

## **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

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National War College Class of 2025:

On behalf of the National War College Alumni Association and President of the Board, Ambassador Jim Smith, I would like to extend a warm welcome to you and your families as you embark on your transformative journey at the National War College.

We are here to support your activities as a student, and to help connect you to your classmates, alumni, and Alumni Association events that will undoubtedly play a crucial role in shaping your experience during your time at the College.

Your first interactions with us will likely be in buying NWC apparel and mementos from the store. As the year goes on, you will come to see that we are involved in supporting a myriad of your activities. From class receptions, lunches, sports equipment, Oktoberfest, Jim Thorpe Sports Days, Spouses club, to various writing awards, including the prestigious \$1,000 Trager Writing Award, our Pillsbury Scholarship program for children of alumni, and, as of the past school year, a scholarship program for grandchildren.

As a student and later as alumni, you will also be invited to all Alumni Association educational and social events. We typically have at least one per month, but often two. Our intention is to provide you with lifelong educational and social opportunities in connecting with your fellow alumni, in addition to experts both in the government and private sector. Following your graduation, we will also be your source for coordinating promotion and retirement ceremonies, should you wish to have them at the college.

To support these efforts, we invite you to join as a Lifetime Member of the NWC Alumni Association. As a student, we offer you the opportunity to join at a reduced rate of \$300. As a Lifetime Member, you will have access to a portion of the NDU Library, in addition to a 15% discount on all mementos and retail items, among other benefits.

We invite you to visit our website and to get to know us better. You can order items from us online or email us directly. Stay updated on alumni activities and connect with us at <u>www.nationalwarcollege.org</u>.

Come visit our office and the Rough Rider Store. We are located on the ground floor in Room G20. We look forward to serving you.

Sincerely,

Angela Martz Executive Director alumni@nationalwarcollege.org