointly address common defense concerns. He also hopes to increase his exposure to and understanding of emerging defense technologies, concepts, and platforms to better defend common interests. Logan has worked for several think tanks in Washington, DC, most recently at the American Enterprise Institute with the Coalition Defense of Taiwan project. He has contributed to several AEI publications through this project outlining how the US can better prepare to defend our interests relating to Taiwan as well as our allies and partners throughout the region. Logan grew up in San Diego where he often went scuba diving, kayaking, and surfing.

