(A2) ROTC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED/ACCEPTED

	2010	% (F)	2011	% (F)	2012	% (F)	2013	% (F)	2014	% (F)	5-YR Span:
ARMY	6030	24%	3311	23%	4671	21%	5782	23%	5373	24%	Same
NAVY	1001	33%	938	35%	1158	30%	1101	29%	875	24%	Down 9%
MARINE CORPS	378	12%	334	12%	258	16%	195	19%	195	24%	Increased 12%
AIR FORCE	1753	26%	689	25%	1870	23%	1784	21%	856	19%	Down 7%

SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED

	2010	% (F)	2011	% (F)	2012	% (F)	2013	% (F)	2014	% (F)	5-YR Span:
ARMY	Over the last 5 years, 5,000 scholarships have been offered (23% F)										Averaged
NAVY	2244	34%	1811	34%	2007	33%	1965	28%	1770	25%	Down 9%
MARINE CORPS	565	10%	500	14%	335	19%	250	16%	238	24%	Increased 14%
AIR FORCE	2266	26%	830	26%	2465	24%	2407	23%	1414	20%	Down 6%

RFI Category and Number:
Assignments Working Group RFI #2

RFI Question:
ROTC scholarships are an important method of attracting capable individuals to enter the Armed Forces.
The Committee requests the Services provide a written response on the following:

- *The number and type of ROTC scholarships given out the last five years (2010-2014);*
- *A breakdown on the total number and the percentage of scholarships that were offered; and*
- *The numbers of how many scholarships were accepted by men and women.*

RFI Response:

Navy Option NROTC Scholarships Offered and Accepted by Gender

	4 year Scholarships Offered				Scholarships Accepted / Freshman Enrollments			
Year	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**
2010	739	1403	2142	34.50%	314	601	915	34.32%
2011	612	1175	1787	34.25%	322	595	917	35.11%
2012	624	1132	1756	35.54%	310	633	943	32.87%
2013	517	1193	1710	30.23%	285	591	876	32.53%
2014	423	1232	1655	25.56%	195	579	774	25.19%
Total	**2915**	**6135**	**9050**	**32.21%**	**1426**	**2999**	**4425**	**32.23%**

	3 year Scholarships Offered				Scholarships Accepted			
Year	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**
2010	10	49	59	16.95%	9	41	50	18.00%
2011	5	13	18	27.78%	4	13	17	23.53%
2012	18	62	80	22.50%	16	53	69	23.19%
2013	5	46	51	9.80%	4	43	47	8.51%
2014	7	44	51	13.73%	5	41	46	10.87%
Total	**45**	**214**	**259**	**17.37%**	**38**	**191**	**229**	**16.59%**

	2 year Scholarships Offered				Scholarships Accepted			
Year	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**	**F**	**M**	**Total**	**F%**
2010	11	32	43	25.58%	9	27	36	25.00%
2011	2	4	6	33.33%	1	3	4	25.00%
2012	22	149	171	12.87%	18	128	146	12.33%
2013	36	168	204	17.65%	32	146	178	17.98%
2014	9	55	64	14.06%	7	48	55	12.73%
Total	**80**	**408**	**488**	**16.39%**	**67**	**352**	**419**	**15.99%**

Notes:

1. The above numbers include Navy Scholarships only. Marine corps scholarships are awarded by MCRC

2. 3-year and 2-year scholarship offers vary by year as they are given to make up excess attrition from 4-year scholarships

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Information Paper

Subject: RESPONSE TO DACOWITS REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS (NROTC) SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Purpose. To provide response to the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Service (DACOWITS) in preparation for the upcoming quarterly meeting to be held 11-12 March 2015.

2. Background. Specific question: "ROTC scholarships are an important method of attracting capable individuals to enter the Armed Forces. The Committee requests the Services provide a written response on the following: The number and type of ROTC scholarships given out the last five years (2010-2014); a breakdown on the total number and the percentage of scholarships that were offered; and the numbers of how many scholarships were accepted by men and women."

3. Key Points

a. Scholarship Applications FY10-14

Marine Corps NROTC Scholarship Applications					
FY	Applicants	Male	Male %	Female	Female %
2010	2,164	1,972	91.1%	192	8.9%
2011	2,401	2,122	88.4%	279	11.6%
2012	2,176	1,920	88.2%	256	11.8%
2013	1,811	1,569	86.6%	242	13.4%
2014	1,751	1,511	86.3%	240	13.7%

b. Scholarship Allocations and Selection Rates FY10-14

Marine Corps NROTC Scholarship Allocations and Selection Rates						
FY	Scholarships	Overall Selection %	Male	Male Selection %	Female	Female Selection %
2010	565	26.1%	506	25.7%	59	30.7%
2011	500	20.8%	431	20.3%	69	24.7%
2012	335	15.4%	270	14.1%	65	25.4%
2013	250	13.8%	209	13.3%	41	16.9%
2014	238	13.6%	181	12%	57	23.8%

c. Scholarship Acceptance Rates FY10-14

Marine Corps NROTC Scholarship Acceptance Rates						
FY	Accepted	Acceptance %	Male	Male Accept %	Female	Female Accept %
2010	378	66.9%	331	65.4%	47	79.7%
2011	334	66.8%	294	68.2%	40	58.0%
2012	258	77.0%	216	80.0%	42	64.6%
2013	195	78.0%	158	75.6%	37	90.2%
2014	195	81.9%	148	81.8%	47	82.5%

4. Discussion

a. Scholarship Applications. While the total number of applications for Marine Corps NROTC scholarships has decreased; female applicants represent a growing percentage of the applications received each year, increasing in FY10-14.

b. Scholarship Allocations and Selection Rates. The percentage of females selected for Marine Corps NROTC scholarships has significantly increased since FY10. During this time the overall number of available scholarships has decreased, making selection more competitive. Selection percentages exceed the current percentage of female officers in the Marine Corps (7.1%) and support the continued growth of the female officer population.

c. Scholarship Acceptance Rates. Over the past two fiscal years the percentage of selected females who accept their Marine Corps NROTC scholarship is higher than the selected male scholarship acceptance rate.

5. Recommendation. N/A

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FY 2010 to 2014 ROTC Schloarship given						
		FY 2010	FY 2011	FY2012	FY 2013	FY2014
Female	Type 1	84	29	129	42	16
	Type 2	284	95	216	249	90
	Type 7	83	49	90	91	57
Total Female		451	173	435	382	163
Male	Type 1	347	69	362	179	28
	Type 2	609	239	743	878	414
	Type 7	346	208	330	345	251
Total Male		1302	516	1435	1402	693
Grand Total		1753	689	1870	1784	856

Scholarship Offered from FY 2010 to 2014						
		FY 2010	FY 2011	FY2012	FY 2013	FY2014
Female	Offered	581	215	603	554	288
	Accepted	451	173	435	382	163
Accepting Precentage		77.62%	80.47%	72.14%	68.95%	56.60%
Male	Offered	1685	615	1862	1853	1126
	Accepted	1302	516	1435	1402	693
Accepting Precentage		77.27%	83.90%	77.07%	75.66%	61.55%
Total Offered		2266	830	2465	2407	1414
TotalAccepted		1753	689	1870	1784	856
Over all precentage		77.36%	83.01%	75.86%	74.12%	60.54%

Type 1: Provides full tuition and fees (with no cap)
Type 2: Provides up to $18,000 per year
Type 7: Provides full tuition and fees at the in-state rate

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INFORMATION PAPER

SUBJECT: DACOWITS RFI A2 for March 2015

1. Purpose. To provide information on Army Senior ROTC Scholarship Program.

2. Facts.

a. The Army Senior ROTC scholarship program is designed to provide financial assistance to meet the needs of the total Army. The financial assistance ranges from 4-year scholarships offered to high school students and college freshmen to 2-year scholarships offered to rising college juniors. The program also supports scholarships for particular missions and skills such as nurses, strategic language majors, Guaranteed Reserve Forces Duty, and STEM.

b. Over the last five years, Cadet Command has typically offered approximately 5,000 scholarships of the different types each year with female winners accounting for 22.8% of that population. Approximately 96% of Cadets awarded a scholarship accept the scholarship.

c. The following table identifies t he number and type of ROTC scholarships awarded over the last five years (2010-2014):

	Scholarship Type						
Year	4yr	3yr	2yr	G	Total	Male	Female
2010	3,996	1,059	900	75	6,030	76.3%	23.7%
2011	2,094	577	591	49	3,311	77.1%	22.9%
2012	2,550	1,437	634	50	4,671	79.5%	20.5%
2013	2,957	1,621	1,099	105	5,782	77.1%	22.9%
2014	3,095	1,234	944	100	5,373	76.3%	23.7%
Total	14,692	5,928	4,168	379	25,167	77.2%	22.8%
By type	58%	24%	17%	2%			

Scholarship Type: 4yr = Four-year scholarship predominately offered through the national process to the high school market. 3yr = Three-year scholarship offered through both the national and campus process. 2yr = Two-year scholarship predominately offered through the campus process. G = Two-year masters program scholarship predominately offered through the campus process.

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