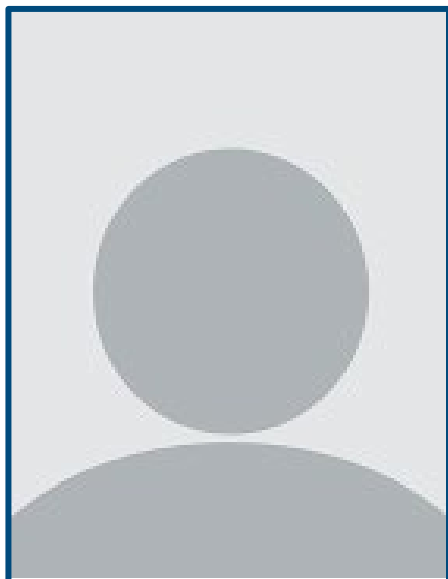




John S. McCain Strategic Defense Fellowship Program



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- Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, Master of Arts in Strategy, Cybersecurity, and Intelligence, 2024
- Bucknell University, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science, 2023

James is excited to serve as a McCain Fellow, where he hopes to bring a vigor and a strong work ethic to the Department of Defense. He believes the fellowship is an incredible opportunity to commit himself to the defense of the United States, while developing in an environment that purposefully seeks to foster growth through difficulty. He is interested in a career in international affairs through public service. In addition to his educational experiences, James has previously served as an intern for the Department of Defense within the Office of Small Business Programs. He has also served as an intern in two congressional offices and with the Office of the National Cyber Director at the White House. James is currently learning Mandarin Chinese and continues to do so in his free time. He attended a two-month summer language immersion program at Middlebury College.

