



# John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program



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- The Fletcher School, The graduate school of global affairs at Tufts University, Master of International Business, 2024
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Besmah is a professional with a passion for public service and strategic problem-solving. She was part of the Macaulay Honors College program at CUNY Hunter College where she earned a Bachelor of Arts in Economics with a focus on public policy and received a Master of International Business with a focus in strategic management from The Fletcher School at Tufts University. Besmah began her post graduate career with the Japan Exchange Teaching (JET) Program, where she worked to improve educational outcomes in rural communities in Japan, before transitioning into a role in international trade and logistics in Tokyo. Furthermore, she has had a wide variety of experiences including as a Market Access Intern at Pfizer, where she developed data-driven marketing strategies for global campaigns and as a research assistant for the Office of Reid Hoffman. As a John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellow, Besmah seeks to align her professional expertise with her commitment to public service. In her free time, Besmah enjoys traveling and cooking.

