



# John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program



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Matthew is a McCain Fellow in the Army's Office of the Chief Legislative Liaison, where he aspires to begin a fruitful career strengthening DoD resources and meeting national security objectives in light of rising strategic competitors. Matthew is looking forward to growing his knowledge and experience and continuing toward a meaningful career of service. Immediately prior to becoming a McCain Fellow, Matthew served as law clerk to the Hon. Thomas J. Walls, Jr. in Trenton, NJ. There he conducted legal research, drafted decisions, and managed sensitive dockets, including domestic violence, child abuse, and juvenile matters. Originally hailing from Upstate New York, Matthew now resides in the DC area. Most days, Matthew can be found avidly supporting the Boston Red Sox, the Buffalo Bills, and the Providence Friars.

