



Turk Green Memorial Scholar

Benjamin Harms

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Sponsor: CAPT Kevin Harms

College: Texas A&M University

2025-2026: Senior

Major: Mechanical Engineering

Academic & Extracurricular Highlights:

- CACI NASA Space Center, Robotics Intern
- Air Combat Effectiveness, Electronic Combat Intern
- Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division: Instrumentation Intern
- Society of Automotive Engineers, Baja
- TURTLE Robotics Professional Brotherhood of Engineers



Receiving a WOASF scholarship is an incredible honor that has had a profound impact on my life. As I reflect on my college journey, I am filled with gratitude for the support this scholarship has provided throughout my time at Texas A&M. It has allowed me to make the most of my college experience: academically, personally, and professionally. It has given me the freedom to pursue my interests and join clubs like SAE Baja and TURTLE Robotics. Beyond academics, this scholarship has provided me with the space to develop as an individual. Without the pressure of financial stress, I've been able to focus on my well-being, build meaningful relationships, and take on challenges that have helped shape me into who I am today. Moreover, this scholarship has instilled in me an even deeper appreciation for the Navy community. As the son of a naval aviator, I recognize the only reason I'm eligible to receive this scholarship is because of the sacrifices my father made. What's more, this opportunity exists because of an entire community of service members and families who have made similar sacrifices. I'm humbled to be supported by such a selfless and honorable group. Knowing that people who have given so much are the ones supporting my education inspires me to stay focused, work hard, and carry myself with integrity. I am proud to represent the WOASF community, and I will carry this sense of gratitude with me throughout my whole life.