



John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program



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Organization: Office of the Under Secretary of War for Acquisition and Sustainment

Education:

- Capitol Technology University, Master of Science in Cyber Analytics, December 2025
- Capitol Technology University, Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity, April 2024

Lynn is honored to begin her first year supporting the Department of War (DoW) and is deeply passionate about defending and protecting the lives of both civilians and warfighters. Her background offers the Department unique, interdisciplinary expertise in networking, data science, data architecture, and cybersecurity. Throughout the fellowship, Lynn aims to expand her experience in implementing secure, big-data architectures for complex data pipelines, developing contextually optimized algorithms, and honing her leadership and professional presentation skills. Long-term, Lynn aspires to transition into a disaster recovery role for critical systems and infrastructures that rely on data-driven automation and ultimately seeks to foster the aggregation of industrial cyber-attack intelligence among Eastern European allied nations - whose geographical proximity to the Russian Federation renders them frequent targets of industrial cyberattacks by Russian threat actors - to strengthen the protection of the United States. During her time at Capitol Technology University, Lynn refined her experience with practical data analytics as an administrative assistant and her passion for cybersecurity as a vulnerability analyst in the Capitol Technology University Security Operations Center. Valuing the integrity and quality of academic pursuits, Lynn is a member of the Epsilon Pi Epsilon, Alpha Chi, and Phi Theta Kappa honor societies, and she continues to foster her passion for cybersecurity by maintaining her CompTIA Network+, Security+, and PenTest+ certifications and supporting various Security BSides conferences as both an organizer and a volunteer. Outside of her passion for cybersecurity, Lynn enjoys staying active as an L1 MixxedFit instructor, trail runner, and yoga enthusiast, while cultivating her personal growth through reading, learning Russian, and volunteering.

