

## Space Force Association Announces 2025 Future Space Professionals Scholarship Winners

SFA's Future Space Professionals Scholarship Fund supports undergraduate students pursuing degrees in STEM fields during their junior or senior year.

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO, UNITED STATES, October 1, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The Space Force Association (SFA) proudly announces the recipients of the 2025 Future Space Professionals Scholarship, honoring outstanding students whose academic achievements, leadership, and vision reflect the next generation of space leaders.

The Future Space Professionals
Scholarship Fund supports
undergraduate students pursuing
degrees in Science, Technology,
Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
fields during their junior or senior year.
The program is designed to encourage
students from diverse backgrounds,
skills, and experiences to pursue STEM
education as a foundation for future
service as space professionals in





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industry, government, private space ventures, or the U.S. Space Force.

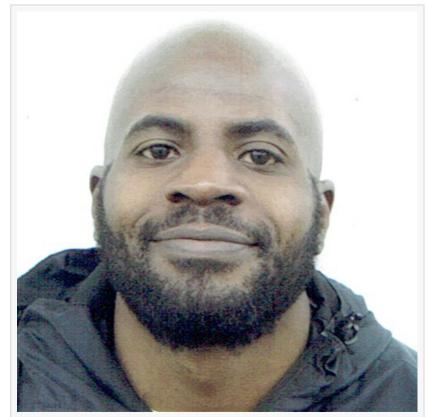
"Every great leap forward in space began with a student willing to look up and imagine what was possible," said Henry Heren, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee, Space Force Association. "We are proud to honor the 2025 Future Space Professionals Scholarship Winners, whose

dedication and vision will help shape the future of space exploration and national security in ways we can only begin to imagine."

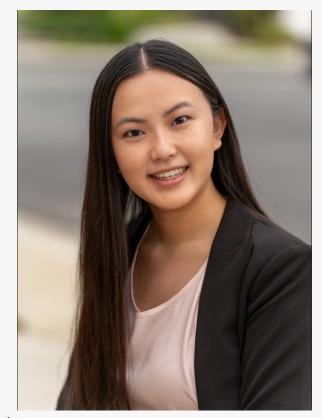
The Scholarship Commitee has chosen three deserving awardees to receive \$2,500 for further educational pursuits:

- Aaryan Nagarkatti, an Aerospace Engineering student at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and avid model rocketeer. He has led teams in national competitions, aspires to advance the space industry, and brings a passion for science, exploration, and innovation.
- Justin William, a physics major and electrical engineering minor who combines teaching, invention, and cybersecurity research. With a passion for science and space exploration, he has founded two startups, holds a patent pending in aerospace applications, and aspires to conduct research as an astronaut.
- Madeleine Yee, a fourth-year Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering student at Purdue University specializing in fluid mechanics and heat transfer. She also pursues a minor in Business Economics and is a member of the John Martinson Honors College.

"Investing in education today ensures a stronger, more capable space workforce tomorrow," said Bill "Hippie" Woolf, Space Force Association President & CEO. "The Space Force Association is honored to announce



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Madeleine Yee

the 2025 Future Space Professionals Scholarship Winners, who embody the commitment to excellence and forward-looking vision required to meet the challenges of the space domain."

## About SFA

The Space Force Association is the only independent, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that serves as a professional military association whose sole focus is supporting the United States Space Force, United States Space Command, U.S. national spacepower at large, and our global partners and allies' efforts in space exploration. Its core functions are to research, inform, and advocate to achieve superior spacepower by shaping a Space Force that provides credible deterrence in competition, dominant capability in combat, and professional services for all partners. In addition, the SFA has an essential function to provide support for the men and women of the U.S. Space Force. Membership is open to both military and civilians. For more information on the SFA, please visit ussfa.org.

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