

AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION, FLORIDA  
AEROSPACE EDUCATION

**JODI CALLAHAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES**

*June 19, 2009*

**Objective:** The Captain Jodi Callahan Memorial Scholarship provides a \$1,000 scholarship to an active duty Air Force, full time Air National Guard or full time Air Force Reserve (officer or enlisted) pursuing a Master's Degree in a non-technical field of study.

**Requirements/Selection Criteria:** A completed application package must be postmarked no later than June 30, 2009. The following is required:

- 1 – A completed application form.
- 2 – One letter of recommendation from your Air Force supervisor or commander which includes a character reference, a description of your performance and an assessment of your potential as an Air Force leader and volunteer.
- 3 – If you have not begun your advanced degree, submit proof of acceptance into a Master's program at an accredited college or university. This must be on college or university letterhead and state your name and date of your first term of attendance.
- 4 – A minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 on a scale of 4.0 (or equivalent) is required. Submit an original of your most recent college or university Master's program transcript with your GPA highlighted. If you have not yet started your Master's program, submit a transcript from your undergraduate degree.
- 5 – A typed two page double spaced essay describing your academic goals and how you expect your degree to enhance your service to the Air Force.

**Scholarship Allocation:**

- 1 – Check in the amount of \$1,000 is sent to the recipient in early September.
- 2 – The scholarship may be used to pay for any reasonable cost related to pursuing a degree. This includes tuition, fees and books.
- 3 – This scholarship is nonrenewable. Prior recipients cannot apply.
- 4 – Incomplete application packages will not be considered.

**Mail completed application package to:**

Lynette Cross  
Manager, National Aerospace Awards  
Air Force Association  
1501 Lee Highway  
Arlington, VA 22209-1190  
Phone: 703-247-5800 Ext. 4807  
Toll Free: 800-727-3337 Ext. 4807

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**Air Force Association**  
**Jodi Callahan Memorial Scholarship Application**

**Applicant Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last four numbers of SSN \_\_\_\_\_ Air Force Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate if you are in one of the following:

Active Duty Air Force \_\_\_\_\_

Full-Time Air National Guard \_\_\_\_\_

Full-Time Air Force Reserve \_\_\_\_\_

Duty Station \_\_\_\_\_

MAJCOM Assignment \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**School Information:**

College/University Name (for advanced study) \_\_\_\_\_

GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Area of Study \_\_\_\_\_ Credit hours needed to graduate \_\_\_\_\_

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